

# **The Next Million:**

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The next MILLION dollar crypto fortune is starting now.

We are on the cusp of the greatest crypto supply crunch ever — with Blackrock, the largest asset manager *in the world*, expected to launch a Bitcoin ETF ...

And with the imminent halving event on 2024's horizon, Bitcoin will surge to unseen levels — \$250,000 or higher in the next 18 months.

The effect will create a tailwind for not only Ethereum, but for a host of tokens as well.

And I think we're about to see the biggest crypto bull market in history ... led by the seven cryptos in this report.

I've been in crypto for nearly a decade. I've seen bear and bull markets come and go.

And what I know is that the big picture for crypto and blockchain hasn't changed.

There's enormous room for growth. Right now, only 4.2% of the world has used crypto.

But that number is growing exponentially.

In fact, if it follows its current trajectory, it could hit 1 billion crypto users by 2026. That's triple the current use base!

That also means that crypto could go from its current market cap of less than \$2 trillion ... to *\$200 trillion*.

In fact, I believe these recent events are the final signal for the biggest bull run the sector has ever seen.

It've identified our next seven trades **capable** of generating seven figures. (But, as always with any investment, there are no guarantees.)

And that's exactly what I'm giving you in this report. These are the seven cryptos I'm confident will be the foundational trades of this \$200 trillion crypto surge.

They could generate the next seven-figure fortune for those who decide to go "all-in."

I'm excited to get you started, but first, I want to give you a sneak peek at how I picked these seven trades.

## MY 3-PART STRATEGY

I've been in the crypto world for nearly 10 years. I eat, breathe and sleep crypto at this point.

But while there's nothing else I'd rather do, it can be a complicated sector.

And it gets bigger all the time. One hundred new coins are minted every day.

But I don't recommend coins just for the sake of trading.

I use a three-point strategy to pinpoint the ones that have the potential to deliver 10X or even 100X returns.

Here's what I do.

- 1. Real world demand** — I look at the total addressable market, real-world incentives in the coin, and that it is actually being used by people. By following this step, I eliminate 80% of cryptos right away.
- 2. The players** — I look to see who's involved: the developers, investors and users. In particular, I need to see a group of accomplished developers. I also look for signs that the right investors are already in.
- 3. Deep analysis** — This is about getting to the heart of the coin itself. In many cases, we read the white paper to understand how it works, why it works, what the supply schedule looks like and much more.

And that's my three-part strategy! For each of your seven coins, I'll walk you through each step of this process, so you'll know how I chose this coin and why I think it has the potential to hand you your next million.

Let's jump in!

## THE NEXT MILLION COIN NO. 1

Bitcoin debuted in 2009, and its mysterious creator, Satoshi Nakamoto, developed it as a new form of currency that wasn't reliant on the trustworthiness of banks and governments.

It wasn't until Ethereum came on the scene in 2015 that crypto went beyond just being a currency or a store of value.

Ethereum introduced and popularized the concept of the blockchain being a programmable layer on top of which you can build and deploy applications such as decentralized exchanges and games.

Why? Because you can run smart contracts.

For a long time, this was the differentiating point between bitcoin and Ethereum. Where Ethereum was seen as the path to the next iteration of the internet, bitcoin was seen as just a store of value.

**Stacks (STX)** is a crypto project that is looking to change this.

Originally named Blockstack, Stacks was founded in 2013 as a way to bring the approach of bitcoin as a type of decentralized currency uncontrolled by big players to the concept of the internet.

## MY THREE PART STRATEGY ON STX

1. **Real world demand** – the concept of programmable smart contracts are already in use on the Ethereum and Solana blockchains.

These smart contracts have been used to build more than 3000 decentralized applications (dapps) on Ethereum and more than 350 dapps on Solana even though they only have 365,000 and 287,000 daily active wallets respectively.

If STX can leverage bitcoin's massive 835,000 daily active wallets, it can one day become a much bigger platform with more dapps than Ethereum and Solana.

2. **The Players** – Stacks was founded by Princeton alumni, Muneeb Ali and Ryan Shea ran its concept through a peer-review process in which academics at Princeton and Stanford evaluated its viability.

In 2014 the company managed to pass an early version of this idea through startup accelerator, Y Combinator.

3. **Deep Analysis** – The Stacks team chose bitcoin for two reasons: security and network size.

The bitcoin network is stable and decentralized, with thousands of participants in its ecosystem verifying transactions. This makes bitcoin transactions nearly impossible to manipulate.

And since its first block in 2009, bitcoin has experienced nearly zero interruptions and has maintained a 99.98% uptime.

Bitcoin is also the largest and most popular network, with over 460 million wallets and over 403,000 daily transactions.

