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# CCM DIGITAL WEEKLY MARKET UPDATE

August 29th, 2025

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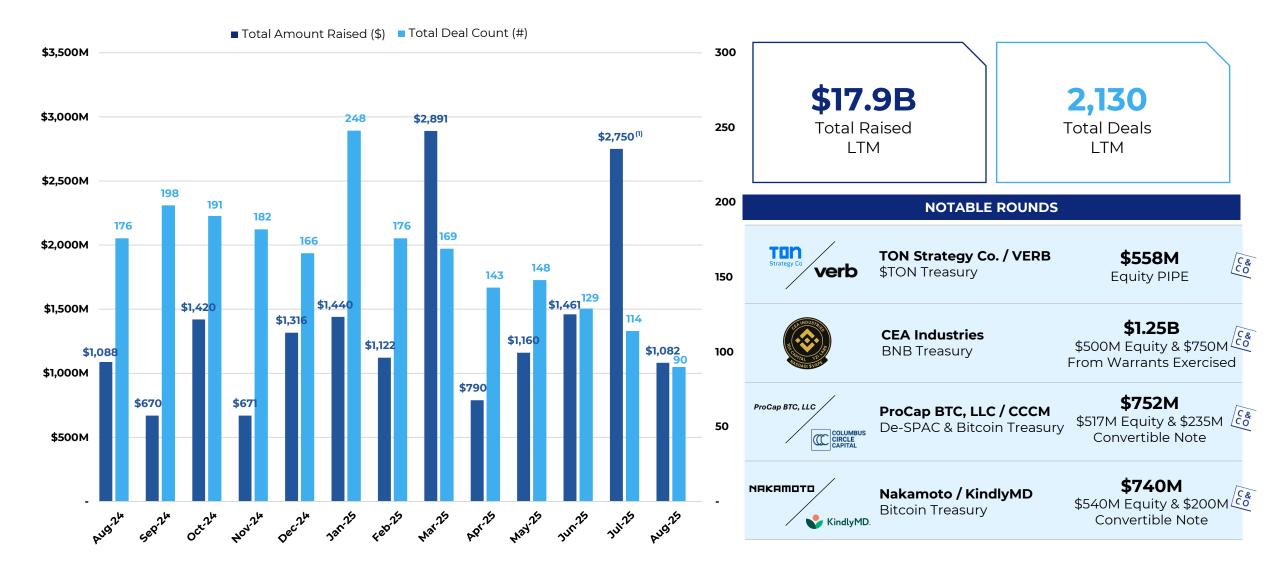
# Blockchain & Digital Assets Capital Markets Update

# **Market Performance – Key Assets and Indices**

					% Change									
Asset / Index	Ticker	Price / Level	% 52-Wk	7 Days	30 Days	1 Year	MTD	QTD	YTD					
Natural Resources														
Natural Gas (Henry Hub)	HHGAS	\$2.88	29.2%	3.0%	(7.6%)	50.9%	(3.9%)	(3.9%)	(15.2%)					
Bitcoin Network														
Hashprice (\$/PH/Day)	NA	\$55.28	85.9%	(2.2%)	(3.4%)	20.7%	(3.3%)	(3.3%)	1.5%					
Network Hashrate (EH/s)	NA	954	87.7%	6.8%	0.5%	55.5%	(0.5%)	(0.5%)	25.1%					
Transaction Fees as % of Reward	NA	0.8%	3.9%	0.5%	(16.0%)	(55.6%)	(32.6%)	(32.6%)	(28.4%)					
Digital Assets														
Bitcoin	ВТС	\$111,196.00	90.0%	(2.7%)	(5.9%)	86.4%	(1.8%)	(1.8%)	19.1%					
Ethereum	ETH	\$4,499.50	93.1%	3.8%	18.6%	82.7%	29.1%	29.1%	35.0%					
Solana	SOL	\$196.24	76.4%	10.8%	4.2%	24.6%	13.9%	13.9%	3.0%					
Ripple	XRP	\$2.96	83.4%	0.4%	(5.1%)	421.5%	0.0%	0.0%	42.6%					
Indices														
S&P 500	SPX	6,481.40	100.0%	1.3%	1.4%	15.2%	3.9%	3.9%	10.2%					
NASDAQ Composite	COMP	21,590.14	99.4%	2.0%	1.9%	21.6%	4.6%	4.6%	11.8%					
Valkyrie BTC Miners ETF	WGMI	\$29.31	94.7%	7.5%	12.2%	56.7%	25.1%	25.1%	32.1%					
Market Volatility Index	VIX	14.85	28.4%	(5.4%)	(1.2%)	(3.8%)	(27.1%)	(27.1%)	(14.4%)					
Gold	GoldCOMP	\$3,397.40	99.0%	1.5%	2.5%	34.6%	1.0%	1.0%	30.4%					
Oil	CL00	\$64.15	81.4%	2.3%	(3.8%)	(15.1%)	(4.7%)	(4.7%)	(10.6%)					
IG Corp Bond	LQD	\$110.03	96.8%	0.2%	1.2%	(1.7%)	0.4%	0.4%	3.0%					
HY Corp Bond	HYG	\$80.97	100.0%	0.8%	0.6%	2.1%	1.2%	1.2%	2.9%					
LT US Treasury	TLT	\$86.65	85.5%	(0.2%)	0.9%	(11.6%)	(1.3%)	(1.3%)	(0.8%)					
Real Yields														
5Y TIPS	DFII5	1.2%	57.2%	(15.6%)	(20.1%)	(27.4%)	(14.4%)	(14.4%)	(40.5%)					
10Y TIPS	DFII10	1.8%	77.4%	(6.7%)	(8.6%)	7.7%	(4.7%)	(4.7%)	(19.2%)					

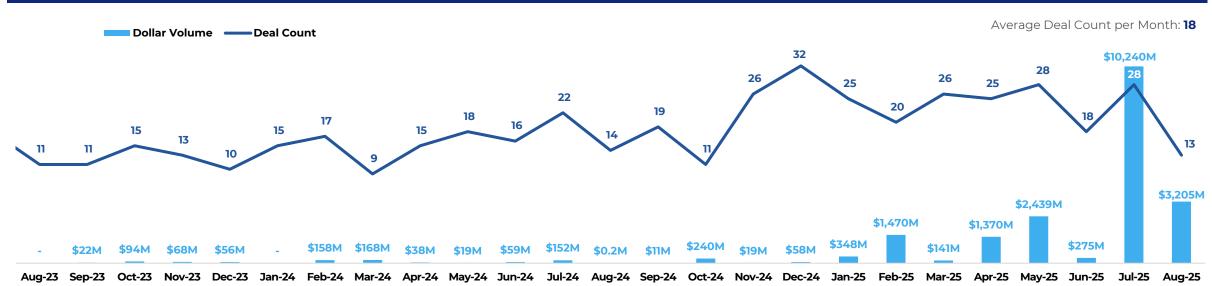
Source: FactSet, St. Louis FED, Glassnode as of August 27, 2025

# Recent Fundraising (Total Amount Raised + Deal Count)



# **Recent Crypto & Blockchain M&A Statistics**

## MONTHLY M&A VOLUME AND DEAL COUNT



ANNUAL M	&A VOLUME A	ND DEAL	. COUNT			
	Dollar Volume	<b>—</b> Dea	l Count			\$19,487M
		249	209		214	
124	126	\$9,547M		182		183
		\$3,347W		\$6,523M		
\$2,575M	\$959M		\$1,810M		\$923M	
<b>2019</b> ource: Pitchbook as	<b>2020</b> of August 27, 2025	2021	2022	2023	2024	YTD 2025

SELECTED LTM	DEALS		
Target	Buyer	Amount (\$M)	Target Country
CORE SCIENTIFIC	<b>CW</b> CoreWeave	\$7,792	USA
Deribit	coinbase	\$2,900	UAE
HiddenRoad	<b>₹</b> ripple	\$1,250	USA
Bridge	stripe	\$1,100	USA
STRONGH@LD	Bitfarms	\$175	USA Co

# Select Recent Financings by Publicly Traded Crypto Related Companies

Closed Date	Issuer	Gross Proceeds (\$M)	% of Market Cap	Financing Type	Investor(s)	Maturity	Interest / Div.	Convert Price / Prem.	Warrants	Warrant Strike \$	Exp. Dilution %	Δ% in Stock Since Ann.
8/28/2025	Sharps Technology	\$400	5,315%	Common Equity PIPE at \$7.50 / sh.	Syndicated	-	-	-	-	-	12,028%	+84.23%
8/22/2025	Hut 8 Corp	\$1,000	44%	Follow-on – ATM offering	Syndicated	-	-	-	-	-	-	+25.08%
8/22/2025	TeraWulf	\$1,000	28%	Convertible Senior Notes	Syndicated	9/1/2031	1.00%	\$12.43; 32.5%	-	-	21%	+5.35%
8/14/2025 (Priced)	Circle Internet Group	\$1,300	4%	Public Common Equity Offering at \$130.00 / sh.	Syndicated	-	-	-	-	-	1%	(18.11%)
8/12/2025	SharpLink Gaming	\$400	15%	Registered Direct Common Equity at \$21.76 / sh.	Syndicated	-	-	-	-	-	13%	(25.50%)
8/12/2025	ALT5 Sigma	\$1,500	830%	Common Equity PIPE at \$7.50 / sh. Registered Direct	Syndicated; World Liberty Financial	-	-	-	-	-	993%	(12.15%)
8/12/2025	Thumzup Media	\$50	34%	CMPO at \$10.00 / sh.	Syndicated	-	-	-	-	-	53%	(12.15%)
8/8/2025	TON Strategy	\$558	1,927%	Common Equity PIPE at \$9.51 / sh.	Kingsway <sup>(1)</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	4,140%	(64.54%)
8/6/2025	ZOOZ Power	\$185	437%	\$180M Common Equity PIPE at \$1.00 / sh. + \$5M at \$2.00 / sh.	Pantera, FalconX <sup>(2)</sup>	-	-	-	Up to 1,250,000 Shares	\$3.06 Strike	1,487%	(6.90%)
8/5/2025	SharpLink Gaming	\$200	9%	Registered Direct Common Equity at \$19.50 / sh.	Syndicated	-	-	-	-	-	10%	+52.47%
8/5/2025	Coinbase	\$2,600	4%	Convertible Senior Notes	Syndicated	10/1/2029; 10/1/2032	0.00%	\$454.44; 52.5% \$394.84; 32.5%	-	-	4%	(3.23%)
8/1/2025	ETHZilla	\$470	2,414%	Common Equity PIPE at \$2.65 / sh.	Electric, Polychain <sup>(3)</sup>	-	-	-	Up to 16,813,882 Shares	\$0.01 Strike	2,934%	(3.23%)
8/1/2025	Fundamental Global	\$200	839%	Common Equity PIPE at \$5.00 / sh.	Galaxy, Kraken <sup>(4)</sup>	-	-	-	Up to 40,000,000 Shares	\$5.00 Strike	3,144%	(24.57%)
7/31/2025	Mill City Ventures III	\$950	2,656%	\$450M Common Equity PIPE at \$5.42 / sh. + \$500M ELOC	Karatage <sup>(5)</sup>	8/1/2026	-	-	-	-	1,369%	(20.06%)



