BUILDING MONERO'S CIRCULAR ECONOMY VIA PRIVACY TOOLS

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Building out pro-privacy education, guides, and resources, including the Opt Out podcast
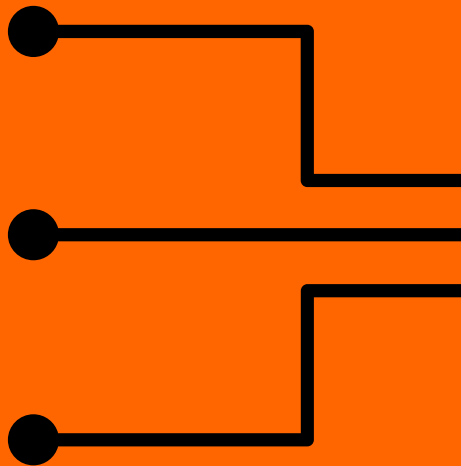
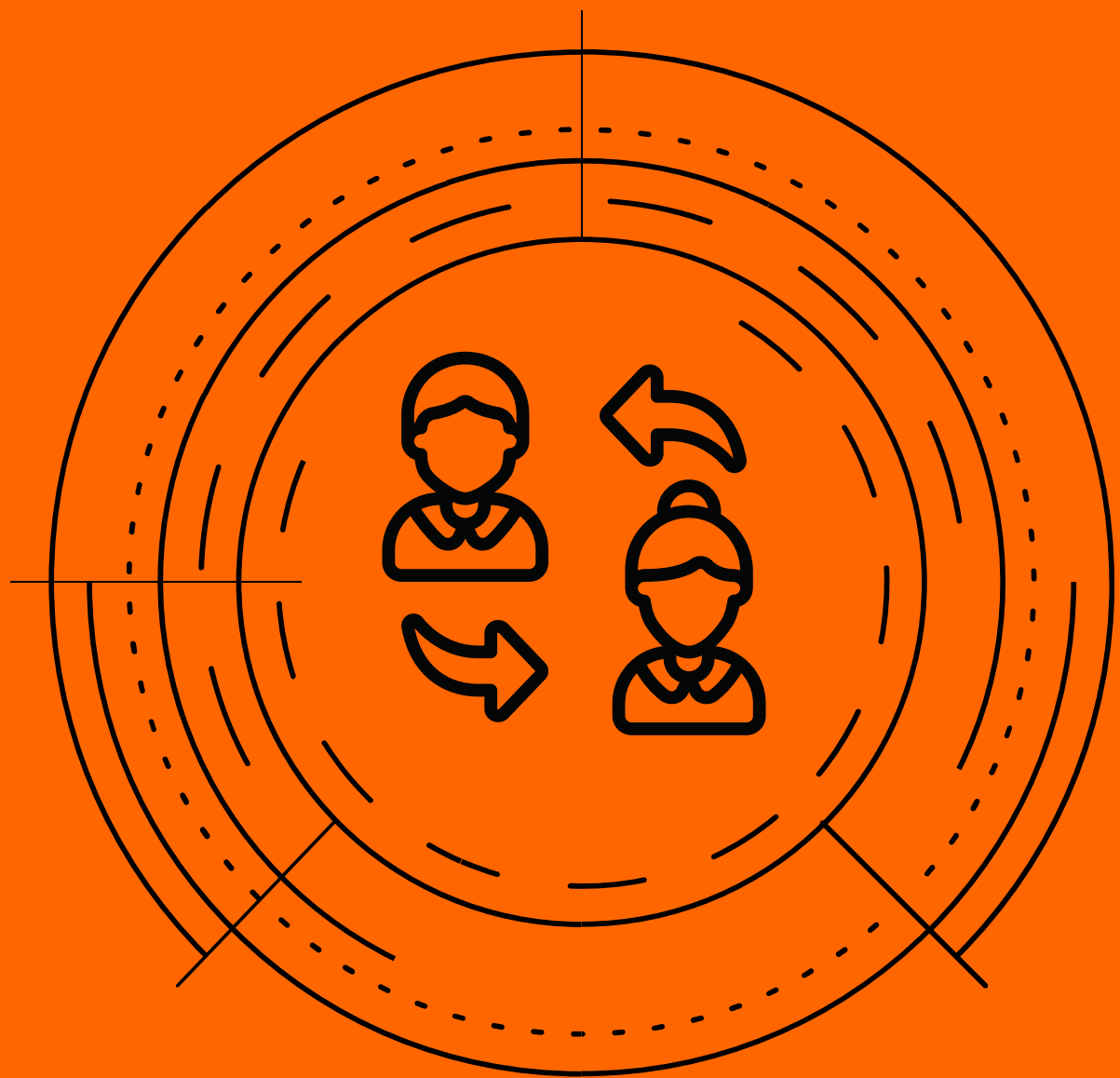## MONERO CONTRIBUTOR

