Weekly Crypto Market Review - Jan 24th, 2022

Upcoming Events

• Jan 26th - FOMC Statement

Weekly Thoughts

Price volatility for Bitcoin (BTC) and Ethereum (ETH) has increased substantially after reaching a multi-month lull last week. Both assets are now down 50% or more from their respective November all-timehighs and bearish momentum continues to persist.

Although BTC remains within the 2021 price range from \$30,000 to \$60,000, a bearish continuation chart pattern has now been confirmed. This head and shoulders support breakdown over the past few days now carries a 1.618 fib extension target of \$25,000. A yearly support pivot, based on the 2021's highs and lows, also sits at \$26,250.

This week. ETH will confirm a "death cross". a 50 day over 200 day moving average cross, the first since May 2020. The nearest horizontal support for ETH sits between \$1,800 to \$1,900, based on the local highs and lows of early and mid 2021. A yearly support pivot also sits at \$1,300.

The Relative Strength Index (RSI) for both assets continues to push into oversold territory and lower lows in price are likely until a higher high in price is made or a bullish divergence begins to form on RSI. Please see important disclosure on next page.

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							Returns (%)					Annualized			<u>Bitc</u>	<u>oin Dr</u>	awdov	wns & R	ecov	<u>eries</u>
	Currencies	Ticker	Price (\$)	M Cap (bn)	1 week	YTD	3 month	6 month	1 year	Consensus	lssuance (%)	Staking Yield (%)	Volatility	Sharpe	Peak	Trough	Pacovoru	Drawdown		Days
	Bitcoin	BTC	35612.69	671.59	-16.88	-23.47	-41.38	-11.66	9.63	PoW	1.76	N/A	0.78	0.41						
	Dogecoin	DOGE	0.14	18.52	-19.86	-18.08	-45.45	-32.20	-65.23	PoW	3.72	N/A	4.41	1.57		11/17/11		-93.76%	164	632
	Litecoin	LTC	109.59	7.57	-23.44	-25.50	-44.84	-22.45	-20.56	PoW	3.98	N/A	1.15	0.39	4/10/13	4/16/13		-81.20%	6	211
	Stellar	XLM	0.20	4.86	-22.40	-26.12	-47.37	-27.50	-24.77	Other	7.88	N/A	1.18	0.32	12/5/13	2/21/14	3/2/17	-86.94%	78	1183
	Monero	XMR	153.05	2.74	-30.11	-33.76	-45.92	-35.50	10.38	PoW	1.63	N/A	1.15	0.60	12/17/17	12/15/18	11/30/20	-84.23%	363	1079
	Zcash	ZEC	95.15	1.29	-31.30	-35.46	-41.30	-10.74	7.69	PoW	12.14	N/A	1.37	0.80	6/26/19	3/13/20	11/3/20	-72.12%	261	496
	Dash	DASH	97.80	1.03	-27.22	-27.32	-51.04	-36.26	-7.13	PoW/PoS	5.97	5.82	1.40	0.65	4/14/21	6/22/21	10/20/21	-55.75%	69	189
	Decred	DCR	54.92	0.75	-16.08	-21.94	-54.04	-60.57	-7.17	PoW/PoS	5.21	4.10	1.22	0.62	11/10/21	1/22/22	N/A	-50.63%	73	N/A
ē	Platforms														Ether	eum D	Drawdo	owns &	Reco	<u>veries</u>
	Ethereum	ETH	2479.23	293.75	-24.19	-33.04	-40.39	7.05	86.85	PoW	4.22*	N/A	1.02	1.10						Days
	Cardano	ADA	1.09	36.12	-20.33	-17.66	-49.62	-16.36	213.66	PoS	4.27	5.94	1.26	1.47	Peak	Trough	Recovery	Drawdown	Length	Recovery
t	Solana	SOL	94.52	29.07	-32.42	-45.62	-53.77	231.20	2396.28	PoS	5.12	6.63	1.53	2.96	6/17/16	12/6/16	3/13/17	-72.05%	172	269
	Terra	LUNA	67.53	26.90	-20.11	-21.94	52.06	507.42	7560.01	PoS	2.89	7.63	2.10	3.08	1/12/17	6/16/17	11/24/17	-66.51%	155	316
	Polkadot	DOT	18.13	17.66	-32.08	-32.90	-60.10	22.91	3.78	PoS	8.27	14.68	1.36	0.72	1/13/18	12/15/18	1/25/21	-94.45%	336	1108
	Avalanche	AVAX	62.70	15.16	-30.00	-43.34	-9.83	402.68	407.71	PoS	6.00	9.77	1.78	1.74	6/25/19	12/18/19	8/1/20	-67.96%	176	403
	Algorand	ALGO	0.96	6.23	-30.85	-42.46	-53.32	12.45	71.31	PoS	3.36	2.50	1.45	1.21	2/15/20	3/13/20	6/25/20	-69.16%	27	131
	Tron	TRX	0.06	5.66	-17.47	-26.13	-45.11	-8.58	87.34	PoS	1.91	7.05	1.25	1.17	3/12/21	6/22/21	10/29/21	-61.07%	102	231
	Zilliqa	ZIL	0.04	0.52	-31.45	-43.14	-60.37	-42.54	-36.30	Other	12.28	14.66	1.50	0.47		1/24/22	N/A	-55.52%	106	N/A