Note: Market data as of August 29, 2025; Includes deals >\$40M in size





# **Publicly Traded Crypto Comparables**

	Enterprise	Share		Share Price	% Change	'24 <b>-</b> '26	2025E Mai	rgin	EV / Rev	enue	EV / EBIT	DA
Company Name	Value (\$M)	Price	% <b>52-Wk</b>	YTD	Since Listing	Rev CAGR	Gross Profit	EBITDA	2025E	2026E	2025E	2026E
Crypto Wallets / Exchanges												
Coinbase Global	\$81,125	\$308.97	69.5%	24.4%	23.6%	11.0%	87.2%	40.9%	11.4x	10.0x	27.8x	22.4x
SBI	8,395	47.33	97.0	89.9	358.7	1.4	67.4	NA	0.9	0.9	NA	NA
Exodus Movement	811	27.25	23.2	(11.2)	2.8	20.1	54.1	17.6	6.3	4.8	35.8	17.4
Coinshares International	746	10.47	77.7	40.7	92.8	25.3	NA	72.1	4.6	4.3	6.4	6.3
Bakkt Holdings	189	8.61	23.1	(65.2)	(96.6)	NM	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
WonderFiTechnologies	151	0.25	87.4	22.8	(77.7)	6.1	NA	23.6	3.67	3.3	15.5	12.0
Mogo	99	1.92	50.1	41.2	(92.2)	1.2	NA	10.3	2.0	1.9	19.8	12.5
Mean						10.8	69.6	32.9	4.8	4.2	21.1	14.1
Median						8.6	67.4	23.6	4.1	3.8	19.8	12.5
Payments and Infrastructure												
Circle Internet Group	\$34,105	\$127.40	42.6%	311.0%	311.0%	37.2%	NA	17.9%	13.1x	10.9x	73.0x	54.0x
Sinohope Tech	512	0.87	83.5	258.7	350.1	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Canaan	478	0.75	23.0	(63.4)	(91.7)	56.9	19.2	7.0	1.0	0.7	14.9	3.4
Bitcoin Depot	329	3.84	55.8	137.0	(61.6)	9.3	18.7	9.8	0.5	0.5	5.3	4.6
Ebang International Holdings	(190)	3.93	35.9	(31.3)	(97.5)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Mean						34.5	18.9	11.6	4.9	4.0	31.1	20.6
Median						37.2	18.9	9.8	1.0	0.7	14.9	4.6
Crypto Investing / Diversified												
Strategy	\$113,588	\$342.06	63.0%	18.1%	5,601.0%	1.3%	69.2%	6.3%	NM	NM	NM	NM
OSL Group	1,485	2.13	75.5	122.0	734.6	67.7	NA	NA	17.1	11.0	NA	NA
Coinshares International	746	10.47	77.7	40.7	92.8	25.3	NA	72.1	4.6	4.3	6.4	6.3
Mean						31.4	69.2	39.2	10.9	7.6	6.4	6.3
Median						25.3	69.2	39.2	10.9	7.6	6.4	6.3
Crypto Banking / Custody												
Galaxy Digital	\$4,257	\$24.35	73.4%	34.8%	16.3%	12.9%	44.3%	(11.4%)	10.6x	9.4x	NM	25.5x
Mean						12.9	44.3	(11.4)	10.6	9.4	NA	25.5
Median						12.9	44.3	(11.4)	10.6	9.4	NA	25.5
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Source: FactSet data as of August 27, 2025; Public Filings, 'NM' denotes multiples that are greater than 100x or that are based on a negative denominator

# **Trading Performance – Select Public Companies with Crypto Treasury Strategy**

	EV	Mkt. Cap	Share Price	=	Share Price % Ch	ange Before Crypt	o Strategy	Share Price % Ch	ange After Crypto	Strategy	Volume Traded E	Before Crypto Strat	egy (\$M)	Volume Traded	After Crypto Strat	tegy (\$M)	Crypto on	mNA\
Company Name	(\$M)	(\$M)	(\$)	% 52-Wk	6 Months	3 Months	1 Month	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	6 Months	3 Months	1 Month	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	Balance Sheet (#)	(x
Bitcoin																		
Strategy	\$111,323	\$100,551	\$342.06	63.0%	20.4%	3.3%	(2.4%)	21.1%	44.6%	376.7%	\$9.6	\$9.5	\$9.2	\$14.5	\$31.9	\$222.1	632,457	1.43
Cantor Equity Partners (1)(2)	3,650	8,600	23.20	38.8	(5.3)	(1.9)	(2.4)	338.7	170.8	NA	0.7	0.2	0.2	261.8	89.3	NA	43,514	1.8
Asset Entities, Inc. <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	5,865	6,615	5.91	44.0	42.8	(1.8)	(2.0)	879.1	493.2	NA	6.1	4.7	0.7	198.1	77.2	NA	6,757	8.8
Metaplanet	3,978	3,961	6.02	46.1	0.0	(10.5)	10.5	57.9	321.1	382.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	2.3	10.1	23.3	18,991	1.9
KindlyMD / Nakamoto	1,731	2,377	6.32	18.2	(68.6)	(55.4)	(45.4)	576.8	253.1	NA	2.7	5.6	2.1	91.8	32.8	NA	5,765	3.7
ProCap BTC, LLC <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	335	1,285	10.14	62.4	NA	NA	NA	(21.5)	NA	NA	6.0	6.0	6.0	10.3	NA	NA	8,557	1.4
Semler Scientific	446	460	30.56	37.5	56.9	95.6	9.3	47.6	24.4	170.4	2.3	2.7	1.8	19.7	9.5	18.0	5,021	0.8
Empery Digital Inc	(106)	359	7.02	6.9	300.5	(20.2)	(33.5)	14.6	NA	NA	1.5	0.2	0.3	17.8	NA	NA	4,019	0.8
Remixpoint	239	333	2.69	46.9	(2.5)	16.0	3.1	(12.3)	86.5	193.9	0.7	0.8	0.4	0.6	17.4	21.2	1,273	2.4
fold <sup>(3)</sup>	81	206	3.74	26.7	1.7	2.0	2.8	(21.6)	(60.1)	(65.7)	0.6	0.9	0.5	1.3	1.7	1.4	1,492	1.2
(ULR	180	201	4.74	10.8	(54.7)	(64.6)	(57.7)	361.1	69.4	56.9	3.4	3.0	9.3	107.5	46.2	31.3	1,021	1.8
Blockchain Group	191	192	2.01	29.1	(32.4)	(34.8)	(17.8)	120.3	258.1	638.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.5	4.1	2,218	0.8
Moon Inc.	172	180	0.45	49.0	(81.3)	(77.6)	(64.6)	326.1	199.3	144.0	0.1	0.2	0.9	2.7	1.4	1.0	29	56.2
Mean	9,853	9,640	34.22	36.9	13.1	(12.8)	(16.5)	205.2	165.1	190.5	2.6	2.6	2.4	56.1	28.9	40.3	56,239	6.4
Median	335	460	6.02	38.8	(1.2)	(6.2)	(2.2)	57.9	170.8	157.2	1.5	0.9	0.7	14.5	17.4	19.6	5,021	1.8
Solana																		
Upexi <sup>(1)</sup>	\$407	\$774	\$8.22	36.4%	(6.3%)	39.6%	(6.7%)	373.0%	177.0%	NA	\$1.6	\$0.4	\$0.2	\$55.6	\$56.3	NA	2,000,518	1.9:
DeFi Development Corp.	222	225	15.26	28.3	(6.7)	(2.9)	(23.0)	1,179.8	3,232.0	NA	0.1	0.1	0.0	91.1	87.1	NA	1,420,173	0.8
Sol Strategies <sup>(4)</sup>	196	176	7.40	20.9	(12.5)	(6.3)	12.5	6.3	56.3	(6.3)	0.0	0.0	0.1	3.6	5.3	4.3	420,707	2
Mean	275	392	10.29	28.5	(8.5)	10.2	(5.7)	519.7	1,155.1	(6.3)	0.6	0.2	0.1	50.1	49.6	4.3	1,280,466	1.0
Median	222	225	8.22	28.3	(6.7)	(2.9)	(6.7)	373.0	177.0	(6.3)	0.1	0.1	0.1	55.6	56.3	4.3	1,420,173	1.9

Source: FactSet, Publicly Available Information. Market Data as of 8/27/2025

Notes: mNAV calculated as market cap divided by value of crypto treasury. Assumes BTC price of \$111,000, SOL price of \$200

<sup>(1)</sup> Reflects pro-forma EV and digital assets on balance sheet (2) Digital asset holdings assume total net proceeds received pending transaction-close, divided by assumed cryptocurrency price (3) Fold share price data based on De-SPAC closing data (4) Share price and volume data based on the date Sol Strategies completed its first acquisition of Solana



# **Trading Performance – Select Public Companies with Crypto Treasury Strategy**

	EV	Mkt. Cap	Share Price	_	Share Price % Cha	re Price % Change Before Crypto Strategy Share Price % Change After Crypto Strategy Vo		Volume Traded Before Crypto Strategy (\$M)			Volume Traded	After Crypto Strat	Crypto on	mNAV				
Company Name	(\$M)	(\$M)	(\$)	% 52-Wk	6 Months	3 Months	1 Month	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	6 Months	3 Months	1 Month	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	Balance Sheet (#)	(x)
Ethereum																		
Bitmine Immersion	(2,321)	\$5,413	\$46.03	28.6%	89.9%	113.4%	84.3%	681.8%	NA	NA	\$0.1	\$0.2	\$0.6	\$2,027.1	NA	NA	1,713,899	0.7x
Sharplink Gaming	(191)	3,400	19.27	15.5	163.9	114.5	(9.3)	246.4	558.8	NA	0.6	0.7	0.5	520.0	NA	NA	797,704	0.9
The Ether Machine (1)(2)	412	1,891	10.93	71.7	(4.2)	(2.5)	(0.7)	3.8	NA	NA	0.6	0.3	0.3	22.1	NA	NA	345,362	1.2
ETHZilla Corporation (1)(2)(3)	131	557	2.98	16.8	(30.1)	(62.4)	(62.2)	NA	NA	NA	1.1	1.2	3.5	125.0	NA	NA	102,237	1.2
Mean	(492)	2,815	19.80	33.2	54.9	40.7	3.0	310.7	558.8	NA	0.6	0.6	1.2	673.5	NA	NA	739,801	1.0
Median	(30)	2,646	15.10	22.7	42.8	55.4	(5.0)	246.4	558.8	NA	0.6	0.5	0.5	322.5	NA	NA	571,533	1.1
Other																		
ALT5 Sigma Corporation (1)(2)(	<sup>3)</sup> 68	\$1,510	\$6.85	62.6%	(7.8%)	(16.2%)	20.9%	0.6	NA	NA	\$1.2	\$1.5	\$2.4	\$86.5	NA	NA	730,015,000,000	1.0x
Ton Strategy Company (1)(2)(3)	242	936	15.03	50.5	(45.2)	(58.3)	(38.4)	36.2	NA	NA	0.4	0.4	0.2	41.8	NA	NA	224,000,000	1.3
ReserveOne (1)(2)(4)	127	1,142	10.55	76.8	(12.1)	(10.5)	3.1	(8.0)	NA	NA	1.6	2.8	7.0	4.8	NA	NA	NA	1.1
CEA Industries (1)(2)(3)	506	1,006	21.60	26.1	(12.2)	(4.3)	(11.4)	156.8	NA	NA	0.1	0.1	0.1	26.9	NA	NA	584,795	2.0
Mill City Ventures III (1)(2)(3)	265	552	6.20	71.6	50.3	(20.5)	2.7	235.1	NA	NA	0.2	0.0	0.0	5.0	NA	NA	81,871,794	2.0
MEI Pharmaceuticals (1)(2)(3)	81	185	5.16	57.3	(9.9)	(36.5)	(25.4)	50.5	NA	NA	0.1	0.0	0.1	3.6	NA	NA	929,548	1.8
Mean	215	889	10.90	57.5	(6.2)	(24.4)	(8.1)	78.5	NA	NA	0.6	0.8	1.6	28.1	NA	NA	NM	1.5
Median	184	971	8.70	59.9	(11.0)	(18.3)	(4.4)	43.3	NA	NA	0.3	0.2	0.1	15.9	NA	NA	NM	1.6
Peer Group Mean					7,625.1	(1.2)	(7.8)	221.0	402.9	171.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	149.6	35.8	40.7	NM	1.8
Peer Group Median					(5.8)	(5.3)	(2.2)	54.2	173.9	113.7	0.7	0.4	0.4	22.1	31.9	19.6	NM	1.4