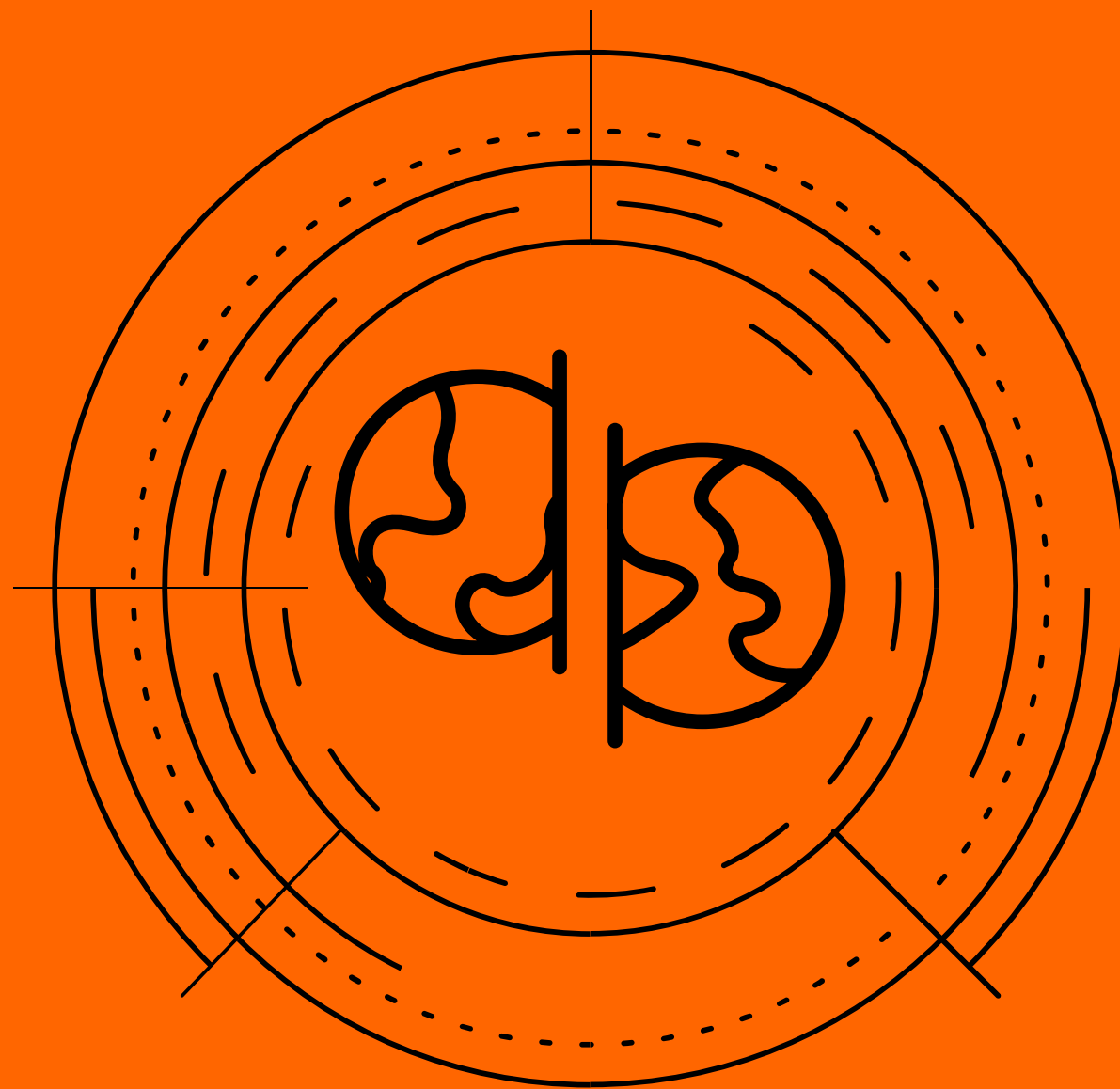Contributing to Monero for the past 2y

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CIRCULAR AND PARALLEL ECONOMIES

