Daily Market Brief

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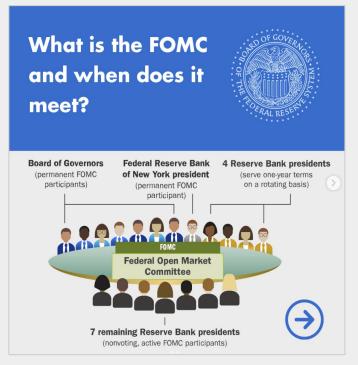
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BTC	\$111,768.62	S&P500	6,465.89	US 10Y	4.2640%	WTI	\$63.44
	+1.5%		+0.4%		-0.0110PPT		-2.1%
ETH	\$4,600.77	Nasdaq	21,544.27	DXY	98.27	Gold	\$3,440.82
	+5.2%		+0.4%		-0.2%		+0.7%

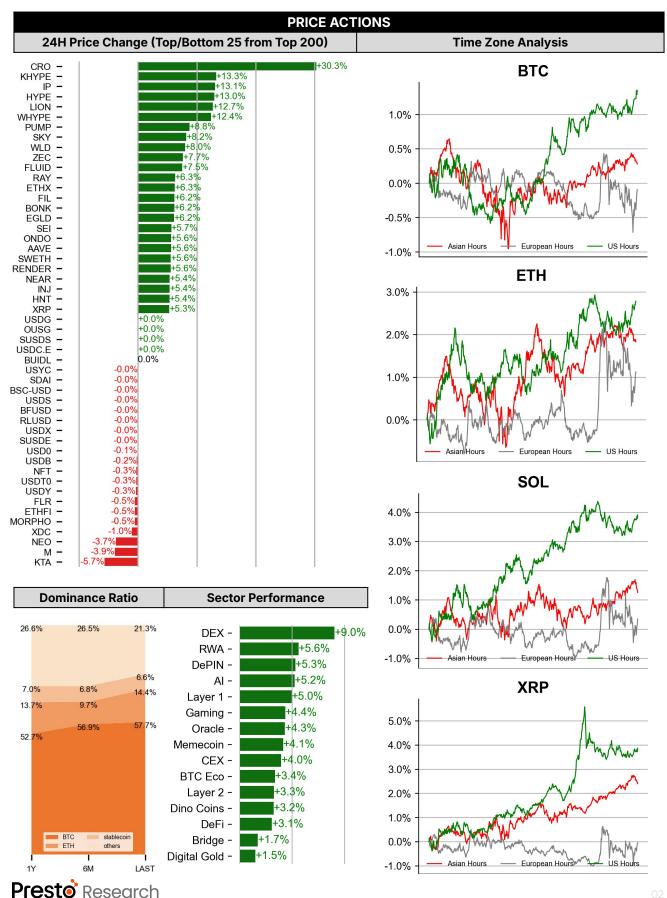
- Markets rebounded, with \$BTC now at \$111,769 and \$ETH at \$4,601.
- Trump Media, Crypto.com, and Yorkville plan a \$6.4B \$CRO token treasury backed by equity lines, cash, and warrants, with \$CRO also set for integration into Truth Social and Truth+.
- Other headlines: Donald Trump Jr. invested in Polymarket and joined its advisory board, following a prior advisory role with Kalshi; Canary Capital has filed with the SEC to launch a Trump memecoin ETF, joining similar proposals from Tuttle and Osprey/Rex Shares; SharpLink's \$ETH treasury has grown to \$3.64B after purchasing 56,533 \$ETH for \$252MM, with \$200MM in cash remaining for further acquisitions.
- During the last 24 hours, the top three gainers were \$CRO, \$IP, and \$HYPE, while the top three losers were \$KTA, \$M, and \$NEO.