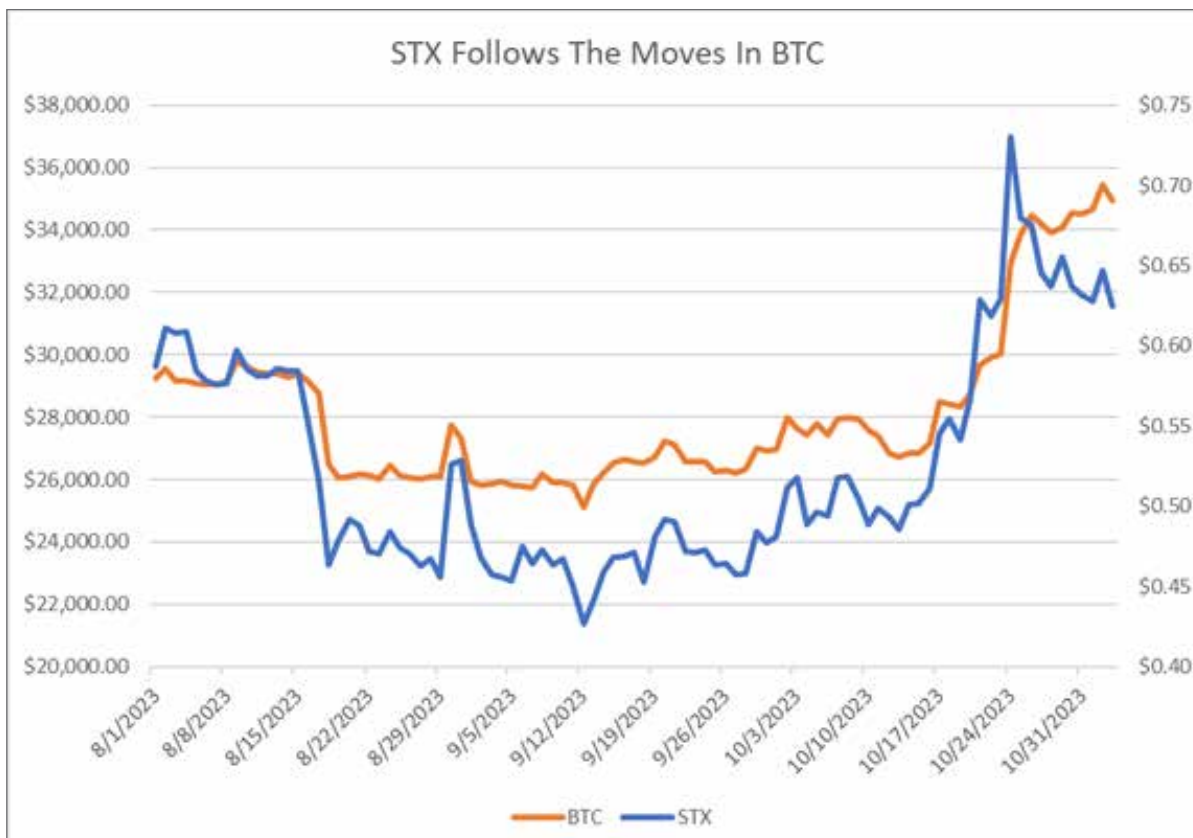
This makes it the best way to onboard users onto Stacks and the various applications built on it.

STX rose nearly 300% in February of 2023 thanks to a different protocol called “Bitcoin Ordinals.”

This protocol introduced a way to create non-fungible tokens on the bitcoin blockchain, which was previously only possible on blockchains such as Ethereum and Solana.

The concept boosted the interest around more use cases for bitcoin rather than just being a store of value, reaffirming Stacks' purpose.

While Ordinals are more directly connected to bitcoin, Stacks is a more versatile platform capable of creating more complex applications and functions on top of the bitcoin blockchain.



And as it grows into this space and more users recognize its potential, Stacks is set to benefit.

Additionally, the token is correlated and often follows the trajectory of bitcoin making it a beneficiary of gains in a bigger, more stable and well-known crypto.

**Action to Take: Buy Stacks (STX).**

BUY ACTION TO TAKE	
Crypto:	Stacks (STX)
Buy-up-to:	\$0.90
Exchange:	Buy on Coinbase.
Store it on:	Coinbase.

**Note:** Remember, with any trade that has a high upside, there’s also a downside. So never put more than you can afford to lose into any single trade.

To watch a tutorial, [click here](#).

**THE NEXT MILLION COIN NO. 2**

Bitcoin and Ethereum are the “blue chips” of cryptocurrencies.

Bitcoin eliminated the middleman from peer-to-peer payments, while Ethereum created programmable money.

They have one thing in common, though. They’re both Layer-1 blockchains.

That means they serve as the base layer to validate and finalize transactions.

Both have “first mover” advantages, but they’re not perfect. In fact, their transactions per second (TPS) lag the rest of the crypto sphere.

That’s where our next recommendation comes in.

Engineer Anatoly Yakovenko founded **Solana (SOL)** in 2017.

Yakovenko, who worked for tech companies such as Qualcomm and Dropbox, had a groundbreaking idea.







He wanted to create a protocol faster than existing networks.

And he did just that. Yakovenko solved the throughput problems that slowed down Ethereum and bitcoin.

You see, Solana has 200 distinct nodes that can support more than 50,000 transactions per second.

Each node has a cryptographic clock that helps it determine the order of events without waiting for the rest of the network. Thus, the network can achieve throughput that’s even faster than credit card processors.

Solana is way faster than other comparable crypto assets, as you can see:

	 <b>SOLANA</b>	 ETHEREUM	 EOS	 CARDANO	 TEZOS	 STELLAR
Transaction Throughput	59,000 tps	17 tps	3900 tps	~250 tps	50 tps	~2000 tps
Transaction Fee	\$0.00001	~\$2	Free <small>(need bandwidth by staking)</small>	~\$0.02	\$0.00232	\$0.000001
Transaction Finality	0.4 sec (1 block)	5 mins (35 blocks)	2.5 mins 2/3 of BPs	~2 mins	30 mins	4 sec
Consensus Mechanism	Proof of Stake	Proof of Work	Delegated Proof of Stake	Ouroboros Proof of Stake	Liquid Proof of Stake	Federated Byzantine Agreement

Let’s look at how Solana checks off our three-part strategy...

### MY 3-PART STRATEGY AT WORK IN SOLANA

- 1. Real world demand** — Solana is in demand for its use in DeFi and NFTs. Solana DeFi platforms let users trade, borrow and lend digital assets.

Its main NFT platform, Magic Eden, surpassed OpenSea in transactions in June 2022. It also raised \$130 million to grow its marketplace. This ensures that Solana-based NFTs will boom.

