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FT Partners Strategic Insights – Global FinTech Report 2026: From Recovery to Resurgence

FT Partners & BCG: From Recovery to Resurgence



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Co-authored by FT Partners & BCG, this in-depth report draws on FT Partners' deep industry knowledge and proprietary FinTech database, BCG's FinTech Control Tower platform, extensive primary research, and interviews with FinTech executives, investors, and industry leaders across global markets. It assesses the current state of the sector and identifies the trends that will shape FinTech's next chapter. The report identifies FinTech's current moment as materially different from both the boom years and the correction period. The sector has rebounded into a more mature, more selective, and more strategically consequential landscape, one where the basis of competition is shifting from digital nativity and category creation to profitable scale, regulatory readiness, and the translation of new technologies into durable operating advantage.

Key findings from the report include:

- BCG and FT Partners' Global FinTech Report 2026 Finds Sector in Full Resurgence, with \$504 Billion in Revenues and 22% Growth
- 74% of Largest Public FinTech Companies Now Profitable; EBITDA Margins Up 400 Basis Points
- Equity Funding Jumps 53% to \$58 Billion; FinTech Companies Out-Acquire Banks in M&A for First Time on Record
- Regulatory Gap Between Banks and FinTech Companies Narrowing in US, UK, and EU as Charter Applications Rise

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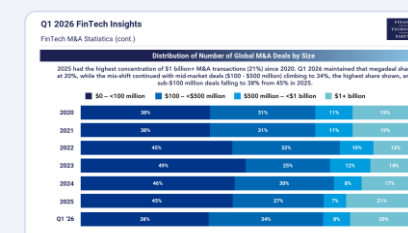
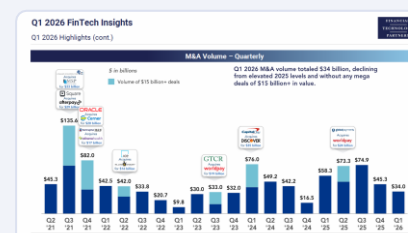
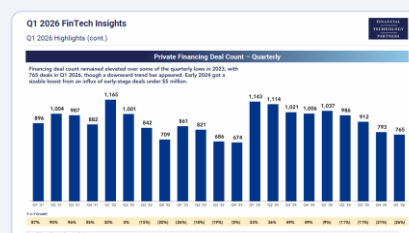
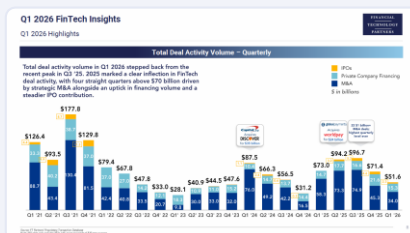
FT Partners Strategic Insights – Q1 2026 FinTech Insights

Q1 2026 FinTech Insights



Highlights of the report include:

- Q1 2025 and historical FinTech financing and M&A volume and deal count statistics
- Largest FinTech financings and M&A transactions in Q1 2025
- Average / median round size and valuations over time
- Most active FinTech investors including strategic investor participation
- Breakdowns by geography and deal type
- FinTech sector and sub-sector highlights



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Selected FT Partners-Advised Transactions in the Wealth & Capital Markets Tech & Crypto Sectors

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M&A Transactions

Financing Transactions

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Significant Experience Advising Large Financing Rounds

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FT Partners has a history of advising on some of the largest financing transactions in the FinTech space

Company	Amount Raised	Company	Amount Raised	Selected Prominent Investors in FT Partners Led Rounds
 xavidxchange	\$1,616,000,000 *	 upgrade	\$445,000,000 *	 Accel  TEMASEK  VISA  PIMCO  RCP  DST  ANT FINANCIAL  GREENSPRING ASSOCIATES  TPG  ICONIQ  Premji Invest  SoftBank  Great Hill PARTNERS  BainCapital PRIVATE EQUITY  ION  CDPQ  TIGERGLOBAL  BainCapital VENTURES  BlackRock  CIBC  khosla ventures  Goldman Sachs  Viking capitalG  LONE PINE CAPITAL  nyca  KeyBank  QED INVESTORS  ING  Blackstone  乾源资本 YUAN CAPITAL  BBVA  Santander InnoVentures  BV Battery Ventures  WELLINGTON MANAGEMENT  THIEL  maveron  ADAMS STREET PARTNERS  Elavon  PayPal  G/  KDT  Redpoint  PayU  andreessen horowitz  edisonpartners  NEUBERGER BERMAN  KKR  DRAGONEER INVESTMENT GROUP  Munich RE  COATUE  CARRICK  ELDRIDGE  edbi  nabventures  APOLLO  mastercard  8VC  nab  QUESTMARK PARTNERS  VALOR EQUITY PARTNERS  generation  SILVERLAKE  PARTHENON CAPITAL PARTNERS  SUMMIT PARTNERS
 GreenSky™	1,560,000,000 *	 MERCURY®	420,000,000	
 stone^{co.}	1,545,000,000 *	 VelocityGlobal	400,000,000	
 Revolut	1,250,000,000	 Remitly	374,000,000 *	
 mollie	800,000,000	 ppro	370,000,000 *	
 SpotOn	725,000,000 *	 cloudwalk	340,000,000 *	
 cross river	620,000,000	 NEXT	333,000,000 *	
 Varo	510,000,000	 NEON	300,000,000	
 MARQETA	505,000,000 *	 OakNorth	270,000,000	
 MAMBU	483,000,000 *	 feedzai	267,500,000 *	
 BILT	450,000,000 *	 AlphaSense	263,000,000 *	

* Total includes multiple financing rounds

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FT Partners' Global Presence – Selected Transactions

Target	Selected Buyer / Investor(s)	International Aspect
		
		
		 
		 
		
	    	
		 
		
	  	
	 	
		 

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FT Partners Served as Financial Advisor to Siris Capital on Equiniti's \$4.2 billion Sale to Bullish

Overview of Transaction

- On May 5, 2026, Bullish (NYSE:BLSH), the institutional-grade digital asset platform, today announced it has entered into a definitive agreement to acquire Equiniti, a leading global transfer agent and provider of mission-critical shareholder services, valued at \$4.2 billion
- Consideration to be paid in newly issued Bullish ordinary shares (priced off Bullish's 30-day undisturbed VWAP immediately prior to announcement); Equiniti shareholders will receive board representation rights based on post-closing ownership levels, with shares subject to customary lock-up and orderly disposition provisions
- The transaction is expected to close in the first quarter of 2027, subject to regulatory approvals and customary closing conditions

Significance of Transaction

- The acquisition brings together Bullish's blockchain-native offering: token design, issuance, operation and compliance; distribution through regulated markets globally; liquidity provisioning; and visibility through CoinDesk's media, data, and research
- Equiniti brings what every listed company in most major markets is required to have: a regulated transfer agent; as the system of record for nearly 3,000 of the world's leading public companies, Equiniti processes approximately \$500 billion in annual payments and supports over 20 million verified shareholders
- The combination creates the global transfer agent for tokenized securities and aims to position Bullish to lead the shift toward blockchain-native capital markets infrastructure

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as strategic and financial advisor to Siris Capital
- This transaction highlights FT Partners' deep domain expertise across market infrastructure and digital assets, as well as its successful track record generating highly favorable outcomes for leading companies around the world
 - FT Partners served as financial advisor on three of the five largest strategic M&A transactions in the Digital Assets space

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FT Partners Served as Financial Advisor to Stash on its \$425 million Sale to Grab

Overview of Transaction

- On February 11, 2026, Grab announced that it had signed definitive agreements to acquire Stash for an enterprise value of US\$425 million
 - Stash will continue operating as an independent brand in the U.S. post-closing
- Founded in 2015, Stash is an AI-powered investing app providing users with access to a suite of simple, automated solutions designed to help people find security and peace of mind through saving and investing; the Company has more than one million paying subscribers and over \$5 billion in assets under management on its platform
- Founded in 2012, Grab is a leading super-app in Southeast Asia with 47 million monthly transacting users, operating across the deliveries, mobility and digital financial services sectors, serving 800+ cities in eight countries; the Company operates digital banking services in Singapore, Malaysia, and through an associate in Indonesia

Significance of Transaction

- This strategic acquisition allows Grab to expand its international financial services footprint and enter the mass-market investing segment
- Grab plans to support Stash's continued growth in the U.S. consumer market, while exploring opportunities to introduce Stash's investing solutions, including AI Money Coach, in Southeast Asia longer-term

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as the exclusive strategic and financial advisor to Stash
- FT Partners also previously served as strategic and financial advisor to Stash on its \$146 million [Series H financing](#) in 2025
- The transaction highlights FT Partners' deep domain expertise and successful track record in the WealthTech and Consumer FinTech spaces

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for an enterprise value of

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FT Partners Served as Financial Advisor to Mesh on its \$75 million Financing

Overview of Transaction

- On January 27, 2026, Mesh, the leading crypto payments network enabling seamless transactions with cheap and immediate conversions, announced that it has closed a \$75 million Series C funding round, bringing its total amount raised to over \$200 million and valuing the Company at \$1 billion
- Dragonfly Capital led the round, with participation from investors including Paradigm, Moderne Ventures, Coinbase Ventures, SBI Investment, and Liberty City Ventures
- Founded in 2020, Mesh is building the first global crypto payments network, connecting hundreds of exchanges, wallets, and financial services platforms to enable seamless digital asset payments and conversions
 - By unifying these platforms into a single network, Mesh is pioneering an open, connected and secure ecosystem for digital finance

Significance of Transaction

- A portion of Mesh's Series C round was settled using stablecoins to demonstrate that the infrastructure is ready for high-stakes, real-world use
- The round also accelerates Mesh's global expansion into Latin America, Asia and Europe, fueling product development and strengthening its network that already reaches 900 million+ users globally
 - Mesh previously announced its expansion into India, in addition to announcing support for Ripple USD and announcing new partnerships with Paxos and Rain

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as financial advisor to Mesh on this transaction
 - FT Partners previously served as financial advisor to Mesh on its \$82 million Series B financing in 2025, and its financing from QuantumLight in 2024
- This transaction highlights FT Partners' deep expertise in the rapidly growing digital assets industry as well as our track record generating favorable outcomes for companies in the space

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FT Partners Served as Financial Advisor to Forge on its \$660 million Sale to Charles Schwab

Overview of Transaction

- On November 6, 2025, The Charles Schwab Corporation (NYSE:SCHW) announced it had entered into a definitive agreement to acquire Forge Global Holdings, Inc. (NYSE: FRGE) in an all-cash transaction valued at approximately \$660 million
 - The purchase price of \$45.00 in cash per share represents a premium of more than 170% (2.7x) over the Company's unaffected share price of \$16.63, and more than 500% (6x) over the 52-week low ⁽¹⁾
- The Charles Schwab Corporation (NYSE: SCHW) is a leading provider of financial services, with 38.0 million active brokerage accounts, 5.6 million workplace plan participant accounts, 2.2 million banking accounts, and \$11.59 trillion in client assets
- Forge (NYSE:FRGE) is a leading provider of marketplace infrastructure, data services and technology and investment solutions for private market participants

Significance of Transaction

- This acquisition combines Schwab's industry-leading reach across 46 million Accounts with Forge's expertise, redefining private market access
- Together, Schwab and Forge will unite private stock plan administration and liquidity access in a single, integrated ecosystem that benefits all participants

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive financial advisor to Forge; FT Partners has been engaged in a long-term financial advisor role with Forge since 2018 and has since served as financial advisor to the Company on every major capital raise, buy-side acquisitions, its 2021 SPAC merger, and its announced sale to Charles Schwab
- This transaction underscores the strategic nature of FT Partners' long-term advisory engagements, as well as our deep expertise in major FinTech verticals including alternative assets and trading technology

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(1) Unaffected share price represents closing share price as of 10/24/2025. 52-week low represents the lowest closing price over the past year.

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FT Partners Served as Financial Advisor to Model ML on its \$75 million Financing

Overview of Transaction

- On November 24, 2025, Model ML, a leading global AI workflow automation platform for financial services, announced that it has raised \$75 million in Series A financing led by FT Partners including significant participation from Y Combinator, QED, and LocalGlobe
 - This raise comes just six months after the Company's seed financing, and only twelve months after its launch
- Model ML tackles one of financial services' most persistent challenges: the manual, time-intensive creation of Word, PowerPoint, and Excel deliverables; its AI agents interpret schemas, reason across data sources, write transformation code, and generate fully verified, branded outputs – allowing teams to focus on analysis and decision-making rather than formatting and cross-checking
- In benchmarking tests, Model ML completed client-ready deliverables over 20x faster than human consultants and with higher accuracy; the platform is already being adopted by major banks, asset managers, and consulting firms, including two of the Big Four accounting firms

Significance of Transaction

- As part of the financing, FT Partners and Model ML have entered a multi-year strategic design partnership to jointly develop AI-driven workflow systems that transform how financial analysis and client deliverables are produced

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as financial advisor to Model ML and an affiliate of FT Partners also led the round
- This transaction highlights FT Partners' track record of advising innovative FinTech companies globally, as well as our deep domain expertise in Capital Markets technology and the intersection of AI and FinTech

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FT Partners Served as Financial Advisor to Ledn on its Strategic Investment from Tether

Overview of Transaction

- On November 18, 2025, Ledn announced a strategic investment from Tether, the largest company in the digital asset industry
- Founded in 2018 by Adam Reeds and Mauricio Di Bartolomeo – Ledn is one of the global market leaders in consumer bitcoin-backed loans, offering a secure and transparent way to unlock liquidity without selling customers' Bitcoin
- Ledn offers a simplified Bitcoin-only, fully-custodied model with recurring Proof of Reserve reports and has serviced over \$10 billion in loans across more than 100 countries

Significance of Transaction

- The transaction underscores Tether's confidence in Ledn's leadership and its commitment to helping build real-world financial infrastructure that empowers individuals and businesses to access credit without having to sell their digital assets
- Ledn's robust and regulated platform infrastructure makes it an ideal fit to expand the adoption and distribution of Tether's assets across new markets and use cases, including future opportunities with USA\$, Tether's newly announced U.S.-issued, fully regulated dollar stablecoin

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as Ledn's exclusive financial and strategic advisor, leveraging deep sector expertise to deliver a highly favorable outcome for the company
- This transaction highlights FT Partners' market-leading position in the Digital Assets space while reinforcing our proven ability to execute complex, high-impact deals for innovative companies worldwide

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FT Partners Served as Financial Advisor to Pave Bank on its \$39 million Financing

Overview of Transaction

- On October 23, 2025, Pave Bank announced an investment of \$39 million led by Accel Partners with participation from Tether Investments, Quona Capital, Wintermute, Helios Digital Ventures, Yolo Investments, Kazea Fund, and GC&H Investments
- Founded in March 2023, Pave Bank is a fully licensed, programmable bank for the digital asset economy, offering a single platform that unifies commercial banking services — deposit accounts, broad payment coverage, deep FX liquidity, payment card issuance and treasury management — with institutional-grade digital asset management, an instant settlement network, and an OTC trading desk, all under one regulatory framework, compliance standard and interface

Significance of Transaction

- This round brings the Company's total funding to more than \$44 million and positions Pave to expand its regulatory footprint, accelerate product development, continue to build institutional grade infrastructure and scale its client coverage across global markets
- The investment reflects growing institutional demand for a new kind of financial institution that can manage regulated digital assets, from stablecoins to bitcoin, alongside what is expected from a commercial bank, provide instant settlement and programmable flows, and have prudential oversight

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as Pave Bank's exclusive financial and strategic advisor on this transaction, supporting the Company through a strategic and highly selective raise
- FT Partners also previously served as the strategic and financial advisor to Pave Bank on its \$5.2 million [seed financing](#)
- This transaction highlights FT Partners' deep domain expertise in the banking and digital assets space, as well as its successful track record generating highly favorable outcomes for its clients

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FT Partners Served as Financial Advisor to Deribit on its \$4.3 billion Sale to Coinbase

Overview of Transaction

- On May 8, 2025, Coinbase announced that it has entered into a definitive agreement to acquire Deribit for a total consideration of \$700 million in cash and 11 million shares of Coinbase Class A common stock
 - The transaction closed on August 14, 2025; based on Coinbase's share price at closing, the total consideration amounted to approximately \$4.3 billion
- Founded in 2016, Deribit is the world's leading crypto options and futures exchange, providing institutional-grade infrastructure for derivatives trading across Bitcoin, Ethereum, and other major tokens
 - Deribit is a market leader amongst institutional players and market makers, having consistently held strong market share globally in Bitcoin options and being widely recognized for its deep liquidity, superior risk management tools, and robust margin engine
 - In 2024, Deribit processed more than \$1.1 trillion in notional volume, with record open interest and increasing participation from hedge funds, asset managers, and proprietary trading firms
- Founded in 2012 and publicly listed on Nasdaq, Coinbase is the largest publicly traded Crypto platform in the world, serving more than 100 million users across 100+ countries
 - Coinbase has been investing heavily in institutional services, and the acquisition of Deribit enables a transformational leap into global crypto derivatives
 - Moreover, the Company engages actively with regulators to promote compliant and transparent crypto innovation

Significance of Transaction

- This strategic acquisition makes Coinbase the global leader in crypto derivatives by open interest and options volume, with Deribit's robust options platform complementing Coinbase's rapidly growing US futures and international perpetual futures businesses
- This transaction is the largest strategic M&A deal ever in the Digital Assets space, and comes shortly after several other large transactions in the space including [Hidden Road's \\$1.25 billion sale to Ripple](#) in April, on which FT Partners also served as financial advisor

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive financial and strategic advisor to Deribit
- This transaction underscores FT Partners' extensive expertise in the Digital Assets space and its successful track record advising innovative FinTech companies globally

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FT Partners Served as Financial Advisor to Hidden Road on its \$1.25 billion Sale to Ripple

Overview of Transaction

- On April 8, 2025, Ripple Labs Inc. announced that it has entered into a definitive agreement to acquire Hidden Road for a total consideration of \$1.25 billion
- Hidden Road is a global credit network for institutions which provides technology-driven prime brokerage, clearing and financing enabling seamless access to traditional and digital markets
 - Hidden Road's technology forward approach and real-time risk management drives a lower cost of capital and increased capital efficiency, improving the overall client experience
 - Hidden Road is differentiated through its breadth of services across asset classes including FX, Digital Assets, Cleared Derivatives, OTC Derivatives & Synthetics, and Fixed Income Repo
- Founded in 2012, Ripple specializes in blockchain-based payment solutions, with its main product, RippleNet, connecting banks and payment providers for fast and low-cost cross-border transactions using its digital currency, XRP
 - Ripple differentiates itself from other blockchain-based systems by working closely with financial institutions, regulatory bodies, and other stakeholders to ensure compliance with existing financial regulations
 - Furthermore, the Company actively contributes to the development of the broader digital currency ecosystem

Significance of Transaction

- This transaction is a logical next step in Ripple's strategic focus on strengthening Ripple's financial services ecosystem, and its ability to offer more sophisticated and comprehensive tools for institutional clients
- The transaction also marks a milestone in Hidden Road's mission to bring its technology and quant-driven capabilities to a broader client base and to continue to address new market opportunities
- "With new resources, licenses, and added risk capital, this deal will unlock significant growth in Hidden Road's business, allowing us to increase capacity to our customer base, expand into new products, and service more markets and asset classes" – *Marc Asch, Hidden Road CEO*

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as financial and strategic advisor to Hidden Road
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FT Partners Served as Financial Advisor to WonderFi on its C\$250 million Sale to Robinhood

Overview of Transaction

- On May 13, 2025, Robinhood (NASDAQ: HOOD) announced that it has entered into a definitive agreement to acquire WonderFi (TSX:WNDR) in an all-cash deal for C\$0.36 per share, amounting to a total consideration of approximately C\$250 million
 - Offer represents a premium of 71% to the 30 day VWAP
- With over C\$2.1 billion in client assets under custody, WonderFi's regulated trading platforms in Canada are well-positioned to service Crypto participants with trading, payments and decentralized products, including purpose-built blockchains and non-custodial wallet applications
 - Designed to provide investors with diversified investment exposure across the global Digital Asset ecosystem, the Company has a proven track record of launching new products and obtaining registrations. It is also the owner of market-leading brands, including Bitbuy, Coinsquare, Bitcoin.ca, Coinberry, Bitvo, and Bitstamp Canadian Clients
- Founded in 2013, Robinhood is a pioneering technology company that has revolutionized investing by offering commission-free trading, aiming to democratize access to financial markets
 - Robinhood is a commission-free trading platform that allows users to trade stocks, ETFs, options, cryptocurrencies, and futures without paying trading fees. The Company stands out through its commission-free model, accessibility, innovative features like IRA matching and 24/5 trading, and a user-friendly, tech-forward approach

Significance of Transaction

- This transaction represents a pivotal step in Robinhood's expansion strategy, marking its entry into the Canadian market and highlights the new strategic focus on its rapidly growing crypto segment for both its retail and institutional clients
- Enhances WonderFi's journey to bring its technology, innovation, and talent to a broader client base, positioning it to seize new market opportunities and lead Robinhood's expansion in Canada

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as financial and strategic advisor to WonderFi
- This transaction highlights FT Partners' deep domain expertise in the Digital Assets industry, as well as its extensive track record advising innovative FinTech companies globally

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FT Partners Served as Financial Advisor to Docupace on its Sale to Genstar Capital

Overview of Transaction

- On July 23, 2024, Docupace announced a majority investment from Genstar Capital
- Founded in 2002, Docupace is a leading software provider focused on digitizing and automating solutions in the financial advice and investment industry
 - Financial services firms use Docupace’s cloud-based, integrated software platform to reduce back-office expenses, improve efficiency, strengthen recruiting and enhance the experience of advisors and investors
 - Docupace serves some of the largest independent broker-dealers and RIAs within the industry
- The transaction is expected to close in the third quarter of 2024

Significance of Transaction

- Genstar’s majority ownership will leverage its significant industry expertise in financial services and software – particularly within WealthTech and adjacent sectors – to help support and guide Docupace through its next phase of growth
- FTV Capital (“FTV”), which made a growth investment in the company in 2020, will remain a minority investor in Docupace

FT Partners’ Role

- FT Partners served as the exclusive financial and strategic advisor to Docupace
- This transaction highlights FT Partners’ domain expertise in the WealthTech space, along with our successful track record generating highly favorable outcomes for high-growth FinTech companies

