

Fintech's frontrunner

Payments has attracted the most capital, the most number of unicorns, and highest valuations

Rapid ascent

Payments disruptors are collectively capturing significant market share as incumbents consolidate in the industry

E-commerce as the accelerant

E-commerce and digital adoption has been accelerated by the pandemic



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Payments overview

Global fintech investment breakdown by vertical: Payments



70+
Unicorns

2,800+ Companies

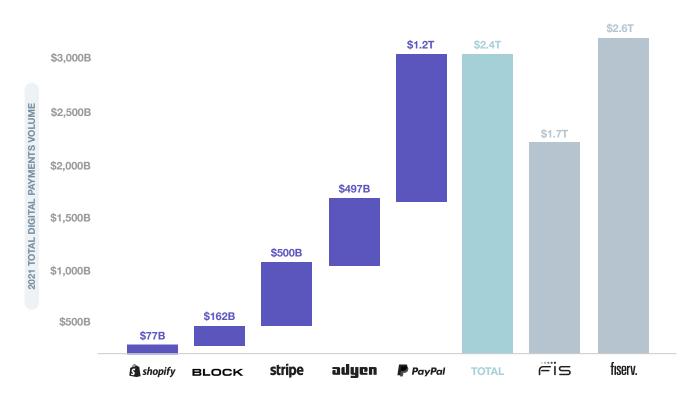
\$118B Raised since 2012

\$328B Top 10 valuation

Source: PitchBook, F-Prime team analysis **Note:** Stripe (\$152B) accounts for 46% of top 10 valuation.



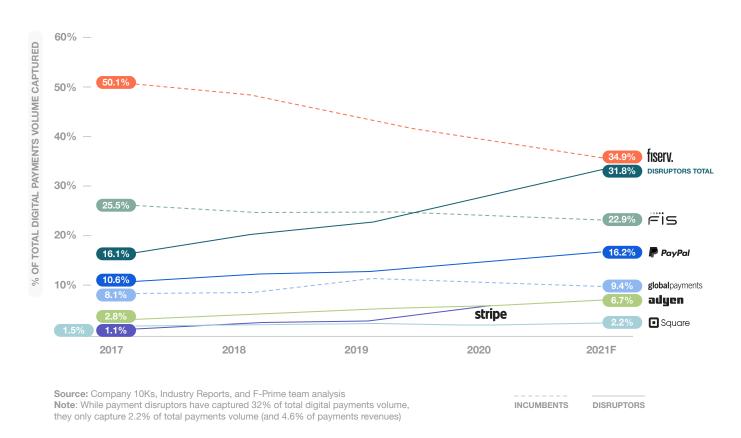
Nowhere has fintech disruption been more apparent than in payments, where the disruptors cumulatively reach the volumes processed by Fiserv

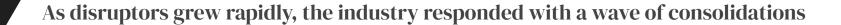


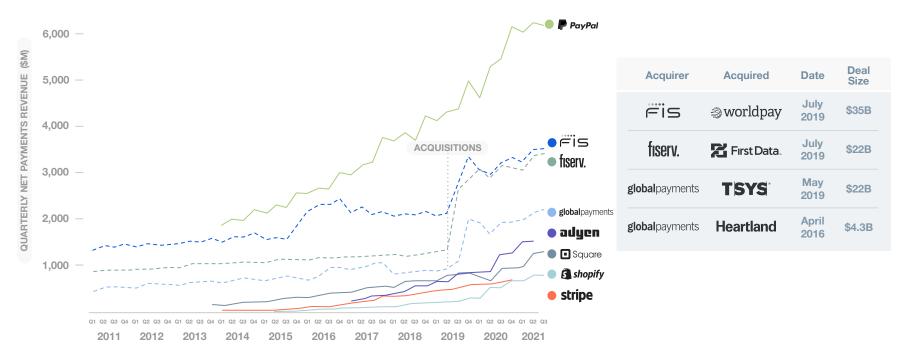
Source: Company 10Ks; F-Prime team analysis Note: On December 1, 2021 Square changed name to Block, Inc.



Natively digital payment processors like PayPal, Square, Stripe and Adyen have captured 32% share of the digital payment volume in the U.S., and their market share is accelerating



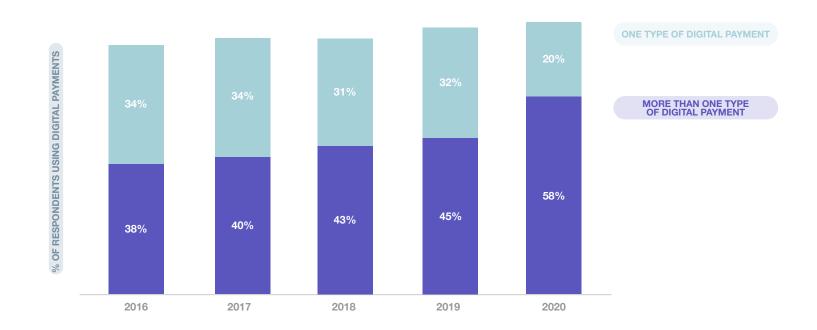




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The global pandemic accelerated the already steady shift to digital payments



Source: 2020 McKinsey Digital Payments Consumer Survey



The pandemic also accelerated e-commerce with e-commerce platforms expected to capture 20% of retail spend by end of year

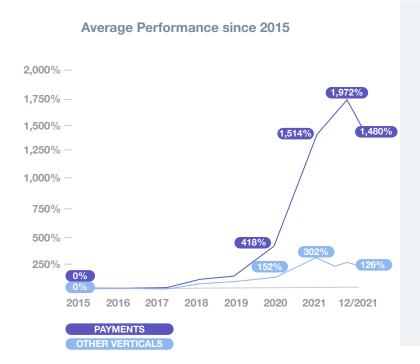




Source: eMarketer; MarketplacePulse, Shopify 10Ks, F-Prime team analysis



Public markets have rewarded payments startups – they are among the highest performing fintech disruptors in the F-Prime Fintech Index





Source: Yahoo Finance, F-Prime team analysis **Note**: Data above is as of 9/30/2021.



Dynamic payment trends we are tracking

Globalization of Commerce

Companies and consumers are selling and buying globally placing demands on supply chain, fulfillment and payment acceptance

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Vertical Payments

More vertical software companies will emerge and seamlessly offer embedded fintech solutions like payments, loans, and payroll

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Payment Fragmentation

Merchants need to support a wider variety of payment options including cards, wallets/ QR codes, ACH, cash and BNPL

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Crypto Payment & the Rise of Web3

15K+ businesses have began accepting crypto payments as payments begin to shift to decentralized platforms



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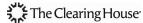


Real-Time Payments (RTP)

RTP volumes will grow significantly due to increased support by both private and public sector actors

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Granular Retail Data

Real-time Merchant and SKU level data will unlock new business models to engage consumers and businesses

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Global War on Cash

The war on cash was accelerated by the pandemic and will continue as consumers adopt faster and more convenient forms of payment