- 2. The Players** — The project is backed by some of the biggest crypto venture capital money from firms like Multicoin Capital and Foundation Capital.

Andreesen Horowitz, the early investor in big winners like Lyft, Instagram and Airbnb helped Solana raise capital because its faster blockchain has promising applications in decentralized finance.

- 3. Deep Analysis** — The SOL token is the native cryptocurrency used to pay nodes for running on-chain programs or validating output.

While Solana's native token is on the rise, there is an opportunity for continued growth as more projects launch off this base layer.

That's why I think the Solana token is positioned for even more growth ahead. I could see it reaching \$500, which is excellent upside from here.

**Action to take: Buy Solana (SOL).**

BUY ACTION TO TAKE	
Crypto:	Solana (SOL)
Buy-up-to:	\$500
Exchange:	Coinbase.
Store it on:	Ledger Nano X.

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### THE NEXT MILLION COIN NO. 3

Our digital world is continually expanding with new devices.

In order to work, these devices communicate with each other over networks. This is called the Internet of Things (IoT).

The rapidly growing IoT requires new types of telecom infrastructure. This typically requires a massive amount of capital.

Our Next Million crypto has a solution. It's called **Helium (HNT)**.

It's a blockchain-based protocol.

Helium is developing a decentralized way to provide network coverage, known as LongFi.

This type of coverage is revolutionary.

Helium is using its tokens to compensate users for setting up devices and providing network

coverage. Users, in short, build the network. (That’s why Helium is known as the “people’s network.”)

LongFi, [according to Helium](#), is built for a peer-to-peer wireless network. It can connect thousands of IoT devices to a single hotspot, or allow any device to connect to any hotspot.

The Helium network could potentially connect the entire IoT market. It’s the fastest-growing network in history, with over 980,000 miners providing network coverage.

### MY 3-STEP STRATEGY IDENTIFIED HELIUM'S MASSIVE POTENTIAL

Helium checks all three steps of my strategy easily:

- 1. Real world demand** – With its LongFi technology, Helium is in a unique position. It has the potential to encompass the entire IoT. It’s the fastest-growing network in history, with over 980,000 miners up and running!
- 2. The Players** – Helium is already a big success story in crypto. It’s been featured in *Fast Company*, *Forbes* and *Time* magazine. One of the early investors was Union Square Partners, who also seeded Twitter and cloud giant Twilio. So it has a big name backing it.
- 3. Deep Analysis** – Helium recently announced a huge new addition to its ecosystem that will disrupt the telecom industry. It’s diving in to cellular networks with the introduction of a 5G network.

This new 5G network requires miners to buy and set up a mining device. The device acts as a 5G hotspot, providing a signal to nearby devices. In return, it compensates the miner in a new token called MOBILE.

There are currently around 7,700 5G hotspot providers.

Change is also coming to Helium’s network. Soon new and existing miners on the network will receive the IOT token in exchange for running a hotspot device.

But the HNT token isn’t going anywhere. It will now act as the reserve currency of the Helium project. Helium has plans to allow holders to exchange HNT for MOBILE and IOT.

I believe HNT is headed much higher.

In the next few years, HNT could easily reach \$100.

So grab your tokens now!

**Action to take: Buy Helium (HNT).**

BUY ACTION TO TAKE	
Crypto:	Helium (HNT)
Buy-up-to:	\$100
Exchange:	Coinbase.
Store it on:	Ledger Nano X.



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## THE NEXT MILLION COIN NO. 4

If you've noticed, all of our Next Million Coins so far are set to shake up their respective areas.

THORChain is changing how people transact tokens on different networks.

Solana is hot on the heels of bitcoin and Ethereum, set to overtake them.

Helium hotspots are changing how our digital devices communicate with each other.

That's because crypto's underlying technology — the blockchain — is the biggest revolution of our lifetime.

It's will fundamentally change our entire internet.

And that includes the market for digital services.

That brings me to our fourth Next Million coin.

**Livepeer (LPT)** is an Ethereum-based protocol for video transcoding. It operates as a "platform as a service."

If developers need to add live or on-demand video to their websites, they turn to LivePeer.

You see, before a video is ever available to stream, it's transcoded. This process allows it to play across different devices and bandwidths.

Currently, video streaming accounts for 80% of internet bandwidth consumption. It's a very expensive cost for content distributors.

Ultimately, consumers pay for this expense in the form of high monthly subscriptions, ads and surrendering their private user data.

Livepeer addresses this problem with a token-incentivized, open-network model.

Let's dive into how it passed my three-step strategy.

## LIVEPEER AND MY 3-STEP STRATEGY

- 1. Real world demand** — Video transcoding is extremely expensive for content distributors. According to the Livepeer team: "Today, this process costs around \$3 per stream per hour to a cloud service such as Amazon, up to \$4,500 per month for one media server, and up to \$1,500 per month before bandwidth for a content delivery network." Livepeer can reduce those costs by *up to 50 times* compared to traditional methods.
- 2. The Players** — In February 2018, the company raised \$3 million in funding during a seed round. It followed up with an \$8 million Series A round.

Investors in the company include standout names like 1kx, CoinFund, Collaborative Fund, Compound, Digital Currency Group and many more.

Also, notably, Grayscale owns \$3.3 million in LPT as of December 2022. A plan for an exchange-traded note, similar to Grayscale Bitcoin Trust and Grayscale Ethereum Trust, is in the works. This could give Livepeer another boost if the exchange-traded note is announced.