- What are circular and parallel economies?
- How does Monero uniquely enable them?
- Why build them?
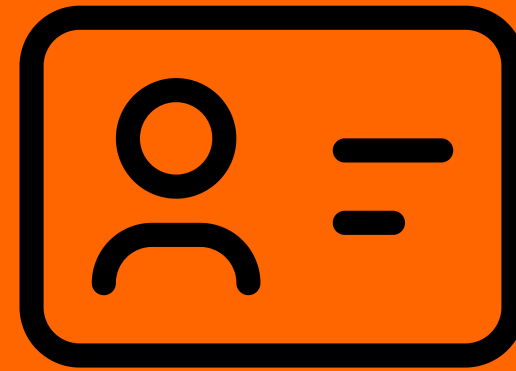- The tools that pair with Monero to enable them

CIRCULAR ECONOMIES CREATE PURE FREE MARKETS THAT ALLOW TRADING SERVICES, PRODUCTS, AND GOODS FOR MONERO

PARALLEL ECONOMIES EXIST OUTSIDE OF THE STATE ENTIRELY AND RELY ON DEEP PRIVACY

WHY BUILD CIRCULAR AND PARALLEL ECONOMIES?

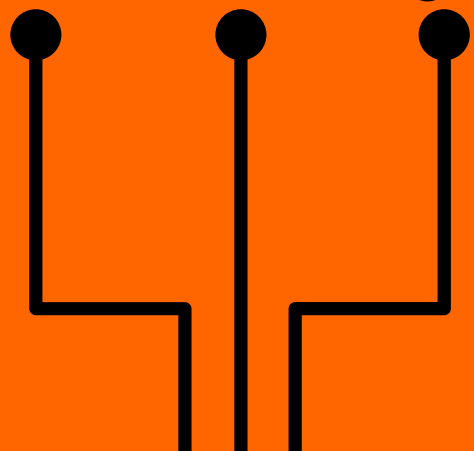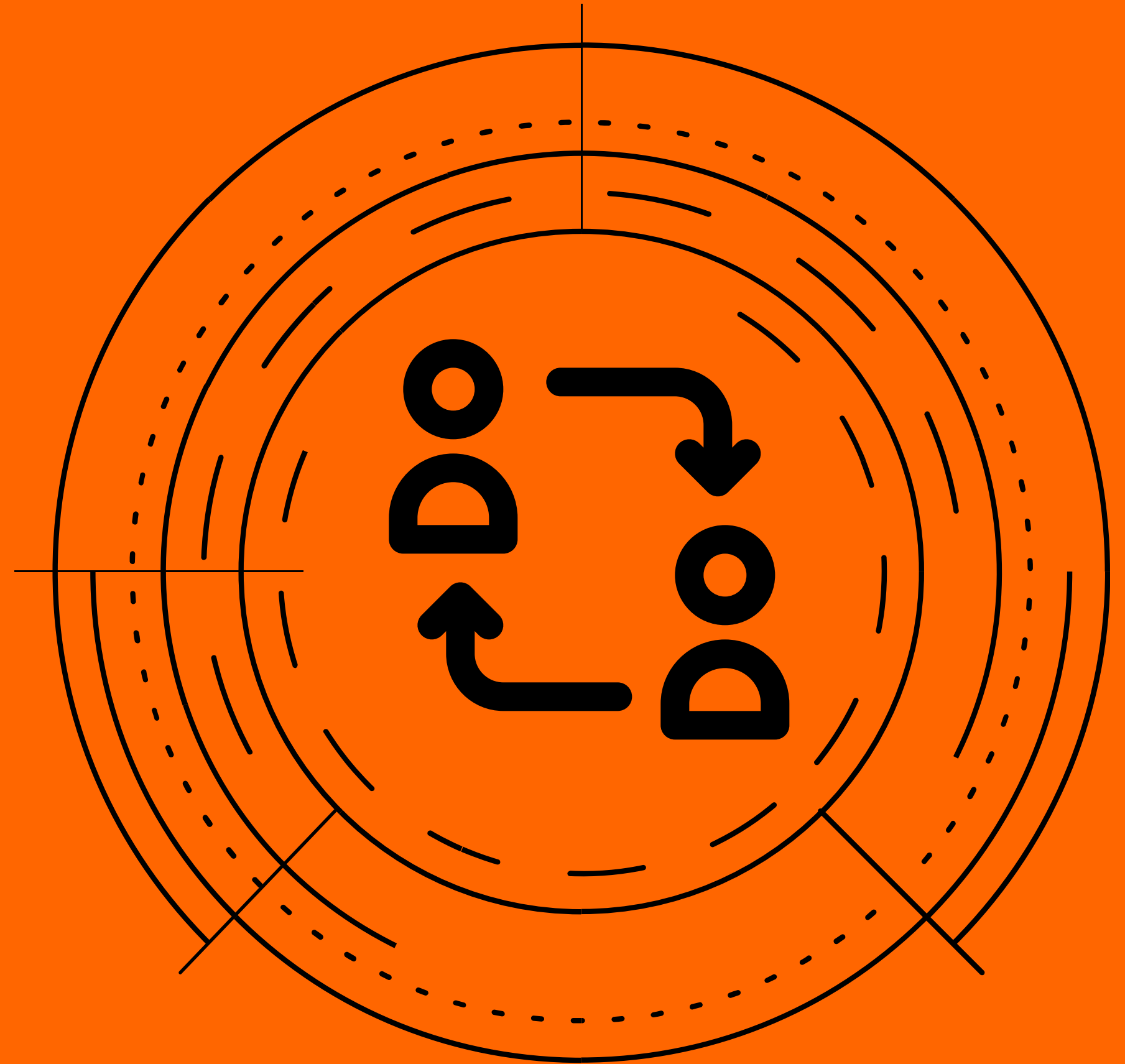Remove reliance on state-issued IDs and approval

