

CoinDesk Indices Announces Changes to its Single Digital Asset Price Indices

October 14, 2022 – CoinDesk Indices has completed its quarterly review of the CoinDesk Single Digital Asset Price Indices, including XBX, for potential changes to the contributing exchanges used to price the indices.

Based on this review, the following modifications will be implemented over the 24-hour period beginning at 4PM ET on Saturday, October 29, 2022.

Index Name	Ticker	Addition	Deletion
CoinDesk Bitcoin Price Index	XBX	Binance.US	Bitstamp
CoinDesk Chainlink Price Index	LNK	FTX.US	n/a
CoinDesk Uniswap Price Index	UNX	FTX.US	Binance.US

* Deletions due to exchange failing minimum liquidity requirement.

The addition of Binance.US to XBX is based on a significant increase in its daily reported volume. On each day of the 90-day lookback period, the aggregate daily volume on Binance.US was over 12% of the aggregate daily volume across all eligible exchanges, which is well in excess of the 5% requirement set forth in the “Exchange Eligibility” section of the methodology, found [here](#). To help ensure the index meets its objective, the Index Committee decided to bypass the “watchlist requirement” for non-constituent exchanges and add Binance.US during this quarterly review. The increase in Binance.US volume may be a result of its decision in June 2022 to significantly reduce BTC trading fees. The Index Committee will continue to monitor trading volumes across eligible exchanges and provide advanced notice of any changes to the contributing exchanges.

In addition to the changes outlined above, the Watchlist for the Q1 2023 review has been updated and the following exchanges meet the Watchlist criteria.

Index Name	Ticker	Watchlist Exchange
CoinDesk Basic Attention Token Price Index	BTX	FTX.US
CoinDesk Bitcoin Price Index	XBX	FTX.US
CoinDesk Ether Price Index	ETX	Binance.US
CoinDesk Lumens Price Index	XLNX	Kraken
CoinDesk Zcash Price Index	ZCX	Gemini

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Regards,
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