

May 2026 Investor Update

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Cryptocurrency investment is a MUST in every portfolio.

ProChain in the News



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Adoption

Investment.

- **Zcash (ZEC)** [fell more than 30%](#) after developers disclosed a critical bug that had gone undetected for four years. Although there is no evidence the flaw was exploited and that Zcash tokens were created/taken, the revelation shook investor confidence and triggered a sharp selloff.
- Charles Hoskinson and the **Cardano (ADA)** ecosystem faced a major setback as approximately \$8.3 billion in value was wiped out amid declining prices and investor concerns. The downturn [raised questions about Cardano's near-term growth prospects](#) and market positioning.
- **Hyperliquid's HYPE** token [has surged more than 100% this year](#), driven by strong trading activity of perpetual futures. Its rapid growth has made Hyperliquid one of the standout performers in the decentralized finance sector.
 - *ProChain-* The current crypto bear-market's recent standout performers (ZEC, NEAR, HYPE) risk becoming as quickly out of favor as they gained stardom. We continue to evaluate our portfolio holdings for adjustment take advantage of opportunities with appropriately priced risk-reward

Currency and Use.

- **JPMorgan Chase, Citigroup, Bank of America, and Wells Fargo** are [developing a tokenized deposit network targeted for 2027 to compete with the growing use of stablecoins](#). The initiative would allow customers to move tokenized bank deposits over blockchain infrastructure while remaining within the traditional banking system.
- **Coinbase (COIN)** is reportedly [exploring participation in a new stablecoin platform](#) backed by **Stripe, Visa, and Mastercard**. The project highlights increasing collaboration between crypto firms and major payment networks to build next-generation payment rails.
 - *ProChain-* The competition around stablecoin and money/value-transfer cannot be overstated. EVERY major financial- and payments-institution is pulling out all the stops to mark and guard territory and stymie the competition.
- **Intercontinental Exchange**, the parent company of the New York Stock Exchange, [has held multiple discussions with Hyperliquid](#) as Wall Street evaluates the potential of on-chain perpetual futures markets. The talks signal growing institutional interest in decentralized trading infrastructure.

- **Depository Trust & Clearing Corporation** has [integrated its tokenization platform with the Stellar blockchain](#), enabling traditional financial assets to be issued and managed on-chain. The move represents another step toward bringing tokenized securities into mainstream market infrastructure.

2. **Regulation and Legal**

- **Hester Peirce** ("Crypto Mom") is set [to step down from the SEC](#), ending a tenure during which she became one of the agency's most prominent advocates for clearer crypto regulation.
 - *ProChain*- Peirce's departure follows the departures of David Sacks (Crypto and AI czar) and Sriram Krishan (Policy Advisor on AI/Tech). All of these personalities were overdue for their departures. For instance, Peirce's SEC term expired in June 2025 and continued to serve on a permissible extension. The Federal Administration's support for crypto legislation and policy should not suffer as a result of these departures, in light of the support of the Treasury Secretary (Scott Bessent) and the SEC Chairman (Paul Atkins).

3. **Public Companies**

- **Grayscale Investments** has [postponed its plans to go public](#) as crypto companies reevaluate the timing and conditions of entering public markets.
 - Crypto wallet provider, **Ledger**, and **Consensys**, the developer behind MetaMask, [have also put in IPO plans on hold](#).
- Conversely, **FalconX** confidentially [filed for an IPO](#) with the SEC.



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