Bitcoin Head & Shoulders Price Action



Weekly Sector Returns (%)



Ritcoin Drawdowns & Decoveries

						Days
_	Peak	Trough	Recovery	Drawdown	Length	Recovery
	6/6/11	11/17/11	2/27/13	-93.76%	164	632
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	11/10/21	1/22/22	N/A	-50.63%	73	N/A

Rolling Annualized Correlations

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Weekly Thoughts: Source: Valkyrie Investments, Inc.

Coin Prices, Market Capitalizations, and Returns: Source: Valkyrie Investments, Inc., TradingView, Messari. All returns represent total return for stated period.

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Bitcoin Head & Shoulders Price Action: Source: Valkyrie Investments, Inc., TradingView - INDEX:BTCUSD, provided by TradingView

Weekly Sector Returns: Source: Valkyrie Investments, Inc., Messari, TradingView - "Currencies" and "Platforms" returns based on top 10 coins by market cap in each category as provided by Messari.com, "DeFi" returns provided by DEFIPERP on FTX.com which tracks the price of a basket of Decentralized Finance coins, using a weighed average of the prices of KNC, MKR, ZRX, REN, REP, SNX, COMP, TOMO, RUNE, CRV, DOT, LINK, MTA, SOL, CREAM, BAND, SRM, SUSHI, SWRV, AVAX, YFI, UNI, WNXM, AAVE, BAL, "S&P 500" provided by Standard & Poor's and is a stock market index tracking the performance of 500 large companies listed on stock exchanges in the United States, "Nasdaq 100" provided by NASDAQ OMX Group and includes 100 of the largest domestic and international non-financial companies listed on the Nasdaq Stock Market based on market capitalization.

Bitcoin Drawdowns and Recoveries: Source: Valkyrie Investments, Inc., TradingView - INDEX:BTCUSD, provided by TradingView

Ethereum Drawdowns and Recoveries: Source: Valkyrie Investments, Inc., TradingView - INDEX:ETHUSD, provided by TradingView

Rolling Annualized Correlations: Valkyrie Investments, Inc., CoinMetrics, "S&P 500" provided by Standard & Poor's and is a stock market index tracking the performance of 500 large companies listed on stock exchanges in the United States

Consensus: Source: Valkyrie Investments, Inc., Messari - Proof of Work (PoW), Proof of Stake (PoS), Other - indicating hybrid PoS or unique PoS consensus.

Annualized Issuance, Staking Yield, Volatility, and Sharpe Ratio: Source: Valkyrie Investments, Inc., Messari, StakingRewards.com. *ETH's EIP-1559 token burn not included.