# **Common Stock Comparison - Bitcoin Mining Companies Trading Metrics**

		Mist Can	•		Share Price % Ch	nange		EV / Current Met	rics			EV / Proje	ected Metrics		
Company Name	EV (\$M)	Mkt. Cap Cap (\$M)	Share Price (\$)	% <b>52-Wk</b>	MTD	YTD	Prop Hashrate (EH/s)	Ann. BTC Production (1)	Capacity (MW)	Hashspread (\$/PH/Day) <sup>(2)</sup>	2025E Prop. Hashrate (EH/s)	2025E Revenue	2026E Revenue	2025E EBITDA	2026E EBITDA
Core Scientific	\$6,141	\$6,296	\$14.20	76.2%	3.2%	NA	\$339.3	18.7x	\$4.6	32.1x	NA	14.3x	7.0x	72.7x	20.4x
S Marathon Digital (3)	2,177	5,811	15.85	52.3	(8.1)	(0.0)	37.9	2.3	1.3	3.5	NA	2.1	1.7	7.6	4.2
H Applied Digital <sup>(4)</sup>	5,700	5,506	16.70	94.9	55.3	118.6	NA	NA	20.4	NA	NA	27.2	14.8	NM	32.3
S Iris Energy <sup>(5)</sup>	5,354	5,216	22.36	92.0	26.2	127.6	107.1	6.5	6.6	9.0	103.0	7.3	5.6	12.4	9.9
S Riot Blockchain	3,455	5,172	13.55	85.4	(6.8)	32.7	97.3	5.8	3.0	7.3	90.0	5.1	4.2	9.3	14.7
S TeraWulf <sup>(6)</sup>	3,967	3,689	9.13	85.2	76.6	61.3	543.4	24.0	16.2	82.4	302.8	19.3	10.1	82.3	22.6
BitDeer (7)	2,956	3,026	13.55	50.2	(7.4)	(36.9)	179.1	10.9	2.7	23.8	49.3	5.2	2.9	70.5	9.2
Hut 8 Mining (8)	2,036	2,976	26.35	82.5	29.3	28.6	150.8	17.4	3.1	14.2	NA	10.2	5.7	13.7	13.8
S Cipher Mining <sup>(9)</sup>	2,582	2,760	6.99	90.0	8.0	50.6	191.2	10.8	7.9	12.5	112.2	9.4	5.9	19.9	9.9
S CleanSpark	1,908	2,758	9.58	53.3	(19.0)	4.0	38.2	2.1	1.9	3.4	38.2	2.2	1.6	2.7	3.0
Northern Data	1,771	1,277	19.87	35.8	(28.3)	(2.1)	224.2	8.1	3.3	NA	NA	5.3	3.1	14.0	5.5
S Bitfarms (10)	582	747	1.34	48.6	8.9	(10.1)	29.8	1.6	1.3	2.4	16.6	1.8	1.7	6.1	5.2
Bitfufu	498	638	3.91	62.7	2.4	(21.0)	131.0	0.8	0.8	19.5	NA	1.1	0.7	6.7	3.3
S Bit Digital (11)	471	575	2.74	47.7	(13.0)	(6.5)	294.2	12.3	5.4	50.5	NA	3.9	2.8	62.8	5.0
S Hive (12)	307	494	2.94	53.1	29.5	3.2	27.9	1.4	0.7	2.5	12.3	1.2	0.7	2.6	1.5
S SAITech Limited	75	74	6.15	22.8	(42.8)	(46.8)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
BIT Mining	49	51	4.15	59.7	(3.5)	(17.7)	871.8	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
S DMG	3	39	0.19	41.6	(21.2)	(24.6)	1.9	0.1	0.0	NA	1.0	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.3
Greenidge Generation	72	20	1.31	34.1	(24.3)	(15.5)	65.8	1.0	0.6	14.7	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
S Argo Blockchain (13)	49	18	0.28	17.8	(19.7)	(51.3)	18.0	0.4	0.4	3.3	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Soluna <sup>(14)</sup>	97	14	0.48	9.2	(11.4)	(77.6)	163.5	8.5	1.3	12.1	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
S SATO Technologies	6	5	0.10	42.0	(10.3)	(35.1)	11.4	0.6	0.3	NA	NA	0.8	NA	NA	NA
Median					(7.1)	(6.5)	119.0	5.8	2.3	12.3	49.3	5.1	3.0	12.4	7.3

Source: FactSet as of August 27, 2025. Mining operating metrics as of June 2025

Self-Mining

Self-Mining and Hosting

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<sup>(1)</sup> Assumes price of \$111,000 per Bitcoin and production figure annualized based on June 2025 production (2) Hashspread calculated as hashspread \* implied operating capacity (fleet efficiency \* hashrate) \* 24 hrs \* 365 days (3) Capacity reflects owned nameplate capacity (4) MW capacity only includes capacity dedicated towards crypto hosting operations. Cash and debt on balance sheet figures reflect issuance of convertible note (5) Hashrate represents total installed hashrate, Cash and debt balance include \$550M convertible note (6) 1H 2025 hashrate used as proxy for 2025YE, Implied monthly production data based on Q1 2025 results (7) Cash and debt balance includes \$330M and \$375M convertible notes (8) Capacity represents energy capacity under management (9) Q3 2025 hashrate used as proxy for 2025YE (10) Hashrate represents hashrate under management (11) Digital assets include Ethereum on the balance sheet. Capacity includes hosted capacity and capacity dedicated towards Al / HPC (12) Projected capacity as of Q3 2025 (13) Electricity price represents the average cost for 2023 (14) Efficiency includes a mix of prop and hosted miners. Capacity includes managed capacity

# **Common Stock Comparison - Bitcoin Mining Companies Operating Metrics**

		Most Current Mining Metrics							Mining Metrics				Financial Metrics			
	Prop. Hashrate	Efficiency	Capacity	Power Cost	Revenue (1)	GP Margin	Hashspread (2)	BTC Mined	2024A Prop.	2025E Prop.	2025E Rev. 2		2025E EBITDA		h on B. Sheet Del	
Company Name	(EH/s)	(J/TH)	(MW)	(\$/MWh)	(\$/MWh)``	(\$/MWh)	(\$/PH/Day) <sup>(-)</sup>	Monthly (#)	Hashrate (EH/s)	Hashrate (EH/s)	Growth	Margin	Margin	Holdings (#)	(\$M)	(\$M)
Core Scientific	18.1	24.3	1,328	\$43	\$93	\$50	\$29	247	19.1	NA	103.1%	49.2%	34.4%	977	\$697.9	\$1,088.1
S Marathon Digital (3)	57.4	18.3	1700	55	123	68	30	713	53.2	NA	27.9	(1.1)	39.8	50,000	196.2	2,248.5
H Applied Digital <sup>(4)</sup>	NA	NA	280	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	83.7	52.1	45.7	NA	286.2	479.6
S Iris Energy (5)	50.0	15.0	810	60	150	90	32	620	31.0	52.0	30.3	74.3	56.5	NA	734.3	872.5
S Riot Blockchain	35.5	21.2	1160	34	106	72	37	450	34.9	38.4	23.3	56.1	28.4	19,273	163.7	585.3
S TeraWulf <sup>(6)</sup>	7.3	19.2	245	78	117	39	18	124	9.7	13.1	91.6	63.7	44.4	15	218.2	488.1
SH BitDeer (7)	16.5	29.0	1098	48	78	30	21	203	8.9	60.0	80.5	40.6	31.4	1,502	545.6	920.4
Hut 8 Mining <sup>(8)</sup>	13.5	20.1	665	52	112	60	29	88	NA	NA	79.6	54.2	41.1	10,273	108.4	309.4
S Cipher Mining (9)	13.5	18.9	327	27	119	92	42	179	13.5	23.0	59.9	72.4	59.3	966	23.2	35.5
S CleanSpark	50.0	16.2	987	60	139	79	31	685	37.0	50.0	33.6	54.9	54.0	12,608	97.0	647.2
Northern Data	7.9	NA	538	41	NA	NA	NA	164	7.9	NA	71.2	69.2	56.7	NA	136.8	678.9
S Bitfarms <sup>(10)</sup>	19.5	19.0	461	43	118	75	34	268	13.7	35.0	5.5	33.6	33.0	1,166	38.5	2.4
SH Bitfufu	3.8	20.1	651	74	112	38	18	445	NA	NA	56.3	14.0	21.0	1,792	175.1	35.0
S Bit Digital <sup>(11)</sup>	1.6	27.8	88	57	81	24	16	29	6.0	NA	41.8	65.5	54.9	418	57.6	0.0
S Hive (12)	11.0	20.0	430	48	113	65	31	164	6.0	25.0	73.5	44.3	45.5	2,201	23.4	19.4
S SAITech Limited	NA	26.0	NA	NA	87	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.0	0.9
SH BIT Mining	0.1	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	19	1.8	0.0
S DMG	1.6	22.9	65	NA	98	NA	NA	23	1.7	3.0	39.4	NA	22.9	341	3.1	14.4
SH Greenidge Generation	1.1	23.8	119	73	95	22	12	56	3.0	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	4.9	67.2
S Argo Blockchain <sup>(13)</sup>	2.7	32.5	115	50	69	19	15	103	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	3	8.6	39.3
S <sub>H</sub> Soluna (14)	0.6	23.0	75	31	98	67	37	9	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	9.2	24.0
S SATO Technologies	0.6	NA	20	33	NA	NA	NA	8	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	36	0.1	5.0
Median	9.5	20.7	445.5	49.0	109.0	62.4	29.4	164.0	11.6	35.0	58.1	54.2	42.8	1,071.5	77.3	53.2

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Note: Debt excludes financial and operating leases

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Section 2

# **CCM Overview**

## **CCM** at a Glance

CCM is a full-service boutique financial services firm providing investment banking, capital markets and SPAC advisory services to corporations, financial sponsors, investors and institutions

CCM's full suite of banking products includes:

## M&A

- Mergers and recapitalizations
- Spin-offs, carve-outs, and divestitures
- Leveraged buyouts
- Review of strategic alternatives
- Dual track efforts

## **Capital Markets**

- IPO execution
- Private placements
- PIPEs
- Convertible debt
- Debt & Restructuring
- Direct Listing & Reverse Takeover (RTO)

# **Digital Coverage**

- Exchanges and trading
- Bitcoin mining and data centers
- Banking and custodians
- Payments
- DeFi and DePIN
- Tokenization

137 deals announced or

closed since

1Q 2021

in announced M&A

\$58.4B+

~1,000 institutional investors

contacted

\$18.5B+

in financing transactions

We offer our clients the high touch engagement of a boutique firm coupled with the expertise of a bulge bracket advisor; the CCM team features alumni of leading IB platforms such as:

















Offices in Menlo Park and New York

# Team with Deep Capital Raising, Advisory and Industry Experience

#### **INVESTMENT BANKING & BLOCKCHAIN COVERAGE**

## **Christian Lopez**

Head of Blockchain and Digital Infrastructure

Previously, Vice President at Broadhaven Capital Partners

- Prior to Broadhaven, Guggenheim, GM Asset Management, and UBS
- MBA. Columbia Business School



GUGGENHEIM



**Jerry Serowik** 

Founder & Head of Cohen and Company Capital Markets

Previously, Head of SPAC ECM at Wells Fargo Securities

Prior to WFS. Dahlman Rose. Bear Stearns

**CAPITAL MARKETS** 

BS, Columbia University









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Ranked #1 Banker

in Bitcoin Mining

(12/31/2024)

**GARY OUINN Vice Chairman** 

**EMEA Investment Banking** Blackstone Credit Suisse NAAC



**Managing Director** 

J.P.Morgan Morgan Stanley



Vice President

Broadhaven CHICAGO



**Managing Director** 

Deutsche Bank



Director





Vice President





**Associate** 

MIZUHO



Associate

CHICAGO



**FRANK MEDINA** 

**Analyst** 





RAHUL WADHWA

Vice President





**Associate** 







**CONOR HUNT** 

**Associate** 



**TD Securities** 

## **Select Recent Transactions**

#### \$58.4B+ in Announced M&A

Announced Dynamix\* \$1.6B Combination

The Ether Machine, Inc.

