## Analysis on ICO (initial-coin offering) project

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• Total market size and total value of the crypto market (5 year line chart)

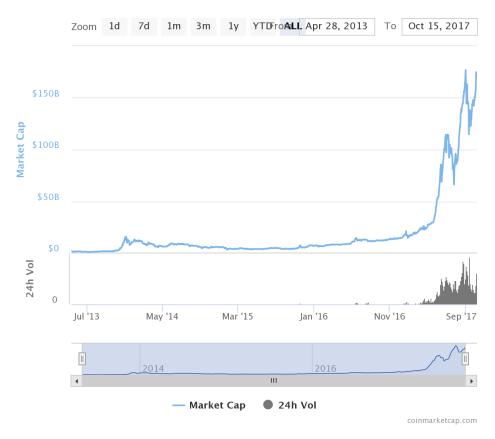


Figure 1: Total market size and total value of the crypto market (5 year line chart

From figure 1, the total market capitalization starts to become popular in this year. Particularly, we could apparently notice that are two steady increases. One is from 24th April 2017 and the other one is from 16th July at the same year. The highest point reaches nearly \$180 billion. Overall, the total trend is fairly optimistic.

• Historical value and trend (time series) of the largest market cap cryptocurrencies

## Bitcoin Charts

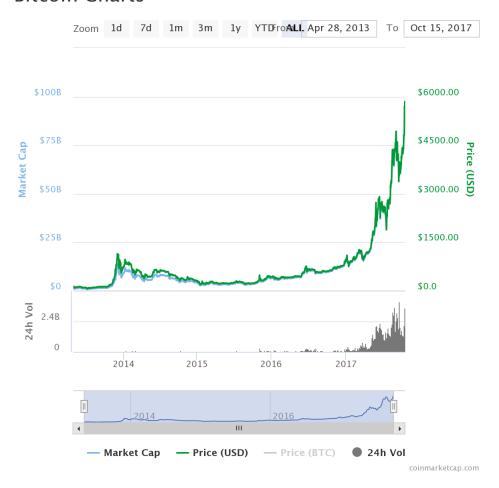


Figure 2: Historical value and trend of the largest market cap cryptocurrencies

The largest market cap is Bitcoin (BTC) and has the market value near \$100 billion, occupying nearly 60% of the global market. Furthermore, it matches the general trend of the global crypto market.

- List of top tier companies that support blockchain technology (released at 9th Oct 2017)
  - 1. **CoinDesk** The latest news, prices, charts, guides and analysis from the world leader in bitcoin and blockchain tech.
  - 2. **Kik Interactive, Inc** Kik lets you connect with friends, groups, and the world around you through chat.
  - 3. **blockchain** Building an open, fair and accessible financial future, one piece of software at a time.

- 4. Coin Telegraph High-tech finance, Bitcoin news, analysis and review.
- 5. Coinbase An open financial system for the world.
- 6. Humaniq
- 7. Ripple Global real-time settlement.
- 8. **Pymnts** Telling Your Story to the Most Influential Decision Makers in Payments, Commerce and Retail.
- 9. **Etherum** Open source platform to write and distribute decentralized applications.
- 10. **bitcoin magazine** The original source of information, news and commentary about #Bitcoin, the #blockchain and digital currencies.
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  - UK
  - Dubai
  - Switzerland
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  - Gibraltar
  - Russia
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