# OptiMiner - Team 8

Smarter Bitcoin Mining with Cloud Spot Instances and Data Centers

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#### The Problem

- Bitcoin mining is expensive and inefficient
- Data centers consume power 24/7 not always cost-effective
- Cloud spot instances are up to 90% cheaper, but unreliable
- Bitcoin price and mining difficulty change constantly
- How do you decide where to spend your mining budget right now?

### Our Goal

Maximize BTC profit per dollar spent by intelligently splitting hourly budget between datacenters and cloud spot instances.

## What Is OptiMiner?

#### OptiMiner is an intelligent system that:

- Takes an hourly mining budget
- Fetches live market data (AWS spot prices, BTC price, difficulty, power cost at each DC location)
- Calculates expected profitability per compute unit
- Uses a reinforcement learning agent to choose the optimal allocation between in-house datacenters and cloud spot instances for max profitability
- Simulates AWS scaling calls to scale your compute