

# CRYPTO LOSSES IN FEBRUARY 2025



# **Crypto Losses: February 2025**

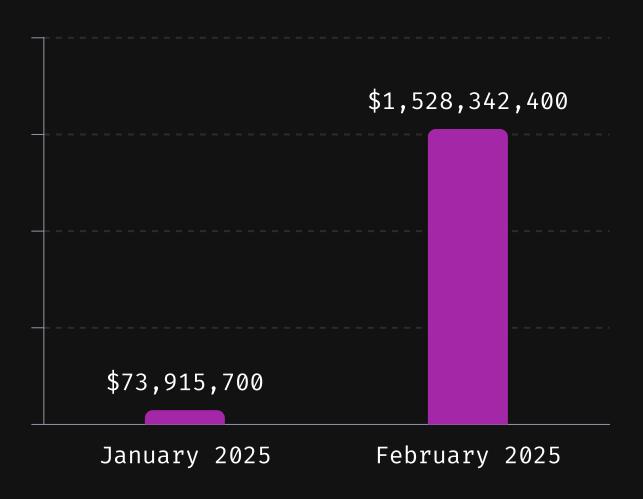
## ANALYSIS

- The crypto ecosystem has witnessed **\$1,602,258,100** in total losses in 2025 YTD, representing an **8x increase** compared to \$200 million during the same period last year. This amount has surpassed the total losses for 2024 at <u>\$1.49 billion</u>.
- In February 2025, **\$1,528,342,400** was lost due to hacks across 9 specific incidents. This represents a **18x increase** from February 2024, when registered losses were **\$81,603,400**.
- Losses in February 2025 represent a **20x increase** month-over-month, compared with January 2025, when registered losses were \$73,915,700.
- Most of the sum was lost in two specific projects: cryptocurrency exchange Bybit,
  which lost \$1.46 billion, and stablecoin bank Infini, which lost \$49.5 million.
- In February 2025, CeFi accounted for **95.5%** of the total losses with a single incident, while DeFi, which experienced 8 cases, accounted for the remaining 4.5% of the total volume of funds lost.
- Hacks continued to be the predominant cause of losses compared to fraud. A total of **\$1,528,342,400** was lost across 9 specific hacking incidents.



BNB Chain and Ethereum were the most targeted chains in February 2025, representing **72.8%** of the total losses across targeted chains.

# January 2024 vs. February 2025



# Top Losses in February 2025

Bybit	\$1,460,000,000
Infini	\$49,500,000
zkLend	\$9,500,000
Ionic Money	\$8,600,000
Cardex	\$400,000
Four.Meme	\$183,000
Cashverse	\$107,900
BankX	\$43,000
GoldReserve NFT	\$8,500



# Hacks vs. Fraud Analysis

In February 2025, hacks continued to be the predominant cause of losses compared to fraud, accounting for 100% of the total losses.

# OVERVIEW

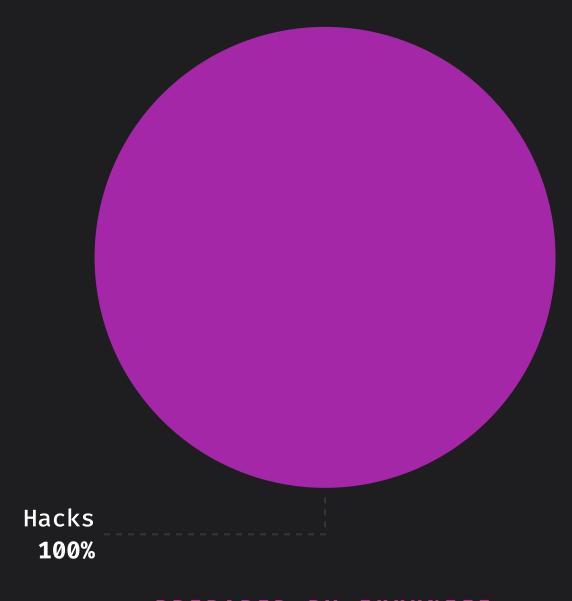
## Hacks

In total, we have seen a loss of **\$1,528,342,400** due to hacks in February 2025 across 9 specific incidents.

## Fraud

No cases of fraud were reported.