\$1.6B+ in Gross Proceeds Comprised of \$1.5B+ of Equity and Up to \$170M in Cash in Trust

Financial Advisor and Lead Capital Markets Advisor

Announced ProCap BTC, LLC

\$1.0B Combination COLUMBUS CIRCLE CAPITAL

\$750M+in Gross Proceeds Comprised of \$517M Equity and \$235M Convertible Notes to Launch Bitcoin Treasury

Exclusive Financial Advisor / Co-Placement Agent

2025







Financial Advisor / Capital Markets Advisor

2025

Acquisition Corp 1

## 35 IPOs & 100 Extensions Raising \$7.1B+ in Capital

2025

**CSLM Digital Asset Acquisition Corp III** 

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\$200M IPO

Sol,e Bookrunner

2025

\$200M IPO

Sole Bookrunner

**A Paradise** Axiom Intelligence Acquisition Corp.

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\$200M IPO

Lead Left Bookrunner

## **41 Announced PIPEs & Financings** Raising \$18.5B+

2025 NAKAMOTO

Merger with KindlyMD.

\$540M PIPE & \$200M Convertible Note to Launch Bitcoin Treasury

Lead Financial Advisor / Placement Agent

2025 TON

\$558M in Gross Proceeds to Launch the First Public **Listed TON Treasury** 



Lead Financial Advisor / Sole Placement Agent

TMTG \$1.44B PIPE and \$1.0B Convertible Note to Launch Bitcoin Treasury

2025







# CCM's Leading, Dedicated Blockchain and FinTech Team

#### **Dedicated Team**

#### **CHRISTIAN LOPEZ** Head of Blockchain and Digital Infrastructure

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Named Top Investment Banker in Bitcoin Minina

**Top Bitcoin** Mining **Investment** Bankers in 2024 (12/31/2024)

Top Investment Bankers in **Bitcoin Mining** in 2023 (12/29/2023)

2022's Top Investment Bankers in **Bitcoin Mining** (1/17/2023)



**MAGGIE CHOU** Vice President



**EUGENIU DAVID** Associate



**URTAJ SINGH** Associate



FRANK MEDINA Analyst

#### **Select Recent Transactions**

#### **Announced** ProCap BTC, LLC

\$1.0B Combination with



Exclusive Financial Advisor and Co-Placement Agent

Anthony Pompliano Strikes \$1B Merger to Create ProCap Financial: Raises Over \$750M in Largest Initial Fundraise in History for Public Bitcoin Treasury Company(1)

#### 2025



\$558M in Gross Proceeds to Launch the First **Publicly Listed TON Treasury** 



Lead Financial Advisor and Sole Placement Agent

Verb Technology Company Announces \$558M **Private Placement to Establish First Publicly** Listed TON Treasury Strategy Company, in Partnership with Kinasway Capital

#### 2025

# **TMTG**

\$1.44B PIPE and \$1.0B Convertible Note to Launch Bitcoin Treasury



Joint Placement Agent

Trump Media & Technology Group Corp., a social media platform that focuses on free and open communication for citizens, completes \$2.44B raise to launch a Bitcoin Treasury

#### 2025 NAKAMOTO

Merger with



\$540M PIPE and \$200M Convertible Note to Launch Bitcoin Treasury

Lead Financial Advisor and Placement Agent

Nakamoto is a new holding company founded by David Bailey, a leader within the Bitcoin ecosystem and an influential advocate for hyperbitcoinization

#### 2025

Greg Kidd (Goldeneye 1995 LLC) \$125M Strategic Acquisition of **KNOW** LABS

Through contribution of 1.000 Bitcoin and \$15M cash

Exclusive Financial Advisor to Goldeneye 1995 LLC, an affiliate of Greg Kidd

Know Labs. Inc., entered into an agreement with Goldeneye 1995 LLC, an affiliate of fintech investor, entrepreneur, and former Ripple Chief Risk Officer, Grea Kidd

#### 2025



\$4.7B Combination with



Webull

Exclusive Financial Advisor and Lead Capital Markets Advisor

SK Growth Opportunities, announces combination with leading U.S. based digital investment platform. Webull

#### Announced



Up to \$1,25B in Gross Proceeds to Launch BNB Treasury



\$1.6B Combination with The Ether Machine, Inc.

Announced

Financial Advisor and Lead Capital Markets Advisor

#### 2025

#### NAKAMOTO

\$5B Equity Purchase Facility to Acquire Bitcoin



Placement Agent

#### 2025



\$1B Equity Purchase Facility to Acquire TON



Placement Agent

#### 2025



\$75M Public Offering to Purchase Bitcoin

Join Bookrunner

2025

MURANO \$500M Equity Financing

Primarily for Bitcoin Treasury



#### 2025

#### NAKAMOTO

\$52M PIPE to Acquire Bitcoin



Exclusive Placement Agent

2025 FOLD

\$250M Equity Purchase Facility

Exclusive Placement Agent

#### 2025

STRONGHØLD DIGITAL MINING

Sale to



\$66M Equity Value Plus \$45M Debt Paydown

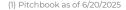


Up to \$1B Convertible Note to Acquire Bitcoin



Placement Agent





# CCM was a Leading Advisor for Companies Going Public in 2024





**36** deals closed in 2024

14 deals announced in 2024

\$1.5B+ in financing transactions in 2024

\$23.7B+ in total transaction value in 2024

# **Team with Significant M&A Experience**

**Dedicated Team** 

## **Select Recent Transactions**



# STEVE WEINER Managing Director, Investment Banking

- Previously, Technology M&A Investment Banking at Morgan Stanley and J.P. Morgan
- 15 years of multifaceted experience in investment banking and corporate finance
- Robust background in buy and sell-side M&A, across a diverse set of sectors, with over 50 M&A advisory deals representing more than \$200BN in deal value
- MBA, The Wharton School, BA, Pennsylvania State University



#### **GEN TAKAHASHI**

Vice President

- · Previously, Guggenheim Securities
- MBA, Cornell School

#### In-Market

P. Sparta

Sole Sellside Advisor

In-process sale of a provider of prime brokerage solutions for digital assets

#### 2025

STRONGH @LD

\$66M Equity Value Plus \$45M Debt Paydown
Sale to



Exclusive Financial Advisor

Stronghold, a vertically integrated crypto asset mining company, completes sale to global Bitcoin and data center company, Bitfarms

#### 2023



Acquisition of

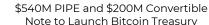
200MW Data Center

Exclusive Financial Advisor

Arkon has acquired data center infrastructure in Ohio

#### 2025 NAKAMOTO

Merger With KindlyMD



Lead Financial Advisor and Placement Agent

Nakamoto is a new holding company founded by David Bailey, a leader within the Bitcoin ecosystem and an influential advocate for hyperbitcoinization

#### 2023 - 2024



Acquisition of

Two 300MW Data Center

Exclusive Financial Advisor

Peak Mining, a Northern Data Group company, and global Bitcoin miner, announces the purchase of two data center locations in Corpus Christi, Texas

#### 2022



Merger with



Buyside Advisor

Shift, a dominant end-to-end auto ecommerce platform transforming the used car industry announces merger with CarLotz

# 2025

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Exclusive Financial Advisor

2022

Elon Musk

\$44B Acquisition of

Sole Buyside Advisor\*

Sellside Advisor

medius

2022

n Pay Solutions

#### Vestiaire Collective

Acquisition of

TRADESY

Sole Buyside Advisor\*

#### 2021

#### Offerpad.

\$3B Combination with



Sole Sellside Advisor\*

## 2021 Cipher

\$2B Combination with / \$382M PIPE

#### Good Works Acquisition Corp.

GWAC

Sellside Advisor / Co-Placement Agent

#### 2021



\$982M Combination with / \$150M PIPE



Sellside Advisor / Co-Placement Agent\*

## \*\*\*®

2020

Postmates \$2.6B Combination with



Sellside Advisor\*

#### 2020



\$500M Sale to



Sole Sellside Advisor\*

2019 **EE**O

Sale to



Sole Sellside Advisor\*



# A Leading Team for IPO



\$180M Proceeds



\$190M Proceeds



\$2.6B Proceeds



\$345M Proceeds



\$81M Proceeds



Spin Off Tegna



\$225M Proceeds

## chewy

\$963M Proceeds



\$443M Proceeds



\$168M Proceeds dun & bradstreet

\$1.8B Proceeds



\$16B Proceeds **FARFETCH** 

\$1B Proceeds First Data

\$3.3B Proceeds

#### **GROUPON**

\$805M Proceeds



\$1.5B Proceeds



\$141M Proceeds **Linked** in

\$406M Proceeds **LITHIA** 

\$28M Proceeds Medallia

\$303M Proceeds **Paymentus** 

\$230M Proceeds



\$332M Proceeds



\$288M Proceeds RIVIAN

\$10.5B Proceeds Robinhood 🕖

\$2.4B Proceeds **\$** sprinklr

\$347M Proceeds TESLA

\$276M Proceeds THREDUP

\$179M Proceeds



\$1.2B Proceeds



\$100M Proceeds



\$1.3B Proceeds vroom

\$538M Proceeds yahoo!

\$1.4B Proceeds Zulily

\$291M Proceeds



\$1B Proceeds

# Leveraging Deep Relationships with the Investment Community

CCM Has Established Contact with 1,000+ Institutional Investors Since Inception

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#### **FUNDAMENTAL LONG-TERM PARTNERS**





































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## **BLUE CHIP PRIVATE EQUITY PARTNERS**





































## THOUGHT LEADING HEDGE FUNDS

































PRIVATE CREDIT /STRUCTURED CAPITAL PARTNERS









































# **CCM's Thought Leadership In The Press**

## crunchbase news

"FOR 15 MONTHS THERE HAS BEEN NO ABILITY TO BRING A COMPANY TO MARKET [via IPO]"

- **Jerry Serowik**, Head of CCM

<u>Little Evidence Of Frozen IPO Market Thawing Out? (3/30/2023)</u>

# FINANCIAL TIMES

"2025 WAS MEANT TO BE THE YEAR OF THE IPO. GIVEN THE VOLATILITY...THOSE HOPES HAVE BEEN DASHED AND CRUSHED. THE OPPORTUNITY FOR SPACS IS PRETTY INCREDIBLE,"

- Brandon Sun, Head of SPAC Investment Banking

Small Banks Fuel Revival in Blank-cheque SPAC Deals (5/18/2025)



"CCM CLOSED A STRONG 2022. CCM ANNOUNCED OR CLOSED TRANSACTIONS THAT REPRESENT OVER \$18B IN M&A VOLUME AND NEARLY \$5B IN CAPITAL RAISED"

Cohen & Company Capital Markets Continues Strong Growth
Despite Tumultuous Capital Market Environment (1/19/2023)



**CHRISTIAN LOPEZ** PLACED #1 FOR TOP INVESTMENT BANKERS IN BITCOIN MINING

Top Bitcoin Mining Investment Bankers of 2024 (12/31/2024)

# **Forbes**

"BITCOIN EXPOSURE ISN'T A TREND – IT'S BECOMING AN ASSET CLASS AND WE'RE STILL EARLY IN THAT INSTITUTIONAL SHIFT,"

- Christian Lopez, Head of Blockchain

Are These Companies The Next MicroStrategy? (5/30/2025)