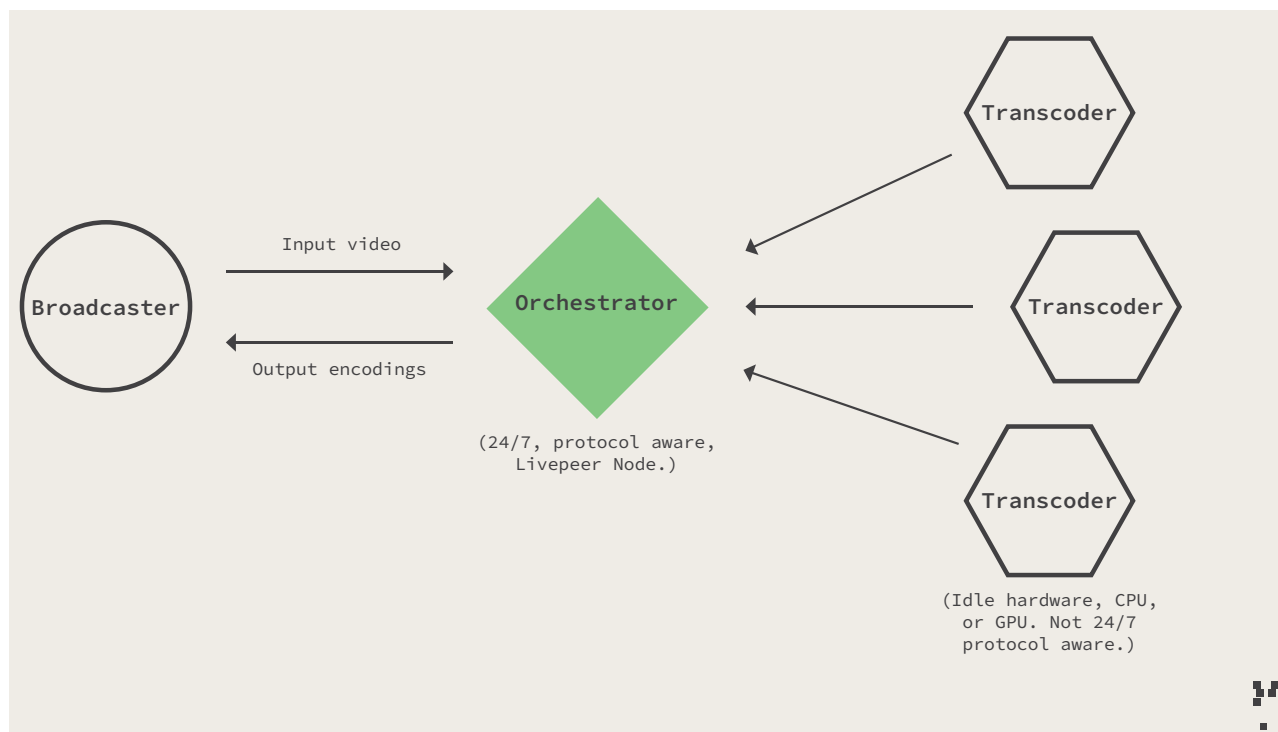
### 3. Deep Analysis — I took a dive into how Livepeer’s process works...

Livepeer’s video streaming process starts with the content creators, called “broadcasters.”

Broadcasters send video streams and fees into the network. The video streams are received by “Orchestrators” — users who have contributed their graphics and central processing units and bandwidth to the network in exchange for the fees paid out in ETH.

The Orchestrators send videos to transcoder hardware, which encodes and reformats the video before sending it back to the Orchestrators to check the work.

LPT holders can also participate by staking their LPT with a trusted Orchestrators for a portion of their rewards and fees. These holders are called “Delegators.”



New LPT is minted each round, where 1 round = 5,760 Ethereum blocks.

Considering that in Ethereum one block is mined roughly each second, each Livepeer round lasts approximately 24.61 hours.

This is how often Orchestrators are rewarded with tokens for the work performed. The LPT token acts as the coordination and incentivization mechanism in the network.

With this system in place, Livepeer is able to steadily expand.

I see Livepeer reaching as high as \$150.

So now is our time to hop on the investor train.

**Action to take: Buy Livepeer (LPT).**

TRADE INSTRUCTIONS	
Crypto:	Livepeer (LPT)
Buy-up-to:	\$150
Exchange:	Coinbase.
Store it on:	Coinbase.

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## THE NEXT MILLION COIN NO. 5

Crypto technology is about to change video gaming, too.

This industry is enormous.

According to ReportLinker, in 1990, the global video game market was only \$18 billion. That's grown almost 10 times to \$190 billion today.

And it's going to get even bigger. It's on track to grow to \$293 billion by 2027.

Of course, video games have evolved over that same time frame, too.

We've gone from consoles to online "free to play" games.

Of course, that term is a misnomer.

Even though the massive hit *Fortnite* is free to play, gamers spent a whopping \$5.8 billion in revenue in 2021.

Features such as special items or outfits all cost money.

And now, the gaming industry will completely transform with blockchain.

And our next crypto is one of the leaders — **The Sandbox (SAND)**.