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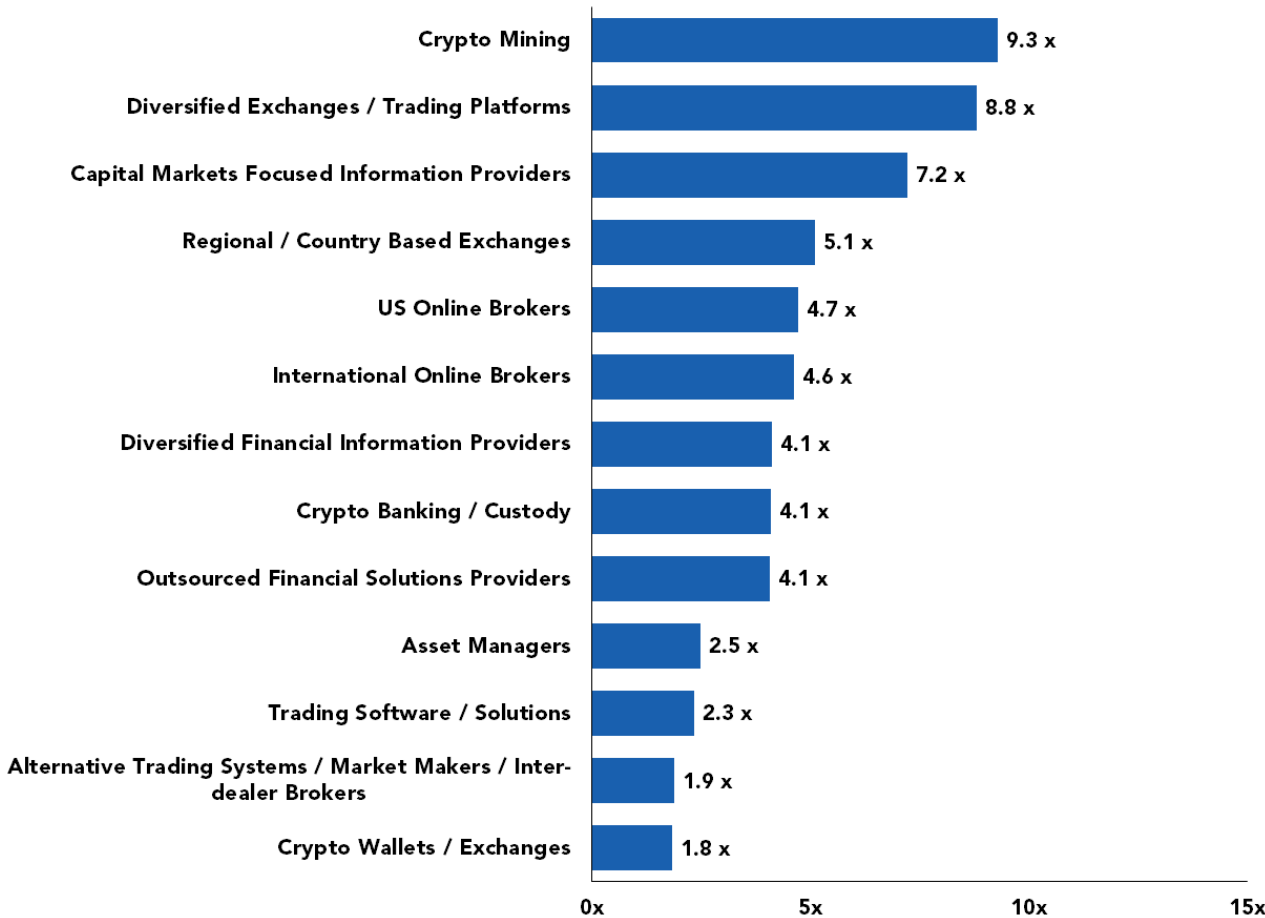
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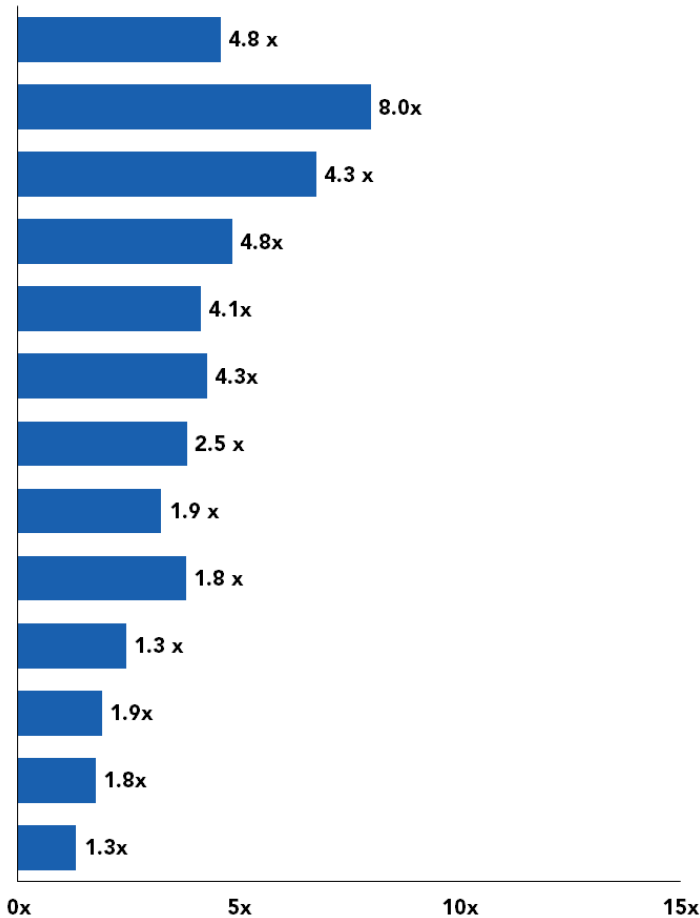
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Median Enterprise Value / Revenue Multiples by FT Sector

2026E EV / Revenue Multiples



2027E EV / Revenue Multiples

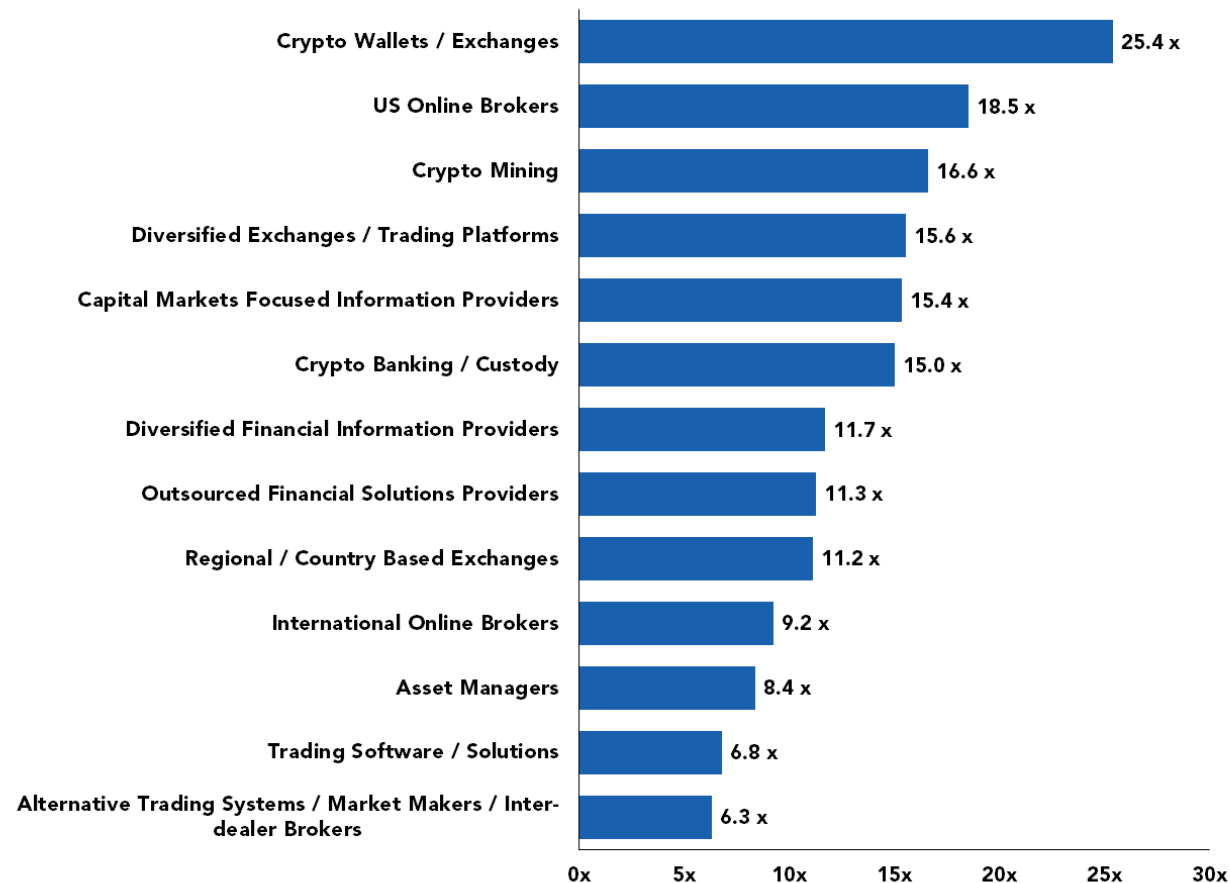


Source: Wall Street Research and Capital IQ
Note: Prices updated as of May 29, 2026

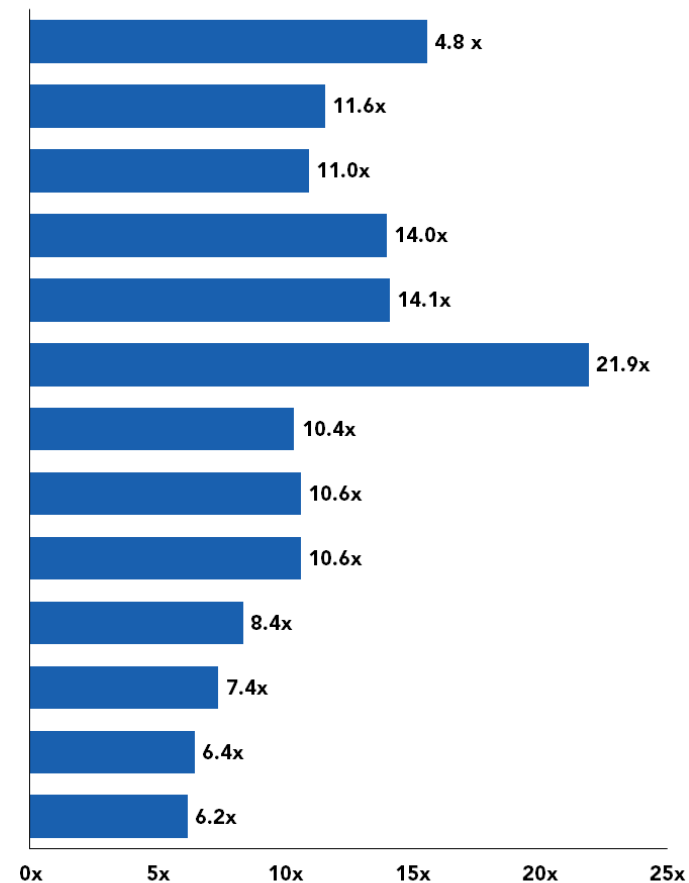
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Median Enterprise Value / EBITDA Multiples by FT Sector

2026E EV / EBITDA Multiples



2027E EV / EBITDA Multiples



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Common Stock Comparison – Summary Analysis

Comparable FT Industry Segment	Aggregate		Multiples						Growth Rates			Margins		P / E / G CY 26E
	Mkt Cap	EV	Price / Earnings		EV / EBITDA		EV / Revenue		Revenue		EPS	EBITDA		
	(\$ mm)	(\$ mm)	CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E	CY 27E	LT	CY 26E	CY 27E	
Diversified Exchanges / Trading Platforms	\$ 539,517	\$ 590,285	21.9 x	20.4 x	15.6 x	14.0 x	8.8 x	8.0 x	11 %	6 %	12 %	61 %	62 %	1.8 x
Diversified Financial Information Providers	363,209	422,182	18.4	15.7	11.7	10.4	4.1	3.8	8	8	13	36	37	1.4
US Online Brokers	414,722	381,958	33.1	22.2	18.5	11.6	4.7	4.1	14	22	16	48	49	1.6
Capital Markets Focused Information Providers	141,387	156,181	21.2	19.1	15.4	14.1	7.2	6.7	7	7	13	45	46	2.2
Outsourced Financial Solutions Providers	107,319	123,645	16.4	14.5	11.3	10.6	4.1	3.8	8	7	13	35	37	1.8
Crypto Mining	92,573	105,675	20.5	26.6	16.6	11.0	9.3	4.6	7	88	2	21	53	na
International Online Brokers	108,319	92,664	15.0	14.0	9.2	8.4	4.6	4.3	9	9	13	45	44	1.4
Crypto Investing / Diversified	61,618	77,077	5.7	19.4	8.7	9.6	5.0	4.6	(8)	17	na	35	23	na
Crypto Wallets / Exchanges	72,621	58,454	37.5	28.8	25.4	15.6	1.8	1.3	11	22	22	21	27	0.5
Regional / Country Based Exchanges	35,901	29,983	17.7	17.2	11.2	10.6	5.1	4.8	10	4	8	53	53	1.3
Alternative Trading Systems / Market Makers / Inter-dealer Brokers	26,754	29,249	9.5	9.0	6.3	6.2	1.9	1.8	12	5	13	28	29	0.7
Crypto Payments	29,183	27,682	90.2	50.7	42.4	28.8	9.0	6.4	12	40	na	21	22	na
Crypto Banking / Custody	11,533	14,651	28.7	28.2	15.0	21.9	4.1	3.2	(2)	23	48	44	55	0.6
Crypto Infrastructure	1,444	2,052	41.3	22.4	10.0	6.3	3.0	3.3	77	6	na	35	52	na
Trading Software / Solutions	1,486	1,633	10.6	9.9	6.8	6.4	2.3	1.9	2	5	na	30	29	na
Large US Focused Global Banks / Investment Banks	2,256,158	--	13.4	11.6	na	na	na	na	8	5	15	na	na	0.8
Large European Banks / Brokerage Firms	837,402	--	10.1	8.5	na	na	na	na	5	5	9	na	na	0.9
Large Asian / Pac Rim Banks / Brokerage Firms	602,056	--	18.1	15.3	na	na	na	na	7	4	5	36	39	4.0
Asset Managers	231,875	242,101	11.1	10.9	8.4	7.4	2.5	2.5	4	5	12	36	35	1.1
Trust Service Banks	116,009	--	12.0	10.8	na	na	na	na	9	4	13	32	33	0.9
US Boutique Banks	44,296	--	11.8	10.2	na	na	na	na	10	8	12	25	22	1.2
UK Regional Brokerage Firms	11,381	--	8.8	6.8	na	na	na	na	0	4	3	18	18	1.9
Median			17.1 x	15.5 x	11.5 x	10.6 x	4.4 x	4.0 x	8 %	7 %	13 %	35 %	37 %	1.3 x
Mean			21.5	17.8	14.5	12.1	4.9	4.1	10	14	14	35	38	1.4

Public Wealth & Capital Markets Tech Sectors

2026E and 2027E Price / Earning Multiples and YTD Stock Price Performance

CORE FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY

Company Name	YTD Change	Price / Earnings		Company Name	YTD Change	Price / Earnings		Company Name	YTD Change	Price / Earnings	
		CY 26E	CY 27E			CY 26E	CY 27E			CY 26E	CY 27E
DIVERSIFIED EXCHANGES / TRADING PLATFORMS				US ONLINE BROKERS				OUTSOURCED FINANCIAL SOLUTIONS PROVIDERS			
Singapore Exchange	29 %	31.5 x	29.2 x	Robinhood	(17)%	44.2 x	34.6 x	HUB24 Limited	(14)%	47.7 x	40.5 x
Miami International Holdings	6	30.5	25.9	Webull	(18)	42.7	21.0	Netwealth	(17)	37.3	32.4
Hong Kong Exchanges & Clearing	(2)	26.5	25.7	Interactive Brokers Group	35	34.8	30.5	Clearwater Analytics	1	36.0	28.2
Tradeweb	(7)	24.8	21.9	SoFi	(30)	31.4	23.4	Bravura Solutions	(10)	21.9	19.1
CBOE	33	24.2	22.9	Wealthfront	(10)	17.5	15.4	Allfunds	7	18.5	16.1
NASDAQ OMX	(5)	23.5	20.9	Charles Schwab	(13)	14.2	12.1	Computershare	1	16.9	16.2
CME Group	0	22.3	21.2	INTERNATIONAL ONLINE BROKERS				IntegraFin	(6)	16.4	14.5
TMX	(1)	21.4	19.9					Broadridge Financial	(31)	15.8	14.0
Deutsche Börse	10	19.8	18.6	Nordnet	20 %	23.7 x	21.3 x	SEI Investments	7	14.9	13.3
London Stock Exchange	1	19.0	16.8	AJ Bell	38	21.0	18.8	LPL Financial	(23)	11.8	9.6
Intercontinental Exchange	(9)	18.2	16.8	Fineco Bank	(6)	19.3	17.3	SS&C Technologies	(23)	9.8	9.0
Euronext	9	17.6	16.2	Avanza	(2)	19.2	18.1	Donnelley Financial Solutions	(15)	8.3	7.5
MarketAxess	(28)	16.0	14.5	Swissquote Group	(19)	17.9	15.9	NOAH	2	7.2	6.7
B3	19	13.9	12.7	Quilter	6	15.6	14.0	DIVERSIFIED FINANCIAL INFORMATION PROVIDERS			
REGIONAL / COUNTRY BASED EXCHANGES				Plus500	22	15.0	14.1				
				eToro	19	14.9	12.9	Fair Isaac Corporation	(26)%	27.0 x	22.0 x
Multi Commodity Exchange of India	33 %	44.7 x	36.7 x	IG Group	37	14.4	13.1	Verisk	(22)	22.9	20.2
Bursa Malaysia	5	25.0	23.8	CMC Markets	24	12.3	11.7	S&P Global	(19)	21.6	19.1
Dubai Financial Market	(12)	19.2	19.3	Futu Holdings	(36)	11.5	8.2	Thomson Reuters	(35)	19.6	17.2
Warsaw Stock Exchange	26	18.2	16.1	XP Inc.	2	7.8	6.8	Equifax	(24)	19.3	16.1
Australian Stock Exchange	(10)	17.3	18.3	Kiwoom Securities	28	6.3	6.6	Experian	(23)	18.4	15.5
New Zealand Exchange	(12)	15.7	14.7	Tiger Brokers	(46)	4.9	4.5	RELX	(19)	17.3	15.7
Bolsa Mexicana de Valores	(1)	11.9	11.3	Geojit Financial Services	(1)	na	na	TransUnion	(17)	15.0	12.8
JSE Limited	8	10.9	10.9	Matsui Securities	14	na	na	Informa	(8)	14.2	12.3
Hellenic Exchanges	17	na	na	Monex Group	(11)	na	na	Gartner	(36)	11.8	10.6
Japan Exchange Group	16	na	na	VIEL et Cie	8	na	na	Forrester	(13)	9.2	7.8
Philippine Stock Exchange	2	na	na	CAPITAL MARKETS FOCUSED INFORMATION PROVIDERS				TRADING SOFTWARE / SOLUTIONS			
ALTERNATIVE TRADING SYSTEMS / MARKET MAKERS / INTER-DEALER BROKERS											
				StoneX	79 %	17.5 x	16.8 x	MSCI	10 %	32.1 x	28.1 x
Compagnie Financiere Tradition	(9)	15.0	13.3	Moody's	(11)	27.1	24.4	Linedata Services	(7)	7.7	7.6
Marex	38	10.2	9.5	Morningstar	(16)	15.3	13.8	Finatext	36	na	na
Flow Traders	(1)	8.8	7.5	FactSet	(15)	13.6	12.3				
Virtu Financial	51	7.8	8.6	Value Line	(16)	na	na				
BGC Partners	17	7.4	6.5								
Beneficient	(47)	na	na								

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2026E and 2027E Price / Earning Multiples and YTD Stock Price Performance

CRYPTO / BLOCKCHAIN TECHNOLOGY

Company Name	YTD Change	Price / Earnings	
		CY 26E	CY 27E
CRYPTO WALLETS / EXCHANGES			
Bullish	(8)%	54.1 x	40.5 x
Bakkt	8	37.5	na
Exodus Movement	(52)	11.0	5.1
Bitdeer	56	nm	nm
BitGo	(59)	nm	19.5
Coinbase	(16)	nm	38.2
Coincheck	(25)	na	na
Gemini	(47)	nm	nm
Orion Digital	(12)	nm	nm
SBI Holdings, Inc.	(14)	na	na
CRYPTO MINING			
BitFuFu	(30)%	23.3 x	26.6 x
Argo Blockchain	(39)	17.8	16.6 x
Bgin Blockchain	20	na	na
Bit Digital	7	na	na
Bitdeer	56	nm	nm
Canaan	(40)	nm	nm
Cipher Mining	60	nm	35.3
Greenidge Generation	5	na	na
HIVE Blockchain Technologies	75	na	na
Hut 8 Mining Corp.	172	nm	nm
IREN (formerly Iris Energy)	68	nm	nm
MARA Holdings	60	nm	nm
Phoenix Group	(33)	nm	na
Riot Blockchain	114	nm	nm
SOLAI Limited	12	na	na
TeraWulf	122	nm	nm
CRYPTO INFRASTRUCTURE			
Northern Data AG	3 %	41.3 x	22.4 x
DMG Blockchain Solutions	37	nm	na
Ebang International	(30)	na	na
Huobi Technology	(16)	na	na

Company Name	YTD Change	Price / Earnings	
		CY 26E	CY 27E
CRYPTO BANKING / CUSTODY			
Figure Technology Solutions	(13)%	29.9 x	25.6 x
AntAlpha	(16)%	27.6 x	82.8 x
Galaxy Digital	32 %	nm	28.2 x
Fold	(63)%	na	nm
CRYPTO PAYMENTS			
Circle	42 %	90.2 x	50.7 x
Bitcoin Depot	33 %	na	na
CRYPTO INVESTING / DIVERSIFIED			
CoinShares	(24)%	8.3 x	7.1 x
MicroStrategy Incorporated	5	3.1	35.7
Amber International Holding	(2)	na	na
Bitcoin Group SE	(10)	na	na
DeFi Technologies	(11)	nm	19.4
OSL Group	(35)	nm	nm
ProCap Financial	(39)	na	na
Twenty One Capital	(16)	na	na

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2026E and 2027E Price / Earning Multiples and YTD Stock Price Performance

TRADITIONAL BANKING / BROKERAGE

Company Name	YTD Change	Price / Earnings	
		CY 26E	CY 27E
ASSET MANAGERS			
Cohen & Steers	11 %	20.6 x	18.6 x
BlackRock	(2)	19.7	17.3
WisdomTree	56	16.3	14.5
Janus Henderson Group	9	11.8	10.9
Franklin Templeton	30	11.1	10.2
Invesco	8	11.0	9.6
T. Rowe Price	2	11.0	10.9
Artisan Partners	(8)	9.8	9.4
Virtus Investment Partners	(12)	5.9	5.7
TRUST SERVICE BANKS			
Northern Trust	21 %	15.3 x	13.9 x
State Street	21	12.5	11.3
M&T Bank	7	11.6	10.4
UMB Financial	14	10.2	9.6
Bank of New York Mellon	11	na	na
LARGE US FOCUSED GLOBAL BANKS / INVESTMENT BANKS			
Morgan Stanley	17 %	17.6 x	16.4 x
Goldman Sachs	17	17.3	15.7
UBS	2	13.9	11.6
J.P. Morgan Chase	(7)	13.4	12.7
Citigroup	8	11.6	10.0
Bank of America	(6)	11.6	10.2
Barclays	(4)	8.8	7.3

Company Name	Change	Price / Earnings	
		CY 26E	CY 27E
LARGE EUROPEAN BANKS / BROKERAGE FIRMS			
Mediobanca	25 %	13.4 x	12.4 x
Allianz SE	(2)	12.2	11.5
HSBC	19	11.0	10.0
Lloyds TSB	4	10.1	8.5
Deutsche Bank	(17)	8.3	7.2
Royal Bank of Scotland	(8)	8.2	7.2
BNP Paribas	15	8.1	7.2
LARGE ASIAN / PAC RIM BANKS / BROKERAGE FIRMS			
Commonwealth Bank of Australia	3 %	25.0 x	24.3 x
Macquarie Group	17	18.4	17.6
National Australia Bank	(12)	18.1	15.3
ICICI Bank	(6)	16.7	14.7
DBS Group	11	15.9	15.1
Nomura Holdings	(1)	na	na
UK REGIONAL BROKERAGE FIRMS			
Close Brothers Group	(12)%	9.1 x	6.6 x
TP ICAP	18	8.8	8.5
Investec	18	7.6	6.8
US BOUTIQUE BANKS			
Piper Sandler Companies	(8)%	16.6 x	14.0 x
Raymond James Financial	(11)	11.8	10.2
Stifel Financial	(16)	11.1	10.0

