

# Bitcoin: A Hype or Reality: Market Research Report

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# **Abstracts**

This report analyzes the global market for Bitcoin in terms of Cumulative Number of Bitcoins in Circulation in Thousands. Annual estimates and forecasts are provided for the period 2010 through 2018. Market data and analytics are derived from primary and secondary research. Company profiles are primarily based on public domain information including company URLs. The report profiles 53 companies including many key and niche players such as -

CoinTerra

Butterfly Labs Inc.

**KnCMiner AB** 

Robocoin Technologies LLC

Cloud Hashing



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Impervious to Manipulation

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Low Cost

Divisibility

Economic Independence

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Lack of Accountability

Impairs National Development

Hoarding & Speculative Trading

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KnCMiner AB (Sweden)

Robocoin Technologies LLC (USA)

Bitcoin Mining Contractors/Services Providers

Cloud Hashing (UK)

E-pickaxe (Argentina)

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BitcoinFrenzy (USA)

Byteminr Limited (UK)

Bitcoin Exchanges

ANXBTC (China)

Bitcoincentral (France)

Bitcoinde

Bitcurex (Poland)

Bit2C (Israel)

BTC Markets (Australia)

Bitfinex

BTCChina (China)

Bitstamp Ltd. (UK)

BTC-e (USA)

Campbx (USA)

Digital Future LLC (Poland)

Huobi.com (China)

Justcoin Exchange (Norway)

Kraken (US)

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Bitcoin Based Companies (Includes Bitcoin Trading Platforms, and Payment Processing

Companies, Among Others)

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Coinbase (USA)

Gliph, Inc. (USA)

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The United States (18)

Canada (2)

Europe (17)

France (1)

Germany (1)

The United Kingdom (6)

Rest of Europe (9)

Asia-Pacific (Excluding Japan) (10)

Latin America (4)

Africa (1)

Middle East (1)



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