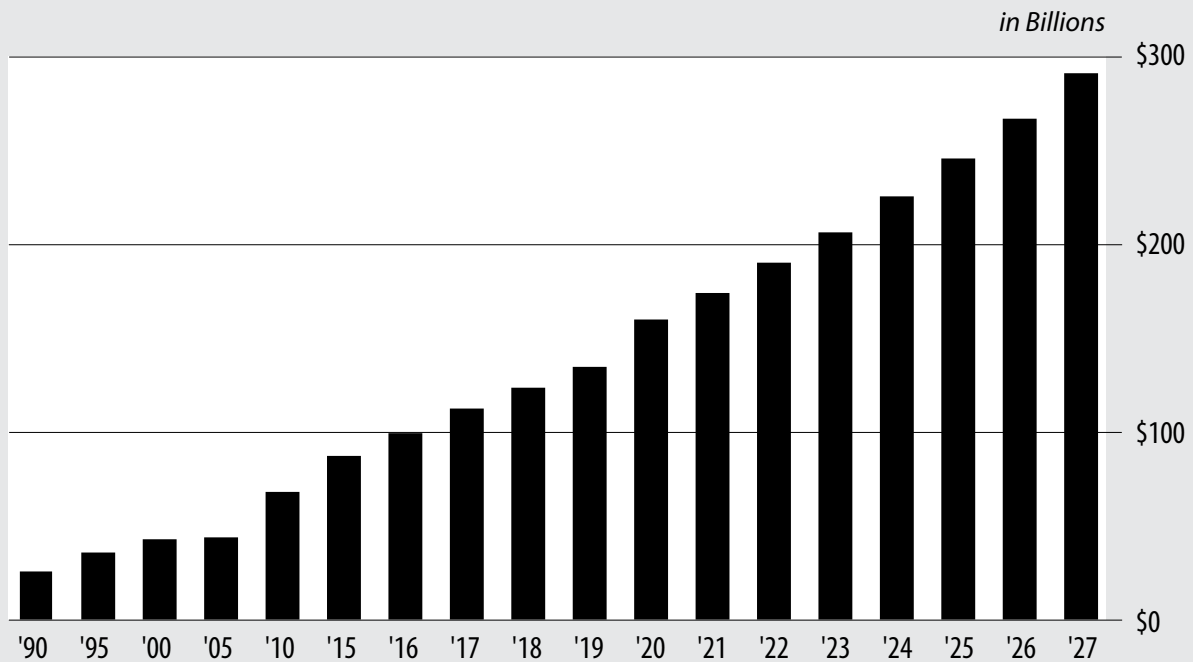
Sandbox is an Ethereum-based virtual-world and gaming ecosystem.

Users can create, share, and monetize assets and games.

This ecosystem takes games like Minecraft and Roblox, and moves the entire experience onto a blockchain.

Let's dive into how it ranks in my three-step strategy...

## Global Video Game Market



SOURCES: Fandom, PwC, Report Linker

### THE SANDBOX AND MY 3-STEP STRATEGY AT A GLANCE

- 1. Real world demand** — Video gaming, like many different industries, is set to be rocked by blockchain technology.

Remember, blockchains keep track of who owns what without the need for a middleman.

This means, blockchains could eventually track ownership of in-game assets in the form of tokens. On top of that, gamers could even get rewards for playing.

This is why blockchains will usher in a new form of games, called “play to earn.” Playing to earn is the future of gaming. I expect it will massively disrupt the \$190 billion gaming industry.

Sandbox is in the perfect position to capitalize on this disruption.

- 2. The Players** — Sandbox has a big jump in the play to earn space. It raised \$3.21 million in a seed round financing in 2019 to grow the project and followed that in 2020 with another raise through private sales.

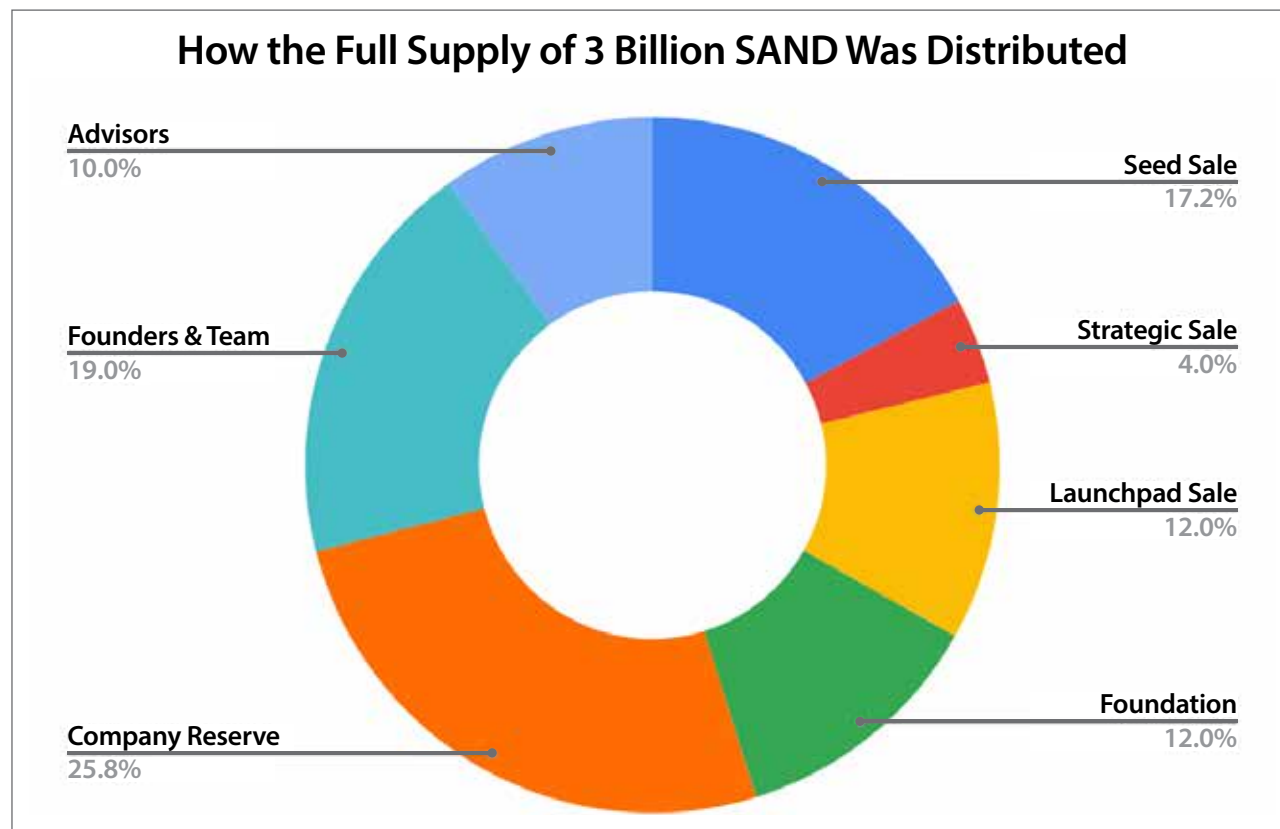
Major investors include Binance Labs, Hashed and True Global Ventures. In August 2020, the company raised another \$3 million through an initial exchange offering.