Enable non-discriminatory access to goods and services

Reduce governments control of Monero users via fiat on/off-ramps

HOW DOES MONERO UNIQUELY ENABLE CIRCULAR AND PARALLEL ECONOMIES?

- Enables global transactions without fear of surveillance or censorship
- Removes the need for third-parties
- Ensures peace-of-mind and free-flow of commerce through privacy/fungibility
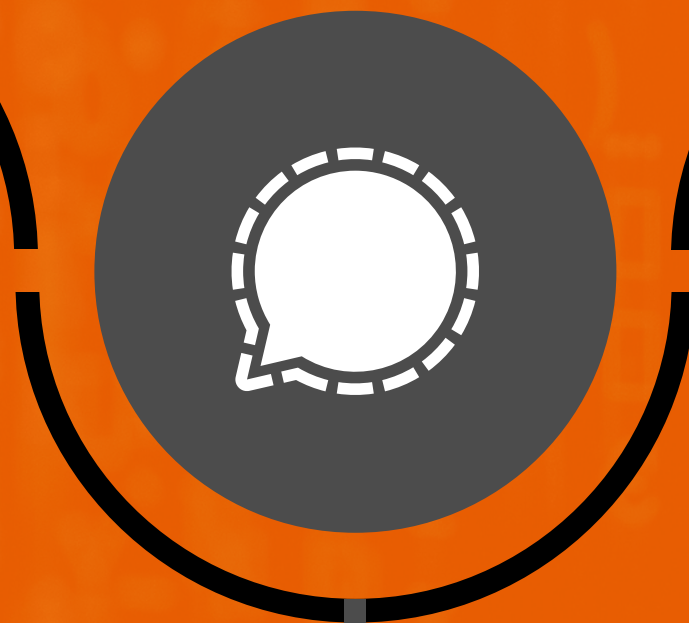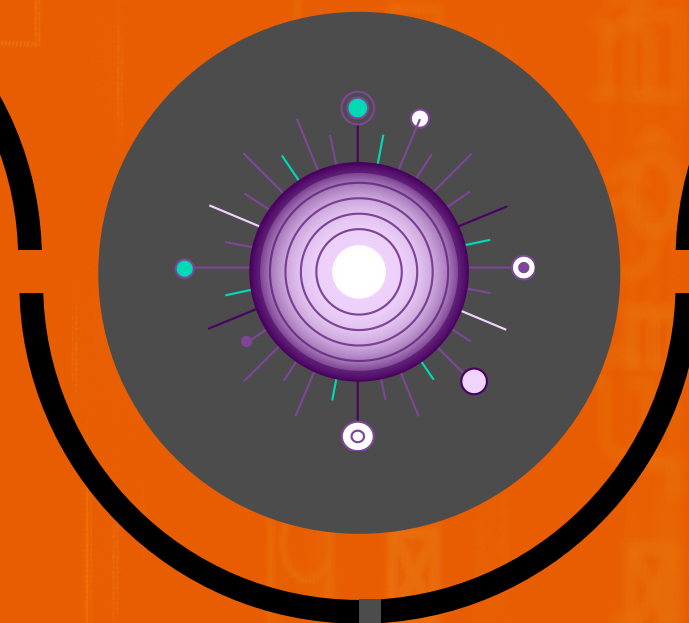
TELEGRAM

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TOR BROWSER

SIGNAL

TOR NETWORK

GLOBALLY ADOPTED

Broad adoption and simple UX enables easy growth of communities.

