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NOTE to Reddit: this is my latest GME email/newsletter to my family and friends. I usually send one out every month. What started out as merely an update to \$GME news has become something bigger, with the goal to spread important news events from around the world that [the MSM will not report on](https://youtu.be/_fHfgU8oMSo) (DRS, naked shorts, etc..). For the comprehension of the newsletter for my family and friends (who are not apes), I may dumb things down or misrepresent ideas to get the bigger point across. This newsletter is in no way ready to be vetted by the apes in [r/GME](https://www.reddit.com/r/GME/), SuperStonk, or anywhere else.

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GME update Splividend FUBAR edition

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Good morning everybody! Here's a quick update on GME after the "stock split via dividend" or "splividend" that happened on July 22:

- * \$GME trading at about 25% of its pre-dividend value (\sim \$150 > \sim \$37.50) this is normal when you have 4 shares for every 1 dilution. The total value of our shares has not changed.
- * DRS continues to march along, now at [22.8% of the free float](https://www.computershared.net/) \-27.6% are locked when you include insiders.
- * Launch of the [GameStop NFT Marketplace](https://nft.gamestop.com/) went well, and hints of a new GameStop Entertainment LLC continue to [appear out of nowhere](https://www.reddit.com/r/Superstonk/c omments/w3y39v/is this the first ever nft piece given license/).

TL;DR: The DTCC, who is in charge of handling the distribution of ALL stocks from ALL companies beyond transfer agents, may have instructed ALL brokers to call the "splividend" a normal "stock split. This goes against GameStop's instructions and is a **BIG DEAL** because it protected the DTCC, brokers, short sellers etc. from the price skyrocketing. FYI, the DTCC is the 2nd most powerful financial institution in the US after The FED. Two weeks after the splividend date, this story is still developing...

CURRENT STATUS

([Link](https://www.reddit.com/r/Superstonk/comments/wdlwza/live_view_of_brokerage_backoffices_trying to/)) **Live view of brokerage back-offices trying to reconcile their GME IOU's**

https://i.redd.it/hys1fjq6eqf91.gif

Fun Fact: unless your shares are DRS'd, they are 92.5% likely to be an **IOU**. (based on a 75,900,000 official float and a conservative 800,000,000 naked short guesstimate). But know this, your non-DRS shares are still legitimate, when you sell, you should get paid.

THE NUMBERS

I'll just repeat what I've written in previous newsletters, Wall Street [naked shorts](https://www.investopedia.com/terms/n/nakedshorting.asp) (counterfeits/creates phantoms) shares to drive prices down by diluting the value of stock. The goal of the SHF's (short hedge funds) was to "[cellar box](https://www.reddit.com/r/Superstonk/comments/pmj9yk/i_found_the_entire_naked_shorting_g ame_plan/)" GameStop much like they did with Sears, Blockbuster, Toys R Us, RadioShack etc, by naked shorting these companies until the stock price hits \$0.00. They have been attempting to cellar box GME for at least 7-8 years, and in those 7-8 years they may have [created over 5 billion naked shorts](https://www.reddit.com/r/Superstonk/comments/svv5rq/citadel_traded_714_million_gme_shares_otc_over/). This could be ultra conservative. And for the purposes of the email, I will be ultra ULTRA conservative and make the assumption that there are **800,000,000** GME naked shorts in existence:

GameStop's "splividend" was a 4:1 split. The difference between a "stock split" and a "stock split via dividend" is simple. In a normal stock split, a 4:1 split would mean every share in existence is split into 4, including the IOU counterfeit shares. For a 4:1 "stock split via dividend", each REAL share gets 3 more, and naked shorts do not. For example:

- * A 4:1 "stock split" means every share in existence gets split into 4 by the broker, including shorted/naked/counterfeit/phantom shares
- * GME float: \~75,900,000 shares instantly splits to become 303,600,000
- * Naked Shares: \~800,000,000 instantly splits to becomes 3.2billion

GameStop clearly didn't want ANOTHER 2.4 billion fake shares floating around, so they performed an unusual but not unprecedented move - a "stock split with a stock dividend" (most dividends are cash.)