- 3. Deep Analysis** — The Sandbox ecosystem consists of multiple types of tokens, each with a specific use case.

- a. SAND — the governance token for Sandbox. It's also the currency to transact on the platform. It's what I recommend we buy.
- b. ASSETS — These are the objects — anything from avatar equipment to trees — that users can create and trade.
- c. LAND — These tokens grant ownership to digital piece of real estate in the Sandbox metaverse. Each LAND is a unique NFT on the ETH blockchain.
- d. ESTATE — The Sandbox metaverse only has 166,464 LAND plots. Users can buy multiple plots and combine them into one property creating an ESTATE.
- e. Catalysts and Gems — These are tokens that come into play with the creation of ASSETS. Together, they determine the tier and scarcity of the ASSETS. These tokens are burnt on usage and can be acquired by buying them from other users or by staking SAND tokens.

The platform takes a 5% cut of all transactions. Half of these revenues go to the staking pools. The other half will go to the Sandbox Foundation. This ensures that the ecosystem continues to grow.

I recommend you purchase SAND tokens, as these will appreciate as the Sandbox ecosystem grows. We can also stake these tokens to earn more SAND.



From here, SAND has the potential to reach \$10, which would deliver a nice gain.

So now's the time to buy SAND before this play-to-earn leader becomes the next Minecraft or Fortnite.

**Action to take: Buy The Sandbox (SAND).**

TRADE INSTRUCTIONS	
Crypto:	The Sandbox (SAND)
Buy-up-to:	\$10
Exchange:	Coinbase or Uniswap.
Store it on:	Coinbase or Uniswap.

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**How to buy:** [Click here](#) for a tutorial to buy SAND on Uniswap. You will need a MetaMask wallet to make the trade. For a tutorial on how to set one up, [click here](#).

**Crypto Note:** If you would like to stake your SAND tokens, I recommend doing so with either OKCoin or Gemini. I do not recommend staking SAND on Uniswap.

## THE NEXT MILLION COIN NO. 6

Ethereum, or as I like to call it, the Next Gen Coin, has one goal in mind: to become the base layer for all digital resources and commerce.

There's one big problem, however.

As Ethereum becomes more popular, it's becoming overcrowded. And more activity on the network means slower speeds and higher gas fees for transactions.

That's why developers are updating Ethereum's network to ETH 2.0. The goal is to move ETH from Point of Work (PoW) to Point of Stake (PoS). This will make transactions cheaper and faster.

But if the Ethereum blockchain wants to become the go-to base layer, it will need even more speed and block space.

That's why developers are working on other Layer-2 projects.

These all have the same goal in mind: lower gas fees and improved transaction speeds.

One Layer-2 solution is called a sidechain, which is an independent blockchain that runs parallel to the main chain and can communicate with it.

Here's an illustration: There's an express train on a subway that travels along the same route as the regular train. Although the path is the same, it makes fewer stops, so it moves more quickly.

In other words, the sidechain transactions are faster and cheaper, allowing for a higher throughput of transactions compared to the mainchain.

And these are a great opportunity to buy into the coming \$200 trillion trend about to hit crypto...

## THE LEADING SIDECHAIN SOLUTION

**Polygon (MATIC)** is one of the most popular sidechain projects out there.

The Polygon network was built on top of Ethereum's blockchain and runs parallel to it.

But it's much faster and cheaper than Ethereum.

Polygon handles around 7,000 transactions per second. It also processes them for a fraction of a cent!

