

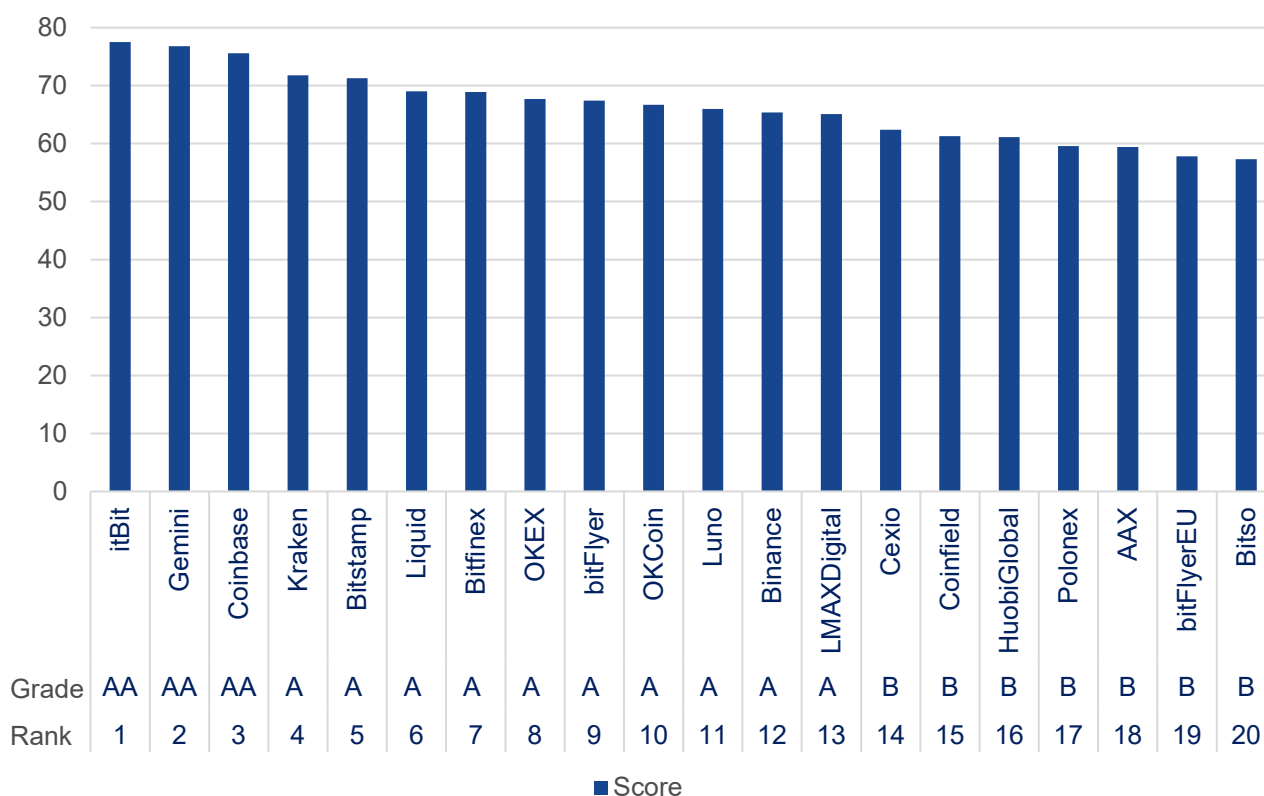
Digital Assets Markets

Digital assets have some distinct characteristics, which make it harder to launch financial products. De facto a volatile global, 24/7 market is a problem that is increasingly being solved.

Digital assets based on public block chains are described as decentralized because it is not possible to limit their exchange and transaction to specific locations. For example, Bitcoin is traded on over 100 exchanges worldwide and in peer-to-peer locations. Therefore, measuring liquidity is another challenge.

CryptoCompare’s Exchange Benchmark is used by investors and portfolio managers to assess different trading venues to select the exchange that most suits their risk profile.

CryptoCompare Exchange Benchmark



Source: CryptoCompare. Data as of Q4 2019.

Exchange benchmarks seek to bring clarity to the crypto asset exchange sector by providing a framework for risk assessment and bringing transparency and accountability to a complex and rapidly evolving market. This is approached in several dimensions using a comprehensive data set, covering 160 exchanges across eight categories of evaluation. The exchanges are ranked by grade and respective score.

8 categories of evaluation

Legal/Regulation

Data Provision

Security

Team/Exchange

Investment

Trade Monitoring

Market Quality

Negative Events Penalty

Source: CryptoCompare. Data as of Q4 2019.

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