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"MUCH OF THE CONCERN IN THE CRYPTO WORLD IS LACK OF REGULATORY CLARITY—THE INDUSTRY WOULD WELCOME SENSIBLE GUIDELINES WITHIN WHICH TO OPERATE, SO LONG AS IT DOESN'T STIFLE INNOVATION,"

- **Christian Lopez**, Head of Blockchain

**How Does the SEC Regulate Crypto?** (5/8/2023)

## THE GLOBE AND MAIL\*

"AFTER A YEAR WITH HIGH-PROFILE SCANDALS LIKE THE COLLAPSE OF FTX, REGULATION WILL BE A DOMINANT THEME FOR THIS SECTOR IN 2023,"

- Christian Lopez, Head of Blockchain

Why the blockchain still has a future, despite its past (2/14/2023)

Section 3

# **Selected Case Studies**

## CCM Acted as Lead Financial Advisor and Placement Agent to Nakamoto on its Merger with KindlyMD (NASDAQ: NAKA) to Establish Bitcoin Treasury with \$740M in Gross Proceeds

Closed

# NAKAMOTO

**Merger With** 



\$540M PIPE and \$200M Convertible **Note to Launch Bitcoin Treasury** 



Lead Financial Advisor and Placement Agent

\$740M

Fully Committed Gross Proceeds



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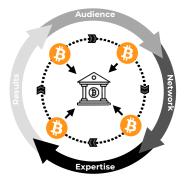
**Notable PIPE Investors** 

#### **Transaction Overview**

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- Kindly MD, Inc. (NASDAQ: NAKA) announced the consummation of their previously announced merger with Nakamoto, a Bitcoin-native holding company, to start a Bitcoin treasury strategy
- KindlyMD raised a total of \$540M in gross proceeds in PIPE financing concurrent with the merger. The company subsequently closed the sale of a \$200M senior secured convertible notes of KindlyMD that mature in 2028
- The PIPE financing attracted participation from 150+ investors across six continents, including global investment firms and leaders across the Bitcoin ecosystem; YA II PN, Ltd., an investment fund managed by Yorkville Advisors, was the sole convertible note purchaser
- David Bailey will lead the company as the CEO and Chairman of the Company's Board of Directors
- The company additionally announced six new board members with expertise in digital assets, policy, and finance
- The combined company will retain the KindlyMD name and will continue to trade on the Nasdag Capital Market under the ticker symbol "NAKA"

#### The Nakamoto Ecosystem



Nakamoto's network has unparalleled expertise across the industry

- 1. Nakamoto Media Ops: Drive Bitcoin adoption by corporations, countries and people - Driving BTC Price & Nakamoto Treasury Growth
- 2. Nakamoto Treasury Ops: Drive global treasuries size, and investments into Bitcoin, accelerating adoption and use -Driving BTC Price
- 3. Nakamoto Advisory & Management: Across Media, Infrastructure, Treasury, Nakamoto leverage expertise to generate fees and income

#### **Nakamoto Overview**

#### Nakamoto

- Nakamoto is a wholly-owned subsidiary of KindlyMD founded by David Bailey, a leader within the Bitcoin ecosystem and an influential advocate for hyperbitcoinization, the inflection point at which Bitcoin becomes the default value system of the world
- Nakamoto intends to build a premier institutional-grade Bitcoin treasury vehicle, combining visionary strategy with disciplined execution and an unwavering commitment to advancing Bitcoin adoption in global capital markets
- The Company's mission is to add 1M Bitcoin to the Nakamoto treasury and make Bitcoin more accessible to investors
- The company's long-term objective is to establish itself as a leading public market platform for Bitcoin treasury management, shaping the future of corporate treasury strategy

#### **Nakamoto Started With A Question**

#### What Would Happen If?

We Took Our Bitcoin Media & Investment Platform

And Created & Invested in New **Public Vehicles** 

Amplified by Our Audience. Network and Expertise









We Added the That Build Bitcoin Strategy Playbook

Treasuries & Yield

And We Did This **Around The** World...?

# CCM Acted as the Exclusive Financial Advisor to Goldeneye 1995 LLC, an affiliate of Greg Kidd, on its \$125M Strategic Acquisition of Know Labs (NYSE American: KNW)

#### Closed

# Greg Kidd

(Goldeneye 1995 LLC)

\$125M Strategic Acquisition of

**KNOW** LABS

Through contribution of 1,000 Bitcoin and \$15M cash



Exclusive Financial Advisor to Goldeneye 1995 LLC, an affiliate of Greg Kidd

## 1,000 Bitcoin Infusion

"The USBC token is an inclusive, compliant, and programmable digital dollar"

- Greg Kidd Chairman and CEO of USBC Inc.

#### **Transaction Overview**

- Know Labs, Inc. (NYSE American: KNW) entered into an agreement with Goldeneye 1995 LLC, an affiliate of fintech investor, entrepreneur, and former Ripple Chief Risk Officer, Greg Kidd, to acquire a controlling interest in KNW to introduce Bitcoin treasury strategy and invest in the USBC token
- Under the terms, Goldeneye 1995 LLC contributed 1,000
   Bitcoin and \$15M in cash to acquire 357.8M new common shares
- The Bitcoin will be employed by a yield generation treasury strategy and the cash contributed will be used to retire existing debt, redeem outstanding preferred equity, and provide working capital
- Upon closing of the transaction, Mr. Kidd was appointed Chief Executive Officer and Chairman of the Board of Director
- Subsequent to closing, Know Labs's corporate legal name will change to USBC, Inc., unveiling a new vision centered on the USBC token
- On August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025, the ticker symbol will change from KNW to USBC. Shares will continue to trade on the NYSE American under the new name USBC, Inc. (NYSE American: USBC)

#### **USBC Inc. Overview**

The USBC token is a U.S.-dollar denominated token leveraging digital identity and blockchain technology that is fully redeemable and earns high-yield rewards

- USBC Inc. is deploying a Bitcoin treasury strategy and investing in the further development of the USBC token
- With a focus on identity, inclusion, innovation, and risk management, USBC Inc. is dedicated to creating longterm shareholder value
- USBC founding team member Linda Jenkinson has been appointed Vice Chair of the Board
- Joining Mr. Kidd's executive leadership team are USBC founding team members Kirk Chapman as Chief Operating Officer and Kitty Payne as Chief Financial Officer, effective immediately
  - Ms. Payne and Mr. Chapman will lead the execution of the Company's new vision and will be supported by veteran USBC team members who designed and developed the USBC platform from its inception, bringing with them decades of expertise in technology and finance

# CCM Acted as Lead Financial Advisor to Kingsway Capital and Sole Placement Agent to Verb Technology Company (NASDAQ: VERB) on its \$558M Private Placement, Establishing the First Publicly Listed TON Treasury Strategy Company

#### Closed



\$558M in Gross Proceeds to Launch the First Publicly Listed TON Treasury Company



Lead Financial Advisor and Sole Placement Agent

## \$558M in Gross Proceeds

to Establish the First Publicly Listed TON Treasury Company in the World

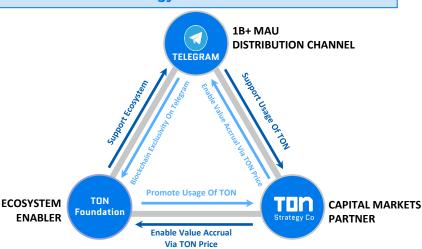


#### **Transaction Overview**

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- Verb Technology Company (NASDAQ: VERB) successfully closed the upsized and oversubscribed \$558 million private placement to launch first publicly listed TON treasury strategy company
- The PIPE transaction, which priced approximately 58.7 million shares of common stock, included participation from over 110 institutional and crypto-native investors, led by Kingsway and anchored by Vy Capital, Blockchain.com, Ribbit Capital, and Graticule (GAMA)
- The Company plans to immediately begin using the majority of the net proceeds from the PIPE transaction to acquire \$TON, which will serve as its primary treasury reserve asset
- The strategy is expected to generate sustainable staking rewards to initiate, manage, and grow the Company's \$TON exposure in a cash flow positive manner
- The Company intends to rebrand as TON Strategy Co. to reflect its new direction

#### **TON Strategy Co's Value Creation**



#### Toncoin, VERB, Kingsway & TON Strategy Co Overview

Toncoin is the native cryptocurrency of The Open Network Blockchain, which has an exclusive partnership with Telegram, the world's second largest messenger with over one billion monthly active users.

Earlier in 2025, Telegram and the TON Foundation announced that TON would become the exclusive blockchain powering Telegram's ecosystem. Unlike other social applications, Telegram users can use \$TON within the messenger without leaving the interface. Earlier in Q3 2025, TON Wallet, a self-custodial wallet built into Telegram's interface, went live to its 87 million U.S. users.

#### **TON Strategy Co:**

- Upon close of the transaction, the Company will be led by a deeply experienced team driving its digital asset strategy:
  - Executive Chairman Manuel Stotz, Founder & CEO of Kingsway
     Capital and President of the TON Foundation
  - Chief Executive Officer Veronika Kapustina, a former Senior Advisor to the TON Foundation and former Morgan Stanley banker
  - Chief Financial Officer Sarah Olsen, Co-founder of Europa Partners and former Head of Corporate Development for Onyx by JP Morgan
  - Special Advisor Peter Smith, CEO & Co-Founder of Blockchain.com

#### Kingsway Capital:

- A London-headquartered, FCA-regulated investment manager, with several billion USD in assets under management, and with over a decade-long history of investing across emerging markets, as well as a >5-year track record as an institutional investor in the growing global digital assets ecosystem
- Kingsway has also been an early and active investor in high quality consumer, consumer internet, fintech, payments and gaming companies

#### **VERB Technology Company, Inc:**

 A leader in interactive video sales tech, offering SaaS tools like shoppable video and CRM, and operating MARKET.live — a livestream social shopping platform merging ecommerce and entertainment

# CCM Acted as a Joint Bookrunner to Bakkt Holdings, Inc. on its \$75M Public Offering to Support the Company's Bitcoin and Digital Asset Investment Strategy

**Priced** 



\$75M

Public Offering to Purchase Bitcoin



Joint Bookrunner

## \$75M

In Gross Proceeds to Purchase Bitcoin and Digital Assets

**\$3.5B** 2024 Revenue

6.8M+

Crypto-Enabled Accounts

#### **Public Offering Overview**

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- On July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2025, Bakkt announced the successful pricing of its \$75M public offering of:
  - 6,753,627 shares of Class A common stock at \$10.00 / sh.
  - Pre-funded warrants to purchase up to 764,373 shares of Class A common stock at a strike price of \$9.99 / sh.
- Bakkt intends to use the net proceeds to purchase Bitcoin and other digital assets in accordance with its investment policy, for working capital and for general corporate purposes

#### **Bakkt's Digital Asset Infrastructure**



#### **Global Scale**

Over 6.8M crypto-enabled accounts and rapidly growing worldwide



#### **Regulatory Strength**

Fully SOC-2 compliant and NYDFS-regulated digital asset platform



#### **Trading Volume**

Over \$1.06B in Q1 2025 notional crypto trading volume across global markets



#### ICE-Backed

Majority-owned and supported by Intercontinental Exchange (NYSE:ICE)

## **Bakkt Holdings Overview**

#### Bakkt Holdings, Inc. ("Bakkt")

- Bakkt (NYSE: BKKT) is a regulated digital asset infrastructure and payments company offering institutional-grade crypto services, stablecoin integration, and programmable finance across trading, custody, and global payments
- In 2025, Bakkt began a strategic transformation divesting its loyalty business and partnering with Distributed Technologies Research Global ("DTR") to integrate its stablecoin infrastructure, and update its investment policy to allow for the direct investment in Bitcoin and other digital assets

#### **Strategic Realignment and Digital Asset Focus**

- In March 2025, Bakkt entered into a cooperation agreement with DTR to integrate its stablecoin payment infrastructure
- In June 2025, Bakkt updated its investment policy to allow direct investment in Bitcoin and other digital assets
- On August 13, 2025, Bakkt announced the sale of its loyalty business to Project Labrador Holdco, LLC, enabling the company to attain a sharper focus on crypto infrastructure

