ethereum overview report

ethereum	$7,507,735,596	122,373,866
Project Name	**Past 24h Volume**	**Total Supply**
Rank #2	$192,980,172,360	$1,576.31
Project Rank	**Market Cap**	**Price ($)**

122,373,866 ETH	$192,980,172,360	$1,594.00
Circulating Supply	**Diluted Market Cap**	**24h High ($)**
$50,921,962	$7,456,813,633	$1,566.85
DEX Volume	**CEX Volume**	**24h Low**

Google Metrics
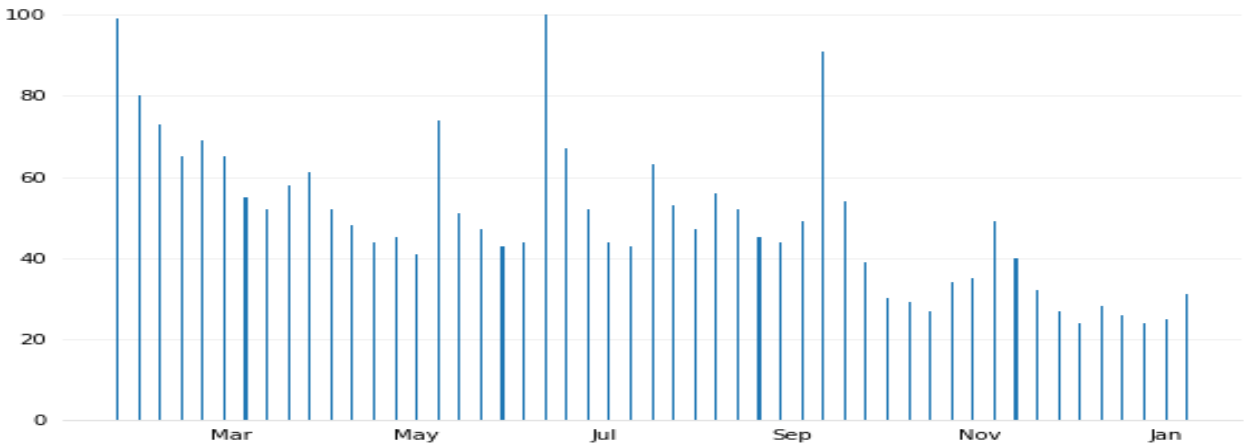
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3. Sint Maarten
4. Slovenia
5. Eswatini
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Project Summary

Ethereum is a decentralized open-source blockchain system that features its own cryptocurrency, Ether. ETH works as a platform for numerous other cryptocurrencies, as well as for the execution of decentralized smart contracts.

Ethereum was first described in a 2013 whitepaper by Vitalik Buterin. Buterin, along with other co-founders, secured funding for the project in an online public crowd sale in the summer of 2014. The project team managed to raise $18.3 million in Bitcoin, and Ethereums price in the Initial Coin Offering (ICO) was $0.311, with over 60 million Ether sold. Taking Ethereums price now, this puts the return on investment (ROI) at an annualized rate of over 270%, essentially almost quadrupling your investment every year since the summer of 2014.

The Ethereum Foundation officially launched the blockchain on July 30, 2015, under the prototype codenamed Frontier. Since then, there has been several network updates -- Constantinople on Feb. 28, 2019, Istanbul on Dec. 8, 2019, Muir Glacier on Jan. 2, 2020, Berlin on April 14, 2021, and most recently on Aug. 5, 2021, the London hard fork.

Ethereums own purported goal is to become a global platform for decentralized applications, allowing users from all over the world to write and run software that is resistant to censorship, downtime and fraud.

Ethereum has a total of eight co-founders -- an unusually large number for a crypto project. They first met on June 7, 2014, in Zug, Switzerland.

Among the other co-founders of Ethereum are: - Anthony Di Iorio, who underwrote the project during its early stage of development. - Charles Hoskinson, who played the principal role in establishing the Swiss-based Ethereum Foundation and its legal framework. - Mihai Alisie, who provided assistance in establishing the Ethereum Foundation. - Joseph Lubin, a Canadian entrepreneur, who, like Di Iorio, has helped fund Ethereum during its early days, and later founded an incubator for startups based on ETH called ConsenSys. - Amir Chetrit, who helped co-found Ethereum but stepped away from it early into the development.

Ethereum has pioneered the concept of a blockchain smart contract platform. Smart contracts are computer programs that automatically execute the actions necessary to fulfill an agreement between several parties on the internet. They were designed to reduce the need for trusted intermediates between contractors, thus reducing transaction costs while also increasing transaction reliability. Ethereums principal innovation was designing a platform that allowed it to execute smart contracts using the blockchain, which further reinforces the already existing benefits of smart contract technology. Ethereums blockchain was designed, according to co-founder Gavin Wood, as a sort of one computer for the entire planet, theoretically able to make any program more robust, censorship-resistant and less prone to fraud by running it on a globally distributed network of public nodes.