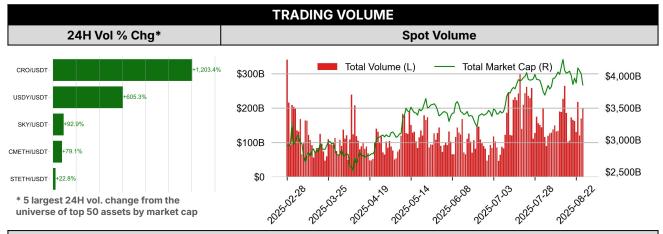
Trump Targets Fed (Again): Rate Cuts and Drama Loom

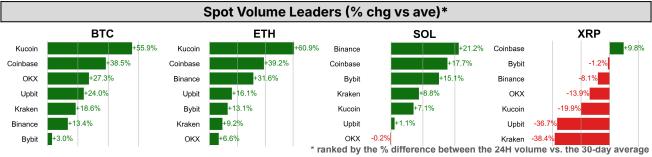
The Trump-Fed spat dominated headlines overnight, with tensions escalating over allegations of Fed Governor Lisa Cook's criminal offense involving mortgage fraud. The market's concern centers on the Fed's independence, as Trump's attacks seem aimed at stacking the Board with loyalists to influence monetary policy. Technically, she's still in her seat, despite what most media outlets are reporting. The process will drag on—it's unprecedented, and Cook has vowed to fight back. A loud message has been sent, though, and in 3 weeks, we'll find out if it impacts the Sept. FOMC decision. While no one knows how this drama will unfold, two things are clear. First, rate cuts are coming, whether in Sept. or later. Simply from the personnel changes, the Fed's Board will lean dovish by early next year. Second, with the Fed's independence repeatedly questioned under this administration, the world will increasingly value an apolitical reserve asset. Gold played that role until about a century ago; now, Bitcoin fits the bill for the digital age.



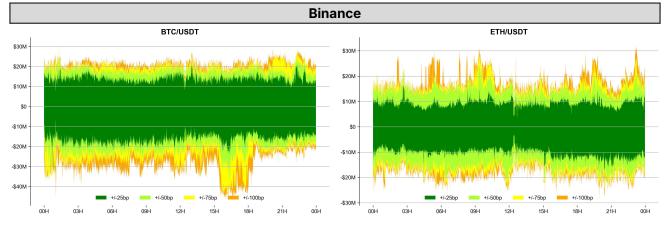
Source: Federal Reserve







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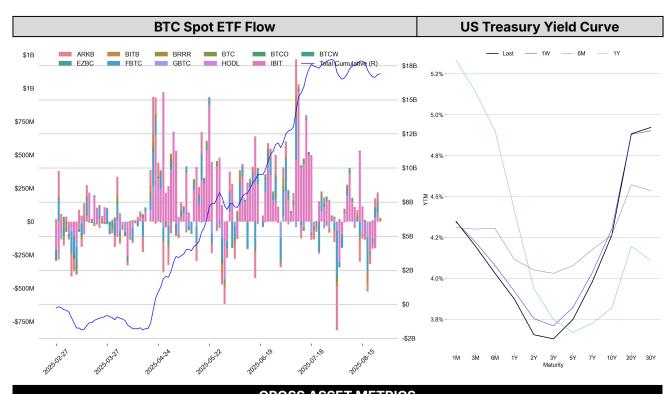
DERIVATIVES Open Interest / Market Cap BTC ETH 560bp 390bp 540bp 380bp 520bp 370hp 500bp 360bp 480bp 350bp 460bp 340bp 440bp 420bp 320bp 2025-08-24 **Futures O.I. & Liquidations BTC ETH** \$80M - \$130B \$120M uidation Short Liquidation Open Interest (R) Long Liquidation - \$22B - \$125B _{\$100}M \$60M - \$120B \$20B - \$115B \$40M \$18B \$60M - \$110B \$105B \$16B \$20M - \$100B \$14B \$0 -**Perps Funding Rate & Rolling Basis BTC ETH** 0.01% Funding Rate Basis (R) 0.02% 0.01% Funding R 0.00% 0.01% -0.01% 0.01% 0.00% 0.01% -0.02% 0.00% 0.01% -0.02% 0.00% -0.03% -0.04% 0.00% 0.00% -0.04% -0.00% 0.00% -0.05% -0.06%-0.00% **Option Volume Put Call Ratio** BTC — ETH \$200M 1.2 1.0 \$150M 8.0 \$100M 0.6 \$50M 0.2 \$0