# CCM Acted as Financial Advisor to 10x Capital on CEA Industries (NASDAQ: VAPE) \$500M Private Placement to Establish the Largest Publicly Listed \$BNB Treasury Company in the World

#### **Announced**



# Up to \$1.25B in Gross Proceeds to Launch BNB Treasury

(\$500M in gross proceeds plus, up to \$750M from the exercise of warrants)



Financial Advisor

## **Up to \$1.25B in Gross Proceeds**

to Establish the Largest Publicly Listed \$BNB Treasury Company in the World

















**Notable Investors** 

#### **Transaction Overview**

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- CEA Industries Inc. (Nasdaq: VAPE) and 10X Capital, with support from YZi Labs, announced the pricing of an oversubscribed and upsized above-the-market PIPE financing
- The transaction is expected to deliver up to \$1.25B in gross proceeds consisting of a common equity PIPE delivering \$500M in gross proceeds (\$400M in cash and \$100M in BNB), plus up to \$750M in cash which may be received from exercised warrants to be issued in the private placement (assuming 100% of warrants are exercised)
- The transaction is expected to close on or around July 31, 2025
- Following closing, the Company expects to:
  - Build an initial BNB position with plans to significantly scale holdings over the next 12–24 months via a best-in-class capital markets program incorporating ATM sales and other proven strategies
  - Evaluate staking, lending and other opportunities throughout the Binance ecosystem to generate revenue from the BNB Treasury, while maintaining a conservative risk profile

#### STRATEGIC RATIONALE FOR BNB CHAIN

#### **ECOSYSTEM STRENGTH**

Powers the largest centralized exchange (Binance) and a thriving DeFi and Web3 developer ecosystem via BNB Chain

#### **STAKING & YIELD**

Staking opportunities and validator rewards and token launch rewards on BNB Chain, enabling revenue generation on treasury assets



#### **UTILITY-DRIVEN DEMAND**

BNB is used for trading fee discounts, token launches, gas fees, and more – creating organic demand

#### **DEFLATIONARY TOKENOMICS**

Regular BNB burns reduce supply regularly and significantly, increasing long-term value

#### CEA Industries, YZi Labs, and 10X Capital Overview

\$BNB is the fourth largest cryptocurrency in the world, with \$100B+ market cap, and provides the treasury with opportunities to generate income and rewards on the BNB Chain and Binance ecosystem, the world's #1 digital assets infrastructure by volume, with over 280 million users in over 180 countries

#### **CEA Industries:**

- CEA Industries (NASDAQ:VAPE) is a growth-oriented company that has focused on building category-leading businesses in regulated consumer markets, including the high-growth, Canadian nicotine vape industry
- Following the closing of the PIPE, CEA intends to adopt a BNB Treasury strategy, offering a gateway for institutional and retail investors to participate in the BNB Chain ecosystem

#### YZi Labs:

- YZi Labs manages over \$10B in assets globally. Its investment philosophy emphasizes impact first — YZi Labs believes that meaningful returns will naturally follow. YZi Labs invests in ventures at every stage, prioritizing those with solid fundamentals in Web3, Al, and biotech
- YZi Labs' portfolio covers over 300 projects from over 25 countries across six continents. More than 65 of YZi Labs' portfolio companies have gone through their incubation programs

#### 10X Capital:

- 10X Capital is an investment firm focused on digital transformation, including digital assets and digital infrastructure
- Founded by fintech entrepreneur Hans Thomas (founding team, InternetCash)

# CCM Acted as Financial Advisor and Lead Capital Markets Advisor to Dynamix Corporation (NASDAQ: DYNX) on its \$1.6B+ Combination with The Ether Machine, Inc.

#### **Announced**

# Dynamix\*

\$1.6B+ Combination with

The Ether Machine, Inc.

\$1.6B+ in Gross Proceeds to Launch Ethereum Treasury

(\$1.5B+ Fully Committed Capital in Common Stock and Up to \$170M SPAC Cash)



Financial Advisor and Lead Capital Markets Advisor

#### \$1.6B+ Gross Proceeds

The largest all-common-stock financing committed at announcement since 2021











ELECTRIC CAPITAL





**Andrew Keys** 

**Notable Investors** 

#### **Transaction Overview**

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- The Ether Machine, Inc., a newly formed entity enabling public market investors to access Ethereum yield, announced its public launch through a definitive business combination agreement between The Ether Reserve, LLC and Dynamix Corporation (NASDAQ: DYNX)
- The transaction is expected to deliver over \$1.6B of gross proceeds, including over \$1.5B of fully committed financing and up to \$170M of cash held in Dynamix's trust account
  - Contribution of approximately \$645M (representing 169,984 ETH)<sup>(1)</sup> by Co-founder and Chairman Andrew Keys at inception
- The Ether Machine expected to launch with over 400,000 ETH and manage the largest pool of assets in a public vehicle for pure-play institutional-grade exposure to Ethereum and ETH-denominated yield
- Upon the closing of the business combination, the combined entity will trade on NASDAQ under the ticker symbol "ETHM"

The Ether Machine's Objective Is to Be The Premier and Largest Publicly-traded Company Dedicated to ETH and Broader Eth Ecosystem Over Time







Actively staking, restaking, and compounding ETH yield





Backing research, open-source tooling, and ETHnative innovation





Providing turnkey infrastructure for validators and enterprises

#### The Ether Machine, Inc. and DYNX

#### The Ether Machine, Inc.

- The Ether Machine is building the largest public vehicle for institutional-grade exposure to Ethereum, offering secure, transparent, and compliant access to ETH-denominated yield
- As a strategic Ether generation company, it aims to deliver long-term, risk-adjusted returns through staking, restaking, and decentralized finance strategies
- The Company also expects to provide turnkey infrastructure solutions for enterprises, DAOs, and Ethereum-native builders seeking access to Ethereum's consensus and blockspace economy
- Led by Ethereum trailblazers with firsthand experience driving Ethereum's rise from a nascent protocol to a cornerstone of the digital asset ecosystem

#### **Dynamix Corporation (NASDAQ: DYNX)**

- Dynamix Corporation is a special purpose acquisition company incorporated under the laws of Cayman Islands for the purpose of effecting a merger, amalgamation, share exchange, asset acquisition, share purchase, reorganization or similar business combination with one or more businesses
- DYNX is led by the following seasoned investors and industry executives: Andrea "Andrejka" Bernatova, Chief Executive Officer and Chairman, Nader Daylami, Chief Financial Officer, Philip Rajan, Vice President of M&A and Strategy and board members, Lynn A. Peterson, Diaco Aviki and Tyler Crabtree

## CCM Acted as Exclusive Financial and Strategic Advisor to Murano on its \$500M Bitcoin Treasury Initiative

#### Closed



# MURANO

\$500M Equity Financing
Primarily for Bitcoin Treasury



Exclusive Financial and Strategic Advisor

## \$500M

**Financing Primarily to Purchase Bitcoin** 

\$2B+
Capital Deployed Into
Real Estate Projects

21 Bitcoin
Treasury Holdings

\$1B+
Gross Real
Estate Value

1,400+
Room Portfolio

#### **Transaction Overview**

- The Company will continue with its core strategy of developing real estate and operating its Mexican hotel and resort business while simultaneously leveraging its operating cash flows, substantial real estate holdings, and access to capital markets to build a robust Bitcoin treasury
- As part of its Bitcoin treasury initiative, Murano has recently purchased 21 Bitcoins. Further, on July 1st, 2025, Murano joined "Bitcoin for Corporations " an industry alliance backed by BTC Inc & Michael Saylor's Strategy focused on accelerating the corporate adoption of Bitcoin as a "Chairman's Circle Member

#### **Murano's Bitcoin Treasury Initiative**

- 1. Hospitality Operations: Murano is exploring new operational initiatives such as the acceptance of Bitcoin as a payment method and Bitcoin reward programs to further enhance and differentiate the Company's existing hospitality operations
- 2. Real Estate Divestitures: As part of the alternatives under evaluation, Murano may consider entering into opportunistic sale-leaseback transactions to increase its liquidity and provide the capital to fund additional BTC investments
- **3. Capital Markets Activity:** Murano entered into an up to \$500 million Standby Equity Purchase Agreement ("SEPA") and expects to use proceeds from the sale of shares for general corporate purposes, including primarily for investing in BTC
- **4. Bitcoin Purchases:** The Company intends to expand its existing Bitcoin portfolio to create a robust treasury over time

#### **Murano Overview**

- Murano (Nasdaq: MRNO) is a real estate company that owns, develops and invests in hotels, resorts and commercial properties throughout Mexico. Over the last 30+ years, Murano's experienced management team has deployed more than \$2 billion for the acquisition, repositioning and development of transformational real estate projects
- Alongside its hotel operations and to support its corestrategy, Murano is pursuing a new Bitcoin initiative with the goal of accumulating a large Bitcoin stack over time



Residencial BVG. Cancun



Villa Aleiandra BVG. Acapulco



Residencial BVG, Ixtapa



Portofino, Cancun



Residencial BVG, Puerto Vallarta



Grand Venetian BVG, Puerto Vallarta



Portofino, Puerto Vallarta

# CCM Acted as Exclusive Financial Advisor and Co-Placement Agent to Anthony Pompliano's ProCap BTC, LLC on its \$1B Combination with Columbus Circle Capital Corp. I (NASDAQ: CCCM)

#### **Announced**

## ProCap BTC, LLC

\$1B Combination with



\$750M+ in Gross Proceeds Comprised of \$517M Equity and \$235M Convertible Notes to Launch Bitcoin Treasury



Exclusive Financial Advisor and Co-Placement Agent

## \$750M+ In Gross Proceeds

Largest Initial Fundraise in History for Public Bitcoin Treasury Company<sup>(1)</sup>

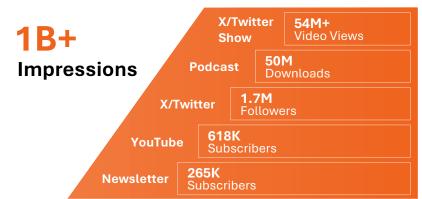


#### **Transaction Overview**

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- ProCap BTC, LLC, a bitcoin-native financial services firm founded by Anthony Pompliano, has entered into a definitive agreement for a business combination with Columbus Circle Capital Corp. I (NASDAQ: CCCM)
- Entities in the transaction raised \$517M in equity and \$235M in senior secured convertible notes, the largest initial fundraise in history for a public bitcoin company<sup>(1)</sup>
- At closing of the transaction, the combined company will operate as ProCap Financial, Inc., with up to \$1B in Bitcoin on its balance sheet. inclusive of full CCCM Trust Account
- ProCap Financial will be led by Anthony Pompliano, who has invested in more than 300 private companies and is one of the leading voices on Bitcoin globally
- The implied entry mNAV multiple is equivalent to 1.07x and offers equity investors immediate exposure to Bitcoin based on structure of financing transactions

## Anthony Pompliano Has One Of The Largest Audiences In Bitcoin



#### **ProCap Financial, Inc. and CCCM**

#### ProCap Financial, Inc.

- ProCap Financial, Inc. aims to become the leading financial services firm at the intersection of bitcoin and traditional finance
- The Company will be led by Anthony Pompliano who previously built and sold a number of startups and built one of the largest crypto-native financial media companies in the world
- The Company will focus on implementing various profitgenerating products and services to support the unique financial needs of large financial institutions and institutional investors