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Common Stock Comparison

Company Name	Price 05/29/26	% MTD Change	% LTM High	Market Value (\$ mm)	Enterprise Value (\$ mm)	Multiples				Growth Rates			Margins				
						Price / Earnings		EV / EBITDA		EV / Revenue		Revenue		EPS	EBITDA		P / E / G
						CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E	CY 27E	LT	CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E
DIVERSIFIED EXCHANGES / TRADING PLATFORMS																	
Intercontinental Exchange	\$ 147.85	(4)%	78 %	\$ 83,834	\$ 104,040	18.2 x	16.8 x	14.0 x	13.4 x	9.5 x	9.0 x	10 %	5 %	13 %	67 %	67 %	1.4 x
CME Group	273.54	(6)	83	99,120	100,347	22.3	21.2	20.0	19.2	14.3	13.7	8	4	7	71	71	3.1
London Stock Exchange	121.57	(6)	79	59,494	72,808	19.0	16.8	10.9	10.2	5.5	5.1	6	6	13	50	51	1.5
Hong Kong Exchanges & Clearing	51.01	(3)	86	64,481	62,245	26.5	25.7	20.1	19.5	15.8	15.2	6	4	9	79	78	3.1
NASDAQ OMX	92.52	1	91	52,347	61,354	23.5	20.9	18.1	16.6	10.7	9.8	10	8	13	59	59	1.8
Deutsche Börse	287.43	(6)	86	52,383	61,153	19.8	18.6	13.6	12.9	8.1	7.8	7	4	10	60	60	2.1
CBOE	333.56	2	90	34,908	34,357	24.2	22.9	17.1	16.6	12.3	11.8	15	4	17	72	71	1.5
Tradeweb	100.25	(10)	68	21,377	20,271	24.8	21.9	15.8	14.0	8.6	7.8	14	11	17	55	55	1.5
Euronext	163.05	(2)	91	16,583	18,850	17.6	16.2	12.8	12.0	8.0	7.5	11	6	9	62	63	1.9
Singapore Exchange	17.15	1	97	18,351	17,282	31.5	29.2	22.3	21.1	13.9	13.6	11	2	12	62	65	2.6
B3	3.26	(8)	81	16,321	16,447	13.9	12.7	10.3	9.4	7.3	6.7	14	8	10	70	71	1.3
TMX	37.42	(7)	89	10,388	11,845	21.4	19.9	15.3	14.0	8.6	7.9	11	8	13	56	57	1.7
Miami International Holdings	47.25	0	83	5,309	4,736	30.5	25.9	19.3	16.4	9.0	8.0	23	12	na	46	49	na
MarketAxess	130.04	(15)	57	4,622	4,550	16.0	14.5	10.2	9.5	5.0	4.7	7	7	6	49	49	2.9
Median		(5)%	84 %			21.9 x	20.4 x	15.6 x	14.0 x	8.8 x	8.0 x	11 %	6 %	12 %	61 %	62 %	1.8 x
Mean		(5)	83			22.1	20.2	15.7	14.6	9.7	9.2	11	6	11	61	62	2.0
REGIONAL / COUNTRY BASED EXCHANGES																	
Japan Exchange Group	\$ 12.26	5 %	91 %	\$ 12,599	\$ 12,338	na	na	15.6 x	15.2 x	8.3 x	8.0 x	31 %	4 %	5 %	53 %	53 %	na
Multi Commodity Exchange of India	31.19	(1)	85	7,952	7,709	44.7	36.7	34.6	28.4	25.1	20.7	nm	22	30	73	73	1.5
Australian Stock Exchange	33.25	(25)	63	6,454	3,159	17.3	18.3	5.9	5.9	3.4	3.3	10	3	(1)	58	57	nm
Dubai Financial Market	0.39	1	79	3,156	1,781	19.2	19.3	11.2	11.0	10.4	9.9	19	4	na	93	90	na
Bursa Malaysia	2.22	3	96	1,796	1,659	25.0	23.8	16.0	15.2	8.2	7.9	10	4	4	51	52	nm
Bolsa Mexicana de Valores	2.12	(7)	83	1,172	967	11.9	11.3	6.3	5.9	3.5	3.3	6	7	10	56	56	1.2
Warsaw Stock Exchange	22.56	9	96	947	825	18.2	16.1	12.2	10.6	5.0	4.8	8	4	na	41	46	na
JSE Limited	9.54	(2)	86	773	626	10.9	10.9	6.5	6.5	2.7	2.6	11	4	na	41	40	na
Hellenic Exchanges	8.62	5	98	499	374	na	na	na	na	5.2	na	(28)	na	na	na	na	na
New Zealand Exchange	0.83	(1)	87	272	302	15.7	14.7	9.0	8.4	3.7	3.4	7	6	12	41	41	1.3
Philippine Stock Exchange	3.42	(4)	95	281	243	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Median		(1)%	87 %			17.7 x	17.2 x	11.2 x	10.6 x	5.1 x	4.8 x	10 %	4 %	8 %	53 %	53 %	1.3 x
Mean		(2)	87			20.4	18.9	13.0	11.9	7.6	7.1	8	6	10	56	56	1.3

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Common Stock Comparison

Company Name	Price 05/29/26	% MTD Change	% LTM High	Market Value (\$ mm)	Enterprise Value (\$ mm)	Multiples						Growth Rates			Margins		
						Price / Earnings		EV / EBITDA		EV / Revenue		Revenue		EPS	EBITDA		P / E / G
						CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E	CY 27E	LT	CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E
ALTERNATIVE TRADING SYSTEMS / MARKET MAKERS / INTER-DEALER BROKERS																	
StoneX	\$ 113.35	8 %	90 %	\$ 9,589	\$ 9,231	17.5 x	16.8 x	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
BGC Partners	10.45	(7)	88	5,006	6,398	7.4	6.5	6.7	6.2	1.9	1.8	15	7	19	28	29	0.4
Virtu Financial	50.15	4	89	4,364	6,075	7.8	8.6	3.6	4.4	2.5	2.7	13	(7)	7	69	61	1.1
Marex	52.94	1	90	3,806	3,359	10.2	9.5	6.3	6.7	1.3	1.3	25	5	na	21	19	na
Compagnie Financiere Tradition	334.55	(11)	84	2,674	2,609	15.0	13.3	10.9	10.6	1.7	1.6	7	5	na	16	15	na
Flow Traders	28.97	(10)	81	1,262	1,290	8.8	7.5	5.5	5.0	2.1	1.9	10	7	na	38	38	na
Beneficient	3.70	7	30	53	287	na	na	na	na	nm	na	(103)	na	na	na	na	na
Median		1 %	88 %			9.5 x	9.0 x	6.3 x	6.2 x	1.9 x	1.8 x	12 %	5 %	13 %	28 %	29 %	0.7 x
Mean		(1)	79			11.1	10.4	6.6	6.6	1.9	1.9	(6)	3	13	34	33	0.7
TRADING SOFTWARE / SOLUTIONS																	
IRESS Market Technology	\$ 4.32	(10)%	58 %	\$ 804	\$ 881	13.5 x	12.1 x	8.1 x	7.4 x	2.3 x	2.2 x	(7)%	4 %	na	29 %	30 %	na
Finatext	8.47	20	90	440	419	na	na	na	na	4.9	na	33	na	na	na	na	na
Linedata Services	49.52	(2)	48	242	334	7.7	7.6	5.5	5.5	1.6	1.6	2	5	na	30	28	na
Median		(2)%	58 %			10.6 x	9.9 x	6.8 x	6.4 x	2.3 x	1.9 x	2 %	5 %	na	30 %	29 %	na
Mean		3	66			10.6	9.9	6.8	6.4	3.0	1.9	10	5	na	30	29	na

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												CY 26E	CY 27E	LT	CY 26E	CY 27E	
US ONLINE BROKERS																	
Interactive Brokers Group	\$ 86.97	8 %	98 %	\$ 147,520	\$ 142,556	34.8 x	30.5 x	26.1 x	23.0 x	20.5 x	18.3 x	13 %	12 %	15 %	79 %	80 %	2.4 x
Charles Schwab	87.35	(5)	81	152,298	132,055	14.2	12.1	8.3	7.2	4.8	4.5	14	8	17	59	62	0.8
Robinhood	94.30	28	61	85,777	81,148	44.2	34.6	31.4	23.6	16.2	13.4	12	21	15	52	57	2.9
SoFi	18.22	11	56	23,509	21,595	31.4	23.4	13.5	10.4	4.6	3.8	30	22	38	34	37	0.8
Webull	6.40	(9)	35	3,546	2,967	42.7	21.0	23.5	12.8	4.2	3.3	25	25	na	18	26	na
Wealthfront	12.22	13	82	2,072	1,638	17.5	15.4	9.4	8.0	4.1	3.3	9	23	na	44	42	na
Median		9 %	71 %			33.1 x	22.2 x	18.5 x	11.6 x	4.7 x	4.1 x	14 %	22 %	16 %	48 %	49 %	1.6 x
Mean		8	69			30.8	22.8	18.7	14.2	9.1	7.8	17	19	21	47	50	1.7
INTERNATIONAL ONLINE BROKERS																	
Fineco Bank	\$ 24.48	(1)%	91 %	\$ 15,013	\$ 14,087	19.3 x	17.3 x	na	na	8.4 x	7.7 x	9 %	10 %	11 %	na	na	1.8 x
Futu Holdings	104.07	(33)	51	14,604	15,475	11.5	8.2	9.3	7.2	5.1	4.4	4	14	12	55	62	1.0
Groww	1.95	(14)	81	12,348	12,404	41.1	31.2	32.4	24.9	19.8	15.7	na	26	23	61	63	1.8
Nordnet	35.03	7	93	8,714	8,162	23.7	21.3	16.4	14.3	12.4	11.2	13	11	12	75	78	1.9
XP Inc.	16.67	(13)	72	8,565	6,017	7.8	6.8	4.4	3.8	1.5	1.3	21	14	16	34	34	0.5
IG Group	24.19	18	95	8,001	6,696	14.4	13.1	8.9	8.4	4.0	3.7	na	8	9	45	44	1.7
Swissquote Group	50.66	0	69	7,667	7,606	17.9	15.9	13.6	12.6	7.9	7.2	6	10	8	58	57	2.2
Kiwoom Securities	246.41	(7)	72	6,241	na	6.3	6.6	na	na	na	na	27	(3)	16	na	na	0.4
Avanza	37.56	5	85	5,944	5,564	19.2	18.1	14.6	13.4	10.2	9.4	12	9	9	70	70	2.2
Plus500	59.72	(3)	89	4,158	3,379	15.0	14.1	9.2	9.0	4.2	4.1	2	1	14	45	46	1.1
eToro ⁽¹⁾	41.98	14	53	3,795	2,777	14.9	12.9	7.0	6.1	2.8	2.5	11	10	16	39	41	0.9
Quilter	2.61	6	96	3,552	1,562	15.6	14.0	5.0	4.6	1.5	1.4	9	6	14	30	31	1.1
AJ Bell	8.18	17	93	3,239	3,030	21.0	18.8	14.2	12.9	6.1	5.5	12	11	14	43	42	1.5
Matsui Securities	6.11	7	97	1,573	1,714	na	na	na	na	6.1	6.3	(5)	(3)	na	na	na	na
CMC Markets	4.99	1	93	1,397	1,158	12.3	11.7	6.5	6.2	2.1	2.1	6	3	na	33	34	na
VIEL et Cie	21.54	(1)	95	1,355	1,455	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Monex Group	4.08	(3)	72	1,017	1,120	na	na	na	na	2.2	2.2	(2)	0	na	na	na	na
Tiger Brokers	5.14	(24)	38	918	305	4.9	4.5	1.2	1.1	0.5	0.4	10	9	4	38	39	1.2
Geojit Financial Services	0.77	14	77	216	154	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Median		0 %	85 %			15.0 x	14.0 x	9.2 x	8.4 x	4.6 x	4.3 x	9.0 x	8.8 x	12.9 x	44.5 x	43.8 x	1.4 x
Mean		(1)	80			16.3	14.3	11.0	9.6	5.9	5.3	9.0	8.0	12.7	48.2	49.4	1.4

Source: Wall Street Research and Capital IQ

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(1) FT Partners' Equity Research; Using adjusted revenue figure less cost of crypto and adjusted EBITDA

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OUTSOURCED FINANCIAL SOLUTIONS PROVIDERS																	
LPL Financial	\$ 273.77	(14)%	68 %	\$ 21,910	\$ 28,407	11.8 x	9.6 x	9.0 x	7.4 x	1.4 x	1.2 x	21 %	13 %	21 %	15 %	17 %	0.6 x
SS&C Technologies	67.52	(3)	74	16,361	23,628	9.8	9.0	8.8	8.3	3.5	3.3	8	5	na	40	40	na
Broadridge Financial	153.72	(1)	57	17,779	20,881	15.8	14.0	11.5	10.6	2.8	2.6	5	5	8	24	25	2.0
Computershare	24.88	13	82	14,391	14,541	16.9	16.2	11.3	11.1	4.5	4.4	(7)	3	6	40	40	2.8
SEI Investments	87.88	(3)	94	10,892	10,408	14.9	13.3	11.8	10.8	4.1	3.8	11	7	na	34	35	na
Clearwater Analytics	24.34	1	97	7,371	8,156	36.0	28.2	24.5	20.0	8.6	7.3	30	17	20	35	37	1.8
Allfunds	10.02	(2)	97	5,991	6,006	18.5	16.1	11.1	10.1	7.4	6.8	8	10	12	67	67	1.6
HUB24 Limited	59.78	0	68	4,889	4,893	47.7	40.5	29.9	25.4	12.9	11.0	15	17	24	43	43	2.0
Netwealth	15.37	(9)	56	3,777	3,654	37.3	32.4	24.6	21.3	12.4	10.5	13	18	14	50	49	2.6
Donnelley Financial Solutions	39.69	(22)	60	996	1,206	8.3	7.5	4.9	4.6	1.6	1.5	1	4	8	32	32	1.1
IntegraFin	4.56	4	85	1,520	1,146	16.4	14.5	10.4	9.1	4.8	4.4	11	8	13	46	48	1.2
Bravura Solutions	1.67	10	66	752	711	21.9	19.1	12.2	11.6	3.5	3.4	(5)	3	na	29	29	na
NOAH	10.57	(2)	82	690	9	7.2	6.7	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	6	5	na	29	29	na
Median		(2)%	74 %			16.4 x	14.5 x	11.3 x	10.6 x	4.1 x	3.8 x	8 %	7 %	13 %	35 %	37 %	1.8 x
Mean		(2)	76			20.2	17.5	13.1	11.6	5.2	4.6	9	9	14	37	38	1.7

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						Price / Earnings		EV / EBITDA		EV / Revenue		Revenue		EPS	EBITDA		
						CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E	CY 27E	LT	CY 26E		CY 27E
DIVERSIFIED FINANCIAL INFORMATION PROVIDERS																	
S&P Global	\$ 424.00	(0)%	73 %	\$ 125,495	\$ 142,617	21.6 x	19.1 x	16.8 x	15.5 x	8.6 x	8.1 x	8 %	7 %	12 %	52 %	52 %	1.8 x
RELX	33.01	(9)	61	58,473	68,121	17.3	15.7	12.3	11.5	5.0	4.7	6	6	11	40	41	1.6
Thomson Reuters	86.72	(10)	39	37,859	40,069	19.6	17.2	12.4	11.2	5.0	4.6	8	8	12	40	41	1.6
Experian	34.67	(7)	63	31,039	36,438	18.4	15.5	11.4	10.3	4.1	3.8	11	8	13	36	37	1.4
Fair Isaac Corporation	1,250.59	21	63	29,062	32,499	27.0	22.0	19.6	17.1	12.2	10.7	30	14	28	62	62	1.0
Verisk	174.99	(3)	54	22,936	27,037	22.9	20.2	14.9	13.8	8.4	7.9	5	7	12	56	57	2.0
Equifax	165.79	(5)	60	19,741	25,008	19.3	16.1	11.7	10.4	3.7	3.4	11	9	14	32	33	1.4
TransUnion	71.56	1	72	13,797	18,909	15.0	12.8	10.4	9.4	3.7	3.4	12	8	15	35	36	1.0
Gartner	162.20	11	37	10,860	12,548	11.8	10.6	8.0	7.6	1.9	1.9	(1)	5	14	24	24	0.8
Forrester	7.05	11	61	137	53	9.2	7.8	2.4	1.7	0.1	0.1	(10)	0	14	6	8	0.7
Median		(0)%	61 %			18.4 x	15.7 x	11.7 x	10.4 x	4.1 x	3.8 x	8 %	8 %	13 %	36 %	37 %	1.4 x
Mean		1	60			17.8	15.4	11.9	10.7	5.1	4.7	8	7	14	38	39	1.4
CAPITAL MARKETS FOCUSED INFORMATION PROVIDERS																	
Moody's	\$ 453.25	(1)%	83 %	\$ 79,256	\$ 85,298	27.1 x	24.4 x	19.7 x	18.1 x	10.4 x	9.6 x	7 %	7 %	13 %	52 %	53 %	2.2 x
MSCI	631.38	7	99	45,964	52,156	32.1	28.1	24.1	21.9	15.0	13.8	11	9	14	62	63	2.3
FactSet	245.47	8	53	8,943	10,211	13.6	12.3	11.0	10.1	4.1	3.9	6	6	7	37	38	2.0
Morningstar	182.02	8	57	6,922	8,296	15.3	13.8	10.3	9.4	3.2	3.0	7	7	na	31	32	na
Value Line	32.20	(7)	80	302	220	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Median		7 %	80 %			21.2 x	19.1 x	15.4 x	14.1 x	7.2 x	6.7 x	7 %	7 %	13 %	45 %	46 %	2.2 x
Mean		3	74			22.0	19.6	16.3	14.9	8.1	7.6	8	7	11	46	46	2.2

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												CY 26E	CY 27E	LT	CY 26E	CY 27E	
CRYPTO WALLETS / EXCHANGES																	
Coinbase	\$ 189.03	(1)%	43 %	\$ 52,861	\$ 50,387	nm	38.2 x	25.4 x	15.6 x	8.2 x	6.5 x	(14)%	26 %	22 %	32 %	42 %	na
SBI Holdings, Inc. ⁽¹⁾	18.28	(8)	75	11,975	nm	na	na	na	na	0.7	0.9	57	(22)	(17)	na	na	na
Bullish	34.91	(11)	na	5,395	5,613	54.1	40.5	36.4	30.0	14.9	13.4	31	11	111	41	45	0.5
BitGo ⁽²⁾	6.01	(42)	na	734	1,212	nm	19.5	40.1	18.6	1.8	1.2	8	51	nm	5	7	na
Gemini	5.27	12	na	629	384	nm	nm	nm	nm	1.8	1.4	16	33	na	nm	nm	na
Bakkt ⁽³⁾	10.87	27	22	487	405	37.5	na	8.7	na	3.6	na	na	nm	na	nm	41	na
Coincheck ⁽⁴⁾	1.86	7	20	303	245	na	na	nm	nm	3.5	3.0	(19)	17	na	nm	nm	na
Exodus Movement	7.12	(11)	18	215	142	11.0	5.1	nm	9.5	1.0	0.6	15	59	na	nm	7	na
Orion Digital	0.94	(10)	25	22	66	nm	nm	13.0	9.7	1.4	1.2	(2)	9	na	10	13	na
Median		(8)%	23 %			37.5 x	28.8 x	25.4 x	15.6 x	1.8 x	1.3 x	11 %	22 %	22 %	21 %	27 %	0.5 x
Mean		(4)	34			34.2	25.8	24.7	16.7	4.1	3.5	11	23	39	22	26	0.5

Source: Wall Street Research and Capital IQ

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1) EV / Revenue multiples for SBI Holdings are based on Market Value rather than Enterprise Value

2) EV / Revenue multiples for BitGo uses Total Revenue less Cost of Digital Assets Sales and Adjusted EBITDA used from Rosenblatt Securities

3) EV / Revenue multiples for Bakkt uses Crypto Service Revenue less Crypto Costs and Execution, clearing, and brokerage fees used from Benchmark Company

4) EV / Revenue multiples for Coincheck uses Total Revenue less Cost of Revenue (Crypto Assets) used from Canto Fitzgerald & Co.

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				(\$ mm)	(\$ mm)	CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E	CY 27E	LT	CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E
CRYPTO MINING																	
IREN (formerly Iris Energy)	\$ 63.54	39 %	83 %	\$ 23,284	\$ 25,036	nm	nm	34.3 x	7.5 x	18.8 x	5.3 x	109 %	255 %	na	55 %	71 %	na
TeraWulf	25.56	20	94	16,620	19,305	nm	nm	nm	31.2	58.7	19.1	95	207	na	33	61	na
Hut 8 Mining Corp.	124.83	62	99	15,433	16,006	nm	nm	nm	39.3	47.5	24.8	43	92	na	nm	63	na
Cipher Mining	23.65	39	93	11,391	15,448	nm	35.3	nm	26.4	64.6	17.7	7	266	na	15	67	na
Riot Blockchain	27.11	47	95	10,754	11,425	nm	nm	nm	65.9	17.5	14.3	1	22	na	nm	22	na
MARA Holdings	14.38	25	61	5,483	7,534	nm	nm	nm	11.5	9.3	7.9	(11)	18	na	nm	69	na
Bitdeer	17.49	48	63	4,426	5,376	nm	nm	25.6	11.0	5.6	3.8	56	47	na	22	35	na
HIVE Blockchain Technologies	4.51	87	57	1,215	1,207	na	na	16.6	7.5	3.2	2.4	48	31	na	19	32	na
Argo Blockchain	13.85	3	47	1,159	1,147	17.8	16.6	10.2	9.5	2.1	2.0	4	4	2	21	21	nm
Bit Digital	2.02	29	44	705	1,138	na	na	nm	7.4	8.0	3.9	26	105	na	nm	53	na
Phoenix Group	0.18	(11)	39	1,105	1,133	nm	na	na	na	9.9	na	(2)	na	na	na	na	na
Bgin Blockchain	3.01	(19)	46	341	315	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Canaan	0.41	(20)	19	308	280	nm	nm	nm	nm	0.9	0.4	(41)	107	na	nm	nm	na
BitFuFu	1.86	(15)	35	310	248	23.3	26.6	4.6	4.6	0.7	0.4	(23)	85	na	15	8	na
Greenidge Generation	1.55	24	64	26	61	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
SOLAI Limited	0.75	(6)	9	14	15	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Median		25 %	59 %			20.5 x	26.6 x	16.6 x	11.0 x	9.3 x	4.6 x	7 %	88 %	2 %	21 %	53 %	na
Mean		22	59			20.5	26.2	18.3	20.1	19.0	8.5	24	103	2	26	46	na
CRYPTO INFRASTRUCTURE																	
Northern Data AG	\$ 18.34	28 %	53 %	\$ 1,177	\$ 1,981	41.3 x	22.4 x	6.9 x	6.3 x	3.5 x	3.3 x	189 %	6 %	na	51 %	52 %	na
Huobi Technology	0.27	(18)	26	206	204	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
DMG Blockchain Solutions	0.23	7	49	47	54	nm	na	13.2	na	2.4	na	(35)	na	na	19	na	na
Ebang International	2.14	(13)	36	14	(187)	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Median		(3)%	43 %			41.3 x	22.4 x	10.0 x	6.3 x	3.0 x	3.3 x	77 %	6 %	na	35 %	52 %	na
Mean		1	41			41.3	22.4	10.0	6.3	3.0	3.3	77	6	na	35	52	na

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												CY 26E	CY 27E				
CRYPTO BANKING / CUSTODY																	
Galaxy Digital ⁽¹⁾	\$ 29.58	5 %	64 %	\$ 11,533	\$ 14,651	nm	28.2 x	nm	21.9 x	nm	nm	(27)%	(3)%	na	44 %	412 %	na
Figure Technology Solutions	35.35	(3)	45	8,785	7,851	29.9	25.6	18.8	14.5	9.7	8.1	60	20	48	52	55	0.6
AntAlpha	7.45	(18)	48	209	284	27.6	82.8	11.3	32.2	4.1	3.2	(13)	26	na	36	10	na
Fold	0.97	(34)	18	49	70	na	nm	nm	nm	2.0	1.1	8	84	na	nm	nm	na
Median		(11)%	46 %			28.7 x	28.2 x	15.0 x	21.9 x	4.1 x	3.2 x	(2)%	23 %	48 %	44 %	55 %	0.6 x
Mean		(13)	44			28.7	45.5	15.0	22.9	5.3	4.1	7	32	48	44	159	0.6
CRYPTO PAYMENTS																	
Circle	\$ 113.00	13 %	38 %	\$ 29,183	\$ 27,682	90.2 x	50.7 x	42.4 x	28.8 x	9.0 x	6.4 x	12 %	40 %	na	21 %	22 %	na
Bitcoin Depot	0.16	13	81	31	30	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Median		13 %	60 %			90.2 x	50.7 x	42.4 x	28.8 x	9.0 x	6.4 x	12 %	40 %	na	21 %	22 %	na
Mean		13	60			90.2	50.7	42.4	28.8	9.0	6.4	12	40	na	21	22	na
CRYPTO INVESTING / DIVERSIFIED																	
MicroStrategy Incorporated	\$ 159.09	(10)%	35 %	\$ 56,377	\$ 71,412	3.1 x	35.7 x	nm	nm	nm	nm	4 %	3 %	na	12 %	16 %	na
Twenty One Capital	10.00	(18)	na	2,539	2,905	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
OSL Group	10.00	(12)	na	1,266	1,130	nm	nm	nm	nm	11.6	7.5	60	56	na	nm	nm	na
CoinShares	4.96	(20)	48	654	789	8.3	7.1	8.7	7.8	5.0	4.6	(19)	10	na	57	59	na
ProCap Financial	2.15	8	13	179	351	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
DeFi Technologies	0.68	(13)	17	277	193	nm	19.4	10.6	11.5	3.2	2.6	(41)	24	na	31	23	na
Bitcoin Group SE	33.36	(4)	58	167	156	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Amber International Holding	1.70	(25)	13	159	141	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Median		(12)%	26 %			5.7 x	19.4 x	9.7 x	9.6 x	5.0 x	4.6 x	(7.5)x	16.8 x	na	30.5 x	22.8 x	na
Mean		(12)	31			5.7	20.7	9.7	9.6	6.6	4.9	0.9	23.2	na	33.2	32.3	na