- * A "stock split via dividend" means that GameStop issued 3 new shares for every REAL share. Brokers are legally bound to deliver 3 shares to every shareholder from the GameStop new share pool
- * GME float: $\-75,900,000$ shareholders receive 3 for every share + total new shares is 227,700,000 = new float total = 303,600,000
- * DRS shareholders get top priority for the new shares: $\-16,000,000$ DRS get $\-48,000,000 = \-64,000$ shares DRS'd
- * Naked Shares: `~800,000,000 shares requires 2.4 billion MORE shares to give to shareholders, but they only get an official allotment of 179,700,000 from Computershare` (227,700,000 minus 48,000,000 for DRS)

After the DRS shareholders receive their allotment of REAL shares, Computershare then sends the remaining 179,700,000 REAL shares to the DTCC, who then distributes the REAL shares to brokers and investment firms, who then distribute REAL shares and IOU's to the remaining 800,000,000 shareholders who need 2.4 billion shares total. How this works:

 $([Link](https://www.reddit.com/r/Superstonk/comments/wdtkrx/i_made_a_simple_picture_to_understand_why/))\\$

[\(drawing by u\\ItsAllJustASickGame\)](https://preview.redd.it/besnq2haeqf91.jpg?width=1200&format;=pjpg&auto;=webp&s;=571f1bfa7f60014162da1e20d2f31629ba94a1e7)

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THE DTCC

In the picture above, you can see the Clearing Company, the DTCC ([Depository Trust & Clearing Corporation](https://www.dtcc.com/)) stands between Computershare and the brokers. The DTCC is the gatekeeper between real DRS shares, and the Wall Street Casino. ALL shares (minus DRS) from ALL companies go from A Company, to a Transfer Agent (in this case Computershare), to the DTCC, to the brokers and investment firms, and then ultimately to us, retail.

I've mentioned this before, but remember: [the DTCC via the company they own, Cede & Co](https://youtu.be/Zg_jLY6MB6M), owns every single share of every single stock (GME, TSLA, AAPL, MSFT etc, etc.) that is not DRS'd. This includes all the shares in your 401k's, IRA's, brokerage accounts etc. `To be clear: unless your shares are DRS'd, you do not own them, Cede & Co. and the DTCC own them ALL.` In the world of finance and banking, only The FED is bigger and badder than the DTCC. Short hedge funds like Citadel (the hedge fund), PFOF brokers like Robinhood and TD Ameritrade, and the market makers like Citadel (the market maker), all bow down to the DTCC. The DTCC could be considered the "Final Boss" in the \$GME video game - the toughest, meanest, dirtiest, brute force bad guy you must defeat before you win the game. In the case of the Wall Street Casino, the Final Boss cheats. He also created the rulebook. And is also in charge of enforcing the rules. And is run by the same people as the SHF's, the PFOF brokers, the market makers, and The FED.

That is the Wall Street Casino, it is 100% a conflict of interest circle-jerk with one goal in common - to take all of retail's money and then to stash it in the Cayman Islands. The SEC is complicit, and Congress approves.

Fun Facts about the DTCC:

- * Owned by banks: Citigroup, BNP Paribas, JP Morgan, State Street, UBS, Goldman Sachs, Morgan Stanley, Virtu, Barclays, BNY Mellon, Bank of America.
- * Processed over **\$2.15 Quadrillion**[worth of securities in 2019](https://www.netinterest.co/p/wtf-is-dtcc-the-story-of-clearing?s=r&utm;_campaign=post&utm;_medium=web)
- * Assets over **\$70 trillion**
- * Owns Cede & Co, who actually owns 99% OF ALL STOCK, worth **\$54.2 trillion** ([same insane video as above■](https://youtu.be/Zg_jLY6MB6M))



DTCC HANDOFF TO BROKERS

So, the DTCC gives the shares to the brokers. Or did they? It took 2 weeks of Reddit sleuthing, and finally last night, somebody found something:

>REDDIT: [Why the DTCC processed it as a 'stock split', how they helped short sellers and how they created new dividend distribution rules 2 WEEKS before the GME stock dividend.](https://www.reddit.com/r/Superstonk/comments/wfff5l/why_the_dtcc_processed_it_as_a_stock_split_how/)

TL;DR: the DTCC was caught telling brokers to just make it a 'stock split', and not GameStop's requested splividend. The question still outstanding is, did the DTCC tell some brokers it's a split and others its a splividend? Or did the brokers listen to GameStop and not the DTCC? Something is up because of the

mass confusion amongst the brokers...