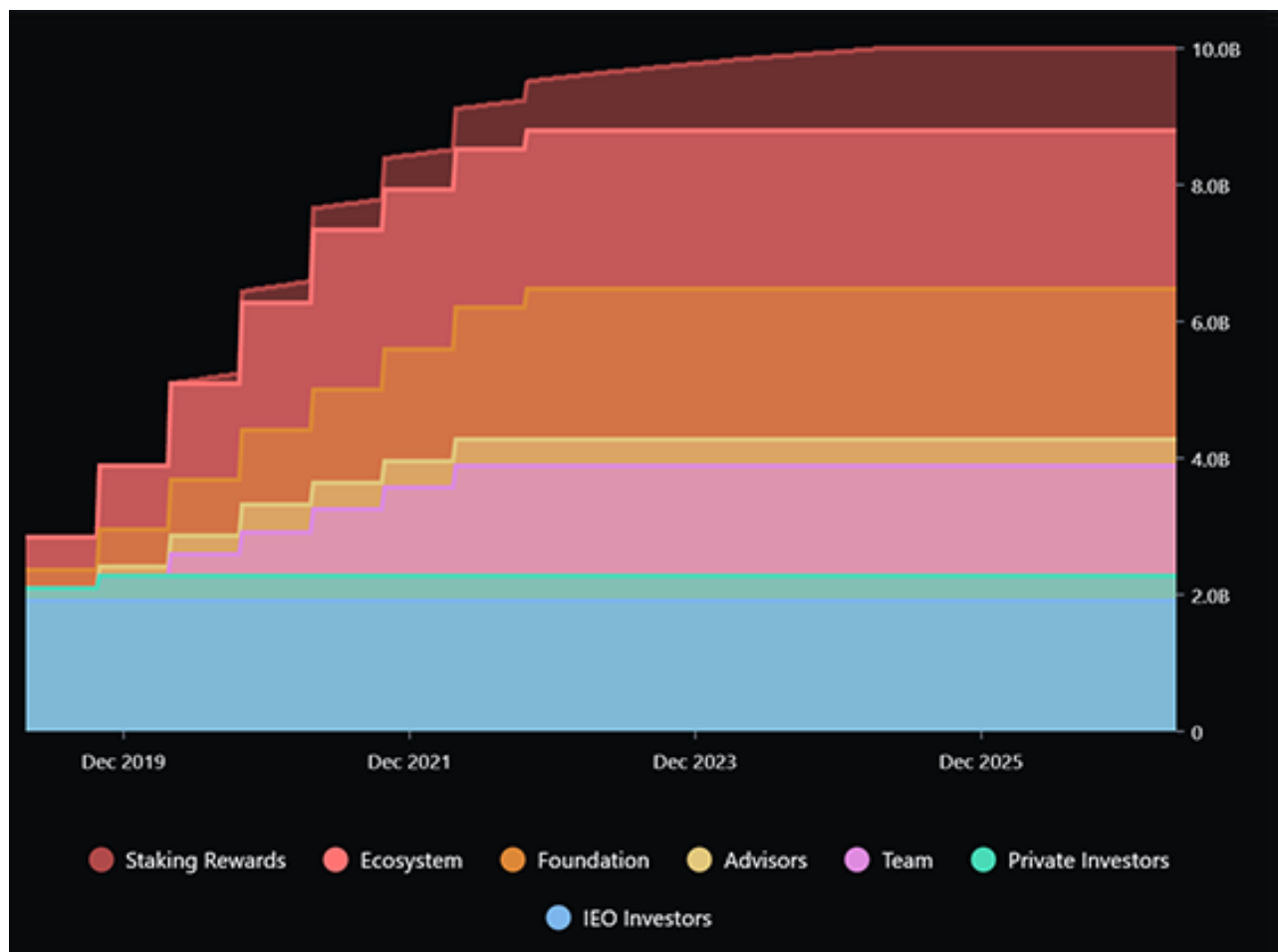
It's faster because it uses a proof-of-stake validation and consensus system.

Polygon and Ethereum are connected via the [Polygon Bridge](#), which allows users to take their ETH onto the Polygon sidechain. Then you can use it for any decentralized application running on the sidechain, such as Aave and Sushi.

Let's go through MATIC, using our three-step strategy...

## THE DOWNLOW ON POLYGON

- 1. Real world demand** – With the ETH merge delayed, there's rising demand for sidechains as a way to avoid higher gas fees and slower speeds. So people are turning to Layer-2 protocols, including sidechains. Polygon is one of the leading sidechain projects.



2. **The Players** — Polygon was founded by Jaynti Kanani, Sandeep Nailwal and Anurag Arjun. The trio initially raised over \$450,000 in two startup funding rounds in 2019. Later that same year, the company raised \$5 million through its initial exchange offering with its launch on Binance.
3. **Deep Analysis** — The MATIC token is used for all rewards and fees distributed to, and staked by, the validators and delegators.

It's also a governance token, since its holders gain proportional voting rights on issues that determine the future of the network. This is the token we'll be investing in to take advantage of Polygon's network.

And the best part, more than 50% of the token's supply is issued. That means there is scarcity.

There is a max supply of 10 billion MATIC with 8.73 billion currently in circulation. The rest of the tokens will be released by 2025, according to the following schedule:

Ethereum's 2.0 merge will be MATIC's catalyst to propel it to \$5. That would move us into the Next Million. So grab it before then!

**Action to take: Buy Polygon (MATIC).**

BUY ACTION TO TAKE	
Crypto:	Polygon (MATIC)
Buy-up-to:	\$5
Exchange:	Coinbase.
Store it on:	Coinbase.

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If you're interested in staking MATIC tokens, watch my tutorial [here](#).

## THE NEXT MILLION COIN NO. 7

Most digital platforms serve as a middleman between your data and an economic transaction.

Facebook hosts your digital identity. Uber charges up to 20% to pair you with a driver. Airbnb adds fees every time you book a rental property.

Soon, these digital interactions will be executed with smart contracts — not a middleman.

A new generation of smart-contract blockchains is about to grab a piece of the market. These are designed with speed and scalability in mind.

That's where our final Next Million crypto comes in — **NEAR Protocol (NEAR)**.

NEAR will be the go-to platform for speed and ease of use.



It's capable of 100,000 transactions per second (TPS). To put that in perspective, Ethereum's upgrade will take it from 15 TPS to 100,000 TPS.

On top of speed, NEAR leads in user-friendly experience as well.

That's because NEAR was built to mimic the web. The platform has a mission to ensure a user doesn't require specialized knowledge to operate it.

For example, NEAR has human-readable account names, instead of cryptographic wallet addresses.

But NEAR's user-friendly mission isn't just aimed at blockchain newbies.

Recently, NEAR made it easier for existing users to connect to its network by integrating MetaMask Wallet. This is remarkable.

You see, MetaMask is built to work on Ethereum and Ethereum-compatible networks. But this integration makes it possible for users on Ethereum ecosystems to connect their MetaMask wallet to NEAR.

Once they connect, they can engage with any of NEAR's dapps.

Let's take NEAR through my three-step strategy...