Source: Wall Street Research, Reuters and Capital IQ

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(1) EV / Revenue multiples for Galaxy Digital uses Total Revenue minus Transaction Expenses per Rosenblatt Securities

Public Wealth & Capital Markets Tech Sectors

Common Stock Comparison

Company Name	Price 05/29/26	% MTD Change	% LTM High	Market Value (\$ mm)	Enterprise Value (\$ mm)	Multiples						Growth Rates			Margins		
						Price / Earnings		EV / EBITDA		EV / Revenue		Revenue		EPS	EBITDA		P / E / G
						CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E	CY 27E	LT	CY 26E	CY 27E	CY 26E
ASSET MANAGERS																	
BlackRock	\$ 1,046.88	(1)%	86 %	\$ 162,616	\$ 174,368	19.7 x	17.3 x	13.5 x	12.3 x	6.2 x	5.7 x	15 %	10 %	14 %	46 %	46 %	1.4 x
T. Rowe Price	104.53	1	88	22,398	18,793	11.0	10.9	6.3	6.4	2.5	2.5	2	2	0	39	38	nm
Invesco	28.46	10	96	12,616	17,294	11.0	9.6	8.4	7.6	3.3	3.1	11	6	17	40	41	0.6
Franklin Templeton	31.02	4	96	16,119	13,841	11.1	10.2	5.9	5.6	1.5	1.5	5	(2)	14	25	27	0.8
Janus Henderson Group	51.71	0	96	7,973	6,319	11.8	10.9	8.4	7.1	2.2	2.0	(6)	7	2	26	28	nm
Cohen & Steers	69.80	1	89	3,588	3,775	20.6	18.6	19.9	20.4	6.5	6.3	4	4	10	33	31	2.0
WisdomTree	19.05	15	96	2,950	3,510	16.3	14.5	11.8	10.7	5.0	4.6	41	11	na	43	43	na
Artisan Partners	37.44	(0)	77	2,658	2,791	9.8	9.4	na	na	2.3	2.2	2	5	na	na	na	na
Virtus Investment Partners	143.03	5	67	956	1,410	5.9	5.7	6.2	6.1	1.9	1.9	(5)	0	na	31	31	na
Median		1 %	89 %			11.1 x	10.9 x	8.4 x	7.4 x	2.5 x	2.5 x	4 %	5 %	12 %	36 %	35 %	1.1 x
Mean		4	88			13.0	11.9	10.0	9.5	3.5	3.3	8	5	10	35	36	1.2

Source: Wall Street Research, Reuters and Capital IQ
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Public Wealth & Capital Markets Tech Sectors

Common Stock Comparison

Company Name	Price 05/29/26	% MTD Change	% LTM High	Market Value (\$ mm)	Multiples		Growth Rates			P / E / G CY 26E	Price Book
					Price / Earnings CY 26E	CY 27E	Revenue CY 26E	CY 27E	EPS LT		
TRUST SERVICE BANKS											
State Street	\$ 155.64	2 %	98 %	\$ 43,076	12.5 x	11.3 x	9 %	4 %	15 %	0.8 x	1.6 x
M&T Bank	216.11	(0)	90	31,693	11.6	10.4	3	4	11	1.1	1.1
Northern Trust	165.45	1	96	30,627	15.3	13.9	9	4	13	1.2	2.4
UMB Financial	131.26	2	96	9,974	10.2	9.6	10	6	13	0.8	1.3
Bank of New York Mellon	10.77	10	96	639	na	na	na	na	na	na	1.4
Median		2 %	96 %		12.0 x	10.8 x	9 %	4 %	13 %	0.9 x	1.4 x
Mean		3	95		12.4	11.3	8	4	13	1.0	1.5
LARGE US FOCUSED GLOBAL BANKS / INVESTMENT BANKS											
J.P. Morgan Chase	\$ 299.31	(4)%	89 %	\$ 802,336	13.4 x	12.7 x	8 %	4 %	9 %	1.5 x	2.2 x
Bank of America	51.60	(3)	90	366,184	11.6	10.2	7	5	15	0.8	1.2
Morgan Stanley	208.00	9	100	328,075	17.6	16.4	10	5	10	1.7	2.8
Goldman Sachs	1,025.56	11	100	314,438	17.3	15.7	9	5	12	1.4	2.5
Citigroup	125.90	(1)	93	214,762	11.6	10.0	10	4	24	0.5	1.0
UBS	47.39	7	96	144,042	13.9	11.6	8	3	25	0.6	1.6
Barclays	6.17	6	83	86,321	8.8	7.3	7	5	18	0.5	0.8
Median		6 %	93 %		13.4 x	11.6 x	8 %	5 %	15 %	0.8 x	1.6 x
Mean		4	93		13.5	12.0	8	4	16	1.0	1.7

Public Wealth & Capital Markets Tech Sectors

Common Stock Comparison

Company Name	Price	% MTD	% LTM	Market	Multiples		Growth Rates		EPS	P / E / G	Price
	05/29/26	Change	High	Value (\$ mm)	Price / Earnings		Revenue		LT	CY 26E	Book
LARGE EUROPEAN BANKS / BROKERAGE FIRMS											
HSBC	\$ 18.78	1 %	98 %	\$ 322,742	11.0 x	10.0 x	5 %	4 %	7 %	1.5 x	1.6 x
Allianz SE	445.69	(2)	96	168,459	12.2	11.5	(3)	5	7	1.8	2.1
BNP Paribas	108.56	4	95	119,309	8.1	7.2	6	4	9	0.9	0.7
Lloyds TSB	1.37	4	89	80,272	10.1	8.5	10	7	21	0.5	1.2
Royal Bank of Scotland	8.08	6	85	64,718	8.2	7.2	8	8	10	0.8	1.1
Deutsche Bank	32.42	5	81	60,999	8.3	7.2	3	4	24	0.3	0.7
Mediobanca	25.92	12	99	20,903	13.4	12.4	5	6	8	1.7	1.6
Median		4 %	95 %		10.1 x	8.5 x	5 %	5 %	9 %	0.9 x	1.2 x
Mean		4	92		10.2	9.1	5	5	12	1.1	1.3
LARGE ASIAN / PAC RIM BANKS / BROKERAGE FIRMS											
Commonwealth Bank of Australia	\$ 118.70	(5)%	86 %	\$ 198,485	25.0 x	24.3 x	5 %	3 %	5 %	4.7 x	3.6 x
DBS Group	49.27	7	100	139,982	15.9	15.1	3	5	3	nm	2.6
ICICI Bank	13.26	(1)	84	94,938	16.7	14.7	12	14	na	na	2.4
National Australia Bank	26.85	(6)	75	82,204	18.1	15.3	6	3	5	3.5	1.9
Macquarie Group	171.59	0	96	62,851	18.4	17.6	13	(5)	5	4.0	na
Nomura Holdings	8.07	5	85	23,596	na	na	9	5	5	na	1.0
Median		(0)%	86 %		18.1 x	15.3 x	7 %	4 %	5 %	4.0 x	2.4 x
Mean		0	88		18.8	17.4	8	4	5	4.1	2.3

Public Wealth & Capital Markets Tech Sectors

Common Stock Comparison

Company Name	Price 05/29/26	% MTD Change	% LTM High	Market Value (\$ mm)	Multiples		Growth Rates			P / E / G CY 26E	Price Book
					Price / Earnings CY 26E	CY 27E	Revenue CY 26E	CY 27E	EPS LT		
UK REGIONAL BROKERAGE FIRMS											
Investec	\$ 8.79	4 %	99 %	\$ 7,430	7.6 x	6.8 x	(49)%	119 %	9 %	0.9 x	nm
TP ICAP	4.12	(3)	94	3,017	8.8	8.5	4	1	3	2.9	1.1
Close Brothers Group	6.21	4	82	934	9.1	6.6	0	4	(33)	nm	0.4
Median		4 %	94 %		8.8 x	6.8 x	0 %	4 %	3 %	1.9 x	0.8 x
Mean		2	91		8.5	7.3	(15)	42	(7)	1.9	0.8
US BOUTIQUE BANKS											
Raymond James Financial	\$ 143.41	(8)%	81 %	\$ 27,948	11.8 x	10.2 x	11 %	8 %	14 %	0.9 x	2.2 x
Stifel Financial	70.15	(9)	78	10,761	11.1	10.0	8	8	na	na	na
Piper Sandler Companies	78.41	(1)	82	5,587	16.6	14.0	10	12	11	1.5	3.6
Median		(8)%	81 %		11.8 x	10.2 x	10 %	8 %	12 %	1.2 x	2.9 x
Mean		(6)	80		13.2	11.4	10	9	12	1.2	2.9

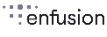
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II. U.S. Wealth & Capital Markets Tech IPO Tracker



Wealth & Capital Markets Tech Market Analysis

U.S. Wealth & Capital Markets Tech & Crypto IPO Tracker

Filing Date	IPO Date	Company	Amount Raised (\$ in mm)	IPO Price	Current Price	Current Market Cap (\$ in mm)	Total Return	Transaction Profile
09/19/25	01/21/26	 BitGo	\$213	\$18.00	\$6.01	\$735	(67%)	VIEW
09/29/25	12/11/25	 Wealthfront	485	14.00	12.24	2,074	(13%)	VIEW
02/21/25	10/20/25	 BGIN	30	6.00	3.01	341	(50%)	
08/15/25	09/11/25	 GEMINI	425	28.00	5.27	629	(81%)	VIEW
07/18/25	08/13/25	 MIAMI INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS INC.	345	23.00	47.25	5,313	105%	VIEW
07/18/25	08/12/25	 Bullish	1,110	37.00	34.91	5,398	(6%)	VIEW
04/01/25	06/04/25	 CIRCLE	1,054	31.00	113.00	29,177	265%	
03/24/25	05/13/25	 eToro	620	52.00	41.98	3,788	(19%)	VIEW
04/18/25	05/13/25	 ANTALPHA	49	12.80	7.45	209	(42%)	
03/26/24	04/24/24	 MAREX	292	19.00	52.94	3,806	179%	VIEW
10/25/21	11/17/21	 IREN	232	28.00	63.54	23,286	127%	
09/17/21	10/21/21	 enfusion	319	17.00	11.25	1,552	(34%)	
08/30/21	10/19/21	 STRONGHOLD ⁽¹⁾ DIGITAL MINING	127	19.00	6.02	125	(68%)	VIEW
08/30/21	09/24/21	 CLEARWATER ANALYTICS ⁽²⁾	540	18.00	24.34	7,371	35%	
07/01/21	07/29/21	 Robinhood	2,090	38.00	94.30	85,749	148%	VIEW
02/25/21	04/14/21	 coinbase ⁽³⁾	na	250.00	189.03	52,842	(24%)	VIEW
11/15/19	12/11/19	 XP Inc.	1,958	27.00	16.65	8,555	(38%)	VIEW
03/07/19	04/10/19	 Tradeweb	1,080	27.00	100.17	21,333	271%	VIEW
02/22/19	03/19/19	 TIGER BROKERS	104	8.00	5.14	918	(36%)	VIEW

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- (1) On March 17, 2025, Bitfarms closed its acquisition of Stronghold Digital Mining for approximately \$125 million
- (2) On April 21, 2025, Clearwater Analytics closed its acquisition of Enfusion for \$11.25 per share, an equity value of ~\$1.6 billion
- (3) Coinbase went public through a direct listing with no new shares issued; \$250 was the reference price

Source: FT Partners' Proprietary Transaction Database, Capital IQ

Note: Prices updated as of May 29, 2026; List does not include IPOs that raise less than \$30 mm.

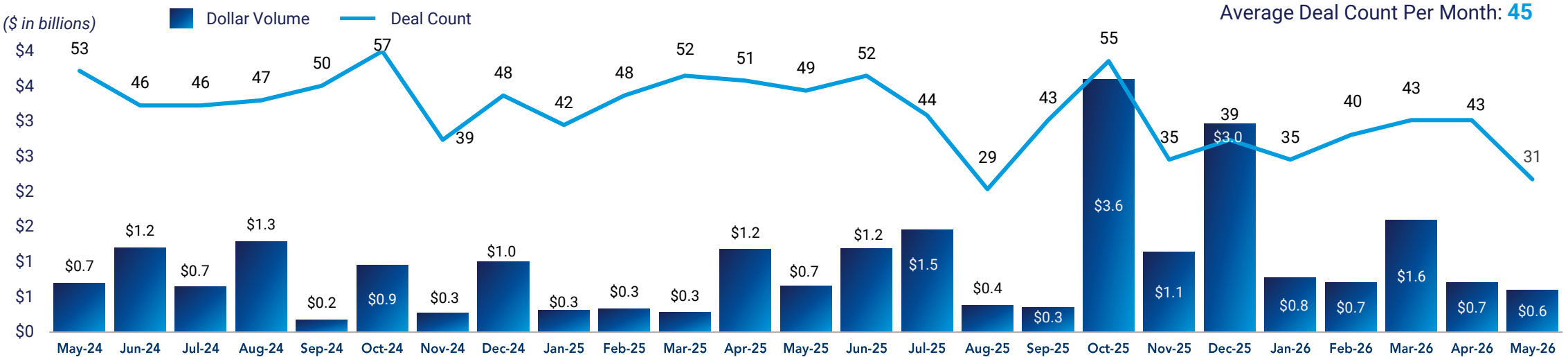
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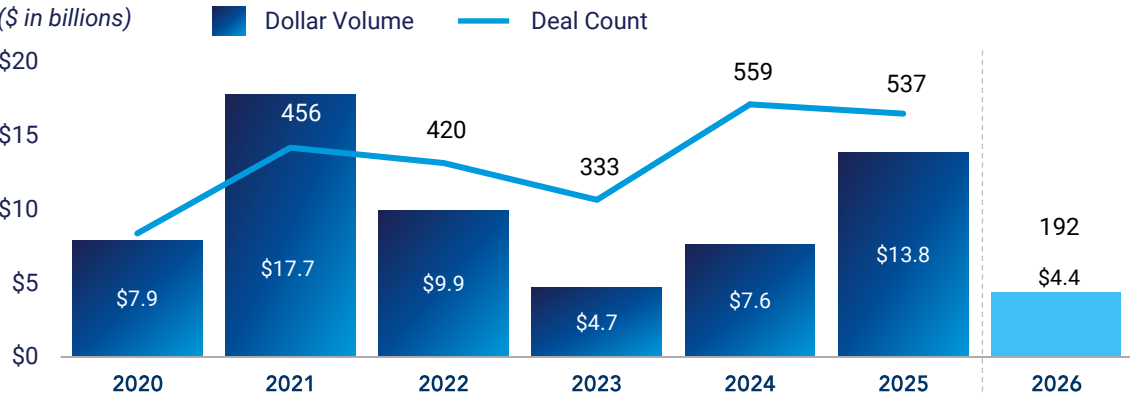
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Wealth & Capital Markets Tech Financing Statistics

Monthly Financing Volume and Deal Count



Annual Financing Volume and Deal Count



Selected Largest Financings in 2026

Company	Amount (\$ in mm)	Description	Country
Kalshi	\$1,200*	Prediction markets trading platform	USA
Vestwell	385	Digital retirement plan administration platform	USA
K1X	175	AI Tax Automation Software	USA
9fin	170	Debt markets intelligence platform	United Kingdom
rogo	160	AI-enabled financial services platform	USA

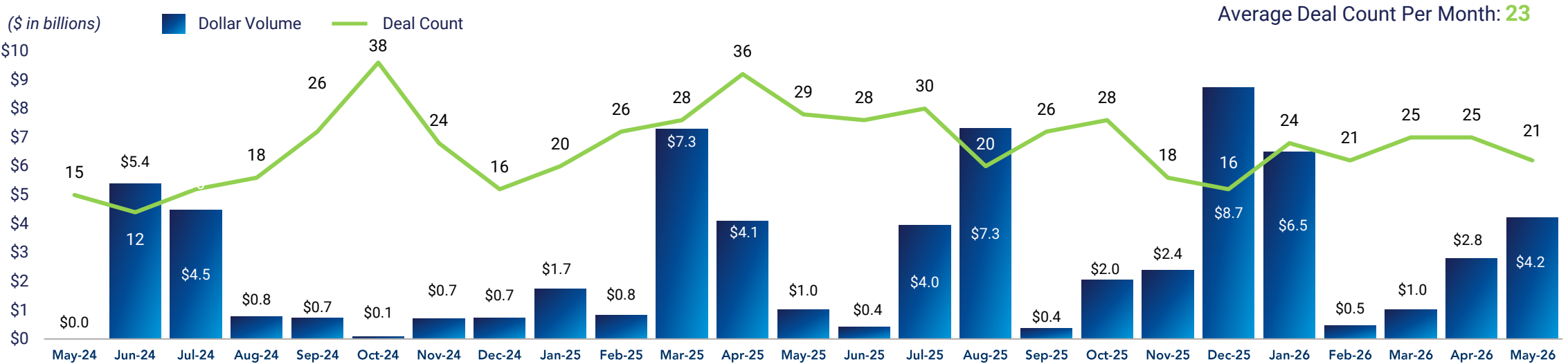
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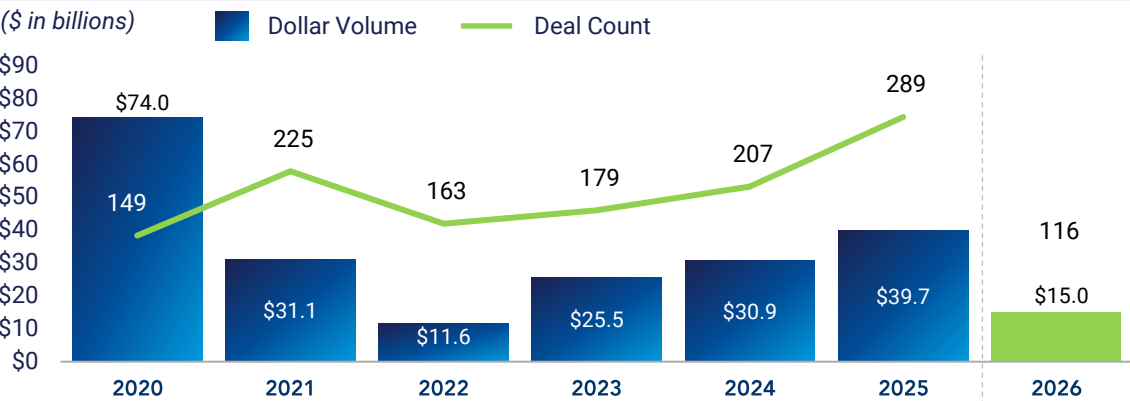
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Wealth & Capital Markets Tech M&A Statistics

Monthly M&A Volume and Deal Count



Annual M&A Volume and Deal Count



Selected M&A Deals in 2026

Target	Buyer	Amount (\$ in mm)	Target Country
allfunds	DEUTSCHE BÖRSE GROUP	\$6,200	Spain
EQUINITI	Bullish	4,200	USA / UK
Trepp	Fitch Solutions	1,000	USA
TradingHub	NORDIC CAPITAL	750	United Kingdom
STASH	Grab	425	USA

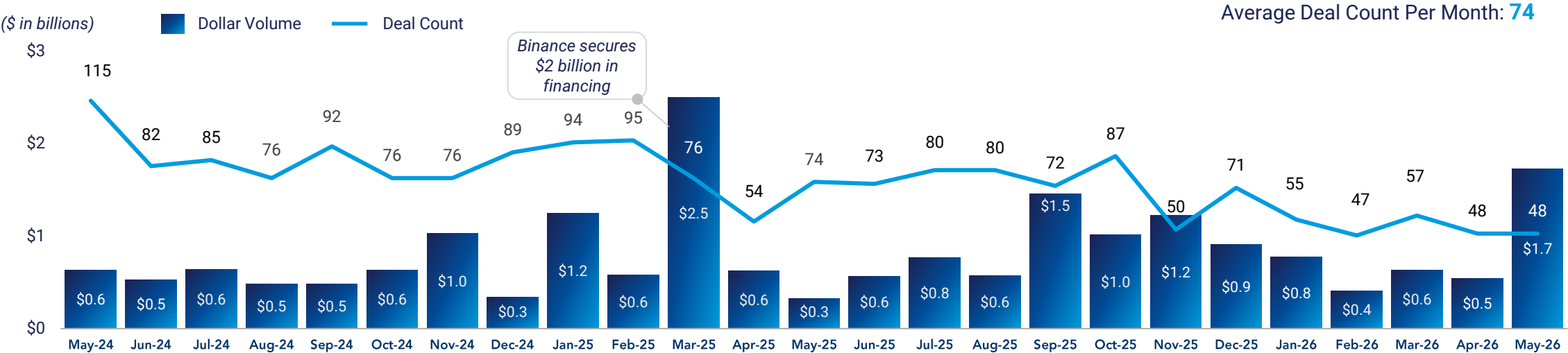
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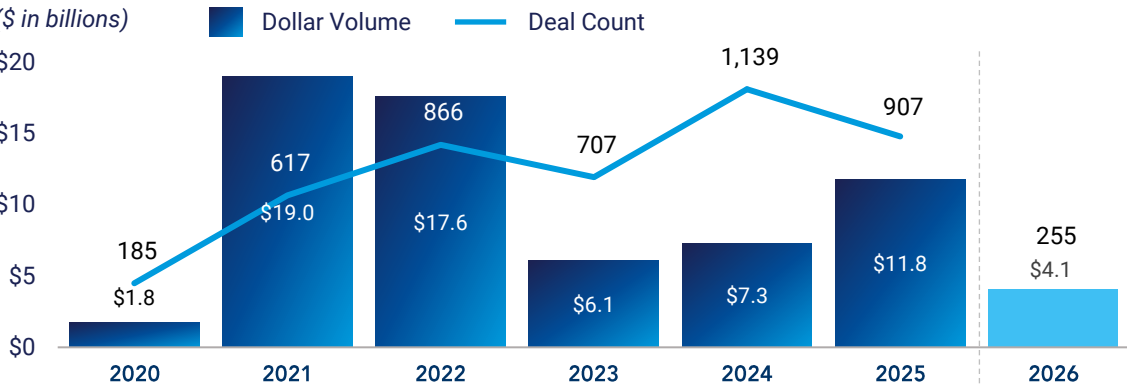
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Crypto & Blockchain Financing Statistics

Monthly Financing Volume and Deal Count



Annual Financing Volume and Deal Count



Selected Largest Financings in 2026

Company	Amount (\$ in mm)	Description	Country
	\$250	Infrastructure for stablecoin-powered payments	USA
	200	Crypto trading and exchange platform	USA
	120	Blockchain analytics and compliance platform	United Kingdom
	106	Licensed crypto exchange	South Korea
	100	Crypto bank for institutions	USA

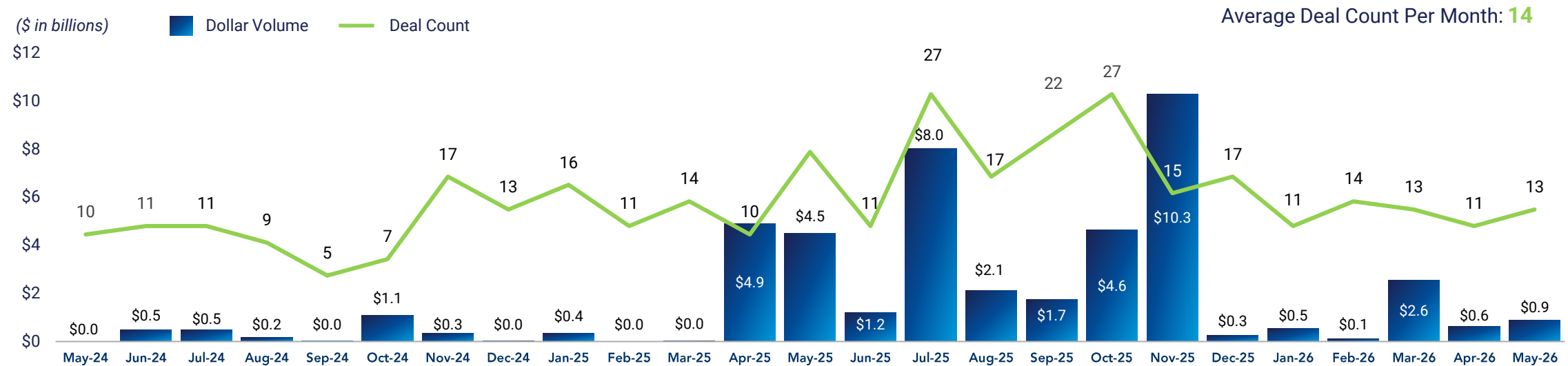
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Crypto & Blockchain M&A Statistics