FUBAR

([Link](https://twitter.com/dlauer/status/1554128249638330369))

[Dave Lauer, glad we met you](https://preview.redd.it/g7m3dv6eeqf91.jpg?width=897&format;=pjpg&aut o;=webp&s;=d8457ab282f8c2c094714881589d9e99cfb0442f)

What we do know:

- * The price of GME stock was divided by 4 (from \sim \$150 to \sim \$37.50) the total value of our shares did not change
- * Most American GME shareholders received their extra 3 shares per share the result of a standard stock split, and not the "splividend"
- * People are [still having problems getting their shares](https://www.reddit.com/r/Superstonk/comments/wdmto7/context_part_2_comment_below_if_you_are_still/)
- * LOCATE ERRORS: Many brokers like TD Ameritrade could not fulfill the dividend requirements [for over a week](https://www.reddit.com/r/Superstonk/comments/wdie97/tda_finally_gave_me_dividend_shares_tr ansferred/). Multiple Locate Errors were popping up within brokerage systems. were late delivering the new shares.
- * [Some brokers](https://www.reddit.com/r/Superstonk/comments/w52nji/can_someone_explain_if_this_is _normal_degiro_just/) sold their customer's shares and [rebought those shares](https://www.reddit.com/r/Superstonk/comments/wdtcic/degiro_czech_republic_sold_my_2_shares_left_with/) on the open market. This is a taxable event this German has been dinged for [€ 9,000!](https://www.reddit.com/r/Superstonk/comments/wdgxhk/system_is_broken_my_bank_just_charged_over_9k/)
- * [A report from Monday says the German "Apes"](https://www.reddit.com/r/Superstonk/comments/weaplx/german_here_this_is_huge_bafin_the_german_sec_has/) have brought in the German equivalent of the SEC to force German brokers to retract the split and offer a dividend instead (Good news!)

GameStop was very clear that this was a "stock split via stock dividend" for the expressed purpose of putting pressure on brokers to come clean. Allowing them to perform a regular "stock split" would have let them off the hook, continuing the charade of naked shorting the stock. Right now, apes of Reddit are hammering the brokers to disclose whether they were given split shares or dividend shares. This is far from over, I'm guessing this will go on for a few weeks. What doesn't change[is the march to DRS every single share in the float](https://www.computershared.net/). This will pop the top. ■



BEYOND GME

I've been seeing this sentiment from many, many foreign investors, the comments are spot on. This is the greatest Ponzi scheme ever, and most of us don't even know we're playing:

([Link](https://www.reddit.com/r/Superstonk/comments/wf32yr/gamestop_is_the_last_time_i_will_invest_in to_usa/))

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MARK MOSS

I don't watch a lot of YouTube, but when I do, it's probably Mark Moss. He is a Bitcoin "maximalist" and thus, very much against big government and centralization (as am I.) He explains very complex and troubling financial and global trends in very simple, easy to comprehend ways. He started off with teaching finance videos, how to protect your money etc, but now he shows how dangerous the big picture really is - the World Economic Forum, the ESG (Environmental, Social, Governance) scores etc. [The following is a great video](https://youtu.be/XqWwCxg1_EY) that sums up a few of his recent ones and includes how dangerous ESG is, the fertilizer bans that [ruined Sri Lanka last month](https://twitter.com/disclosetv/status/1545689501758111744) and [has the Dutch](https://twitter.com/ramanmann1974/status/1554744105615659008) farmers [up in arms](https://twitter.com/Resist_05/status/1553348209698697217). The screenshot below with the quote from Henry Kissinger pretty much sums the video up. A must watch if you want to see what IS coming, and I am not kidding - this IS coming unless the people stand up to the global elites to stop it. [Which is also happening](https://youtu.be/IG660H1JjWU) on a scale never seen before ([230 countries having protests](https://carnegieendowment.org/publications/interactive/protest-tracker)?) - or at least never seen on American TV, because you know, if 'Merica ever actually united...