BRIDGE TO MORE PRIVATE GROUPS

Can be used to onboard and filter new members.

POWERFUL BOT INTEGRATIONS

Allows "gating" of new users or simple buy/sell offers.

"ETHICAL VEKSLAKS"

A person who bridges the gap between fiat and Monero (usually for-profit) without regulatory or KYC risk.

TIGHT-KNIT GROUPS

Can form strong groups with simple permissions.

Easy to split off into new groups after establishing reputation.

DEFAULT E2EE MESSAGING

Default E2EE messaging protects all users, even those who aren't tech-savvy or knowledgeable.

EXCELLENT GROUP CHATS

Group chats are simple and approachable.

FEDERATION ENABLES DECENTRALIZATION

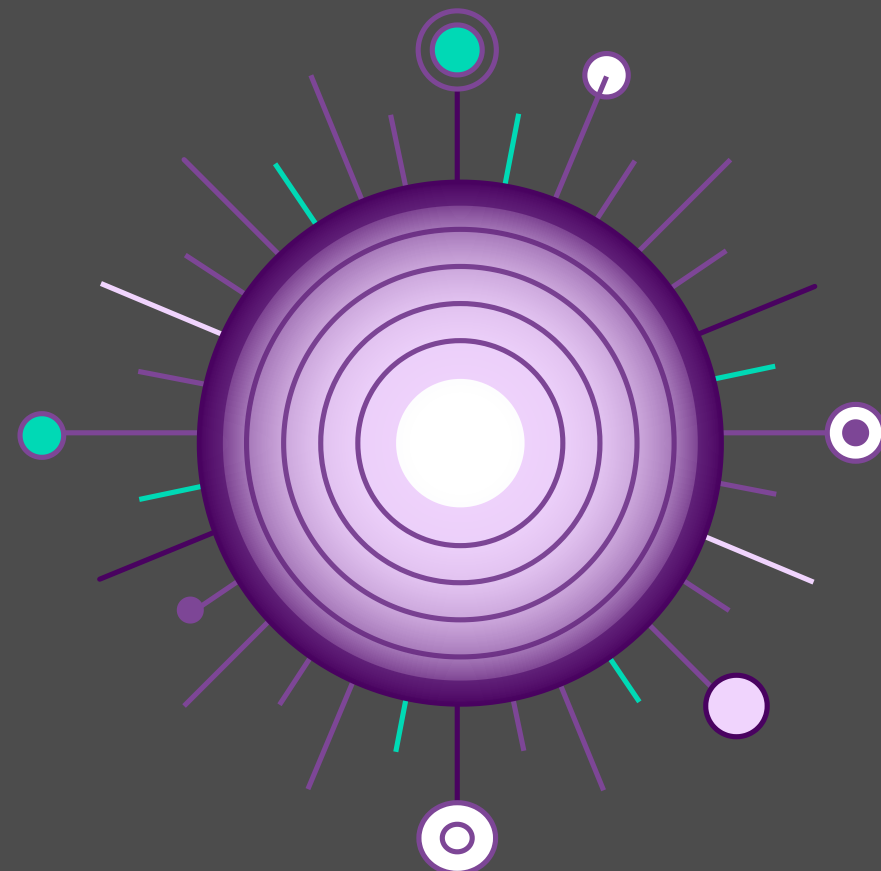Federated model can enable entirely closed communities of many servers.

EXISTING MONERO COMMUNITY

Bridged to IRC and broadly used by the Monero community today.
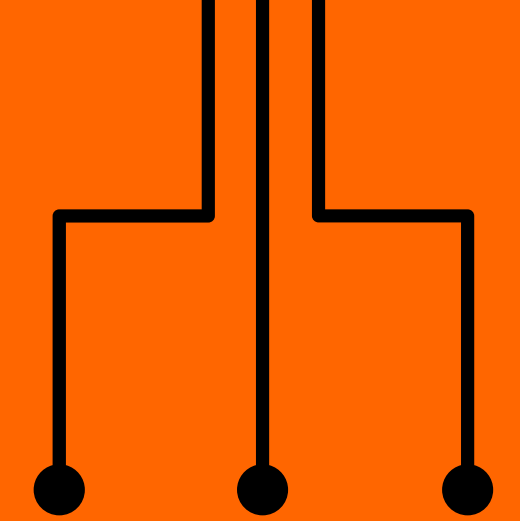
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Enables direct p2p communication without loss of privacy or anonymity.

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Enables fully-fledged parallel economies and marketplaces outside of state control.

Conclusion

Monero pairs extremely well with privacy tools
to build uniquely powerful circular and parallel
economies. Dive into them today.

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