Monthly M&A Volume and Deal Count



Annual M&A Volume and Deal Count



Selected M&A Deals in 2026

Target	Buyer	Amount (\$ in mm)	Target Country
BNK		\$1,800	United Kingdom
abra	New Providence Acquisition Corp. III	750	USA
REAP		600	Hong Kong
BITNOMIAL		550	USA
coinme sequence		250	USA / Canada

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IV. M&A Transactions



Wealth & Capital Markets Tech M&A

Selected Large / Significant M&A Transactions in the Last Two Years

MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS					
Announced Date	Transaction Overview	Company	Selected Buyers / Investors	Amount (\$mm)	Transaction Profile
12/21/25	Permira and Warburg Pincus-led Investor Group have Agreed to Acquire Clearwater Analytics For Approximately \$8.4 bn	Clearwater Analytics	Permira; Warburg Pincus; Francisco Partners; Temasek	\$8,400	
08/06/25	Blackstone has Agreed to Acquire Enverus for up to \$6.5 bn	Enverus	Blackstone Private Equity	6,500	VIEW
01/21/26	Deutsche Boerse has Agreed to Acquire Allfunds Bank Valuing the Company at Approximately \$6.2 bn	Allfunds Bank	Deutsche Boerse	6,200	
07/11/24	Bain Capital Acquires Envestnet	Envestnet	Reverence Capital Partners; BlackRock; Fidelity Investments; Franklin Templeton Ventures, etc.	4,473	
05/05/26	Bullish Global has Agreed to Acquire Equiniti for \$4.2 bn	Equiniti	Bullish Global	4,200	VIEW
06/30/24	BlackRock Acquires Preqin For \$3.2 bn	Preqin	BlackRock Solutions	3,230	
04/14/25	KKR Acquires OSTTRA Valuing the company at \$3.1 bn	OSTTRA	KKR Private Equity	3,100	
03/31/25	LPL Financial Has Agreed To Acquire Commonwealth Financial Network For Approximately \$2.7bn	Commonwealth Financial Network	LPL Financial	2,700	
07/23/25	Corpay Acquires Alpha FX Valuing the Company at \$2.4 bn	Alpha FX	Corpay	2,400	
10/15/25	S&P Global Acquires With Intelligence for \$1.8 bn	With Intelligence	S&P Global	1,800	
03/10/25	J. Safra Sarasin Holding Acquires Approximately 70% Stake in Saxo Bank Valuing the Company at \$1.7 bn	Saxo Bank	J. Safra Sarasin	1,733	
03/20/25	Kraken Acquires NinjaTrader for \$1.5 bn	NinjaTrader	Kraken	1,500	VIEW
01/13/25	Clearwater Analytics Acquires Enfusion Systems For Approximately \$1.5 bn	Enfusion Systems	Clearwater Analytics	1,500	
07/21/25	SS&C Technologies Acquires Calastone for Approximately \$1 bn	Calastone	SS&C Technologies	1,030	
04/30/26	Fitch Solutions has Agreed to Acquire Trepp for Approximately \$1 bn	Trepp	Fitch Solutions	1,000	
11/21/25	Tokio Marine Holdings Agrees to Acquire Commodity & Ingredient Hedging for \$970 mm	Commodity & Ingredient Hedging	Tokio Marine Holdings	970	
06/11/24	AlphaSense Acquires Tegus For \$930 mm	Tegus	AlphaSense	930	
04/14/25	StoneX Group Acquires R.J. O'Brien & Associates Valuing the Company at Approximately \$900 mm	R.J. O'Brien & Associates	StoneX Group	900	
05/08/25	TA Associates Acquires Majority Stake in FD Technologies Valuing the Company at Approximately \$760 mm	KX	TA Associates	760	
03/16/26	Nordic Capital has Agreed to Acquire Majority Stake in Trading Hub for \$750 mm	Trading Hub	Nordic Capital	750	
11/14/25	Teamshares has Agreed to Merge with Live Oak Acquisition at a Pro Forma Enterprise Value \$746 mm	Teamshares	Live Oak Acquisition V	746	

Source: FT Partners' Proprietary Transaction Database. All transactions converted to U.S. dollars
Note: Represents transactions from the trailing 24 months

Crypto & Blockchain M&A

Selected Large / Significant M&A Transactions in the Last Two Years

MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS					
Announced Date	Transaction Overview	Company	Selected Buyers / Investors	Amount (\$mm)	Transaction Profile
11/26/25	Naver Financial has Agreed to Acquire Dunamu in an All-Stock Deal Valued at \$10.3 bn	Dunamu	Naver Financial Corporation	\$10,300	
07/17/25	Bitcoin Standard Treasury Company has Agreed to Merge with Cantor Equity Partners I at value of \$4.8 bn	Bitcoin Standard Treasury Company	Cantor Equity Partners I	4,778	
05/08/25	Coinbase Acquires Deribit For \$4.3 bn	Deribit	Coinbase	4,300	VIEW
04/23/25	Cantor Equity Partners Has Agreed to Merge with Twenty One Capital Valuing the Company at \$3.6 bn	Twenty One Capital	SoftBank; Tether; Cantor Equity Partners I	3,600	
03/17/26	Mastercard has Agreed to Acquire BVNK for Approximately \$1.8 bn	BVNK	Mastercard	1,800	VIEW
10/20/25	Armada Acquisition II Merges with Evernorth Holdings at a \$1.4 billion Pro Forma Equity Value	Evernorth Holdings	Armada Acquisition II	1,436	
08/26/25	Trump Media Group CRO Agrees to Merge with Yorkville Acquisition Corp. Valued at \$1.42 bn	Trump Media Group CRO	Yorkville Acquisition Corp; Trump Media & Technology Group; Crypto.com	1,420	
10/28/25	Cantor Equity Partners II has Agreed to Merge with Securitize at an Enterprise Value of \$1.4 bn	Securitize	Cantor Equity Partners II	1,362	VIEW
04/08/25	Ripple Has Agreed to Acquire Hidden Road Partners For Approximately \$1.3 bn	Hidden Road Partners	Ripple Labs	1,250	VIEW
09/08/25	Vine Hill Capital Investment Merges with CoinShares Valuing the Company at \$1.2 bn	CoinShares	Vine Hill Capital Investment	1,200	
10/20/24	Stripe Acquires Bridge Valuing the Company at \$1.1bn	Bridge.	Stripe	1,100	VIEW
07/08/25	ReserveOne has Agreed to Merge with M3-Brigade Acquisition V Valued at \$1,082 mm	ReserveOne	M3-Brigade Acquisition V	1,082	
06/23/25	ProCap Financial Merge with Columbus Circle Capital Corp I Valuing the Company at \$1 bn	ProCap Financial	Columbus Circle Capital Corp I	1,000	
03/16/26	New Providence Acquisition Corp. III has Agreed to Merge with Abra for \$750 mm	Abra	New Providence Acquisition Corp. III	750	
05/07/26	Kraken has Agreed to Acquire Reap for Up to \$600 mm	Reap	Kraken	600	
10/02/25	Avalanche Treasury has Agreed to Merge with Mountain Lake Acquisition Corp. Valuing the Company at \$592 mm	Avalanche Foundation	Mountain Lake Acquisition Corp.	592	
04/17/26	Kraken Acquires Bitnomial for \$550 mm	Bitnomial	Kraken	550	
08/06/25	Parataxis Holdings has Agreed to Merge with SilverBox Corp IV at an Implied Pro Forma Equity Value of \$393 mm	Parataxis Holdings	SilverBox Corp IV	393	
07/21/25	StablecoinX Assets has Agreed to Merge with TLGY Acquisition Valued at \$393 mm	StablecoinX Assets	TLGY Acquisition	393	

Source: FT Partners' Proprietary Transaction Database. All transactions converted to U.S. dollars
Note: Represents transactions from the trailing 24 months

MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS

Date	Acquirer / Target	Value (\$ mm)	Comments
05/05/26	  VIEW TRANSACTION PROFILE	\$4,200	- Equiniti is a leading global transfer agent and provider of mission-critical shareholder services - Equiniti brings what every listed company in most major markets is required to have: a regulated transfer agent; as the system of record for nearly 3,000 of the world's leading public companies, Equiniti processes approximately \$500 billion in annual payments and supports over 20 million verified shareholders - Bullish (NYSE: BLSH) is a global digital asset exchange and technology company focused on regulated trading infrastructure, liquidity provision, and tokenized asset markets - On May 5, 2026, Bullish (NYSE:BLSH) announced it has entered into a definitive agreement to acquire Equiniti valued at \$4.2 billion - The acquisition brings together Bullish's blockchain-native offering: token design, issuance, operation and compliance; distribution through regulated markets globally; liquidity provisioning; and visibility through CoinDesk's media, data, and research - FT Partners served as strategic and financial advisor to Siris Capital
04/22/26	 Cboe Australia Cboe Canada	300	- Cboe Australia operates a trading exchange offering equities, exchange-traded funds (ETFs), warrants, and market data services to investors in Australia - Cboe Canada runs a stock exchange providing equities trading, ETFs, warrants, and market data services for institutional and retail participants, serving all of Canada - TMX Group (TSX: X) operates financial markets and provides infrastructure for trading, clearing, and capital raising, supporting businesses and investors - On April 22, 2026, Cboe Global Markets (Cboe: CBOE) agreed to sell Cboe Canada and Cboe Australia to TMX Group for \$300 million (\$409 million Canadian) - The acquisition expands TMX Group's global presence, while Cboe Global Markets sharpens focus on core areas like derivatives; both exchanges will continue normal operations until the deal closes
04/15/26	  Retirement and Investing Platform	na	- Carry provides retirement and investment accounts for self-employed individuals, including solo 401(k)s, IRAs, and alternative assets, with tools to manage tax-advantaged savings and long-term wealth - Lettuce Financial provides software for freelancers and solo business owners through its SoloHQ platform, combining financial tools and services to help manage taxes, income, and business operations in one place - On April 15, 2026, Lettuce Financial agreed to acquire Carry's Retirement and Investing platform, adding over \$225 million in assets; financial terms were not disclosed - The acquisition enhances Lettuce's platform by adding retirement and investment capabilities, while Carry continues as a standalone brand with no immediate changes for existing customers

MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS			
Date	Acquirer / Target	Value (\$ mm)	Comments
04/07/26	 	na	- PM Insights is a secondary market reference data and analytics platform that provides pricing, index, benchmark data, and insights for pre-IPO companies to assist in price discovery, risk management, and compliance - MSCI Inc. (NYSE: MSCI) empowers global markets with research-based data, analytics, and indexes, helping financial participants make informed decisions and unlock innovation - On April 7, 2026, MSCI announced that it has agreed to acquire PM Insights, with financial terms not disclosed and no material immediate financial impact expected - The acquisition strengthens MSCI's private asset offerings by adding secondary market data and improving transparency, supporting portfolio analysis, valuation, and index creation for private equity investments
03/16/26	 	na	- TradingHub is a provider of trade surveillance and risk management technology, offering advanced analytics and monitoring solutions to help financial institutions detect market abuse, manage regulatory compliance, and improve trading oversight - Nordic Capital is a private equity firm that invests in middle-market companies across sectors such as healthcare, technology, and financial services, with approximately €34 billion in assets under management across Europe and North America - On March 16, 2026, Nordic Capital agreed to acquire a majority stake in TradingHub; existing investors, including Summit Partners and co-founder Neil Walker, will retain minority positions in the Company - The investment supports TradingHub's global expansion, enhances its trade surveillance platform, and strengthens capabilities across asset classes
03/03/26	 	na	- Compass Financial Technologies provides technology and services for investment banks, asset managers, and exchanges, specializing in the creation, calculation, and publication of market benchmarks, financial indices, and custom quantitative investment strategies - MSCI Inc. (NYSE: MSCI) is a global provider of index, analytics, and data solutions for institutional investors, offering tools for portfolio construction, risk management, and performance benchmarking - On March 3, 2026, MSCI acquired Compass Financial Technologies; financial terms were not disclosed, and the transaction is not expected to have a material near-term financial impact - The acquisition strengthens MSCI's multi-asset and alternative index capabilities, enabling the creation and customization of complex indices across equities, fixed income, commodities, digital assets, and derivatives, and complements its prior acquisition of Foxberry in 2024

MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS			
Date	Acquirer / Target	Value (\$ mm)	Comments
05/11/26	 Alchemy	\$143	- Alchemy is a gold-backed blockchain settlement layer and DeFi ecosystem developed by BullionFX, targeting retail, institutional, and blockchain markets, providing infrastructure for tokenized gold products, gold- and USD-backed stablecoins, lending, yield, and cross-chain interoperability - Functional Brands (NASDAQ: MEHA) is a health and wellness company delivering therapeutic solutions through Tru2u.health, offering functional products, peptide therapies, and telehealth services - On May 11, 2026, Functional Brands signed a binding Letter of Intent to acquire Alchemy technology platform from BullionFX Ltd., in an all-stock transaction valued at approximately \$142.9 million - The acquisition is expected to provide Functional Brands with blockchain infrastructure and intellectual property designed to bridge physical gold markets with decentralized finance applications
05/07/26	 REAP	600	- Reap is a Hong Kong-based global FinTech company enabling financial connectivity through stablecoin-native infrastructure, merging traditional finance with digital assets to bridge economies and connect key markets - Kraken, created by Payward, is a San Francisco-based virtual currency exchange offering features like stop orders and margin trading, enabling fiat-to-crypto trades for individuals and institutions - On May 7, 2026, Kraken announced a definitive agreement to acquire Reap for up to \$600 million payable in cash and Payward stock, in a transaction that values Payward's equity at \$20 billion; closing is expected in the second half of 2026 subject to regulatory approvals - The acquisition expands Kraken's infrastructure stack by adding globally regulated capabilities for card issuance and stablecoin payments, enabling partners to embed card programs, cross-border payments, and treasury services alongside existing crypto trading, custody, and tokenized assets capabilities
05/05/26	 	100	- DFlow is Solana focused financial infrastructure enabling intelligent routing and execution optimization for onchain trading, aggregating liquidity sources to deliver better prices, broader token coverage, and reliable execution - MoonPay, founded in 2019, is a global FinTech company connecting fiat and digital assets. It powers on/off-ramps, trading, payments, and stablecoin infrastructure with broad regulatory authorization - On May 5, 2026, MoonPay announced the acquisition of Dflow for \$100 million in an all-stock transaction - The acquisition integrates DFlow's execution layer into MoonPay's financial stack, enhancing speed and reliability for high-volume trading and agent-driven financial applications, and expanding infrastructure for programmable financial markets and tokenized prediction markets

Source: Company Website, Company Press Release, FT Partners' Proprietary Transaction Database

MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS			
Date	Acquirer / Target	Value (\$ mm)	Comments
04/17/26	 	\$550	- Bitnomial is a bitcoin derivatives exchange platform connecting digital asset hedgers with institutional traders. It offers deliverable and margined bitcoin futures and options overseen by the CFTC in the United States - Kraken is a San Francisco-based cryptocurrency exchange offering secure trading, margin, and derivatives services; It supports a wide range of digital assets and focuses on security and global market access - On April 17, 2026, Payward Inc. (Kraken's parent company) agreed to acquire Bitnomial from existing shareholders for up to \$550 million in cash and stock, with closing subject to customary approvals - The transaction is intended to expand Kraken's regulated U.S. derivatives footprint by integrating Bitnomial's licensed platform and infrastructure into its broader multi-brand ecosystem
04/15/26	 	70	- Zengo is a pioneer in MPC cryptography, offering a keyless wallet architecture with secure self-custody, token swaps, staking, on/off ramps, and decentralized app access - eToro is a global trading platform founded in 2007, empowering investors through social collaboration, transparent tools, and education to grow knowledge, wealth, and financial success - On April 15, 2026, eToro announced the acquisition of Zengo in a deal valued at \$70 million - The acquisition expands eToro's digital asset capabilities by integrating Zengo's non-custodial wallet technology, supporting tokenized assets, prediction markets, and decentralized trading models
03/18/26	 	na	- Brahma is a decentralized finance (DeFi) infrastructure company focused on smart account execution and blockchain tooling to simplify on-chain user experiences and has served 100,000+ accounts with over \$1B in DeFi transaction volume - Polymarket is a blockchain-based prediction market platform where users trade contracts tied to the outcomes of real-world events, using stablecoins on a decentralized network to reflect collective probability estimates - On March 18, 2026, Polymarket acquired Brahma; financial terms were not disclosed - The acquisition brings Brahma's team and technology into Polymarket to expand infrastructure and product capabilities, supporting the scaling of prediction market operations

MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS				
Announced Date	Transaction Overview	Company	Selected Buyers / Investors	Amount (\$mm)
05/28/26	ActiveViam Acquires Derivitec	Derivitec	ActiveViam	na
05/28/26	Architect Financial Technologies Acquires Intelligent Medicine Exchange	Intelligent Medicine Exchange	Architect Financial Technologies	na
05/27/26	Instant Funding Acquires Funded Trading Plus	Funded Trading Plus	Instant Funding	na
05/25/26	Laqus Acquires goLiza	goLiza	Laqus	na
05/22/26	Cryptomathic Acquires TrustSkills	TrustSkills	Cryptomathic	na
05/21/26	YourStake Acquires First Affirmative	First Affirmative	YourStake	na
05/20/26	Zama Acquires Vesting Labs	Vesting Labs	Zama	na
05/20/26	ComputerShare Acquires Fitzcores	Fitzcores	ComputerShare	na
05/19/26	Oxyzo has Agreed to Acquire GoldenPi for Approximately \$4.4 mm	GoldenPi	Oxyzo	\$4
05/18/26	Standard Chartered PLC has Agreed to Acquire Zodia Custody's Custody Business	Zodia Custody's Custody Business	Standard Chartered PLC	na
05/13/26	SoFi Acquires PrimaryBid	PrimaryBid	SoFi	na
05/12/26	Dynamo Software Acquires InvestHub	InvestHub	Dynamo Software	na
05/12/26	EquiLend Acquires Finadium	Finadium	EquiLend	na
05/11/26	MoonPay Acquires Dawn Labs	Dawn Labs	MoonPay	na
05/06/26	Total Specific Solutions Acquires Keypoint Intelligence	Keypoint Intelligence	Total Specific Solutions	na
05/06/26	Public Acquires Treasury Interactive	Treasury Interactive	Public	na
05/05/26	Alter Domus has Agreed to Acquire MSC Group	MSC Group	Alter Domus	na
05/05/26	Bullish Global has Agreed to Acquire Equiniti for \$4.2 bn	Equiniti	Bullish Global	4,200
05/04/26	Mesirow Financial has Agreed to Acquire LeafHouse Financial Advisors	LeafHouse Financial Advisors	Mesirow Financial	na
04/30/26	Fitch Solutions has Agreed to Acquire Trepp for Approximately \$1 bn	Trepp	Fitch Solutions	1,000
04/30/26	Investing.com Acquires Stonki	Stonki	Investing.com	na
04/29/26	iAltA Holdings Acquires Precept	Precept	iAltA	na

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Selected Recent M&A Transactions (cont.)

MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS				
Announced Date	Transaction Overview	Company	Selected Buyers / Investors	Amount (\$mm)
04/22/26	TMX Group has Agreed to Acquire Cboe Canada & Australia	Cboe Canada	TMX Group	\$300
04/22/26	Chatham Financial has Agreed to Acquire Hodes Weill & Associates	Hodes Weill & Associates	Chatham Financial	na
04/22/26	Administer Acquires EW Finance	EW Finance	Administer	na
04/21/26	F2 Strategy Acquires Meradia Group	Meradia Group, Inc.	F2 Strategy	na
04/20/26	Aptia Acquires Pension Decision Service	Pension Decision Service	Aptia	na
04/18/26	Microsoft Acquires Fintool	Fintool	Microsoft Corporation	na
04/15/26	Lettuce Financial has Agreed to Acquire Carry	Carry	Lettuce Financial	na
04/14/26	GBE Brokers has Agreed to Acquire JFD Brokers Client Base	JFD Brokers Client Base	GBE Brokers	na
04/14/26	Equity Methods has Agreed to Acquire Equity Plan Solutions	Equity Plan Solutions	Equity Methods	na
04/14/26	Q4 Acquires Virtua Research	Virtua Research	Q4	na
04/14/26	Juniper Square Acquires Sightglass	Sightglass	Juniper Square	na
04/09/26	Pello Companies has Agreed to Acquire ByAllAccounts	ByAllAccounts	Pello Companies	na
04/07/26	MSCI Acquires PM Insights	PM Insights	MSCI	na
04/07/26	SOL Strategies has Agreed to Acquire Darklake for \$1.2 mm	Darklake	SOL Strategies	1
04/07/26	LongRiver Group Acquires CreditShare	CreditShare	LongRiver Group	na
04/07/26	Profile Systems & Software Acquires Contemi's WIN Solution	Contemi's WIN Solution	Profile Systems & Software	na
04/02/26	Topstep Acquires The Futures Desk	The Futures Desk	Topstep	na
04/02/26	Versant Media Acquires StockStory	StockStory	Versant Media	na
04/01/26	Arbiter Acquires Vertical Raise	Vertical Raise	ArbiterSports	na
03/31/26	OORTech and Aether Holdings Forms JV Aether DataHub	Aether DataHub	Oort; Aether Holdings	na
03/26/26	Sonic Acquires ForgeX	ForgeX	Sonic	na
03/25/26	Dynamic FinTech Solutions Acquires AETOS Australia	AETOS Australia	Dynamic FinTech Solutions	na

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Selected Recent M&A Transactions

MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS				
Announced Date	Transaction Overview	Company	Selected Buyers / Investors	Amount (\$mm)
05/21/26	MoonPay Acquires Decent Media	Decent Media	MoonPay	na
05/21/26	EVERTEC Acquires 67% Stake in BBChain Valuing the Company at Approximately \$8.3 mm	BBChain	EVERTEC	\$8
05/20/26	Kaiko Acquires Cometh	Cometh	Kaiko	na
05/19/26	Deloitte Acqui-hires Blocknative	BlockNative Corporation	Deloitte L.L.P.	na
05/19/26	SonarX Acquires Blockchain Data Business of Flipside	Blockchain Data Business of Flipside	SonarX	na
05/12/26	Movement Network Foundation Acquires Canopy	Canopy	Movement Network Foundation	na
05/11/26	Functional Brands has Agreed to Acquire Alchemy Valuing the Company at Approximately \$142.9 mm	Alchemy	Functional Brands	143
05/07/26	Kraken has Agreed to Acquire Reap for Up to \$600 mm	Reap	Kraken	600
05/06/26	Core Scientific has Agreed to Acquire Polaris DS	Polaris DS	Core Scientific	na
05/05/26	MoonPay Acquires DFlow for \$100 mm	DFlow	MoonPay	100
05/04/26	SOL Strategies has Agreed to Acquire Houdini Swap for \$18 mm	Houdini Swap	SOL Strategies	18
05/01/26	Shuttle Pharmaceuticals has Agreed to Merge with United Dogecoin for Approximately \$32.3 mm	United Dogecoin	Shuttle Pharmaceuticals	32
04/30/26	AI Financial Acquires Blockstreet	Blockstreet	AiFi	na
04/29/26	VerifyVASP Acquires CoolBitX Sygna	CoolBitX Sygna	VerifyVASP	na
04/29/26	MoonPay Acquires Sodot	Sodot	MoonPay	na
04/22/26	Bitfire has Agreed to Acquires Avenir’s Investment Team and Trading Systems for \$1.6 mm	Avenir’s Investment Team and Trading Systems	Bitfire	2
04/21/26	Raise Fintech Ventures Acquires Stratzy for Approximately \$6 mm	Stratzy	Raise Fintech Ventures	6
04/17/26	Kraken Acquires Bitnomial for \$550 mm	Bitnomial	Kraken	550
04/15/26	eToro has Agreed to Acquire ZenGo for \$70mm	ZenGo	eToro	70
04/12/26	Fulcrum Acquires Megaphone	Megaphone	Fulcrum; Next Web Capital	na
04/10/26	Staynex Acquires Sleep Valuing the Company at Approximately \$15 mm	Sleep	Staynex	15
04/09/26	Fairmint Acquires The RWA Desk	The RWA Desk	Fairmint	na

