## MAINDAX EXCHANGE

# WHITEPAPER

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## Introduction

Maindax is a hybrid digital assets exchange that acts as a bridge to the new digital economy. On launch, Maindax will offer over 100 market pairs for spot trading. Maindax offers trading services for major cryptocurrencies against **USDT**, **MAIN**, **and BTC** currency pairs.

At Maindax, we are developing the first multifunctional cryptocurrency exchange ecosystem by combining a robust exchange platform and a decentralized attributes of blockchain protocols in which users will have the opportunity to trade their favorite cryptocurrencies, discover new gems and participate in our initial exchange offerings which are scrutinized to protect users from rugpulls and honeypots.

The cryptocurrency world has experienced such enormous and explosive growth in recent years that no existing crypto exchange is capable of managing all of it alone. Maindax exists as the safest place to buy and sell new projects and by doing so we will be the gateway for the next big projects in the crypto space. Many coins and tokens suffer from one big problem – a lack of liquidity. This leads to enormous implications for active traders. On the Maindax exchange, we will offer unmatched liquidity options for new projects by capitalizing on our community and Native Maindax Exchange Token - **MAIN**.

MAIN is the native token for the Maindax exchange. It will be used to offer trading incentives, and voting rights on Maindao and give users access to participate on Maindax IEO listings. Users will be required to hold a certain amount of MAIN tokens which will also be used to buy listed projects within the Maindax exchange.

Maindao is a decentralized autonomous organization that will be responsible for making regulations and governance structures on the Main blockchain Ecosystem.

## **Maindax Exchange**

## **Matching Engine**

Our matching engine is capable of sustaining 2,800,000 orders/second, making Maindax one of the fastest exchanges in the market today. You can be certain, on our exchange, that your orders will never be stuck due to the matching engine being overwhelmed. This is critical especially given that we will be operating in one of the most volatile segments in the crypto space.

## **Crypto GEM Marketplace**

Crypto gems is a term used to refer to relatively unknown low-cap coins and tokens with great potential or largely undervalued. Because there are no precise attributes to describe them, they aren't easy to recognize.

There are many criteria you could be looking at to determine if the risk/reward ratio of buying a specific coin is worth it, and one of the most important measures to look for to avoid rugpulls and honeypots is to check where the gem is listed. Maindax aims to revolutionize how gems get introduced to the masses by having an all-in-one marketplace where we will conduct KYC as a service for the gem projects and also for the users who participate in them.

In 2021, Over 1.5 billion dollars was spent on initial dex offering (IDO). IDO is currently the major way to acquire crypto gems. Funds raised on IDO, compared to gem trading volume, is a fraction of the 20 billion dollars that was traded on automated market maker protocols like uniswap,pancakeswap and quickswap.

Maindax Exchange will be the safest environment to buy and sell crypto gems.

#### **Coins and Tokens**

Maindax exchange will support trading pairs in the following coins:

- BTC
- ETH
- LTC
- BNB
- MAIN (Maindax Coin)

More coins and tokens will be added over time. We generally will only add coins and tokens that have strong credibility, user base, and liquidity. If you have a coin or token that you wish to be listed on Maindax later, participating in our IEO will help. We have no plans to support any fiat currencies such as USD, EURO, JPY, or RMB.

## **Multilingual Support**

We will support English, Chinese, Russian, and Korean on all of our user interfaces. (The very initial release will be in English and Russian only.) More languages will be added over time.

#### **UI Preview**



## **Revenue Model**

Maindax's revenue will come from the following sources:

Source	Description
Trading Fees	Maindax initially will charge a 0.2% fixed fee per trade. Other variations will be subsequently introduced, including maker-taker, volume-based tiering, and 0 fee promotions. We have no plan to charge above 0.2%.
Withdrawal Fees	Maindax may charge a small fee for withdrawals
Listing Fees	Miandax will select innovative coins and other assets to be listed on the exchange, there may be a fee associated with those listings.
Other Fees	There may be other fees the platform may collect for various services such as automated algorithmic order etc.

We will issue our token coin, called the Maindax Coin. A strict limit of 100M MAIN will be created, never to be increased. MAIN will run natively on the Ethereum blockchain with ERC 20.