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Weekly DeFi+ Market Review - Jan 24th, 2022

Upcoming Events

• Feb 11th - ETHDenver

Weekly Thoughts

Decentralized Finance (DeFi) has enabled significant participation in lending and borrowing protocols, both from an individual user and total volume perspective. These protocols have the ability to significantly balloon leverage and open interest in the DeFi ecosystem. Over the past few days, borrow volume has reduced substantially and liquidations on loan protocols have now exceeded \$250 million. Compared to the swift May 2021 drawdown cascade, which saw over \$650 million in liquidations on Aave, MakerDAO, and Compound Finance, the current pullback over the past week has been rather tame. As these loans approach partial or full liquidation levels based on the protocol, borrowers have the ability to add collateral and prevent liquidation. However, some users on Solana reported the inability to add collateral to these loan protocols, despite having the funds to do so, because of failed transactions on the network. Collectively, these loan protocols on all DeFi chains help partially explain the dramatic bullish or bearish price reactions during times of high volatility.

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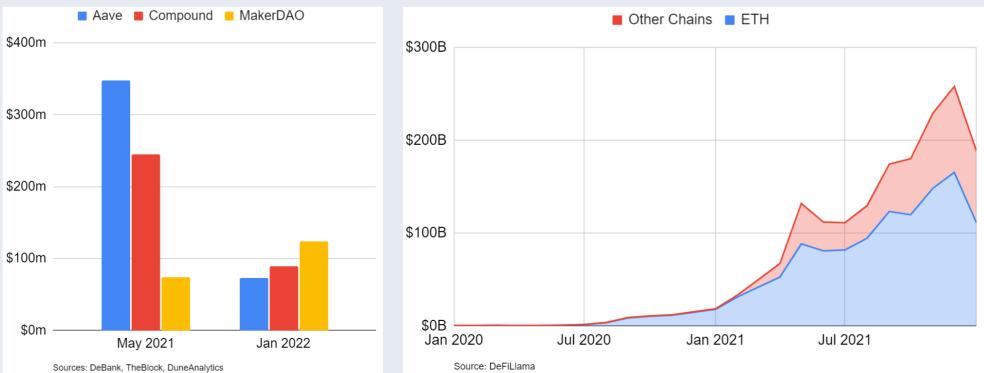


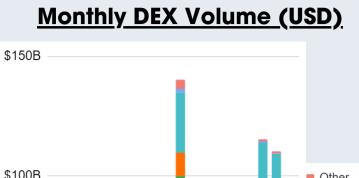
			_			Returns (%)				Annualized			
DEX Tokens	Ticker	Price (\$)	M Cap (bn)	1 week	YTD	3 month	6 month	1 year	TVL (bn)	Rev (mn)	M Cap / Rev	Volatility	Sharpe
Uniswap	UNI	10.26	6.17	-13.93	-42.14	-62.98	-48.40	-13.11	7.76	1,440	4.8	1.46	0.80
Curve	CRV	2.60	1.10	-19.69	-54.37	-47.60	57.11	20.89	18.61	30	71.9	1.69	1.05
Bancor	BNT	2.20	0.52	-11.76	-33.82	-49.53	-34.30	10.76	1.44	23	22.6	1.65	0.53
SushiSwap	SUSHI	4.13	0.50	-14.85	-57.96	-65.16	-51.46	-48.00	5.11	448	2.6	1.41	0.73
Balancer	BAL	11.06	0.07	-11.40	-39.00	-56.27	-46.18	-49.10	3.19	62	2.7	1.31	0.23
1inch Protocol	1inch	1.52	0.68	-14.28	-39.42	-63.33	-33.82	-38.47	0.25	0	N/A	1.56	0.67
0x Protocol	ZRX	0.48	0.39	-14.59	-42.28	-56.65	-34.52	-10.92	0.00	0	N/A	1.44	0.83
Loan Platforms													
Aave	AAVE	140.87	1.79	-16.30	-47.66	-59.71	-55.45	-46.42	10.27	456	6.3	1.45	0.37
Maker	MKR	1728.74	1.65	-7.86	-27.67	-31.36	-36.35	23.38	14.10	139	13.0	1.34	0.82
Compound	COMP	116.86	0.74	-11.98	-43.52	-67.04	-70.99	-47.03	6.06	235	4.6	1.37	0.31
Synthetix	SNX	3.67	0.41	-9.24	-34.95	-65.49	-60.80	-76.92	0.80	2	72.0	1.59	-0.68
												DeFi APYs	(%)
CEX Tokens	_								Stablecoins	Ticker	Supply (bn)	Lend	Borrow
Binance Coin	BNB	356.47	57.51	-9.39	-31.88	-27.16	10.92	732.91	Tether	USDT	78.22	3.03	4.20
Crypto.com	CRO	0.34	8.41	-10.01	-38.78	67.93	180.74	64.76	USD Coin	USDC	43.18	2.97	3.39
FTX Token	FTT	33.24	4.49	-9.86	-15.11	-48.30	1.77	231.72	Binance USD	BUSD	13.99	2.22	3.53
Unus Sed Leo	LEO	3.55	3.38	-0.34	-5.75	4.88	14.07	158.01	MakerDAO	DAI	9.61	2.85	4.22
									Gemini Dollar	GUSD	0.25	4.58	6.36