#### **Columbus Circle Capital I**

- Columbus Circle Capital Corp. I (NASDAQ: CCCM) is a Cayman Islands-incorporated blank check company formed to effect a merger, share exchange, asset acquisition, share purchase, reorganization or similar business combination with one or more businesses
- Led by Chairman and CEO Gary Quin, who bring 30+ years of investment banking, operating & investing experience, CFO Joe Pooler, who brings 30+ years of corporate finance & strategic operations experience, and COO Dan Nash, former Co-Founder & Head of Investment Banking at Cohen & Company Capital Markets
- Board of Directors include Garrett Curran, Alberto Alsina Gonzalez, Dr. Adam Back, and Matthew Murphy

# CCM Served as the Exclusive Placement Agent to Fold on its \$250M Equity Purchase Facility to Acquire Bitcoin

Closed



Up to \$250M Equity Purchase Facility to Acquire Bitcoin



**Exclusive Placement Agent** 

# Treasury of 1,490 BTC

**\$2.8B+**Total Transaction Volume

600K+
Active Accounts

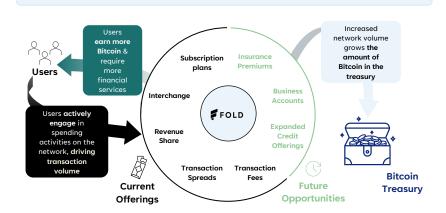
**\$70M+**Rewards Distributed

~\$84M Monthly Volume

#### **Transaction Overview**

- On June 17<sup>th</sup>, 2025, Fold, the first publicly traded Bitcoin financial services company, announced that it has entered into an agreement for an equity purchase facility for up to \$250M in gross proceeds
- Fold expects to use the net proceeds from the Facility, if any, primarily to acquire additional Bitcoin on its corporate treasury
- Pursuant to the Facility, Fold has the right, but not the obligation, to issue and sell up to \$250M in newly issued shares of the Company's common stock
- Fold is not required to use the Facility & controls the timing & amount of any drawdown on the Facility

## **Revenue Generation Flywheel**



#### **Fold Overview**

- Founded in 2019, Fold is the premier Bitcoin financial services gateway for consumers & businesses to engage with and integrate Bitcoin into their everyday activities
- With over 1,490 BTC in its treasury, Fold is at the forefront of integrating Bitcoin into everyday financial experiences
- Fold's strategy allows it to generate a powerful flywheel effect, increasing the company's Bitcoin treasury as Bitcoin adoption spreads
- Through innovative products like the Fold App, Fold Credit Card, Fold Bitcoin Gift Card, and Fold Card, the Company is building the bridge between traditional finance and the Bitcoin-powered future
- Through its market-leading Bitcoin back debit card, Fold offers an expansive merchant rewards network & integrated insured Bitcoin custody & no-fee trading
- Fold recently launched its Bitcoin Rewards Credit Card in partnership with Visa®, a first of its kind financial tool that combines the convenience of a traditional credit card with the power of Bitcoin rewards, designed to help establish Bitcoin as the ultimate savings asset for every American
- In May 2025, Fold announced a Bitcoin Gift Card that is set to roll out to national merchant networks across the country over the coming months

# CCM Acted as Placement Agent to Trump Media & Technology Group Corp. (NASDAQ: DJT) on its \$2.44B Financing to Acquire Bitcoin

#### Closed



\$1.44B PIPE and \$1.0B Convertible Note to Launch Bitcoin Treasury



Joint Placement Agent

## \$2.44B In Gross Proceeds

The largest financing announced for a bitcoin treasury by a public company

\$1.44B PIPE

Priced at \$25.72 per share

# \$1.0B Convert

Priced with a conversion price of \$34.72 per share

#### **Transaction Overview**

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- Trump Media and Technology Group Corp. (Nasdaq: DJT), ("Trump Media" or the "Company"), operator of the social media platform Truth Social, announced on May 30th that it has closed its previously announced private placement offering with approximately 50 institutional investors resulting in gross proceeds in aggregate of approximately \$2.44B
- The transaction includes:
  - \$1.44B in gross proceeds from the sale of Trump Media common stock priced at \$25.72 per share
  - \$1.0B in gross proceeds from the sale of 0.00% convertible senior secured notes maturing in 2028 with a conversion price of \$34.72 per share
- Trump Media intends to use the proceeds for the creation of a Bitcoin treasury and the transaction is the largest Bitcoin treasury deal ever announced by a public company
- The transaction will place Bitcoin on Trump Media's balance sheet alongside existing cash, cash equivalents, and short-term investments totaling \$759.0M as of the end of Q1 2025
- The deal will close Trump Media's previously announced special acquisition fund, which is one of numerous ways, including through potential mergers and acquisitions, that the Company is aiming to expand its reach throughout the America First economy

#### **Trump Media & Technology Group Overview**

#### **Trump Media**

- Trump Media & Technology Group Corp. (Trump Media) is a media and technology company. The Company operates a social media platform that focuses on free and open communication for citizens. DJT through its platform helps to create content, follow other users, and engage in an open global conversation
- The mission of Trump Media is to end Big Tech's assault on free speech by opening up the Internet and giving people their voices back
- Trump Media's CEO and Chairman Devin Nunes said, "We view Bitcoin as an apex instrument of financial freedom, and now Trump Media will hold cryptocurrency as a crucial part of our assets. It's a big step forward in the Company's plans to evolve into a holding company by acquiring additional profit-generating, crown jewel assets consistent with America First principles"

#### **Trump Media Brands**

- **Truth Social:** a social media platform founded by current President of the United States, Donal Trump, established as a safe harbor for free expression amid increasingly harsh censorship by Big Tech corporations
- <u>Truth+:</u> Launched by Trump Media in 2024, Truth+ is a TV streaming platform focusing on family-friendly live TV channels and on-demand programming with a variety of content including news, entertainment, and faith-based programming
- **Truth.Fi:** Trump Media is preparing to launch Truth.Fi, a financial services and FinTech brand incorporating America First investment vehicles and focusing on both traditional and cryptocurrency investments

# CCM Served as Exclusive Placement Agent to SOL Strategies Inc. on its Convertible Note Financing to Acquire Up to \$500 Million of Solana

Closed (2025)



# **Up to \$500 Million**

Convertible Note Facility to Acquire Solana



**Exclusive Placement Agent** 

# Up to \$500 Million

Convertible Note Facility
With Proceeds Used to Acquire Solana

**270K SOL** 

Held on balance sheet as of April 30, 2025 \$443M

Value of total SOL staked to company validators

#### **Transaction Overview**

- On April 23, 2025, SOL Strategies announced a landmark convertible note facility of up to \$500 million with an affiliate of ATW Partners, representing the first digital asset financing structure exclusively dedicated to acquiring and staking Solana (SOL) tokens
- Under the agreement, SOL Strategies issued convertible notes in the aggregate principal amount of \$20 million as an initial tranche on May 1, 2025, with additional capacity of up to \$480 million available in follow-on drawdowns, subject to certain conditions
- Proceeds will be used to purchase SOL tokens, which will be staked on validators operated by SOL Strategies, with staking yield shared with investors. This structure is expected to strengthen the Company's validator business and generate immediate yield
- In a novel structure, interest on the facility is paid in SOL, calculated as 85% of the staking yield generated by SOL acquired through the facility and staked by SOL Strategies on company validators

#### **SOL Strategies Inc. Overview**

#### Overview

- SOL Strategies Inc. (CSE: HODL) (OTCQX: CYFRF) is a Canadian investment company that operates at the forefront of blockchain innovation. Specializing in the Solana ecosystem, the company provides strategic investments and infrastructure solutions to enable the next generation of decentralized applications
- Solana is a high-speed, low-cost blockchain enabling thousands of transactions per second and supporting an array of decentralized applications

#### **Recent Corporate Events**

- On April 15, 2025, SOL Strategies announced a partnership with Pudgy Penguins to launch a dedicated Solana validator supporting the PENGU ecosystem
- On April 25, 2025, SOL Strategies launched
   Orangefin, the first mobile application dedicated
   exclusively to Solana staking. Orangefin delivers a
   streamlined staking experience for both retail and
   institutional users
- On April 30, 2025, SOL Strategies announced that it was selected as a Solana validator partner for BitGo's \$100B+ institutional custody platform, enabling BitGo's global clientsincluding hedge funds, exchanges, and family offices to stake Solana through SOL Strategies' enterprise-grade infrastructure

## CCM Acted as Exclusive Financial Advisor and Capital Markets Advisor to SK Growth Opportunities Corporation on its **Combination with Webull Corporation**

#### Closed



\$4.7B Combination with



Webull

Exclusive Financial Advisor and Capital Markets Advisor

## 50M+

**Downloads** Globally<sup>(1)</sup>

\$460B

**Equity Notional** Volumes(2)

23M+

Registered Users<sup>(1)</sup>

Markets Licensed as Broker-Dealer(1)

#### **Transaction Overview**

#### **Transaction Overview**

- The proposed transaction values the combined company at an implied pro forma enterprise value of \$4.7B
- Webull's shareholders to maintain 100% of their existing equity holdings in the combined company
- On April 11, 2025, Webull's ordinary shares, warrants and incentive warrants begins trading on Nasdaq under the ticker symbols "BULL," "BULLW," and "BULLZ," respectively

#### **Webull: Leading Digital Investment Platform**

#### **Trading**

OTC **♦♦** Stocks Options FTF ETFs



- Fractional Shares
- Fixed Income



paperTrading

Learning

- Education
- **%** Community

## Investing

Bank Sweep Product





Retirement Accounts (IRAs)

#### **SKGR and Webull Overview**

#### Webull Corporation ("Webull")

- Webull is a leading digital investment platform built on next generation, global infrastructure which provides a full suite of financial products including in-depth data and analytic tools to 23M+ registered users globally
- Webull launched in the United States in 2018 and has since expanded to Asia Pacific, Europe and Latin America
- Comprehensive product offerings with competitive pricing, including zero-commission trading in the U.S. and low trading commissions in other markets
- Blue-Chip institutional backing from global shareholders including General Atlantic, Coatue Management, Lightspeed Venture Partners, and RIT Capital Partners

#### **SK Growth Opportunities Corporation**

- Led by CEO Richard Chin and CFO Derek Jensen, with substantial experience and established track records in identifying, evaluation, and executing strategic investments and acquisitions
- SK Group is a Fortune Global 500 company and the 2<sup>nd</sup> largest conglomerate in South Korea with 219 businesses across a variety of industries and 70 years of operating history

## CCM Acted as Exclusive Financial Advisor to Stronghold Digital Mining (NASDAQ: SDIG) on its Sale to Bitfarms (NASDAQ/TSX: BITF)

Closed



Sale to



\$66M Equity Value Plus \$45M Debt Paydown(1)

Exclusive Financial Advisor to Stronghold

## 1.1 **GW**

Growth Pipeline Strategically Located for HPC / Al and BTC Mining in Pennsylvania

## 1.700+ Acres

From Scrubgrass, PA and Pather Creek, PA including 1,000 Acres under Option

#### **Transaction Overview**

- Bitfarms acquired Stronghold in a stock-for-stock merger pursuant to which Stronghold shareholders received 2.52 shares of Bitfarms for each share of Stronghold they own and Stronghold became a wholly-owned subsidiary of Bitfarms
- Approximately 59.7M Bitfarms common shares and 10.6M Bitfarms warrants are being issued in connection with the consummation of the merger
- The transaction is valued at approximately **\$66M** equity value plus ~\$45M paid to retire Stronghold loans(1)

#### **Stronghold Asset Overview**



**62 MW** PJM Import **Power Capacity** 

**327 MW** Additional Potential PJM Import Power Capacity

Nameplate

**Generated Capacity** 

475 MW **Total Potential Power Capacity** 



**80 MW** PJM Import Power Capacity

**80 MW** Nameplate Generated Capacity

320 MW

Additional Potential PJM Import Power Capacity

480 MW **Total Potential Power Capacity** 

#### Stronghold + Bitfarms

#### **Stronghold Digital Mining**

 Stronghold is a vertically integrated crypto asset mining company focused on mining Bitcoin and environmental remediation and reclamation services