## **Maindax Entities**

The entities are outlined as follows;

## MAINDAX (CEX)

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- 1. Maindax Exchange\*
- 2. P2P Marketplace
- 3. Futures Market
- 4. Yield Farming / Liquidity
- 5. NFT Marketplace
- 6. Main Launchpad
- 7. Main Launchpool
- 8. Main Lending
- 9. Main Pay (Merchant Services)
- 10. Main card (Debit card)

- 1. Maindax coin (MAIN)\*
- 2. Main Blockchain (Mainchain)
- 3. Mainswap
- 4. Main Smart Contracts
- 5. Main Defi Ecosystem
- 6. Main DEX
- 7. Main DexDerivatives
- 8. Main Dex Services\*\*
- 9. Main Stablecoin (MUSD)
- 10. Main DAO

\* We will launch Maindax Exchange and Maindax coin (MAIN) on DAY ONE!

## \*\* Main Decentralized Services Include;

- 1. Borrowing & Lending (Defi)
- 2. Asset Management (Non-Custodial)
- 3. Web 3 Dapps
- 4. Wallets
- 5. Infrastructure (Cross-chain & Bridges)
- 6. Scaling
- 7. Analytics
- 8. Communities (Social media)

## **Maindax Token Metrics**

Maindax Coin (MAIN) will be distributed as follows;

MAIN Token Supply: 100M MAIN Presale Price: \$0.1

Presale Market Capitalization: \$10M

Presale Goal: \$1M

## **Token Allocation**

Presale - 10%
Presale Airdrop - 10%
Future Funding Rounds - 30%
Team & Reserves - 50%

## **Presale Funds Allocation**

40% - Liquidity

20% - Development

20% - Treasury

20% - Team

## Competition

From our own collective experience as traders and from research into product whitepapers, public opinion, and promotional materials - we have narrowed down what we think these are the most relevant strengths, weaknesses, threats, and differentiators for each of our competitors.

Maindax Exchange is built in such a way as to enable it to co-exist with other exchanges, creating a symbiotic relationship where 3rd party exchanges will benefit from Maindax's utilization of its markets, through its own fee structure and targeting emerging markets. We are, therefore, not in direct competition with traditional crypto exchanges and actually help to strengthen their trading volume and liquidity because projects launched on Maindax eventually get listed on other exchanges.

We have made an effort below to illustrate a direct comparison between Maindax and Binance, whose success in gaining market share through optimization of user experience, integration of high-performance order settlement technology, and promotions for zero fees has earned them significant market share within a short time span, something we are looking to emulate with our offering.

We have already created a new concept of exchange system and basic market-making algorithms, differentiating our project from any other in the current market. On the launch day, we will go live with Maindax Exchange as a beta version. Subsequent updates and releases will follow.

A new adaptive layout interface has been developed. Each user will be able to create a custom user interface when trading. Something not found in most of our competitors.

Below is an in-depth analysis of crypto exchanges currently dominating the crypto space with their strengths and weaknesses outlined;

## **BINANCE** (Centralized)

Jurisdiction: China No. of coins: 35 Trading Pairs: 64

Fiat Deposit/ Withdrawal: No

**AML Limits:** 2 BTC daily limit for non-verified accounts, 50 BTC daily limit for accounts

enhanced verification. **Deposit Fees:** No

Withdrawal Fees: 0 - 0.6% Trading Fees: 0.01%

#### Strengths

- Strong online community
- Solid team with track record
- No fiat (bypassing current legislation)

#### **Threats**

- Change in legislations

#### Weaknesses

- Limited pairing
- No stop loss
- Low trade volume

#### Differentiators

- Trustless
- Fast order fulfilment thanks to innovative infrastructure

## **BITTREX** (Centralized)

Jurisdiction: USA No. of coins: 200 Trading Pairs: 537

Fiat Deposit/ Withdrawal: No

**AML Limits:** Two account types. Limits are between 3 BTC and 100 BTC depending on level of identity verification, enhanced requiring public record verification and scans for proof of address.

Deposit Fees: No Withdrawal Fees: No

**Trading Fees:** 0.25% of trading profits

#### Strengths

- Holders of New York's 'bitlicense' (legally compliant with local legislation)
- Extensive trading pairs
- Easy to use

#### Weaknesses

- Mixed user experience
- Service restrictions to some regions
- Long verification process or not accepting new users at all
- Overloaded
- shows delayed data in the interface most of the time

#### **Threats**

 Loss of user base from bad PR

#### **Differentiators**

- Algorithmic trading

## BITFINEX (Centralized)

Jurisdiction: Taiwan No. of coins: 20 Trading Pairs: 44

Fiat Deposit/ Withdrawal: No - Pressure from

Taiwanese banks

**AML Limits:** Limitless fiat withdrawals are AML, KYC and CTF compliant requiring government ID and

proof of address.