([Link](https://youtu.be/XqWwCxg1_EY))

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CHINA

I won't go into much about China, there are simply too many storylines with that country. But this IS happening:

([Link](https://twitter.com/WallStreetSilv/status/1549790086656581640))

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THE PATH TO 1984

This is the one. I wasn't sure if I should include this since it's dozens of pages of rambling about WOW no kidding! I found the writer on SuperStonk ([these links may be easier](https://www.reddit.com/user/Slyver12/submitted/) to digest [than the website](https://www.welcometothemachine.co/index.html)), and I was fascinated by the ability to really see how interconnected finance is, and the section on the [history of the Rockefeller family](https://www.welcometothemachine.co/index.html#_5-0-1) is eye-watering. Click this only if you want to fall down an endless rabbit hole to find 1984 staring right back at you. Some highlights:

* [MegaCorp](https://www.welcometothemachine.co/index.html#_2-3-1): how the combination of the largest investment firms all vote the same way to ensure the same goals. Spoiler alert, they own EVERYTHING (for example: [BlackRock, Vanguard, State Street](https://twitter.com/SenSanders/status/1546644419171975168) are major shareholders in 96% of

S&P; 500 companies.)

- * [1 media company:](https://www.welcometothemachine.co/index.html#_4-1-1) I've shown you diagrams of how all media is controlled by[6 media corporations](https://www.businessinsider.com/these-6-corporat ions-control-90-of-the-media-in-america-2012-6). This person shows you how they are all invested by the SAME people with the SAME interests MegaCorp owns MegaMedia
- * [Reuters](https://www.welcometothemachine.co/index.html#_4-1-4)\- did you know Reuters, the news agency, was founded by the Rothschild family, who had the largest banking empire in Europe?
- * "Nathaniel Mayer Rothschild used both information and disinformation to effectively **buy England** after his family funded both sides of the Napoleonic war."

([Reddit Link](https://www.reddit.com/user/Slyver12/submitted/)) ([website Link](https://www.welcometothemachine.co/index.html))

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CONGRATULATIONS

If you've made it this far, just know that I am actually pretty optimistic about the future. Yes all those links are doom and gloom, really scary stuff. America, regardless of how Patriotic, red, white, and blue you are, know this: America isn't Wall Street, isn't MegaCorp or MegaMedia. Right now I believe we are just beginning to unsee what the elite 0.01% want us to see. Everybody has a different interpretation of "woke". My definition is quite different than the Fox News definition because Fox, or CNN, or the LA Times are all owned by the same people who own Wall Street ■. To me, "woke" is being able to see through all of this, to see through the Fake News, the misinformation, the "Russian Propaganda", the pump and dumps, the inflation blame game. After living in Reddit and Twitter for 20 months now, I can spot a fake headline from miles away. Woke is being able to see that all the red vs blue nonsense is just the media brainwashing us into choosing a side. Divide and conquer, the oldest trick in the book. However, the middle is waking up to the fact that the government and media CANNOT BE TRUSTED, and the middle is widening. People are spreading the word, everyday people are Tweeting or Redditing or TikToking or simply just writing about the unjust methods that the 0.01% use to keep us down, just like I am here. We're [calling out Congressional insider trading](https://unusualwhales.com/i am the senate), hopefully we'll be calling out lobbying next. This will be the final battle, removing corporate influence (i.e. money) from government - this is the tough one, because[banks are the final boss to independence](https://www.simonandschuster.com/ books/The-Suppressed-History-of-American-Banking/Xaviant-Haze/9781591432333). (FYI this last link is completely tinfoil hat, but after reading the Reuters link above, I'm sticking to it.)

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See you next time!

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