#### **Bitfarms**

■ Bitfarms is a global Bitcoin and vertically integrated data center company. Bitfarms develops and operates vertically integrated mining facilities with company-owned electrical engineering, installation service, and multiple onsite technical repair centers

#### **Transaction Rationale**

- Unique Bitcoin mining scaling opportunity and HPC / AI potential
- Integrate vertically by acquiring two strategically located power facilities
- Rebalances year-end 2025 energy portfolio to 80% North American and 20% international
- Energy trading and demand response opportunities expected to optimize energy supply
- Well-positioned to be a leading miner in attractive PJM market with 1.1 GW combined pipeline

# CCM Served as a Placement Agent to Rezolve Ai on its Convertible Note Financing to Acquire Up to \$1 Billion of BTC, Commencing its Bitcoin Treasury Strategy

Closed



# Up to \$1.0 Billion

**Convertible Note** to Acquire Bitcoin



Placement Agent

# Up to \$1.0 Billion

Convertible Note Financing With Proceeds Used to Acquire Bitcoin







**Strategic Partnerships** 

#### **Transaction Overview**

- As part of the convertible note financing, Rezolve may have access up to \$1 billion to purchase BTC subject to certain conditions, with \$100 million closing in the first tranche. The proceeds may be used to purchase BTC, subject to certain conditions being met
- The convertible notes are primarily secured by the cash raised and any potential BTC purchased in connection with the financing
- The notes are convertible into common stock of the company at a fixed conversion price of \$3.00 per share
- This initiative underscores Rezolve Ai's commitment to revolutionizing global commerce by integrating artificial intelligence, blockchain technology, and cryptocurrency
- In late 2025, Rezolve Ai expects to launch an Alpowered crypto payment platform developed in collaboration with Tether. This solution will allow consumers to pay with Bitcoin, Tether, and other digital assets directly at the point of sale, while retailers benefit from the elimination of merchant fees, instant crypto-to-fiat conversions and Aldriven transaction intelligence

#### **Rezolve Ai Overview**

#### **Overview**

Rezolve Ai is an industry leader in AI-powered solutions, specializing in enhancing customer engagement, operational efficiency, and revenue growth. The Brain Suite delivers advanced tools that harness artificial intelligence to optimize processes, improve decision-making, and enable seamless digital experiences

#### **GroupBy Acquisition**

■ On February 14<sup>th</sup> 2025, Rezolve Ai acquired GroupBy in an all equity transaction for \$55 million in enterprise value. The acquisition adds a high-growth, revenue-generating business to Rezolve's expanding Al commerce platform. The deal is expected to bring approximately \$30 million in expected high margin revenue for 2025, further strengthening Rezolve Ai's position as a leader in Al-driven commerce solutions

#### **Brain Commerce**

 A conversational shopping experience that helps customers find products, get recommendations, and make purchases

#### **Brain Checkout**

 An Al-powered checkout process that improves customer experience and streamlines transactions

#### **Brain Assistant**

 An Al-powered virtual assistant that helps customers with questions and recommendations

# CCM Acted as Exclusive Financial Advisor, Capital Markets Advisor, and Placement Agent to Fold on its Combination with FTAC Emerald Acquisition Corp.

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\$500M Combination with



#### \$30M Fixed Price Convert

Exclusive Financial Advisor, Capital Markets Advisor and Placement Agent

\$45M of Proceeds Available

Treasury of 1,000 BTC

580K+

**Accounts Created** 

\$2.3B+

Total Transaction Volume

\$40M+

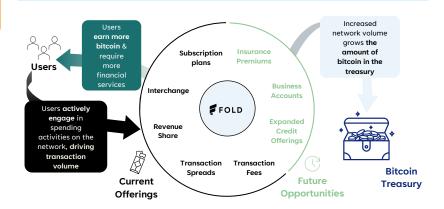
~\$55M Monthly Volume

#### **Transaction Overview**

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- The combination listed at a pro forma market cap of ~\$500M
- Existing Fold shareholders rolled over 100% of their equity ownership and own a pro forma equity ownership of ~76% in the newly combined entity
- On December 30<sup>th</sup>, 2024, Fold closed the funding of \$20M of up to \$30M fixed price convertible note from ATW
   Partners, struck at a 15% premium to listing valuation and using proprietary BTC on balance sheet as collateral
- ~30% retention of cash in trust delivering \$15M in gross proceeds
- Fold will begin trading on the Nasdaq under the ticker symbol 'FLD' on February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2025

#### **Revenue Generation Flywheel**



#### Fold and FTAC Emerald Overview

#### Fold, Inc.

- Founded in 2019, Fold is the premier bitcoin financial services gateway for consumers & businesses to engage with and integrate bitcoin into their everyday activities
- Through its market-leading bitcoin back debit card, Fold offers an expansive merchant rewards network & integrated insured bitcoin custody & no-fee trading
- Fold's strategy allows it to generate a powerful flywheel effect, increasing the company's bitcoin treasury as bitcoin adoption spreads
- Fold recently launched its Bitcoin Rewards Credit Card in partnership with Visa®, a first of its kind financial tool that combines the convenience of a traditional credit card with the power of bitcoin rewards, designed to help establish bitcoin as the ultimate savings asset for every American

#### FTAC Emerald Acquisition Corp.

- FTAC Emerald Acquisition Corp. ("FTAC Emerald") was a special purpose acquisition company (SPAC) listed on the Nasdaq
- FTAC Emerald was sponsored by Cohen Circle, which is an investment firm founded by financial services pioneers, Betsy Cohen and her son Daniel Cohen
- Cohen Circle has an impressive track record in partnering with quality companies through its operational & financial expertise. Since 2015, the firm has provided transformative capital to several late stage fintech companies

# CCM Served as a Placement Agent to Critical Metals on its Convertible Note Financing to Acquire Up to \$500 million of BTC, Commencing its Bitcoin Treasury Strategy

Closed



\$500M

Convertible Note to Acquire Bitcoin



Placement Agent

## \$500M

Convertible Note Financing With Proceeds to Acquire Bitcoin









**Strategic Partnerships** 

#### **Transaction Overview**

#### **Convertible Note Overview**

- As part of the convertible note financing, Critical Metals Corp. may have access up to \$500 million to purchase BTC subject to certain conditions, with \$100 million closing in the first tranche. The proceeds may be used to purchase BTC, subject to certain conditions being met
- The \$100 million first tranche was issued with 100% warrant coverage and subsequent tranches totaling up to \$400 million will have 50% warrant coverage
- The convertible notes are primarily secured by the cash raised and any potential BTC purchased in connection with the financing
- The notes are convertible into common stock of the company at a fixed conversion price of \$6.00 per share and the warrants are convertible at \$7.00
- This transaction makes Critical Metals Corp the first Nasdaq-listed critical minerals companies to adopt bitcoin as a primary treasury reserve asset

#### **Critical Metals Overview**

#### <u>Critical Metals Corp.</u>

- Critical Metals is a leading mining company focused on mining critical metals and minerals, and producing strategic products essential to electrification and next generation technologies for Europe and its western world partners
- The Wolfsberg Lithium Project located in Carinthia, Austria, is the first fully permitted mine in Europe strategically located to become the next major producer of key lithium products<sup>(1)</sup>
- The construction of the Wolfsberg Mine is expected to begin in 2025 while production is anticipated to commence in 2026

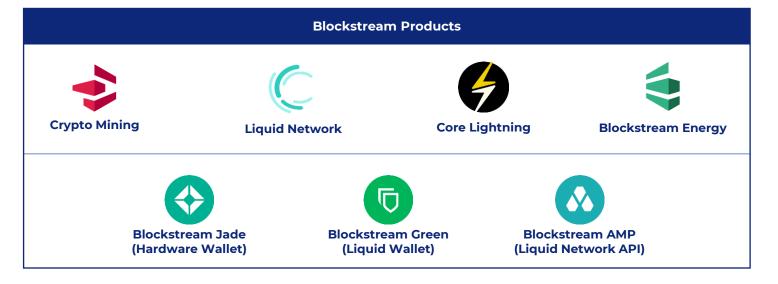
#### **Tanbreez Greenland Rare Earth Mine**

- On August 13, 2024, Critical Metals announced that it has completed Stage 1 of its recently announced plan to acquire a controlling interest in the Tanbreez Greenland Rare Earth Mine (the "Tanbreez Project") from Rimbal Pty Ltd., a company controlled by geologist Gregory Barnes
- This transaction builds on Critical Metals Corp's previously announced initial acquisition of a 5.55% stake in Tanbreez in exchange for an investment of \$5.0M in Rimbal, increasing the Company's total interest in Tanbreez to 42%

# CCM Served as Exclusive Financial Advisor To Blockstream for its Successful Capital Raises, Securing \$125M for its Mining Operations and an Additional \$210M for its Software Business

# Blockstream \$210M Convertible Note to Expand Software Capabilities FULGUA VENEURES Exclusive Financial Advisor





## **Blockstream & Financing Overview**

#### **Blockstream Overview**

- Blockstream, founded in 2014, is a leading company in Bitcoin and blockchain infrastructure, dedicated to creating the financial systems of the future through innovative technologies
- The firm focuses on enhancing the Bitcoin ecosystem by developing sidechains, such as the Liquid Network, which enables faster and more confidential transactions while supporting various digital assets
- With a strong emphasis on research and development,
   Blockstream aims to reduce reliance on trust in financial markets and promote a decentralized financial future
- Blockstream Mining introduces innovative financial products like the Blockstream Mining Note (BMN), allowing qualified investors to gain exposure to Bitcoin mining through tokenized hashrate

#### Financing Overview

- On October 15<sup>th</sup> 2024, Blockstream closed its \$210M funding round to expand its software business led by Fulgur Ventures
- On January 24<sup>th</sup> 2023, Blockstream announced raising \$125M in convertible note and secured loan financing to expand its institutional Bitcoin mining colocation services
  - Kingsway Capital led the round with other investors including Fulgur Ventures

## CCM is the Sole M&A Advisor on Arkon's Acquisition of 200MW Data Center in Ohio

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**Acquisition of** 

**200MW Data Center** 

**Price Undisclosed** 

Sole M&A Advisor

## **100MW**

of Capacity by 2023E **200MW** 

of Full Capacity

3.3 EH/s

**\$26M**Fresh Funding

## **Arkon Energy Overview**

- Arkon is a global data center infrastructure company that buys, builds, and operates world-class, sustainably powered data centers
- Arkon's business and portfolio are institutional grade, diversified across stable jurisdictions with strong revenues and exceptional growth, underpinned by reliable low-cost renewable power, and a robust and growing range of end-use cases
- Arkon's data centers are local consumers in the physically constrained grids where the renewable electricity is generated, helping more of those projects become viable sooner, and accelerating the global renewable energy transition

## **Transaction Highlights**

- Arkon has successfully raised \$26 million in capital from Sandton Capital Partners, a global credit-oriented asset manager, and participation from JGB Management, an existing lender to Arkon. This investment will support Arkon's strategic growth and international expansion
- The acquisition of the data center facility in Ohio is a significant milestone for Arkon Energy for expanding to the U.S.
- Arkon intends to use the facility for providing server hosting services to institutional-scale clients in the Bitcoin sector, creating a predictable, fixed-income revenue stream
- Arkon has identified several opportunities for expansion in North America and expects the acquisition in Hannibal to be the first of several over the next 12 months

#### **Ohio Site Overview**

- The data center in Hannibal, Ohio is designed for a 100 megawatts first stage and 200MW second stage capacity
- Arkon plans to immediately commence completion of facility developments which are already underway at Hannibal to rapidly bring the property to its first stage design capacity of 100 MW
- Expected to add up to 3.3 EH/s of processing power to Arkon's hosted hashrate before the end of 2023
- The site is expected to create rural technology jobs, expand Ohio's electrical customer base, and bring investment to the local community

#### **Ohio Site**









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