# Hacks vs. Fraud February 2025





# DeFi vs. CeFi Analysis

In February 2025, CeFi again surpassed DeFi, representing 93.5% of the total volume of funds lost.

## OVERVIEW

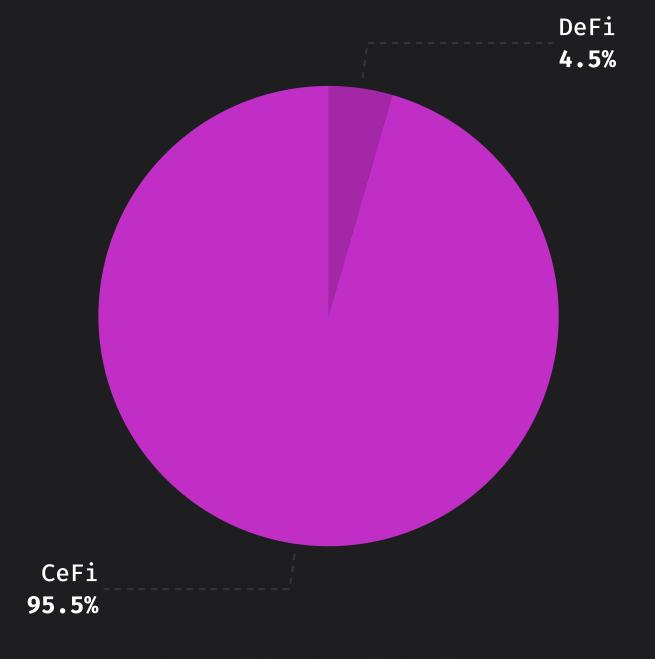
DeFi

DeFi suffered **\$68,342,400** in total losses in February 2025 across 8 incidents.

CeFi

CeFi suffered **\$1,46B** in total losses in January 2025 due to a single incident: the hack of the cryptocurrency exchange Bybit.

# **DeFi vs. CeFi** February 2025





# Losses by Chain

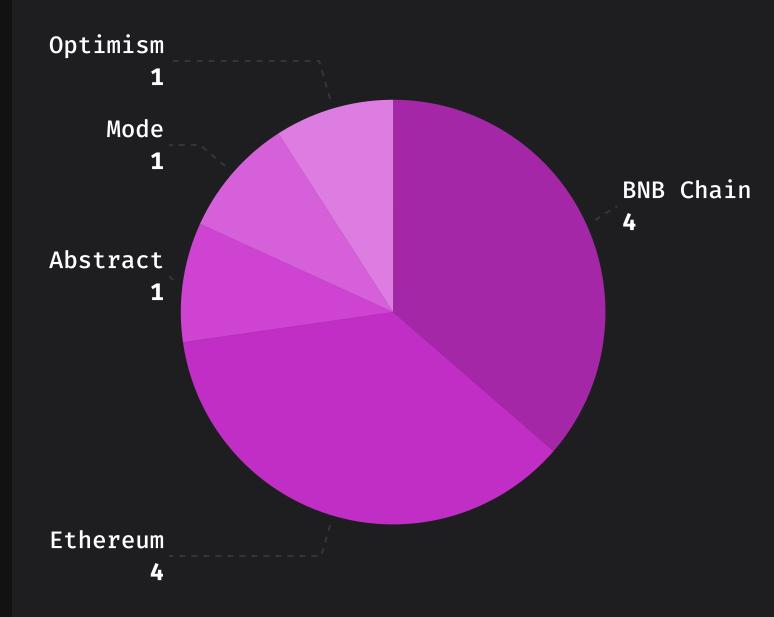
The most targeted chain in February 2025 was the BNB Chain.

# OVERVIEW

- In February 2025, BNB Chain and Ethereum suffered 4 individual attacks each, representing 72.8% of the total losses across targeted chains.
- Abstract, Mode, and Optimism suffered a single attack each.

