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California moves to accept crypto for state payments – Bill passes unanimously!



California now joins Florida, Colorado, and Louisiana in pioneering state acceptance of cryptocurrency for official payments.

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Deutsche Bank Considering Tokenized Deposits and Stablecoins Integration



Deutsche Bank is reportedly exploring the possibility of entering the stablecoin and tokenized deposit market, according to specialized media reports.

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In an impactful turn of events for the cryptocurrency landscape in Kenya, the government has proposed a new finance bill that seeks to impose a 10% excise duty on cryptocurrency transactions. This development is significant as it marks a substantial step by Kenyan authorities towards the formal recognition and regulation of digital currencies in the nation.

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Singapore's latest regulatory clampdown on offshore digital-asset firms has triggered a wave of urgent exits and staff restructuring among major crypto exchanges operating there without a license. Bitget and Bybit, both top-10 crypto exchanges globally by trading volume, are now preparing to shift out of Singapore, sources familiar with the matter revealed.

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Brazil's Bitcoin Bill Clears First Hurdle: Bill 4501/2023 proposes allocating up to 5% of Brazil's foreign reserves to Bitcoin via a national reserve called RESBiT. The bill mandates cold wallet storage, biannual audits, and gradual adoption under Central Bank oversight.

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DeFi is the domain of financial services built using decentralized technologies. These services are financial primates, such as lending, borrowing, swap, trading, asset management, etc. DeFi services are better than traditional finance in many ways. Let's check some of the most important differences that make DeFi efficient and unstoppable.

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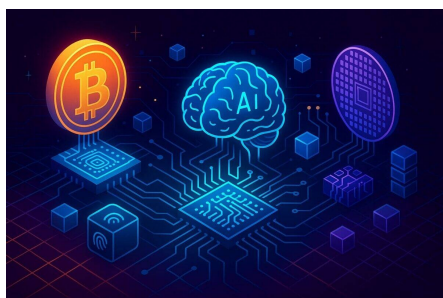
AI agents in crypto are designed to observe, analyze, and act, often without human intervention. They continuously scan blockchain activity, including token prices, wallet movements, and smart contract changes. Simultaneously, they monitor offchain data such as social media trends and global news that may influence market sentiment.

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India's Income Tax Department has started a new crackdown on tax evasion and money laundering linked to virtual digital assets (VDAs), including cryptocurrencies. The action is one of many steps undertaken by the Indian government to ensure adherence to tax legislation and enhance the transparency of the developing digital asset market.

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Vietnam Just Legalized Crypto—And Has Big Digital Ambitions



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In a world where most governments are still hand-wringing over what to do with Bitcoin, Vietnam has gone full send into the digital future. On June 14, the country's National Assembly passed a comprehensive Law on the Digital Technology Industry—and it's a game-changer. Among its boldest moves? Crypto assets are now legally recognized. The law, which takes effect on January 1, 2026, doesn't just nod at crypto—it gives it a home within a broader legal framework that also covers AI, semiconductors, digital infrastructure, and even workforce development. It's not regulation by half-measures.