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This Week in the Markets

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HEADLINES FROM THE CRYPTO & TRADITIONAL MARKETS

Eyes on Fed speeches, Flash PMI's, Monetary policy decisions, & 47% of Bitcoin options expiring on Friday, September 25.

DATA IN THE SPOTLIGHT

MON

ECB Lagarde speech
US Fed speeches
CA housing prices

TUE

EA consumer confidence
US home sales & Fed speeches
Japan PMI's

WED

PMI's – EA, UK, and US
US Fed speeches
Japan monetary policy

THUR

US Weekly Jobless Claims & 4-wk average
US Powell/Mnuchin testimonies
BOE governor speech
ECB economic bulletin

FRI

47% of Bitcoin options expiring
US durable goods and Fed speeches

Traditional Market News Headlines

Shares, currencies tentative as attention shifts to U.S. election, stimulus

'FinCEN' documents reportedly show banks moved illicit funds – BuzzFeed, ICIJ

Oil refiners worldwide struggle with weak demand, inventory glut

Trump agrees to TikTok's deal with Oracle and Walmart, allowing app's US operations to continue

What to expect from Tesla on 'battery day'

UK manufacturers see little sign on 'V'- shaped recovery

US stock market outperformance portends more dark days for the dollar

Crypto News Headlines

Bitcoin price volatility expected as 47% of Bitcoin options expire Friday

Top 5 cryptocurrencies to watch this week BTC, NEO, XMR, ADA, and LINK

Profit taking Bitcoin miners won't stop the next bull run: on-chain analyst

Everything you need to know about the Yearn finance projects

Understanding the landscape of decentralized finance

Kava to release cross-chain money market on blockchain

How does Kraken's new bank work?

Bitcoin – take advantage of any dip below \$10K

IN THE KNOW... This week we will look at VeChain (VET)

Last week the VeChain foundation became the first blockchain-based entity to join CAFA (the Chinese Animal Health and Food Safety Alliance.) It intends to use its ToolChain platform to power CAFA's traceability system. The alliance means the VeChainThor blockchain will be used indirectly by thousands of businesses.

VeChain currently provides traceability services to firms like Walmart China, BMW, BYD Auto, Haier, H & M and many others. It also has a partnership with auditing firm PwC.

It is currently ranked #26 by market cap. To learn more, you can read VeChain's whitepaper here:

<https://www.vechain.org/whitepaper/> and review its stats here: <https://vechainstats.com/>