# Losses by Chain

February 2025





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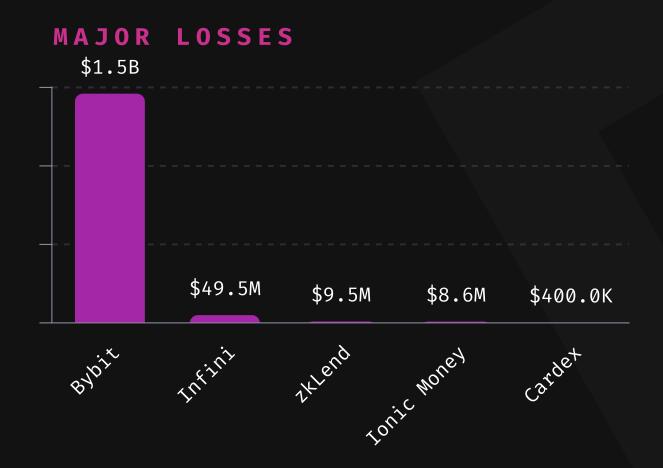
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TOTAL LOSSES YTD

\$1,602,258,100

IN FEBRUARY

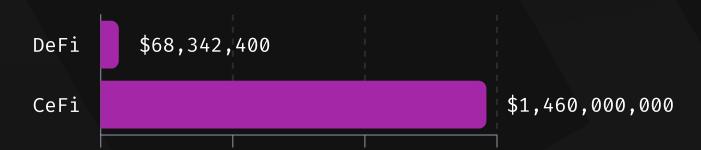
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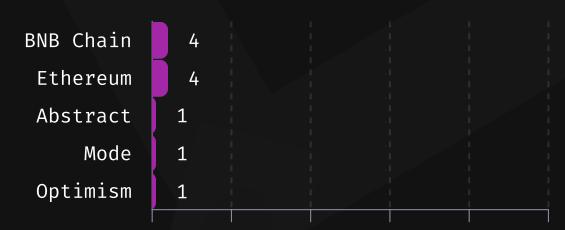




## DEFI VS. CEFI



## TOP LOSSES BY CHAIN





# Immunefi

Immunefi is the the leading onchain crowdsourced security platform protecting over \$190 billion in user funds. Immunefi features a massive community of whitehat hackers who review projects' blockchain and smart contract code, find and responsibly disclose vulnerabilities, and get paid for making crypto safer. With Immunefi, whitehat hackers are rewarded based on the severity of the vulnerability that they discover, creating incentives for as many experts as possible to examine project code for vulnerabilities.

Immunefi has pioneered the scaling web3 bug bounties standard, meaning that rewards should be priced accordingly with the severity of an exploit and the volume of funds at risk, which resulted in the company building the largest community of security talent in the web3 space.

### TOTAL BOUNTIES PAID

Immunefi has paid out over **\$112 million** in total bounties, while saving over **\$25 billion** in user funds.

## TOTAL BOUNTIES AVAILABLE

Immunefi offers over **\$180 million** in available bounty rewards.

## SUPPORTED PROJECTS

Trusted by established, multi-billion dollar projects like Synthetix, Chainlink, Polygon, LayerZero, MakerDAO, TheGraph, Wormhole, Optimism and more, Immunefi now supports more than 300 projects across multiple crypto sectors.

# LARGEST BUG BOUNTY PAYMENTS IN THE HISTORY OF SOFTWARE

Immunefi has facilitated the largest bug bounty payments in the history of software:

- **\$10 million** for a vulnerability discovered in Wormhole, a generic cross-chain messaging protocol.
- **\$6 million** for a vulnerability discovered in Aurora, a bridge, and a scaling solution for Ethereum.
- **\$2.2 million** for a vulnerability discovered in Polygon, a decentralized Ethereum scaling platform that enables developers to build scalable, user-friendly dApps.



## Disclaimer:

• Immunefi uses publicly available data and news reports in order to access and collect alleged fraud, scams, and rug pulls. Including such incidents in this report does not constitute a determination from Immunefi that a fraud, scam, or rug pull event did occur.

#### **Notes:**

• Immunefi assesses the volume of crypto funds lost by the community due to hacks and scams by reviewing, validating, and classifying publicly available data. In this report, Immunefi considered only rug pulls for its fraud category. A rug pull is a project that creates an image of credibility and attracts outside capital through token sales or other means with the sole purpose of stealing deposited user funds and disappearing.

#### More:

• If you're a developer thinking about a bug-hunting career in web3, we got you. Check out our Web3 Security Library, and start taking home some of the over \$180M in rewards available on Immunefi — the leading bug bounty platform for web3.

For more information, please visit <a href="https://immunefi.com/">https://immunefi.com/</a>