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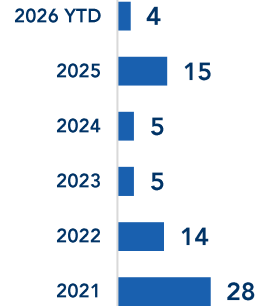
MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS				
Announced Date	Transaction Overview	Company	Selected Buyers / Investors	Amount (\$mm)
04/01/26	Bitfarms Merges with Keel Infrastructure	Bitfarms	Keel Infrastructure	na
03/25/26	BitMine Immersion Technologies Acquires Pier Two	Pier Two	BitMine Immersion Technologies	na
03/24/26	DV8 has Agreed to Acquire Rakkar Digital	Rakkar Digital	DV8	na
03/23/26	Katana Acquires IDEX	Kuma	Katana	na
03/20/26	Impossible.Finance Acquires Rarible	Rarible	Impossible.Finance	na
03/18/26	Polymarket Acquires Brahma Console	Brahma Console	Polymarket	na
03/17/26	Cielo Acquires Dino	Dino.	Cielo	na
03/17/26	Mastercard has Agreed to Acquire BVNK for Approximately \$1.8 bn	BVNK	Mastercard	\$1,800
03/17/26	Sokin Acquires Genpaid	Genpaid	Sokin	na
03/16/26	New Providence Acquisition Corp. III has Agreed to Merge with Abra for \$750 mm	Abra	New Providence Acquisition Corp. III	750
03/11/26	Paribu Acquires Clave	Clave.	Paribu	na
03/10/26	Jito Foundation Acquires SolanaFloor	SolanaFloor	Jito Foundation	na
03/04/26	Predict.fun Acquires Probable	Probable	Predict.fun	na
03/02/26	FundBank Acquires Trrue for \$11 mm	Trrue	FundBank	11
02/18/26	Kraken Acquires Magna Digital	Magna Digital	Kraken	na
02/18/26	Identillect has Agreed to Acquire Agentic Solutions for Approximately \$0.5 mm	Agentic Solutions	Identillect	<1
02/17/26	Nakamoto has Agreed to Acquire BTC	BTC	Nakamoto	na
02/16/26	SBI Holdings has Agreed to Acquire Majority Stake in Coinhako	CoinHako	SBI Holdings	na
02/13/26	Tradias has Agreed to Merge with Boerse Stuttgart Digital	Tradias	Boerse Stuttgart Digital	na
02/13/26	Mirae Asset Financial Group has Agreed to Acquire 92.06% stake in Korbit Valuing the Company at Approximately \$101 mm	Korbit	Mirae Asset Financial Group	101
02/12/26	VerifyMe has Agreed to Acquire Open World	Open World	VerifyMe	na
02/12/26	Keyrock Acquires fija Finance	fija Finance	Keyrock	na

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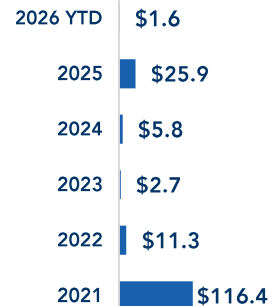
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FinTech SPAC Merger Tracker

of FinTech SPAC Mergers



FinTech SPAC Merger Volume (\$ in bn)



Announce Date	Target Company	SPAC	Announced Deal Value (\$ in mm)	Deal Status	Exchange / Ticker	FinTech Sector	Target Country	Transaction Profile
04/20/26	Tigerless	Piermont Valley Acquisition Corp.	\$280	Announced	OTCID:CMCAF	InsurTech	USA	
03/16/26	abra	New Providence Acquisition Corp. III	750	Announced	NASDAQ: NPACU	Crypto & Blockchain	USA	
01/23/26	openmarkets	LAKE SUPERIOR	300	Announced	NASDAQ: LKSPU	Wealth & Cap. Markets Tech	Australia	
01/13/26	OLD GLORY BANK	Digital Asset Acquisition Corporation	250	Announced	NASDAQ: DAAQ	Banking / Lending Tech	USA	
11/24/25	SOUL WORLD BANK	SOULPOWER INVESTORS	8,100	Announced	NYSE: SOUL	Banking / Lending Tech	USA	
11/14/25	Teamshares	LIVE OAK ACQUISITION CORP.	746	Announced	NASDAQ: TMS	Wealth & Cap. Markets Tech	USA	
10/28/25	SECURITIZE	CANTOR Equity Partners II	1,362	Announced	NASDAQ: CEPT	Crypto & Blockchain	USA	VIEW
10/20/25	evernorth	Armada Acquisition Corp. II	1,436	Announced	NASDAQ: XRPN	Crypto & Blockchain	USA	
10/02/25	AVALANCHE	MLAC Vine Hill Capital Investment Corp.	592	Announced	NASDAQ: MLAC	Crypto & Blockchain	USA	
09/08/25	CoinShares	Vine Hill Capital Partners	921	Announced	OTC: CBRRF	Crypto & Blockchain	UK	
09/08/25	COMMLOAN	CHAIN BRIDGE GROUP Chain Bridge I	50	Announced	NASDAQ: VCIC	Real Estate Tech	USA	
08/25/25	TRUMP MEDIA GROUP CRO STRATEGY	Yorkville Acquisition Corp.	1,420	Announced	NASDAQ: YORK	Crypto & Blockchain	USA	
08/06/25	PARATAXIS	SILVERBOX SilverBox Corp IV	393	Announced	NYSE: SBXD	Crypto & Blockchain	USA	
07/21/25	STABLECOINX INC.	TLGY	393	Announced	OTCPK:TLGY.F	Crypto & Blockchain	USA	
07/17/25	BSTR	CANTOR Equity Partners I	4,800	Announced	NASDAQ: CEPO	Crypto & Blockchain	USA	

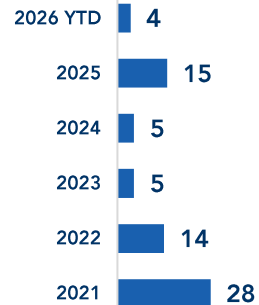
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FinTech SPAC Merger Tracker (cont.)

of FinTech SPAC Mergers



FinTech SPAC Merger Volume (\$ in bn)



Announce Date	Target Company	SPAC	Announced Deal Value (\$ in mm)	Deal Status	Exchange / Ticker	FinTech Sector	Target Country	Transaction Profile
07/08/25	ReserveOne	M3-BRIGADE ACQUISITION II CORP.	\$1,082	Announced	NASDAQ: MBAVU	Crypto & Blockchain	USA	
06/23/25	ProCAP Financial	COLUMBUS CIRCLE CAPITAL	1,000	Closed	NASDAQ: BRR	Crypto & Blockchain	USA	
05/19/25	QARDY قردى	CATALYST PARTNERS Equity Partners	23	Closed	CASE: CPME	Banking / Lending Tech	Egypt	
04/23/25	TWENTY ONE	CANTOR	3,600	Closed	NYSE: XXI	Crypto & Blockchain	USA	
11/30/24	AMBER PREMIUM	iCLACK INTERACTIVE	360	Closed	NASDAQ: AMBR	Crypto & Blockchain	Singapore	
10/07/24	YOUNITED	Iris Financial	na	Closed	ENXTAM:IRIS	Banking / Lending Tech	France	
07/24/24	FOLD	FTAC Emerald Acquisition Corp.	381	Closed	NASDAQ: FLD	Crypto & Blockchain	USA	
06/10/24	Oabay	Bayview Acquisition Corp.	393	Announced	NASDAQ: BAYA	Banking / Lending Tech	China	
02/28/24	Webull	SK Growth Opportunities	4,699	Closed	NASDAQ: BULL	Wealth & Cap. Markets Tech	USA	VIEW
05/25/23	MoneyHero Group	Bridgetown Holdings	342	Closed	NASDAQ: MNY	Banking / Lending Tech	Hong Kong	
02/13/23	roadzen	Vahanna Tech Edge Acquisition I Corp.	965	Closed	NASDAQ: RDZN	InsurTech	India	VIEW
01/30/23	Cheche Group	Prime Impact Capital	841	Closed	NASDAQ: CCG	InsurTech	China	
01/06/23	iCoreConnect	FG MERGER CORP.	98	Closed	NASDAQ: ICCT	Healthcare FinTech	USA	
01/05/23	DIGIASIA BIOS	STONEBRIDGE	500	Closed	NASDAQ: FAAS	Banking / Lending Tech	Indonesia	
12/22/22	FRILANS FINANS	SPAC2	14	Closed	NGM: FRILAN	Fin. Mgmt. Solutions	Norway	
11/16/22	ATLAS CLEAR	QUANTUM FINTECH ACQUISITION CORP.	154	Closed	NYSEAM:ATCH	Wealth & Cap. Markets Tech	USA	

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V. Financing Transactions



Wealth & Capital Markets Tech Financings

Selected Large / Significant Financing Transactions in the Last Two Years

FINANCINGS					
Announced Date	Transaction Overview	Company	Selected Buyers / Investors	Amount (\$mm)	Transaction Profile
10/07/25	Polymarket Secures \$2.6 bn in Series D Equity and Debt Financing from Intercontinental Exchange	Polymarket	Intercontinental Exchange; Advaita Capital; Blockchain Capital; Brightwing Capital; Dubin & Co.; Electric Feel Ventures; Kilombo Ventures; etc.	\$2,000	
12/17/25	Trade Republic Bank Secures Approximately \$1.4 bn in Financing	Trade Republic Bank	Founders Fund; Sequoia Capital; Fidelity Investments; Wellington Management; Government of Singapore Investment Corporation	1,411	
03/20/26	Kalshi Secures Approximately \$1 bn in Series F Financing Led by Coatue Management	Kalshi	Coatue Management; Sequoia Capital; Andreessen Horowitz; IVP; Paradigm; Morgan Stanley; ARK Invest	1,000	
12/02/25	Kalshi Secures \$1 bn in Series E Financing Led by Paradigm	Kalshi	Sequoia Capital; Andreessen Horowitz; Anthos Capital; Neo Innovation; CapitalG; Paradigm; Meritech Capital Partners; etc.	1,000	
08/28/24	FNZ Secures \$1 bn in Financing	FNZ	Motive Partners; Undisclosed Investors	1,000	
07/10/25	iCapital Network Secures Approximately \$820 mm in Financing Co-Led by T. Rowe Price and SurgoCap Partners	iCapital Network	T. Rowe Price; SurgoCap Partners; State Street; T. Rowe Price; UBS; BNY Mellon	820	VIEW
11/12/25	Groww Raises Approximately \$750 mm in its IPO	Groww	Public market investors	750	VIEW
11/12/25	FNZ Secures \$650 mm in Financing	FNZ	La Caisse; CPP Investments; Generation Investment Management; Motive Partners; Abrdn; Aviva; FirstCape Group; Ninety One; Nucleus Financial	650	
06/11/24	AlphaSense Secures \$650 mm in Financing Co-Led By Viking Global Investors and BDT & MSD	AlphaSense	BDT & MSD; SoftBank Vision Fund; Blue Owl; Alkeon Capital Management; CapitalG; Goldman Sachs Asset Management; etc.	650	
05/13/25	eToro Secures \$620 mm in its IPO	eToro	Undisclosed Investors	620	VIEW
10/27/25	Wealthsimple Financial Secures Approximately \$538 mm in Financing Co-Led by Dragoner Investment Group and GIC	Wealthsimple Financial Inc.	Dragoner Investment Group; Government of Singapore Investment Corporation; CPP Investments; Greylock Partners; etc.	538	
04/05/25	FNZ Secures \$500 mm in Financing	FNZ	Undisclosed Investors	500	
12/11/25	Wealthfront Raises \$484.6 mm in Its IPO	Wealthfront	Public market investors	485	VIEW
11/12/25	VPBank Securities Raises \$483 mm in its IPO	VPBank Securities	Public market investors	483	
12/12/24	Euroclear Secures Approximately \$479 mm in Financing From TCorp	Euroclear	Tcorp	479	
10/24/24	London Stock Exchange Has Agreed to Acquire Additional 8.3% Stake in LCH.Clearnet Group for Approximately \$467.7 mm	LCH.Clearnet Group	London Stock Exchange Group	468	
02/18/26	Vestwell Secures \$385 mm in Series E Financing Led by Blue Owl Capital and Sixth Street Growth	Vestwell	Blue Owl; Franklin Templeton Ventures; HarbourVest Partners; Neuberger Berman; TIAA Ventures; Morgan Stanley; etc.	385	
08/13/25	Miami International Raises \$345 mm in its IPO	Miami International	Public market investors	345	VIEW
10/10/25	Kalshi Secures \$300 mm in Series D Financing Co-Led by Andreessen Horowitz and Sequoia Capital	Kalshi	Andreessen Horowitz; Sequoia Capital; Paradigm; Coinbase Ventures; General Catalyst; Spark Capital; CapitalG	300	

Source: FT Partners' Proprietary Transaction Database. All transactions converted to U.S. dollars
Note: Represents transactions from the trailing 24 months

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Selected Large / Significant Financing Transactions in the Last Two Years

FINANCINGS					
Announced Date	Transaction Overview	Company	Selected Buyers / Investors	Amount (\$mm)	Transaction Profile
03/12/25	Binance Secures \$2 bn in Financing From MGX	Binance	MGX	\$2,000	
08/12/25	Bullish Global Raises \$1.1 bn in its IPO	Bullish Global	Public market investors	1,110	VIEW
06/04/25	Circle Internet Raises \$1,054 mm in its IPO	Circle Internet Financial	Public market investors	1,054	
05/14/26	Dunamu Secures Approximately \$670 mm in Financing from Hana Financial Investment	Dunamu	Hana Financial Investment	670	
09/26/25	Kraken Secures \$600 mm in Financing Led by Tribe Capital	Kraken	Tribe Capital; Arjun Sethi; Undisclosed Investors	600	
11/25/24	Tether Secures \$600 mm in Financing from Cantor Fitzgerald	Tether	Cantor Fitzgerald	600	
11/05/25	Ripple Labs Secures \$500 mm in Financing	Ripple Labs	Fortress Investment Group; Brevan Howard; Citadel Securities; Marshall Wace; Pantera Capital; Galaxy Digital	500	
10/17/25	Tempo Secures \$500 mm in Series A Financing Led by Thrive Capital and Greenoaks Capital	Tempo	Thrive Capital; Greenoaks Capital; Sequoia Capital; Ribbit Capital; SV Angel	500	
01/19/25	World Liberty Financial Secures \$500 mm in Financing from Aryam Investment 1	World Liberty Financial	Aryam Investment 1	500	
09/11/25	Gemini Raises \$425 mm in its IPO	Gemini	Public market investors	425	VIEW
05/28/26	Dunamu Secures Approximately \$407.7 mm in Financing from Samsung Securities, Samsung SDS, and Samsung Card	Dunamu	Samsung Securities; Samsung SDS; Samsung Card	408	
12/22/25	Erebor Secures \$350 mm in Financing Led by Lux Capital	Erebor Bank	Lux Capital; Founders Fund; 8VC; Haun Ventures; CMT Digital; Undisclosed Investors	350	
04/30/25	Blockstream Mining Secures \$350 mm in Equity and Debt Financing	Blockstream Mining	Undisclosed Investors	350	
01/09/26	Rain Secures \$250 mm in Series C Financing Led by ICONIQ Growth	Rain	ICONIQ Growth; Sapphire Ventures; Dragonfly Capital; Bessemer Venture Partners; Galaxy Ventures (Thailand); FirstMark Capital; Lightspeed Venture Partners; Norwest Venture Partners; Endeavor Catalyst	250	VIEW
01/21/26	BitGo Raises \$212.8 mm in its IPO	BitGo	Public market investors	213	VIEW
10/15/24	Blockstream Secures \$210 mm in Financing Led By Fulgur Ventures	Blockstream	Fulgur Ventures	210	
12/17/25	HashKey Raises Approximately \$206 mm in its IPO	HashKey Group	Public market investors	206	
04/14/26	Kraken Secures \$200 mm in Financing from Deutsche Boerse	Kraken	Deutsche Boerse	200	
11/18/25	Kraken Secures \$200 mm in Financing from Citadel Securities	Kraken	Citadel Securities	200	

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FINANCINGS			
Date	Target / Investor(s)	Value (\$ mm)	Comments
05/21/26	 <i>Investor(s):</i> Baillie Gifford and Layer Global	\$200	- Kalshi is a CFTC-regulated prediction market exchange where users trade financial contracts based on the outcomes of real-world events - On May 21, 2026, Kalshi raised \$200 million in a Series F extension round led by Baillie Gifford and Layer Global - The extension closes at the same \$22 billion valuation from the initial \$1 billion Series F raise earlier in May, bringing total Series F funding to \$1.2 billion; Monthly trading volume reached \$14 billion in April 2026, with institutional trading volume up 800% over the prior six months, and annualized revenue exceeding \$1.5 billion - The proceeds will be used to expand Kalshi's product suite across trading products, platform infrastructure, and regulatory initiatives
05/21/26	 <i>Investor(s):</i> General Atlantic; Undisclosed Investors	150	- Farther is a New York-based registered investment advisor (RIA) and wealth management platform offering financial advisors an integrated technology stack covering portfolio management, risk tools, private market access, and AI capabilities. - On May 21, 2026, Farther raised \$150 million in Series D funding led by General Atlantic, with participation from existing investors - The round brings total funding to over \$272 million and marks Farther's entry into unicorn status. Recruited assets surpassed \$23 billion as of May 2026, more than tripling year-over-year from approximately \$7.8 billion in Q1 2025 - The proceeds will be directed toward platform development, advisor network expansion, potential acquisitions, and geographic and segment growth
05/19/26	 <i>Investor(s):</i> Portage Ventures; Illuminate Financial; Motive Partners; Cherry Ventures; FinTech Collective; Undisclosed Investors	35	- Bunch is a Berlin-based fund operations platform serving private equity and venture capital managers across Europe, covering investor onboarding, capital calls, fund administration, accounting, and tax reporting across multiple jurisdictions - On May 19, 2026, bunch raised \$35 million in Series B financing led by Portage Ventures, with participation from Illuminate Financial and follow-on investment from existing investors Motive Partners, Cherry Ventures, and FinTech Collective and undisclosed investors - The round brings total capital raised to over \$58 million; the Company currently manages over 500 investment structures for more than 150 asset managers and 12,000+ LPs, with 300% ARR growth in 2025 and 156% net revenue retention - The new capital will be used for European sales growth, AI and automation development across core fund workflows, and expanding the platform to cover additional asset classes, geographies, and operational processes

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Highlighted Recent Financing Transactions (cont.)

FINANCINGS			
Date	Target / Investor(s)	Value (\$ mm)	Comments
05/19/26	 Investor(s): Index Ventures; Andreessen Horowitz; Avra; Undisclosed Investors	\$78	- Moment is an AI operating system for investment management, designed to rebuild wealth management infrastructure around AI; Its platform supports workflows, portfolio optimization, and personalized client proposals - On May 19, 2026, Moment raised \$78 million in Series C financing led by Index Ventures, with participation from Andreessen Horowitz, Avra, and existing investors - The platform is used by firms including Edward Jones, LPL Financial, and Hightower Advisors, collectively managing more than \$10 trillion in client assets, up from \$300 billion less than 18 months ago - Proceeds will be used to expand AI-powered workflows and portfolio optimizer, enabling personalized proposals, unified managed account experiences, and accelerating AI adoption across wealth management firms
04/29/26	 Investor(s): Kleiner Perkins, Sequoia, Thrive Capital, Khosla Ventures, J.P. Morgan Growth Equity Partners, BoxGroup, Mantis VC, and others	160	- Rogo is a generative AI platform enabling financial institutions to automate research, accelerate workflows, and deliver analyst-grade insights through purpose-built financial reasoning models and deep data integrations - On April 29, 2026, Rogo raised \$160 million in Series D financing led by Kleiner Perkins, with participation from Sequoia, Thrive Capital, Khosla Ventures, J.P. Morgan Growth Equity Partners, BoxGroup, Mantis VC, and others - The Series D brings Rogo's total funding to more than \$300 million, reflecting the Company's position as a category leader in AI for finance, with more than 35,000 professionals across 250+ institutions - The proceeds will be used to accelerate global expansion, deepen partnerships with the world's leading financial institutions, and scale Felix, Rogo's agentic AI that autonomously executes complex, multi-step financial processes from deal screening and CIM generation to buyer outreach and data room diligence
04/16/26	 Investor(s): Sumeru Equity; Edison Partners	175	- K1x is a software platform that automates processing and organization of tax documents like K-1s and 1099s for private market investors, accounting firms, and financial institutions - On April 16, 2026, K1x announced a \$175 million growth investment led by Sumeru Equity Partners (becoming majority shareholder) with participation from Edison Partners - The investment is positioned around addressing the scale and complexity of private market tax reporting, which is estimated to represent a \$27 billion annual operational burden across the industry - The funding will be used to expand engineering and research teams, improve AI and data capabilities, and scale its tax workflow infrastructure for private markets

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Highlighted Recent Financing Transactions

FINANCINGS			
Date	Target / Investor(s)	Value (\$ mm)	Comments
05/29/26	 <i>Investor(s):</i> OKX Ventures; Korea Investment & Securities; Com2uS	\$106	- Coinone is one of South Korea's five licensed virtual asset service providers (VASPs), operating a centralized cryptocurrency exchange serving retail and institutional clients, and is registered under South Korea's Virtual Asset User Protection Act - On May 29, 2026, Coinone signed strategic equity investment agreements with OKX Ventures, the investment arm of global crypto exchange OKX, and Korea Investment & Securities (KIS), with each party investing KRW 80 billion (~\$53 million) for a 19.6% stake in Coinone, pending regulatory approval - The combined KRW 160 billion (~\$106 million) transaction is structured through a mix of secondary share purchases from existing shareholders and subscriptions for newly issued shares - KIS intends to pursue Security Token Offering (STO) and stablecoin businesses with Coinone, while OKX gains a compliant local foothold aligned with its conviction that the future of finance will be built on well-regulated infrastructure
05/20/26	 <i>Investor(s):</i> Dragonfly Capital; Bain Capital Crypto; Coinbase Ventures; Undisclosed Investors	50	- Variational is a peer-to-peer on-chain derivatives trading protocol that aggregates liquidity from traditional finance dealers and centralized exchanges to enable on-chain perpetual futures trading across crypto, commodities, equities, and other real-world assets - On May 20, 2026, Variational secured \$50 million in Series A financing led by Dragonfly Capital with participation from Bain Capital Crypto, Coinbase Ventures and other investors - Variational, since launching in private beta in January 2025, has processed over \$200 billion in trading volume across 50,000+ accounts, accumulated more than \$750 million in open interest, and shared \$7 million in rewards with traders - Proceeds coincide with the launch of the protocol's first real-world asset markets, including gold, silver, copper, and WTI Crude, and will support routing liquidity directly from traditional markets, expansion to 100+ new markets, and release of a trading API
05/15/26	 <i>Investor(s):</i> SBI Group; InvestCorp; Arz Portfolio; Undisclosed Investors	51	- Fasset is a Los Angeles-based stablecoin-powered neobank serving 125 countries, processing over \$32 billion in annualized transaction volume across 50+ payment corridors; Operating a Sharia-compliant model, Fasset provides multi-currency accounts, cross-border payments, and digital asset infrastructure across emerging markets - On May 15, 2026, the Company raised \$51 million in Series B financing with participation from SBI Group, InvestCorp, Arz Portfolio and other investors - Fasset serves users in more than 125 countries and is building its Own Network, an AI-enabled financial infrastructure layer connecting banks, payment companies, telcos, on/off-ramp partners, and financial institutions across the Morocco-to-Malaysia corridor - Proceeds will accelerate the expansion of Fasset's Own Network, support the rollout of tokenized real-world assets and stablecoin-based financial services, and deepen partnerships to improve financial access across emerging markets

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Highlighted Recent Financing Transactions (cont.)