## NEAR'S DEVELOPMENT IS JUST BEGINNING

- 1. Real world demand** — It all started with Ethereum. This was the first cryptocurrency to allow smart contracts. It made money programmable. Ethereum's programming language enabled decentralized applications (dApps). These are protocols governed by code, not middlemen.

Today, there are dApps for everything from storage to games to financial services.

dApps require blockchains that are easily scalable, faster and better. The first generation of blockchains weren't built to handle these dApps (which is why ETH is upgrading to a faster version of itself).

However, with dApps getting more complicated, there's going to be a need for more space on the blockchain. This need will be greater than what Ethereum can handle. That's where NEAR comes in.

- 2. The Players** — With NEAR's innovative system, investors are piling in.

Between 2017 and 2019, NEAR held four round of private sales that brought in \$12.55 million. Then, in 2020, NEAR held a Series A funding round that brought in over \$21 million.

NEAR got its most noteworthy investors in 2022 with a funding round in January that brought in \$150 million. This included Three Arrows Capital, with participation Mechanism Capital, Andreessen Horowitz, Jump, Alameda, Zee Prime and Amber Group.

In April of 2022, NEAR held another funding round that was led by Tiger Global and included Republic Capital, FTX Ventures, Hashed and Dragonfly Capital. This round bought in \$350 million.

- 3. Deep Analysis** — NEAR is both the utility token and the governance token for the NEAR protocol. All fees and rewards on the network are paid out in NEAR.

NEAR is also a community governed network. That gives all holders the right to vote on proposed changes and improvements to the network.

While the team behind the project suggests ideas for development and marketing of NEAR products, it is ultimately discussed and voted on in their governance forum.

NEAR has a total supply of 1 billion tokens with 84% currently unlocked. The rest of the token supply will unlock by 2027. The network aims for 5% of the total supply to be unlocked each year.

Out of this unlocked amount each year, 90% is rewarded to validators and delegators. And 10% goes to the protocol's treasury to fund future development and marketing efforts.

NEAR also burns 70% of all transaction fees so the actual unlocked amount per year (rewards — fees burned) may be slightly greater or less than 5% depending on network activity each year.

With all this potential, I believe NEAR could reach as high as \$40. That makes now the perfect time to invest in NEAR!

**Action to take: Buy NEAR Protocol (NEAR).**

BUY ACTION TO TAKE	
Crypto:	NEAR Protocol (NEAR)
Buy-up-to:	\$40
Exchange:	Coinbase.
Store it on:	Coinbase.

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**NOW IT'S TIME TO BUY!**

There you have it — my top seven cryptos set to be your next million!

Before I leave you to your trading, I have important tips to share...

**Risk assessment:** While I think these assets are great buys, I want you to be aware of the risks.

Double-digit swings are normal for these cryptos. I have a profit-managing strategy in place to protect us, but it's good to be aware of the volatility. If these are your first crypto trades, don't worry — we have you covered!

There are plenty of resources available to help you get started.

On our [Getting Started page](#), we have:

- ***Mastering Next Wave Crypto Fortunes*** — This report details step-by-step instructions on starting your first Coinbase account.
- ***Glossary of Terms*** — A glossary of detailed crypto terms to help you navigate the world.
- ***Inside the World of Cryptos*** — This is a tutorial series on helping you get set up with crypto wallets and exchanges.

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Regards,

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## CRYPTO VOCABULARY SHEET

*Note: As I mentioned before, I've been in crypto for nearly 10 years, so I speak the lingo like it's my native language. However, if this is your first dive into crypto, that's OK. Use this cheat sheet to refer to any terms you're unfamiliar with.*

- **Blockchain** — A digital form of record keeping. It's the underlying technology behind cryptocurrencies.
- **Blockchain nodes** — A computer that connects to a blockchain network.
- **Layer 1 blockchain** — Layer 1 refers to a base network, such as Bitcoin or Ethereum, and its underlying infrastructure. Layer-1 blockchains can validate and finalize transactions without the need for another network.
- **Layer-2 protocol** — Layer-2 protocols rely on the Layer-1 network for security and consensus. It allows users to make transactions freely before recording them into the main chain.
- **Decentralized apps (dApps)** — dApps are open-source applications that run on a peer-to-peer blockchain network, rather than on a single computer.
- **Proof-of-Stake (PoS)** — PoS was created as an alternative to PoW. It reduces the computational power needed to verify a block, by using actors known as “verifiers” and “delegators.”
- **Proof-of-Work (PoW)** — This is a decentralized mechanism that requires crypto miners to solve a mathematical puzzle. It aims to prevent anyone cheating the system.
- **Validator** — In a PoS network, validators run nodes and are randomly assigned transactions to verify and then paid a fee in exchange for doing so.
- **Delegator** — In PoS, delegators on the network can stake their funds in a pool with a validator of their choice. They then receive a portion of the fees for validating transactions.
- **Fisherman** — PoS network participants that verify the status of the validator nodes. They are encouraged to root out validator nodes that damage the integrity of the network. In return, they are paid a portion of slashed fees from the bad validators.
- **Smart contract** — An algorithmic program that enacts the terms of a contract automatically based on its code.
- **Utility token** — A utility token serves some use case within a specific ecosystem. These tokens allow users to perform some action on a certain network.

- **Governance token** — Governance tokens represent voting on a blockchain. They distribute the power of making major platform decisions from a centralized structure to an entire community.
- **Sidechain** — Sidechains are a Layer-2 protocol. They're independent blockchains that run parallel to the main chain and can communicate with it.
- **Stablecoin** — Stablecoins are cryptos where the price is pegged to a cryptocurrency, fiat money or to exchange-traded commodities.
- **Decentralized exchanges (DEXs)** — Decentralized exchanges are peer-to-peer marketplaces. Crypto traders make transactions directly without handing over management of their funds to an intermediary or custodian.



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