



## Section A: General information

A1. Please select in which year you started using Monero:

- |      |                          |
|------|--------------------------|
| 2014 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2015 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2016 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2017 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2018 | <input type="checkbox"/> |

A2. Select all platforms which you use to access Monero from

- |         |                          |
|---------|--------------------------|
| Windows | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Linux   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| MacOS   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Android | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| iOS     | <input type="checkbox"/> |

A3. Select all services or apps which you use to access Monero with

- |   |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| Official Monero GUI wallet (client with graphical user interface) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Official Monero CLI wallet (command line client)                  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Other desktop client  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Monerujo (Android)  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Freewallet (Android)  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Other Android wallet  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Cake Wallet (iOS)   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Freewallet (iOS)  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Other iOS wallet  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| MyMonero (online wallet)  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| XMRwallet (online wallet)   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Other online wallet   | <input type="checkbox"/> |

## Section B: Monero Usage

B1. Select main reasons why you use Monero (all that apply):

- |                  |                          |
|------------------|--------------------------|
| As an investment | <input type="checkbox"/> |
|------------------|--------------------------|



Hobby/interested in technology

Fungibility

Anonymous features

To support the Monero project

Recommended by a friend

Secure storage of value

Easy way to transfer funds without anyone knowing

To accept Monero as a form of payment

Other

Other

## B2. How often do you make transactions on the Monero network?

At least once a day

At least once a week

At least once a month

At least once every six months

At least once a year

Less than once a year

## B3. Do you evaluate yourself as HODLer?

*Hodl is an intentional misspelling of the word "hold," which is used among cryptocurrency enthusiasts when encouraging traders to resist the urge to sell one's holdings in response to market fluctuations. Following the term's surge in popularity online, the backronym "hold on for dear life" was subsequently attributed to the term.*

Yes

No

## B4. For what services do you use Monero as payment option? Please check all that apply.

Subscription services

Coffee shops, restaurants, bars

Donations

Art

Electronics



Travelling

E-shops

Darknet markets

Drugs

Poker and other gambling sites

Gift cards

Illegal usecases

VPN services

Hosting and other IT services

#### B5. Do you mine Monero?

Yes

No

#### B6. Have you ever been affected by malicious Monero software e.g. web mining, malware miners, cryptolockers demanding payments in Monero

*If you don't know, leave no answer.*

Yes

No

#### B7. Please select on the scale how much do you agree with following sentences:

strongly  
agree      agree      neutral      disagree      strongly  
disagree

Monero is easy to use  .....  .....  .....  .....

Main reason to use Monero is anonymity  .....  .....  .....  .....

Monero is fungible  .....  .....  .....  .....

Monero is not centralised  .....  .....  .....  .....

Monero's main usecase is darknet  .....  .....  .....  .....

Websites mining Monero are harmful  .....  .....  .....  .....

There are many scams around Monero  .....  .....  .....  .....

Monero as crypto, is undervaluated  .....  .....  .....  .....

Monero has a wide fluctuation of price  .....  .....  .....  .....



	strongly agree	agree	neutral	disagree	strongly disagree
ASICS are bad for Monero	<input type="checkbox"/>				

### B8. Monero anonymity usage

	Yes	Uncertain	No
Do you think that Monero transactions are anonymous?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Do you think that noone else can see your balance in wallet?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Do you use Kovri to access Monero network?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Do you use Tor to access Monero network?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

### B9. If you had the power to make Monero better in one exact thing, what would it be?

Usability	<input type="checkbox"/>
Security	<input type="checkbox"/>
Marketing	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other

## Section C: Monero key and coin management

### C1. Please select all type of wallets that you use:

Hot wallet	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cold wallet	<input type="checkbox"/>
View-only wallet	<input type="checkbox"/>
Exchange-based wallet	<input type="checkbox"/>
Web wallet	<input type="checkbox"/>
Air-gapped wallet	<input type="checkbox"/>
Paper wallet	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hardware wallet	<input type="checkbox"/>



Other

Other

**C2. Is your wallet encrypted?**

Yes

No

**C3. Is your wallet backed up?**

Yes

No

**C4. Did you ever need to restore your wallet?**

Yes

No

**Section D: Monero and malicious things**

**D1. By which type of malicious software were you affected?**

Mining malware

Ransomware

Website mining script

Malware that hijacks clipboard

Other

Other

**D2. Which platform was affected?**

Windows

Linux

MacOS

Android



iOS

Other

Other

**D3. Please select how did you discovered that you are affected by malicious software:**

Slow system, high resource usage

AV detection

Unusual behavior

Loss of data

Loss of crypto

App crashing

Unusual power draw, temperatures

Other

Other

**D4. What steps did you take to get rid of this problem?**

Malicious software removal by AV

Malicious software removal by special utilities

Wiping the system and clean install

Restore from backup

Manually removing malicious software

Other

Other



#### D5. Did you change your habits after dealing with this?

- Change in AV software
- Backups, backups, backups
- Updated software
- Updated OS
- Carefully checking software sources
- I did not
- Other

Other

### Section E: Monero recovery

#### E1. What was the reason for recovering the wallet keys?

- Hardware issue - disk failure, raid controller problem, ...
- Software issue - filesystem corruption, keys corruption, ...
- Malicious problem - malware, security breach, ...
- User error - device lost, files deleted, ...
- Other

Other

#### E2. Which storage media did you use to recover your wallet from?

- Hard drive backup
- Cloud
- Optical disc
- Flash drive
- Paper or other non-electronic means
- I remember my mnemonic seed



### E3. Were you successfull in recovering your keys?

Yes   
No

## Section F: Special question set for miners

As you selected that you are a miner, could you please, after you complete this questionnare also fill out one for miners?

Click now on the link as it will be opened in new tab and you can fill it out later.

## Section G: Demographics

### G1. Which gender are you?

Female   
Male

### G2. In which age group are you?

Under 12 years old   
12-17 years old   
18-24 years old   
25-34 years old   
35-44 years old   
45-54 years old   
55-64 years old   
65-74 years old   
75 years or older



**G3. Please select your highest achieved level of education:**

Did not complete High School

High School graduate, diploma or the equivalent (for example: GED)

Some college credit, no degree

Trade/technical/vocational training

Associate degree

Bachelor's degree

Master's degree

Professional degree

Doctorate degree

Not sure

**G4. Please select the most appropriate...**

Yes      Uncertain      No

Study or work in IT related field  .....  .....

Interested in modern technologies  .....  .....

Privacy is an important thing  .....  .....