FINANCINGS			
Date	Target / Investor(s)	Value (\$ mm)	Comments
05/14/26	 Investor(s): Hana Bank	\$670	- Dunamu is a crypto-asset exchange platform developer offering mobile-ready trading services with real-time coin prices, altcoin analysis, and secure cryptocurrency transactions for clients and investors and operates Upbit, South Korea's largest crypto exchange - On May 14, 2026, Hana Bank agreed to acquire 2.28 million shares in Dunamu from Kakao Investments for 1.003 trillion won (\$670 million), giving Hana Bank a 6.55% stake and making it the fourth-largest shareholder - Dunamu will reduce Kakao Investments' stake to 4.03% following the sale and is exploring a merger with Naver Financial. Hana Financial Group, Hana Bank's parent, reported 4 trillion won (\$2.67 billion) in net profit in 2025 - Proceeds are intended to strengthen Hana Bank's competitiveness in digital assets and support its positioning in Korea's evolving financial landscape, aligned with the forthcoming Digital Asset Basic Act
05/12/26	 Investor(s): AlbionVC; Evolution Equity Partners; JP Morgan Chase & Co.; One Peak Partners; Nasdaq Ventures; Deutsche Bank; British Business Bank	120	- Elliptic is a leading digital asset decisioning company, providing a comprehensive platform that extracts cryptoasset data and intelligence across blockchains with unmatched accuracy, scalability, and reliability - On May 12, 2026, Elliptic secured \$120 million in Series D financing led by One Peak new investors Nasdaq Ventures, Deutsche Bank, and the British Business Bank, plus continuing investors AlbionVC, Evolution Equity Partners, and J.P. Morgan, valuing the company at \$670 million - Proceeds will accelerate expansion of AI-driven compliance solutions, strengthen infrastructure for banks and institutions adopting stablecoins and tokenized assets, and scale enterprise-grade on-chain analytics globally
05/01/26	 Investor(s): Multicoon Capital Management; SignalFire; Headline; Pharsalus Capital; Justin Mateen	72	- Fun is a NYC-based global payments infrastructure company that powers the next generation of financial services. Fun enables enterprise-grade platforms to move value across fiat and digital asset systems at scale - On May 1, 2026, the Company raised \$72 million in Series A financing co-led by Multicoon Capital Management and SignalFire, with participation from Headline, Pharsalus Capital and Justin Mateen - The round brings Fun's total capital raised to \$90 million and its platform supports clients including Polymarket, Lighter, and Aave, handling deposits, withdrawals, and settlement flows for millions of users worldwide - The capital will be used to expand engineering capabilities, open a new office in Singapore to drive Asia-Pacific growth, and pursue selective acquisitions to deepen its payments infrastructure stack

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Selected Recent Financing Transactions

FINANCINGS				
Announced Date	Transaction Overview	Company	Selected Buyers / Investors	Amount (\$mm)
05/28/26	Deeptree Secures Approximately \$2.3 mm in Seed Financing Led by CDP Venture Capital SGR	Deeptree	CDP Venture Capital SGR; Undisclosed Investors	\$2
05/28/26	Superior Trade Secures \$1 mm in Financing from Animoca Brands	Superior Trade	Animoca Brands	1
05/27/26	Iconic Secures \$6 mm in Financing Led by Expa Capital	Iconic	Expa Capital; Oceans Ventures; Fluent Ventures; Ram Shriram; Avlok Kohli; Tim Ferriss	6
05/26/26	BNB Plus Secures \$4.1 mm in PIPE Financing from Silvermine Capital and Off The Chain Capital	BNB Plus	Off The Chain Capital; Silvermine Capital	4
05/25/26	Red Girasol Secures \$5.8 mm in Financing from Credit Saison Mexico	Red Girasol	Credit Saison Mexico	6
05/22/26	Kalshi Secures Additional \$200 mm in Series F Financing Led by Baillie Gifford and Layer Global	Kalshi	Baillie Gifford; Layer Global	200
05/22/26	PopDEX Secures \$30mm in Seed Financing Led by Foresight Ventures	PopDEX	Foresight Ventures	30
05/21/26	Farther Secures \$150 mm in Series D Financing Led by General Atlantic	Farther	General Atlantic; Undisclosed Investors	150
05/21/26	IOTrader Secures \$3.8 mm in Financing Led by Animoca Brands and ViaBTC Capital	IOTrader	Animoca Brands; ViaBTC Capital; Everwood Capital; Candaq Fintech; WAGMI Ventures; Credit Scend; Web3 Labs	4
05/21/26	Cycles Secures \$6.4 mm in Financing Led by Blockchange Ventures	Cycles	Blockchange Ventures; Coinbase Ventures; Compound; Primitive Ventures; Undisclosed Investors	6
05/21/26	Shatterdome Energy Secures \$3.5 mm in Pre-Seed Financing Led by Crucible Capital	Shatterdome	Crucible Capital; Transpose Platform Management; Entrepreneur First	4
05/21/26	K25.ai Secures \$2 mm in Financing Led by NewGenIVF Group	k25.ai	NIVF	2
05/20/26	Getquin Secures Approximately \$13.9 mm in Financing Co-Led by State Street Investment Management and Portage Ventures	Getquin	State Steet Investment Management; Portage Ventures; HEARTFELT_; Horizons Ventures; Sino; Undisclosed Investors	14
05/20/26	Sorted Secures \$4.4 mm in Seed Financing Led by Tether and Gnosis	Sors Technology	Gnosis Chain; Movement Network Foundation; Angel Invest; Tether; Undisclosed Investors	4
05/19/26	Bunch Secures \$35 mm in Series B Financing Led by Portage Ventures	bunch	Portage Ventures; Illuminate Financial; Portage Ventures; Cherry Ventures; FinTech Collective; Undisclosed Investors	35
05/19/26	Moment Secures \$78 mm in Series C Led by Index Ventures	Moment	Index Ventures; Andreessen Horowitz; Avra; Undisclosed Investors	78
05/19/26	Kalpi Secures Approximately \$0.4 mm in Seed Financing from Rainmatter	Kalpi	Rainmatter	<1
05/18/26	Transient AI Secures Series A Financing from NEXT Investors	Transient AI	NEXT Investors	na
05/18/26	PrEq Secures Financing from Innovations Venture Studio	PrEq	Innovations Venture Studio	na
05/18/26	Trackk Secures Approximately \$3.2 mm in Seed Extension Financing Led by Lightspeed India Partners	Trackk	Info Edge Ventures; Lightspeed India Partners	3
05/15/26	Nof1 Secures \$15 mm in Financing Led by SUI Group Holdings and Karatage	Nof1	Sui Group Holdings; Karatage; Undisclosed Investors	15
05/14/26	Wio Capital Secures Approximately \$1.4 mm in Financing Led by Next Tier Ventures and Bynd Venture Capital	Wio Capital	Next Tier Ventures; Bynd Venture Capital	1

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Announced Date	Transaction Overview	Company	Selected Buyers / Investors	Amount (\$mm)
05/14/26	PANTA Secures Approximately \$2 mm in Seed Financing from Fuel Ventures	PANTA	Fuel Ventures; Innovate UK; Undisclosed Investors	\$2
05/14/26	Extraordinary Money Secures \$4 mm in Pre-Seed Financing Co-Led by Airtree Ventures and Triple Bubble	Extraordinary Money	AirTree Ventures; Triple Bubble; Arconic Capital; Undisclosed Investors	4
05/12/26	TwoWay Secures Approximately \$1.8 mm in Pre-Seed Financing Led by welovefounders	TwoWay	WeLoveFounders; Tenity; Plug and Play Ventures; Super Capital; Unorthodox Partners; Undisclosed Investors	2
05/12/26	Greenboard Secures \$15.5 mm in Series A Financing Led by Base10 Partners	Greenboard	Base10 Partners; Y Combinator; General Catalyst; Wayfinder Ventures; Commerce Ventures; Transpose Platform Management; etc.	16
05/12/26	MarketReader Secures Financing from Acuity Trading	MarketReader	Acuity Trading	na
05/11/26	Mochatrade Secures Pre-Seed Financing from Y Combinator and Pioneer Fund	Mochatrade	Y Combinator; Pioneer Fund	na
05/06/26	Stockcoin.ai Secures Seed Financing Led by Amber Group	Stockcoin.ai	Amber Group; Undisclosed Investors	na
05/06/26	Global Settlement Network Secures \$11 mm in Pre-Seed Financing Led by Prevail Venture Capital	Global Settlement Network	Prevail Innovative Wealth Advisors; Liquidus Capital; Outliers Venture Capital; Ubuntu Group; Edge Case Capital; Andreessen Horowitz; etc.	11
05/05/26	Elastics Secures \$2 mm in Pre-Seed Financing Led by Frst	Elastics	Frst Capital; Bartosz Jakubowski; Karl Naim; Marcin Kaźmierczak; Aleksandra Pedraszewska; Bartek Pucek; Edouard Palardy; etc.	2
04/29/26	Rogo Secures \$160 mm in Series D Financing Led by Kleiner Perkins	Rogo	Kleiner Perkins; Sequoia Capital; Thrive Capital; Khosla Ventures; JP Morgan Growth; BoxGroup; MANTIS; Evantic Capital; Positive Sum; Jack Altman	160
04/29/26	Sahi Secures \$33 mm in Series B financing Led by Accel	Sahi	Accel; Elevation Capital	33
04/29/26	Swimbird Secures Approximately \$9.2 mm in Series A Financing Led by 7RIDGE	Swimbird	7Ridge	9
04/28/26	Performativ Secures \$14 mm in Series A Financing Led by Deutsche Boerse	Performativ	Deutsche Boerse; Rabo Investments; FinTech Collective; Jacob Dahl; Undisclosed Investors	14
04/28/26	Marloo Secures \$10 mm in Seed Financing Led by Blackbird Ventures	Marloo	Blackbird Ventures; Icehouse Ventures; Undisclosed Investors	10
04/28/26	NUVA Digital Secures \$5.2 mm in Seed Financing Led by Morgan Creek Digital	NUVA Digital	Morgan Creek Digital; Ulu Ventures; Undisclosed Investors	5
04/28/26	Tenora Secures Financing from Macquarie Group	Tenora	Macquarie Group	na
04/28/26	Ornn AI Secures Approximately \$33.7 mm in Financing	Ornn AI	Undisclosed Investors	34
04/27/26	OGold Secures Financing from Plug and Play Tech Center	OGold	Plug and Play Tech Center	na
04/27/26	NovaPro Secures Seed Financing from Led by Fivestar Capital Partners	NovaPro	Fivestar Capital Partners; Undisclosed Investors	na
04/27/26	Skipper Labs Secures Approximately \$0.3 mm in Pre-Series A Financing from Atinum Ventures	Skipper Labs	Atinum Ventures; Undisclosed Investors	<1
04/23/26	Valitana Secures Financing from FTV Capital	Valitana	FTV Capital	na
04/23/26	Astor Secures \$5 mm in Seed Financing Led by Monashees	Astor	Monashees Capital; 468 Management; Goodwater Capital; Transpose Platform Management; Valutia; Y Combinator; Gilgamesh Ventures; etc.	5

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Announced Date	Transaction Overview	Company	Selected Buyers / Investors	Amount (\$mm)
05/29/26	VirtuaBroker Secures Financing from BCombinator	VirtuaBroker	Bcombinator	na
05/29/26	FalconX Files for its IPO	FalconX	Undisclosed Investors	na
05/28/26	Hypernova Secures \$3 mm in Pre-Seed Financing Led by Lemniscap	Hypernova	Lemniscap; Very Early Ventures; CMS Holdings; Pivot Global; Noel Tan; Huf Huf; Ericonomic .; Kirby Ong; Velocity .; Max Fiege; Undisclosed Investors	\$3
05/28/26	Dunamu Secures Approximately \$407.7 mm in Financing from Samsung Securities, Samsung SDS, and Samsung Card	Dunamu	Samsung Securities; Samsung SDS; Samsung Card	408
05/28/26	Aergo Secures Financing	Aergo	Undisclosed Investors	na
05/27/26	Temple Digital Group Secures Financing Led by SBI Holdings	Temple Digital Group	SBI Holdings	na
05/26/26	Otomato Secures \$2 mm in Financing from Improbable Solutions	Otomato	Improbable Solutions	2
05/22/26	Solmate Secures Approximately \$10 mm in PIPE Financing	Solmate	Ron Sade; Keren Maimon; Management	10
05/22/26	Squid Secures \$6 mm in Financing Led by North Island Ventures	Squid	North Island Ventures; Ripple Labs; Borderless Capital; Scenius Capital Management; Arche Capital; Altos Ventures; Dialectic (Zug); etc.	6
05/22/26	AM Management Secures Approximately \$0.1 mm in Series A Financing from Ruth Ventures	AM Management	Ruth Ventures	<1
05/22/26	ClawMax Secures \$3 mm in Financing from Metya Ventures	ClawMax	Metya Ventures	3
05/21/26	Foundation Secures \$6.4 mm in Financing Led by Fulgur Ventures	Foundation Devices	Fulgur Ventures; Arche Capital	6
05/21/26	Jia Secures \$3 mm in Financing Led by Coinbase Ventures	Jia	Coinbase Ventures; Stellar Development Foundation; A100x; TCG; Hashed Emergent	3
05/21/26	Blockchain Files for Its IPO	Blockchain	Undisclosed Investors	na
05/21/26	TownSquare Secures Approximately \$16.3 mm in Pre-Series A Financing	TownSquare	World Liberty Financial; Arcane Group; OKX Ventures; Animoca Brands; Amber Group; Aptos; Ankaa; Auros; HackerLink; Stakeholder Capital; etc.	16
05/20/26	Twenty-One Capital Secures Financing from Tether	Twenty One Capital	Tether	na
05/20/26	Variational Secures Approximately \$50 mm in Series A Financing Led by Dragonfly Capital	Variational	Dragonfly Capital; Bain Capital Crypto; Coinbase Ventures; Undisclosed Investors	50
05/20/26	Qivalis Secures Financing From Consortium of Banks	Qivalis	Rabo Investments; ABANCA Corporación Bancaria; ABN AMRO; Allied Irish Banks; Banco de Sabadell SA; The Bank of Ireland; etc.	na
05/20/26	SignalPlus Secures \$40 mm in Series B+ Financing Led by HashKey Capital	SignalPlus	Hashkey Capital	40
05/19/26	Eisen Secures Approximately \$10 mm in Series A Financing Led by MissionOG	Eisen	MissionOG; Index Ventures; Cowboy Ventures; Undisclosed Investors	10
05/19/26	ARYZE Secures Approximately \$3.5 mm in Pre-Series A Financing	ARYZE	Undisclosed Investors	4
05/19/26	SizeProp Secures Pre-Seed Financing Led by Igloo	SizeProp	Igloo	na

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Announced Date	Transaction Overview	Company	Selected Buyers / Investors	Amount (\$mm)
05/19/26	Checker Secures \$8.1 mm in Pre-Seed and Seed Financing Led by Galaxy Ventures, Al Mada Ventures, and Framework Ventures	Checker	Aquanow; Bitso; Pharsalus Capiital; AirTM; Galaxy Ventures; Al Mada Ventures; Framework Ventures; SNZ; Onigiri Capital; VeloCity; DFS Lab; etc.	\$8
05/18/26	Pluang Secures \$10 mm in Series C Financing Led by MUFG Innovation Partners	Pluang	MUFG Innovation Partners; Square Peg Capital; Accel	10
05/18/26	DAOKraft Secures \$3.4 mm in Financing	DAOKraft	Blockwave Capital; Castrum Capital; Animoca Brands; Mesh Fund; Moniq Ventures; Nodebase Capital; Undisclosed Investors	3
05/18/26	AEON Secures \$8 mm in Pre-Seed Financing Led by YZi Labs	AEON	YZi Labs; IDG Capital; Hashkey Capital; Stanford Blockchain; Oak Grove Ventures; SevenX Ventures; Alchemy Ventures; Draper Dragon; etc.	8
05/15/26	Fasset Secures \$51 mm in Series B Financing from SBI Group, Investcorp and Arz Portfoy	Fasset	SBI Holdings; InvestCorp; Arz Portfolio; Undisclosed Investors	51
05/15/26	Valereum Secures Approximately \$1.4 mm in PIPE Financing	Valereum	James Bannon; Gary Cottle ; Undisclosed Investors	1
05/14/26	Turnkey Secures \$12.5 mm in Financing	Turnkey	Archetype; Circle Ventures; Bain Capital Crypto; Faction; Galaxy Ventures; Sequoia Capital; Variant Fund	13
05/14/26	Onramp Bitcoin Secures \$12.5 mm in Series A Financing Led by Early Riders	Onramp Bitcoin	Early Riders	13
05/14/26	Ouinex Secures \$3.5 mm in Financing	Ouinex	Undisclosed Investors	4
05/14/26	Dunamu Secures Approximately \$670 mm in Financing from Hana Financial Investment	Dunamu	Hana Financial Investment	670
05/13/26	AWARP Secures Financing from Animoca Brands	AWARP	Animoca Brands	na
05/13/26	Digital Asset Clearing Center Secures \$10 mm in Financing from Conflux, Transaction Technologies and Global InfoTech	Digital Asset Clearing Center	Conflux; Transaction Technologies; Global InfoTech Group	10
05/12/26	Coincheck Group Secures Approximately \$65.1 mm in Financing from KDDI	Coincheck Group	KDDI	65
05/12/26	Osero Secures \$13.5 mm in Financing Led by Sky	Osero	Sky; Undisclosed Investors	14
05/12/26	Elliptic Secures \$120 mm in Series D Financing Led by One Peak	Elliptic	AlbionVC; Evolution Equity Partners; JP Morgan Chase & Co.; One Peak Partners; Nasdaq Ventures; Deutsche Bank; British Business Bank	120
05/12/26	Boundary Labs International Secures \$2 mm in Pre-Seed financing Led by Galaxy Ventures	Boundary Labs International	Galaxy Ventures; First Block Capital; BlackWood Capital Partners	2
05/11/26	Capital B Secures Approximately \$17.8 mm in Financing from TOBAM	Capital B	TOBAM; Adam Back; Undisclosed Investors	18
05/11/26	Anodos Secures Approximately \$1.2 mm in Financing	Anodos	Undisclosed Investors	1
05/11/26	Augustus Secures \$40 mm in Financing from Valar Ventures and Creandum	Augustus	Valar Ventures; Creandum; Undisclosed Investors	40
05/08/26	Saturn Secures \$2 mm in Seed Financing Led by The Spartan Group	Saturn	The Spartan Group; Anchorage; SCB Limited	2
05/07/26	Antier Solutions Secures \$3 mm in Financing Led by GVFL	Antier Solutions	GVFL	3
05/07/26	Stableyard Secures Financing from Movement Labs	Stableyard	Movement Network Foundation	na

Source: FT Partners’ Proprietary Transaction Database. All transactions converted to U.S. dollars
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Crypto & Blockchain Financings

Selected Recent Financing Transactions (cont.)

FINANCINGS				
Announced Date	Transaction Overview	Company	Selected Buyers / Investors	Amount (\$mm)
05/06/26	Open Trade Secures \$17 mm in Financing Led by Notion Capital and Mercury Fund	Open Trade	Mercury Fund; Notion Capital; A16z Crypto; AlbionVC; CMCC Global	\$17
05/05/26	Centrifuge Secures Financing from Coinbase	Centrifuge	Coinbase	na
05/04/26	GSR Holdings Secures Financing from SC Ventures	GSR Holdings	SC Ventures	na
05/04/26	Ekiden Secures \$2 mm in Seed Financing	Ekiden	Unicorn Factory Ventures; P2 Ventures; Undisclosed Investors	2
05/04/26	Kemet Trading Secures Financing from Coinbase Ventures	Kemet Trading	Coinbase Ventures	na
05/03/26	Fortune Secures Seed Financing	Fortune	Cogitent Ventures; Tbv; X21 Digital; CGV FoF; K24 Ventures; LandScape Capital	na
05/01/26	Kaisar Network Secures \$1 mm in Pre-Seed Financing	Kaisar Network	Arche Fund; Merov Capital; Q42; StoneBlock; Unicorn Ventures.; WM Capital	1
05/01/26	XO Market Secures \$6 mm in Seed Financing	XO Market	Coinbase Ventures; 20VC; Picus Capital; Ventures Together; Patrick Cummins; Undisclosed Investors	6
05/01/26	Fun.xyz Secures \$72 mm in Series A Financing Co-Led by Multicoin Capital Management and SignalFire	Fun.xyz	Headline; Pharsalus Captial; SignalFire; Multicoin Capital Management; Justin Mateen	72
04/30/26	Exponent Secures \$5 mm in Seed Financing Led by Multicoin Capital	Exponent	Multicoin Capital Management; Solana Ventures; RockawayX; L1 Digital; Prelude; Theia Blockchain; Anatoly Yakovenko; Nick Ducoff; etc.	5
04/30/26	Coliquidity Secures Financing from Minted Lab	Coliquidity	Minted Labs	na
04/29/26	Legend Secures \$3.5 mm in Seed Financing Led by Electric Capital	Legend	Electric Capital; Amber Group; GSR Holdings	4
04/29/26	Squads Secures \$18 mm in Financing Led by Solana Ventures	Squads	Solana Ventures; Coinbase Ventures; Haun Ventures; L1 Digital; Collab+Currency; Electric Capital; Placeholder; Jump Crypto; Robot Ventures	18
04/29/26	Fence Technology Secures \$20 mm in Financing Led by Galaxy Digital Ventures	Fence Technology	Galaxy Digital Ventures; ParaFi Capital; Crane Venture Partners	20
04/29/26	Belo Secures \$14 mm in Series A Financing Led by Tether	Belo	Tether; Titan Fund; Mindset Ventures; G2 Venture Partners; TheVentureCity	14
04/29/26	Blockworks Group Secures Series A Extention Financing Co-Led by ParaFi and Reciprocal Ventures	Blockworks Group	Reciprocal Ventures; ParaFi Capital; Coinbase Ventures; Advancit Capital; MoonPay Ventures; Firestreak Ventures; Moonrock Capital; Flowdesk; etc.	na
04/29/26	Mezo Secures Approximately \$19.2 mm in Financing from Bullish	Mezo	Bullish Global	19
04/28/26	Liquid Secures \$18 mm in Seed Financing Co-Led by Neo Innovation and Left Lane Capital	Liquid	Paradigm; General Catalyst; Neo Innovation; Left Lane Capital; Haun Ventures; K5 Global; SV Angel; Anti Fund; Sunflower Capital	18
04/28/26	W3.io Secures Financing from Avalanche Foundation	W3.io	Avalanche Foundation	na
04/27/26	Four Pillars Secures Series A Financing Led by Pantera Capital	Four Pillars	Pantera Capital; Further Ventures; Undisclosed Investors	na
04/26/26	Luxor Technology Secures Financing from Inflection Technology	Luxor Technology	Inflection Technology	na
04/24/26	Robin Markets Secures Approximately \$0.5 mm in Financing Led by Fabric VC, Atka Advisory and Animoca Brands	Robin Markets	Fabric Ventures; Atka Advisory; Animoca Brands; Hilbert Group; LayerZero; Gnosis Chain; Stefan George; John Lilic; Undisclosed Investors	<1

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VII. Key Upcoming Industry Events



Wealth / Capital Markets Tech & Crypto Events

Key Industry Conferences & Events (cont.)

Date	Conference	Location	Website
 June 2 – 6, 2026	ISTANBUL BLOCKCHAIN WEEK 2026 Istanbul Blockchain Week is a multi-day Web3 and digital assets conference held annually in Istanbul, bringing together founders, developers, investors, and institutional participants to explore trends shaping the global blockchain ecosystem. Organized by EAK Digital, the event positions Türkiye as a strategic bridge between Europe, the Middle East, and emerging markets, attracting a diverse mix of crypto-native firms, financial institutions, and policymakers. The program features keynote presentations, panel discussions, and networking sessions designed to foster both thought leadership and business development. Content focuses on key themes including real-world asset tokenization, stablecoins and payments, DeFi infrastructure, regulatory developments, and the intersection of AI and blockchain, alongside ecosystem events that support collaboration and partnership formation.	Istanbul, Turkey	Details
 June 9 – 11, 2026	WEALTH MANAGEMENT EDGE 2026 Wealth Management EDGE 2026 is a gathering for senior executives, founders and investors across wealth management and FinTech. Speakers include Peter Mallouk (President at Creative Planning), Alex Hargrove (CEO at NetLaw), Angela Giombetti (Chief Marketing Officer at Wealthspire Advisors), and Anne McPhail (Managing Director at Novare Capital Management), among others. Agenda includes private markets investing, strategic allocation, AI and FinTech innovation, UHNW family office strategies, and integration of digital assets into wealth management.	Boca Raton, FL, USA	Details
 June 22 – 24, 2026	FUNDFORUM 2026 FundForum brings together over 1500+ Senior Professional, 300+ Speakers from 50+ countries to explore the evolving global investment landscape. Speakers include James Reynolds (CEO at Goldman Sachs Asset Management International), Michael Hunstad (President at Northern Trust Asset Management), Annabel Spring (CEO at Allfunds), among others. The agenda covers the effects of geopolitics on investment strategies, changes in asset allocation approaches, and new developments in private markets for wealth management, including evergreen and semi-liquid solutions.	Monte Carlo, Monaco	Details
 July 31, 2026	BLOCKSTART 2026 BlockStart Scotland is a Web3 and blockchain conference held in Glasgow, bringing together developers, founders, investors, and industry stakeholders to explore trends across the digital assets ecosystem. Positioned as a regional hub for the UK and European crypto community, it attracts participants from startups, enterprise, and policy. The program features keynote presentations, panels, workshops, and networking sessions focused on themes such as decentralized finance, AI integration, blockchain infrastructure, and regulatory developments, with an emphasis on collaboration, innovation, and ecosystem growth.	Scotland, UK	Details

	Date	Conference	Location	Website
June	06/02 – 06/06/26	Istanbul Blockchain Week 2026	Istanbul, Turkey	Details
	06/09 – 06/11/26	Wealth Management EDGE 2026	Boca Raton, FL, USA	Details
	06/15 – 06/18/26	ISLA 33rd Annual Securities Finance & Collateral Management Conference	Lisbon, Portugal	Details
	06/15 – 06/17/26	FIA International Derivatives Expo (IDX) 2026	London, UK	Details
	06/22 – 06/24/26	FundForum 2026	Monte Carlo, Monaco	Details
	06/24 – 06/26/26	Money Fund Symposium 2026	Jersey City, NJ, USA	Details
July	07/09 – 07/012/26	Mallorca Blockchain Days 2026	Mallorca, Spain	Details
	07/21 – 07/23/26	Mining Disrupt 2026	Miami, FL, USA	Details
	07/27 – 07/29/26	The Science of Blockchain Conference 2026	Berkeley, CA, USA	Details
	07/31/2026	BlockStart 2026	Scotland, UK	Details

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August	Date	Conference	Location	Website
	08/09 – 08/10/26	Baltic Honeybadger Bitcoin Conference 2026	Riga, Latvia	Details
	08/26 – 08/28/26	Selected Areas in Cryptography (SAC) 2026	Ottawa, Ontario	Details
	08/09 – 08/11/26	Stablecon 2026	Oxon Hill, MD, USA	Details
	08/15/26	Swiss Treasury Summit 2026	Zug, Switzerland	Details
	08/23/26	Fintouch 2026	Sao Paulo, Brazil	Details

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VIII. Overview of FT Partners



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FT Partners' Founder & CEO Featured on Turpentine Finance and 10X Capital Podcasts

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Turpentine Finance Podcast

"The Dealmaker's Secrets: Steve McLaughlin on Crafting A Fundraise Story Worth \$33 billion"



In this conversation, Sasha Orloff sits down with Steve McLaughlin, Founder and CEO of FT Partners. Steve provides an insider's look into the high-stakes world of capital raising and dealmaking for high-growth private companies.

