

Crypto Orders

You can submit crypto orders through the traditional orders API endpoints (`POST/orders`).


- The following order types are supported: `market` , `limit` and `stop_limit`
- The following `time_in_force` values are supported: `gtc` , and `ioc`
- We accept fractional orders as well with either `notional` or `qty` provided

You can submit crypto orders for a any supported crypto pair via API, see the below cURL POST request.

cURL



```
curl --request POST 'https://paper-api.alpaca.markets/v2/orders' \  
--header 'Apca-API-Key-Id: <KEY>' \  
--header 'Apca-API-Secret-Key: <SECRET>' \  
--header 'Content-Type: application/json' \  
--data-raw '{  
  "symbol": "BTC/USD",  
  "qty": "0.0001",  
  "side": "buy",  
  "type": "market",  
  "time_in_force": "gtc"  
}'
```

The above request submits a market order via API to buy 0.0001 BTC with USD (BTC/USD pair) that is good till end of day.

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