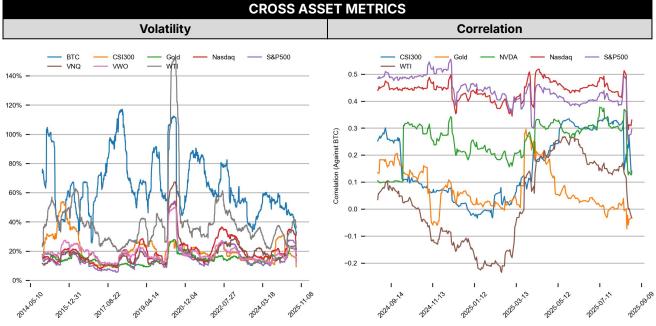


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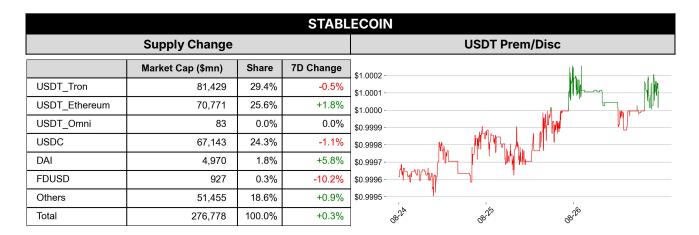
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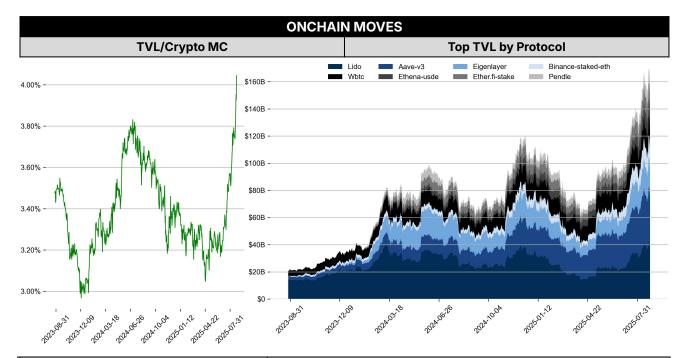
	Stocks				FX			Commodity		Crypto Equity					
	S&P500	Nasdaq	EuroStoxx50	HSI	CSI300	USD/EUR	USD/JPY	USD/CNY	DXY	WTI	Gold	COIN	MSTR	MARA	RIOT
Last	6465.89	21544.27	5385.45	25524.92	4452.59	0.8593	147.48	7.1529	98.27	63.44	3440.82	308.66	351.36	15.85	13.69
1D	0.4%	0.4%	-1.1%	-1.2%	-0.4%	-0.2%	-0.2%	0.0%	-0.2%	-2.1%	0.7%	0.9%	2.4%	2.9%	3.1%
1M	1.2%	2.1%	0.6%	0.5%	7.9%	0.9%	-0.1%	-0.2%	0.6%	-2.6%	1.4%	-21.2%	-13.4%	-8.1%	-5.8%
1Y	15.1%	21.5%	10.0%	43.4%	33.9%	-4.1%	2.0%	0.4%	-2.6%	-18.1%	34.7%	51.3%	139.2%	-14.6%	63.8%





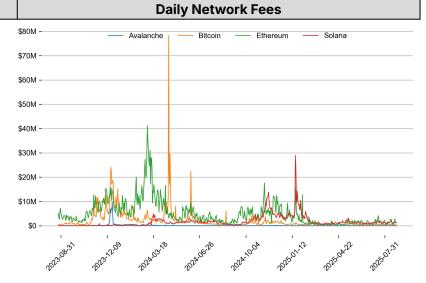






Top TVL Gainers* 7D Change Name 1 PayCash +3,526.0% 2 River Omni-CDP +115.4% 3 Connext +47.1% 4 Kodiak V3 +41.9% 5 Project X +40.1%

^{* 5} largest 7 day TVL change in % terms from the universe of minimum \$100m TVL protocols, according to DefiLlama.