From being Goldman Sachs' Former Head of FinTech to founding FT Partners, a global FinTech investment bank, McLaughlin shares his strategies for crafting compelling narratives that unlock massive fundraising rounds - like the \$33 billion valuation for Revolut and a \$100 million plus raise for Sam Altman's Worldcoin. They dive deep into storytelling, the importance of product over marketing spend, founder red flags, and much more.

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10X Capital Podcast

"How FT Partners Beats Bulge Bracket Banks"



Steve McLaughlin, Founder and CEO of FT Partners, sits down with David Weisburd, Co-Founder of 10X Capital, to discuss the hidden values and success of top FinTech companies, insider perspective on the work-life balance myth, and the powerful face-to-face strategies

that elite companies swear by. Further Steve dives into FT Partners' history, and the firm's unique investment banking strategy and employee culture that benefits FT Partners' clients as well as the firm's growth trajectory and success.

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Tokenization of Real World Assets: The State of Play

Moderator
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Founder & CEO of FT Partners

Yuval Roos Co-Founder & CEO Digital Asset
Billy Hutt CEO Tradeweb
Adena Friedman Chair & CEO Nasdaq
Mike Cagney Co-Founder & Executive Chairman FIGURE
Don Wilson Founder & CEO DRW

August 14, 2025

Chainalysis OpenZeppelin
Fireblocks SOLANA ELLIPTIC

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Moderators
Steve McLaughlin CEO at FT Partners
Greg Smith Managing Director at FT Partners

Jonathan Levin Co-founder & CEO Chainalysis
Michael Shulov Co-founder & CEO Fireblocks
Demian Brener Founder & CEO OpenZeppelin
Lily Liu President Solana Foundation
Simone Maini CEO Elliptic

March 27, 2025

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Moderator
Snejina Zacharia
Founder & CEO of Insurify

Helen Chen Co-Founder & CEO Nomad Homes
Lauren Kolodny Co-Founder & Managing Partner Acrew Capital
Tongtong Cong Co-Founder & COO Amberdata
Vidya Peters CEO Datasnipper

March 12, 2024

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Sukhinder Singh Cassidy
CEO of Xero

Monica Eaton Founder & CEO Chargebacks911
Melissa Cannon Guzy Co-Founder & Managing Partner Arbor Ventures
Sarah Levy CEO Betterment

January 31, 2024

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Virtual Fireside Chat with Ankur Jain
Founder & CEO of Bilt Rewards

Moderator
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Founder & CEO of FT Partners

Ankur Jain
Founder & CEO Bilt Rewards

November 2, 2023

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Moderator
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Managing Director at FT Partners

Manasi Shah Vice President Accel
Miten Sampat CRED
Tushar Aggarwal Founder & CEO Stashfin
Anish Achuthan Co-Founder & CEO Open Financial Technologies
Nalin Negi CFO & Interim CEO BharatPe

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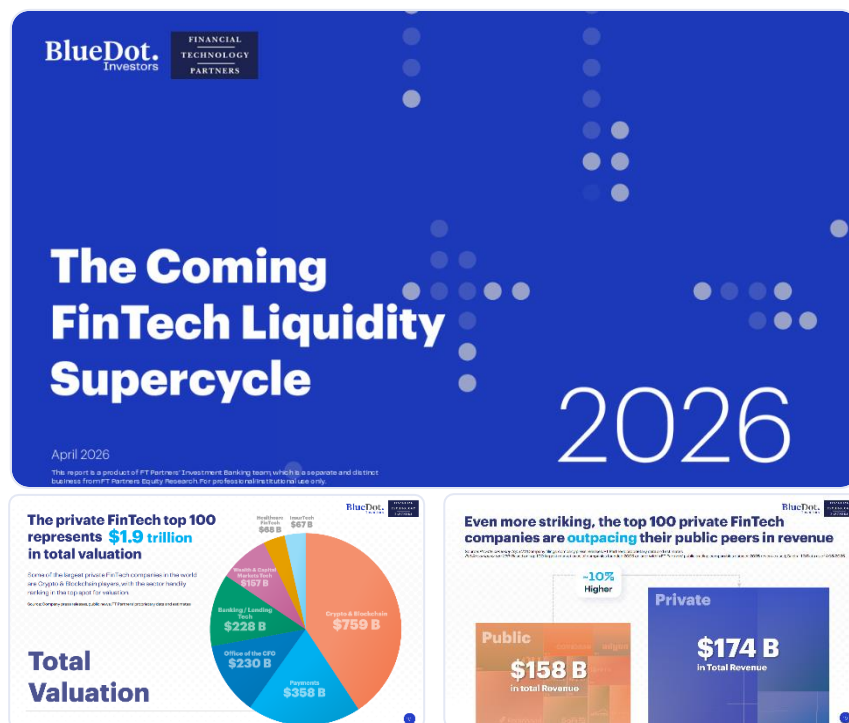
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Matt Harris Partner Bain Capital Ventures
Annie Lamont Co-Founder & Managing Partner Oak HC/FT

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FT Partners & BlueDot Investors: The Coming FinTech Liquidity Supercycle



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For this joint report with Blue Dot Investors, we curated a definitive list of the top 100 largest private FinTech companies by valuation based on public benchmarks and proprietary estimations. The big reveal? The top 100 private FinTech companies in the world now generate more revenue than the 100 largest public FinTech companies founded in the last twenty years. Valued at \$1.9 trillion in total, the private 100's valuation is nearly 3x larger than the total market cap of its public peers. This trillion-dollar private cohort, in addition to several hundred more unicorns and thousands of up-and-coming startups, is nonetheless primed for increased capital markets activity – be it ongoing consolidation through an expanding buyer universe, a massive secondary market for later-stage companies, or a re-opening of the IPO window.

Key findings from the report include:

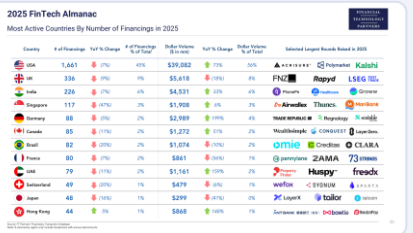
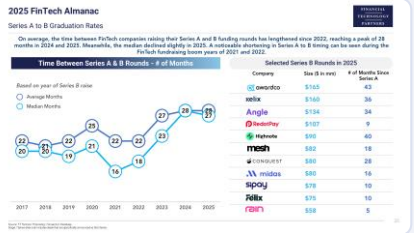
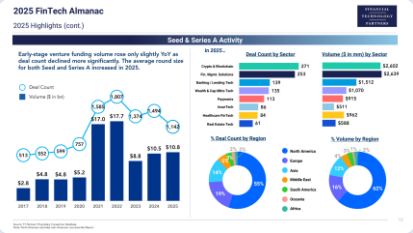
- Revenue Leadership:** Revenue of the top 100 private FinTech companies (\$174 billion) now exceeds that of the top 100 public companies founded in the last twenty years (\$158 billion).
- The Reopening IPO Window:** 26 FinTech companies have listed in the U.S. since 2024, showing a 3.4x increase in median revenue at IPO (\$673 million) compared to the 2011-2019 cycle.
- Profitability Trends:** 69% of FinTech companies going public today are profitable, up from 52% in the 2011-2019 cohort.
- Consolidation via M&A:** FinTech-to-FinTech acquisition activity has increased 4.4x over the last decade as scaled players use their balance sheets to acquire specialized competitors.
- Focused Secondary Volume:** Secondary market liquidity remains highly concentrated – according to Caplight Research – with nearly 96% of volume occurring in the top 10 companies, creating a “long-tail opportunity” for investors to acquire high-quality, underrepresented assets outside the most heavily traded names
- Ecosystem Scale:** More than 55,000 FinTech companies have been founded globally over the last 20+ years.

2025 FinTech Insights
Global Financing and M&A Statistics



Highlights of the report include:

- 2025 and historical FinTech financing and M&A volume and deal count statistics
- Largest FinTech financings and M&A transactions in 2025
- Average / median round size and valuations over time
- Most active FinTech investors including strategic investor participation
- Breakdowns by geography and deal type
- FinTech sector and sub-sector highlights



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Stablecoin Payments
Crypto Finds its Killer App?



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Stablecoins have received significant attention in recent months, particularly since Stripe's \$1.1 billion acquisition of stablecoin player Bridge, along with several noteworthy product launches signaling new entrants into the stablecoin ecosystem. Clearly, momentum is building in the stablecoin market. Crypto skeptics have historically pointed to the lack of a "killer use case" as the primary basis for their skepticism. However, with stablecoin adoption growing in cross-border payments, from peer-to-peer remittances to B2B payments, as well as treasury management, it appears that the killer use case has finally arrived.

Key topics of the report include:

- An update on the current state of the stablecoin space, and a discussion of the use cases of stablecoins for consumer and B2B payments
- An overview of leading companies enabling and leveraging stablecoin payments globally
- Exclusive interviews with executives from six leading companies leveraging stablecoins and Crypto payments
- Profiles of 20+ highly relevant companies in the space

Women in FinTech AI & Crypto: A New Era of Innovation

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The Future of Crypto / Blockchain - Selected Highlights from Featured Interviews

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CEO, Koinbo

Elizabeth Rosenthal

President, AZA

Julia Marangolis

Co-founder & Managing Director, BVNK

Nancy Skotkin

Co-founder & Managing Director, Uphold

Key themes, including digital assets, AI, and crypto, are the future of the industry, and the ability to leverage these technologies is a key differentiator for success.

Women are leading the charge in the industry, and their leadership is driving innovation and growth.

The industry is rapidly evolving, and those who are not keeping up will be left behind.

There is a strong sense of community and collaboration among women in the industry, and this is a key factor in their success.

The industry is still in its early stages, and there is a lot of potential for growth.

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Women in FinTech: A New Era of Innovation

What are the trends?

While progress towards gender parity in the broader FinTech industry has made great strides in the last decade, women remain under-represented in the industry's leadership ranks. Female representation in founding and leadership teams in the emerging areas of AI and Crypto / Blockchain is significantly lower than in other sectors. For example, FT Partners identified that less than 1% of companies have female founders in 2024.

As the industry continues to mature, it is crucial to ensure that women are not only participating in the industry but also leading it. This requires a concerted effort to address the barriers to entry and to create a more inclusive environment for women. Women's leadership is not just a moral imperative but also a business imperative, as it brings diverse perspectives and experiences to the table.

Key trends include:

- Increased focus on diversity and inclusion:** More companies are recognizing the importance of having a diverse workforce.
- Growing leadership programs:** Many companies are launching programs to support women's career development.
- Increased mentorship and sponsorship:** Senior leaders are taking an active role in supporting women's growth.
- Focus on work-life balance:** Companies are offering more flexible work arrangements to attract and retain talent.
- Increased representation in AI and Crypto / Blockchain:** These emerging sectors are attracting more women leaders.

4% of Crypto / Blockchain companies in FT Partners database have female founders in 2024.

10% of AI & Blockchain companies in FT Partners database have female founders in 2024.

31% of crypto founders are women in 2024.

44% of AI founders are women in 2024.

5% of crypto founders are women in 2024.

51% of AI founders are women in 2024.

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FinTech, in its very nature, embodies change in the face of a traditional, monolithic industry. It has been proven, time and again, by pioneering FinTech companies that a one-size-fits-all approach to financial services does not in fact serve all adequately. At the heart of FinTech lies a constant evolution in business models and the technology underpinning these innovations. Artificial intelligence as well as Crypto / Blockchain technologies both have the potential for wide-scale advancements in the way consumers and businesses interact with the financial world, while also upending the bedrock of our financial institutions. With such great power of change, diversity of thought in our industry is not a nice-to-have, but a necessity. Creating a financial ecosystem of the future that serves all requires participation and inclusion from each facet of our society.

For this report, we interviewed a select group of female leaders and change-makers that are ushering in a new era of FinTech innovation through their work surrounding AI and Crypto / Blockchain technologies. We asked this group about the benefits and opportunities these technologies pose for the financial services industry as well as the risks and challenges that still exist and lie ahead. Further, they share guidance on leadership in the tech and startup world, stories from their career journeys and offer actionable advice for empowering more women to jump head-first into this new era of FinTech.

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FinTech Sets its Sights on 2025:
Key Trends to Watch for in the Year Ahead

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Sanjib Kalita
Chairman of
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AI Agents

For tech use cases for Generative AI are proliferating driven by the rise of AI agents, which can autonomously handle complex workflows with minimal human intervention, with a range of applications spanning banking, insurance, and other verticals.

In 2024, many of the FinTech use cases for Generative AI were related to agent services, such as customer support, compliance, and risk management. These agents are designed to perform specific tasks, such as answering customer queries, processing transactions, and managing risk. As the technology evolves, these agents are expected to become more sophisticated, capable of handling more complex tasks and interacting with customers in a more natural, conversational manner.

Key trends to watch for in 2025:

- Increased adoption:** As the technology matures, more financial institutions are expected to adopt AI agents, leading to widespread use across various verticals.
- Enhanced capabilities:** AI agents will become more sophisticated, capable of handling more complex tasks and interacting with customers in a more natural, conversational manner.
- Integration with existing systems:** AI agents will be integrated with existing financial systems, such as CRM, ERP, and core banking systems, to streamline operations and improve efficiency.
- Focus on security and compliance:** As AI agents become more powerful, financial institutions will focus on ensuring they are secure and compliant with regulatory requirements.

Stablecoin Payments Gaining Steam

Stablecoins have often been perceived as a "killer use case" for blockchain, but with stablecoin adoption rapidly growing in a payment method, particularly in cross-border payments, it appears that the killer use case may have finally arrived.

Stablecoins have been used for a variety of purposes, including remittances, e-commerce payments, and institutional payments. The growth of stablecoin payments is driven by several factors, including the need for faster, cheaper, and more efficient cross-border payments, the desire for greater transparency and security, and the growing acceptance of digital assets by financial institutions.

Key trends to watch for in 2025:

- Increased adoption:** More financial institutions and businesses are expected to accept stablecoin payments, leading to widespread use.
- Enhanced regulatory oversight:** As stablecoin payments grow, regulators are expected to implement more robust oversight and reporting requirements.
- Integration with existing payment systems:** Stablecoin payments will be integrated with existing payment systems, such as ACH and wire transfers, to provide a seamless experience for users.
- Focus on security and compliance:** Financial institutions will focus on ensuring stablecoin payments are secure and compliant with regulatory requirements.

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After a few challenging years, FinTech appears to be on the upswing again, with deal activity and stock prices having largely rebounded. Over the past few years the market recalibrated amid shifting macroeconomic realities and investor expectations. While performance metrics and business models were reevaluated, entrepreneurs' visions and the global need for FinTech never wavered. Now, the data paints a picture of steady early-stage investment activity, a modest return of late-stage fundraising, a definitive swell of M&A activity, and an IPO market poised for action, as a number of trends and innovations continue to drive the industry forward. From AI agents to stablecoins, payment orchestration, and cross-border e-commerce, this report discusses key trends to watch in 2025.

Key discussion topics of the report include:

- A look back at FinTech M&A, financing, and IPO activity in 2024
- A discussion of key FinTech trends to watch in 2025, and selected companies helping to drive those trends
- An exclusive interview with Sanjib Kalita, Chairman of Fintech Meetup, discussing his views on the state of the market and what he's excited about in 2025

FinTech in Africa: A Thriving Opportunity



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Africa's FinTech ecosystem has continued to flourish despite macro headwinds, as business models have proven to be investable, large financing rounds continue to take place, exits are increasing in frequency, and many large global investors and strategics have taken notice. As global best practices have taken hold in Africa, key risks of investing in the region have declined, and the result has been a boom in FinTech funding over the past three years. While volumes have declined from 2021's record levels, 2023 financing volume of \$1.2 billion was still nearly 3x the levels seen in 2019.

The opportunity ahead for FinTech in Africa is clear. Today, roughly 90% of payments are still made using cash, more than half of all Africans are unbanked or underbanked, and only a small minority hold a debit or credit card. While Africa is still an emerging market, and as such economic and political risks remain, the region offers one of the greatest long-term secular growth opportunities for FinTech globally.

Key topics of the report include:

- Key opportunities and challenges for FinTech in Africa, including macroeconomic and regulatory trends, as well as an overview of the continent's key geographic markets and FinTech sectors
- A detailed landscape of FinTech companies across sectors and geographies
- Individual profiles of companies playing a significant role in the African FinTech universe

US Spot ETF Approval a Shot of Adrenaline for Digital Assets Market

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On January 10, 2024, the SEC finally approved a U.S-listed spot bitcoin ETF – a watershed moment for the digital asset industry. The SEC’s long-awaited move brought significant renewed attention to the cryptocurrency and digital asset space, and the entry of asset management giants like Fidelity, Blackrock, and Franklin Templeton will surely help shine a bright spotlight on the space. The combination of strong consumer interest and widening institutional adoption of crypto-related products presents a huge opportunity for the digital asset space.

The report features:

- Discussion of the recent SEC approval of spot bitcoin ETFs
- Crypto market data
- Exclusive interview with Marcel Sampaio, Co-Founder & CEO of Hashdex

FinTech in India: A Digital Gold Rush



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With one of the fastest-growing economies in the world, a young, tech-savvy population, and a large contingent of citizens who are underserved by traditional financial services, India has rapidly emerged as a FinTech powerhouse. As a result of these favorable trends, in addition to a high concentration of tech talent and a number of government initiatives aimed at driving financial inclusion, India's burgeoning FinTech sector has attracted billions from global investors in recent years. In 2022, Indian FinTech companies raised nearly \$6 billion, the third most of any country behind only the US and UK, accounting for around 7% of all FinTech financing volume globally.

Key topics of the report include:

- Key opportunities and challenges for FinTech in India, including macroeconomic and regulatory trends, as well as an overview of the country's key FinTech sectors
- A detailed landscape of FinTech companies in the country across sectors
- Individual profiles of 80+ companies playing a significant role in the Indian FinTech universe
- Exclusive interviews with executives from 25+ leading Indian FinTech companies
- Highlights of active investors in the space and recent financing and M&A transactions

Blockchain Accounting & Tax Solutions: Automation for the Digital Assets Ecosystem



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As digital assets became more widely accepted, the need for corresponding tooling to meet accounting, reporting and tax requirements of both individuals and corporate users grew. Initially operating largely out of sight, tax authorities across the globe noted the surging value of digital assets and the increasing number of retail and institutional players within new digital asset markets. Following a long period in which cryptocurrency traders and participants in the broader ecosystem were largely left to their own devices, tax authorities now apply increasingly elevated levels of scrutiny and enforcement action.

In response, consumers and enterprises seek the means to both reactively and proactively ensure compliance with tax regimes.

This report provides an overview of solutions designed to help meet reporting and tax obligations across a range of jurisdictions. This includes both general accounting and tax-reporting specific solutions targeting individuals, organizations, and tax professionals. The report also features interviews with executives from a subset of the solution providers.

Key features of the report include:

- Exclusive interviews with CEOs & Executives in the space
- A detailed landscape of blockchain tax & accounting solution providers
- Proprietary list of notable investments in the space
- Detailed profiles of 25+ solution providers

The Blockchain Economy: How Cryptocurrencies and Blockchain Technology Are Redefining Existing Markets and Creating New Ones



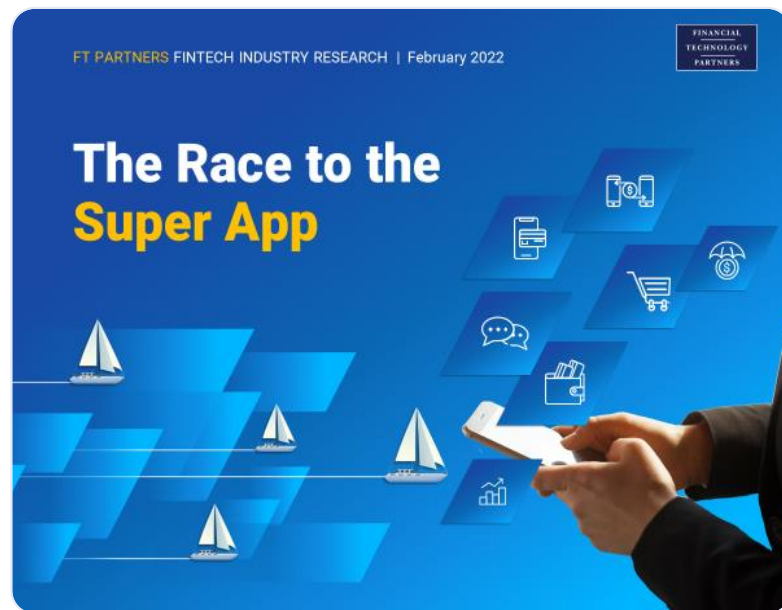
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Activity surrounding blockchain, cryptocurrencies, and other digital assets has surged over the past few years. As a result, a true "blockchain economy" has emerged as billions of dollars are flowing through cryptocurrencies and other digital assets such as non-fungible tokens (NFTs) every day. Retail and institutional adoption continues to accelerate in pace, and the ecosystem may be on the precipice of its largest evolution yet given the growing interest in decentralized finance (DeFi). The blockchain economy continues to grow and develop new use cases, though there remain significant technological, organizational, and behavioral challenges that will need to be addressed before the technology becomes fully integrated with the existing global economy.

Key discussion topics of the report include:

- A primer on key blockchain technologies and use cases, and an overview of the current state of the blockchain economy
- A detailed landscape of companies in the crypto, blockchain and DeFi space
- A proprietary list of financing and M&A transactions
- Profiles of over 40 companies and 20 transactions in the space

The Race to the Super App



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Following the lead of Alipay and WeChat Pay in China, the race is on to develop Super Apps around the globe. While the Super Apps in the West may not encompass as many everyday activities as the leading Chinese apps given structural market differences across regions, there is a clear battleground emerging to provide one seamless app with all of the key financial services needed by mainstream consumers. There are numerous examples where some combination of savings, lending, brokerage, wealth management, crypto trading, and personal financial management solutions are all coming together under one roof. The battle to control the "front end" that consumers will use for financial services is a critical one, as this will determine who ultimately owns the customer relationship.

Discussion topics of the report include:

- The history of the Super App, as well as the various Super App models that have emerged globally
- Profiles of nearly 60 companies, some that are leading the way as well as new potential entrants across all key geographies
- Exclusive interviews with 10 CEOs of leading companies in the space

FinTech Meets Alternative Investments Innovation in a Burgeoning Asset Class



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Demand for alternative assets remains strong as investors and plan sponsors seek asset diversification, higher yields, and uncorrelated returns. As a result, alternatives are a clear bright spot in the asset management industry. As demand grows for alternative assets, a new FinTech ecosystem is developing to help investors, investment managers, and service providers to access new asset classes and manage their investments and operations with new data, software, and platforms.

Highlights of the report include:

- An overview of trends driving the developing FinTech ecosystem around the Alternative Investment Management industry
- A detailed landscape of FinTech companies operating in the Alternatives space
- Proprietary list of financing and M&A transactions in the space
- Interviews with the CEOs of 11 companies driving innovation in Alternatives
- Detailed profiles of 41 FinTech companies operating in the industry

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