Liquidation Volume by Protocol







Total Value Locked (TVL) - All Chains

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Abbreviations: Decentralized Exchange Token; DEX: Centralized Exchange Token; CEX: Total Value Locked; TVL: Revenue; Rev: M Cap; Market Capitalization: APY; Annual Percentage Yield

Daily Net Borrows by Protocol: Valkyrie Investments, Inc., DuneAnalytics - Defined as net USD flow with specified smart contracts each day.

Liquidation Volume by Protocol: Valkyrie Investments, Inc., DeBank, TheBlock, DuneAnalytics - Defined as forced liquidations in USD per protocol for the months of May 2021 and Jan 2022.

Total Value Locked (TVL) - All Chains: Valkyrie Investments, Inc., DeFiLlama - Defined as total USD value held in specified smart contracts. "Other Chains" category includes the following blockchains: Terra, BSC, Avalanche, Fantom, Solana, Tron, Polygon, Arbitrum, Cronos, Harmony, Osmosis, Waves, Klaytn, Heco, Ronin, Moonriver, Elrond, Parallel, Aurora, Kava, Celo, DefiChain, Mixin, Optimism, Metis, xDai, Thorchain, IoTex, Near, OKExChain, Moonbeam, RSK, Bitcoin, Stacks, Oasis, Songbird, Secret, Godwoken, Icon, Telos, Boba, NEO, Tezos, Algorand, EOS, Karura, Sifchain, Wanchain, Theta, Stellar, Ontology, KCC, smartBCH, Velas, Everscal, Fuse, Sora, VeChain, Zilliqa, Kardia, Nuls, Energi, CSC, Cosmos, Callisto, Nahmii, ThunderCore, Meter, Elastos, Ultra, Cardano, EnergyWeb, Kusama, TomoChain, Lamden, Conflux, Ergo, Polkadot, XDC, Shiden, ZYX, Polis, Ubiq, Hoo, Gochain, Liquidchain, HPB, Syscoin, Palm, ETC, Fusion, zkSync

Monthly DEX Volume (USD): Source: Valkyrie Investments, Inc., DuneAnalytics - Defined as total reported volume for the specified DEX in the specified time period. "Other" category includes the following DEXs: airswap, Bancor Network, clipper, DDEX, DefiPlaza, DFX Finance, DODO, dYdX, Gnosis Protocol, IDEX, Indexed Finance, Kyber, LINKSWAP, Loopring, mStable, Oasis, PowerIndex, Shell, xSigma

Annualized Revenue provided by The Block Research, Ethereum ETL, and The Graph; M Cap / Rev provided by The Block Research, Ethereum ETL, The Graph, and CoinGecko; Annualized volatility and Sharpe ratios provided by Messari; Stablecoin supply provided by CoinMetrics, DeFi APYs provided by DeFiRate.com and represent the 30-day average of rates offered on the Compound and AAVE platforms.

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