EVENTS CALENDAR					
Date	Title	Coins / Hosts			
Aug 1, 2025	US Nonfarm Payrolls				
Aug 1, 2025	\$162M Unlock	\$SUI			
Aug 5, 2025	Binance Alpha	\$TOWNS			
Aug 6, 2025	S2 Airdrop	\$ME			
Aug 7, 2025	US Reciprocal Tariffs Effective Date				
Aug 8, 2025	Launchpad	\$ORCA			
Aug 12, 2025	US CPI				
Aug 12, 2025	\$17M Unlock	\$LAYER			
Aug 14, 2025	US PPI				
Aug 15, 2025	Earnings Call	\$SBET			
Aug 15, 2025	\$38.9M Unlock	\$AVAX			
Aug 20, 2025	\$28.4M Unlock	\$KAITO			
Aug 21, 2025	Fee Switch	\$RESOLV			
Aug 21, 2025	Jackson Hole				
Aug 26, 2025	\$13M Unlock	\$HUMA			
Aug 27, 2025	Earnings Call \$NVDA				
Aug 29, 2025	Aug 29, 2025 Iran Nuclear Deal Deadline				



DATA EXPLAINER						
Headers	Source	Note				
PRICE ACTIONS TRADING VOLUME ORDER BOOK DEPTH DERIVATIVES	Presto Labs	Time Zone Analysis separates out the asset's price action according to the business hours in Asia, Europe and US region. This is to identify which geography is responsible for price actions of the last 24hrs. The cut-offs are, - Asia: UTC 22:00 -1 to UTC 6:00 - Europe: UTC 6:00 to 14:00 - US: UTC 14:00 to 22:00 Sector constituents are, AI(FET, AGIX, OCEAN), BTC Eco(BCH, BSV, ICP, STX, ORDI), CEX(BNB, CRO, OKB, KCS, BGB), Data(LINK, GRT), DePIN(ICP, FIL, AR, HNT, SIA), DEX(UNI, INJ, RUNE, SNX, DYDX, OSMO, CRV, CAKE, GMX), Digital Gold(BTC), Gaming/Metaverse(IMX, BEAM, SAND, GALA, AXS, WEMIX, RON), LO(AVAX, DOT, TIA), L2(MATIC, OP, MNT, ARB, STRK), Lending(MKR, AAVE, COMP), Liquid Staking(LDO, RPL, JTO), Meme(DOGE, SHIB, FLOKI), NFT(APE, BLUR), Payments(XRP, LTC, XLM, XMR, ZEC), RWA(ONDO, CFG), Smart Contract(ETH, BNB, SOL, ADA, TRX, TON, APT, NEAR, HBAR, VET, ALGO, FTM, SUI, FLOW, MINA). The sector return is market-cap weighted average of the constituents' returns. Exchanges: 24H spot price & volume % changes and dominance ratios are from CoinGecko. Time Zone Analysis is based on data from Binance. Spot volume leaders are based on data from Binance Bybit, Coinbase, Kraken, OKX, KuCoin, HTX, Upbit, Gate.io. Futures data are from Binance OKX, Bybit, KuCoin. Options data are from Deribit.				
TRADFI	Investing.com Farside Investors	BTC Spot ETF Flows are based on data shown on farside.co.uk at UTC 03:00. Due to varying data reporting schedules among ETF sponsors, the figures may not encompass data from all 10 ETFs.				
STABLECOIN ONCHAIN MOVES	DefiLlama	Stablecoin Supply is a proxy for fiat on/off ramp from TradFi into crypto. USDT Prem/Disc reflects the USDT supply/demand imbalance, approximating the market's risk aversion towards USDT specifically, and/or the crypto market more broadly. The data is from Coinbase. TVL/ Crypto MC Ratio = Total Value Locked / Crypto Market Cap. The ratio neutralizes the TVL changes caused by asset price fluctuations.				
EVENTS CALENDAR	CoinMarketCap Layer GG	Events Calendar provides a summary of major events happening throughout the month.				

^{*} The Daily Market Brief is published every business day, following the Singapore calendar, excluding public holidays



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