Deposit Fees: No
Withdrawal Fees: No
Trading Fees: 0 - 0.2%

#### Strengths

- OTC services
- Margin/leveraged

trading

- Mobile app

#### Threats

 Multiple hacks reducing user confidence in service

#### Weaknesses

- Limited tokens and pairs offered
- Slow/expensive fiat depositing option
   Restrictions on some
- countries

#### Differentiators

- Variety of order types

## **OKCOIN (Centralized)**

Jurisdiction: China No. of coins: 5 Trading Pairs: 15

Fiat Deposit/ Withdrawal: Yes

**AML Limits:** \$50,000 maximum daily cap requiring photo id and proof of residence for higher tiers. \$10,000 or more in deposits may be subject to

enhanced due diligence checks.

**Deposit Fees:** No

Withdrawal Fees: 0.01%, minimum \$15

**Trading Fees:** 0.05 - 0.2%

#### Strengths

- Advanced security measures
- Advanced order types
- Good liquidity

#### Threats

- Legislation change in China
- -Allegations of price/ volume manipulation

#### Weaknesses

- Limited tokens and pairs offered- Limited support intenationally

#### Differentiators

Leverage management tools

## BITSTAMP (Centralized)

Jurisdiction: Slovenia / UK

No. of coins: 4 Trading Pairs: 12

Fiat Deposit/ Withdrawal: Yes

**AML Limits:** No limit requiring proof of ID and residence, conforming to AML legislation in the

regions in which it operates.

Deposit Fees: No Withdrawal Fees: No Trading Fees: 0.25 - 0.1%

#### Strengths

- No trading or d/w limits
- Mobile application
- Fast service

#### **Threats**

- May fail to retain users as more competitive exchanges enter the market
- Banks sometimes do not accept transfers from Bitstamp because of the lack of a proper license for crypto

#### Weaknesses

- Limited tokens and pairs offered
- Mixed user reviews
- High fees

#### Differentiators

- The oldest and most stable exchange

## COINBASE (Centralized)

Jurisdiction: USA No. of coins: 3 Trading Pairs: 9

Fiat Deposit/ Withdrawal: Yes

**AML Limits:** \$10,000 maximum daily cap, with greater limit allowances requiring photo id, proof

of address and government ID.

Deposit Fees: Yes Withdrawal Fees: Yes Trading Fees: 1% Fixed

#### Strengths

- Current largest Bitcoin broker
- Fast fiat conversion

#### Threats

 Strict conformity to governmental legislation and traditional banking systems

#### Weaknesses

- Limited tokens and pairs offered
- Very stringent KYC/AML procedures

#### **Differentiators**

- High liquidity in ETH, BTC and LTC markets

## KRAKEN (Centralized)

Jurisdiction: USA No. of coins: 25 Trading Pairs: 73

Fiat Deposit/ Withdrawal: Yes

**AML Limits:** 3 tiers of withdrawal limits based on clearing different 'tiers' of verification, ranging from \$20k-\$200k monthly, requiring photo id, government

id and proof of address for the highest tier.

Deposit Fees: Yes, in some cases

Withdrawal Fees: Yes Trading Fees: 0 - 0.26%

#### Strengths

- Holders of New York's 'bitlicense' (legally compliant with local legislation)
- Extensive trading pairs
- Easy to use

#### Threats

- Loss of user base from bad PR

#### Weaknesses

- Mixed user experience
- Service restrictions to some regions
- Long verification

#### Differentiators

- Algorithmic trading

## EIDOO (Hybrid)

Jurisdiction: Switzerland
No. of coins: Bitcoin, Ethereum
Trading Pairs: Undisclosed
Fiat Deposit/ Withdrawal: Yes

**AML Limits:** Must conform to AML / KYC

regulations.

**Deposit Fees:** Competitive **Withdrawal Fees:** Competitive **Trading Fees:** Competitive

#### Strengths

- Embedded token system (funding)- User-friendly wallet
- app

#### **Threats**

 Many partnerships and 3rd parties will be relied on to provide full functionality, any of which could fail or halt services

#### Weaknesses

- A 'jack of all trades' solution that doesn't have pro-spec exchange functionality

#### **Differentiators**

- Combined wallet & exchange features
- Cross-chain trades

#### **Risks**

There are many risks involved in running an exchange. We understand this and have the skills, experience, and leadership to overcome them.

## **Security is Paramount**

Many crypto exchanges have failed due to poor security procedures. Most security breaches could have been prevented by taking simple precautions to protect critical resources. Our team has developed Binance with security as the foremost concern in their minds. We strive to ensure that we have followed all the industry best practices when it comes to securing infrastructure, data, and the CryptoCurrency Security Standards.