

PART 1: THE GOVERNMENT IS CREATING A CENTRAL BANK DIGITAL CURRENCY PLATFORM CALLED FEDNOW THAT WILL GO LIVE TO THE PUBLIC IN JULY-2023

According to the Atlantic Council's Central Bank Digital Currency Tracker, 119 countries, representing over 95 percent of global GDP, are exploring a CBDC.

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/cbdctracker/>

(Jan-20-2022) Fed releases long-awaited study on a digital dollar but doesn't take a position yet on creating one

<https://www.cnbc.com/2022/01/20/fed-releases-long-awaited-study-on-a-digital-dollar-but-doesnt-take-a-position-yet-on-creating-one.html>

<https://www.federalreserve.gov/publications/files/money-and-payments-20220120.pdf>

June-17-2022 Welcoming Remarks by Chair Jerome H. Powell At the "International Roles of the U.S. Dollar"

<https://files.catbox.moe/s8u5ki.mp4>

"Looking forward, rapid changes are taking place in the global monetary system that may affect the international role of the dollar in the future. Most major economies already have or are in the process of developing instant, 24/7 payments. **Our own FedNow service will be coming online in 2023.** And in light of the tremendous growth in crypto-assets and stablecoins, the Federal Reserve is examining whether a U.S. central bank digital currency (CBDC) would improve on an already safe and efficient domestic payments system. As the Fed's white paper on this topic notes, a U.S. CBDC could also potentially help maintain the dollar's international standing."

<https://www.federalreserve.gov/newsevents/speech/powell20220617a.htm>

<https://archive.ph/FJrxT>

(Sep-22-2022) FACT SHEET: White House Releases First-Ever Comprehensive Framework for Responsible Development of Digital Assets

<https://www.whitehouse.gov/briefing-room/statements-releases/2022/09/16/fact-sheet-white-house-releases-first-ever-comprehensive-framework-for-responsible-development-of-digital-assets/>

<https://archive.ph/hdPkQ>

(Mar-14-2022) Executive Order 14067 - Ensuring Responsible Development of Digital Assets

<https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2022/03/14/2022-05471/ensuring-responsible-development-of-digital-assets>

(Nov-16-2022) The Fed Launched a 12-Week Pilot CBDC Program | Heresy Financial

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l8HGRvkc0pA>

(Nov-15-2022) New York Innovation Center to Explore Feasibility of Theoretical Payments System Designed to Facilitate and Settle Digital Asset Transactions

<https://www.newyorkfed.org/newsevents/news/financial-services-and-infrastructure/2022/20221115>

<https://archive.vn/B5FNR>

"As part of this 12-week project, the NYIC will collaborate with a group of private sector organizations to provide a public contribution to the body of knowledge on the application of new technology to the regulated financial system."

Facilitating Wholesale Digital Asset Settlement

<https://www.newyorkfed.org/aboutthefed/nyic/facilitating-wholesale-digital-asset-settlement>
<https://archive.vn/r6HH5>

(Nov-15-2022) Members of the U.S. Banking Community Launch Proof of Concept For A Regulated Digital Asset Settlement Platform

<https://www.businesswire.com/news/home/20221115005936/en/Members-of-the-U.S.-Banking-Community-Launch-Proof-of-Concept-For-A-Regulated-Digital-Asset-Settlement-Platform>
<https://archive.vn/DICMv>

"In addition to the NYIC, the other participants on this project include the following financial institutions and payments organizations:"

- BNY Mellon
- Citi
- HSBC
- Mastercard
- PNC Bank
- TD Bank
- Truist
- U.S. Bank
- Wells Fargo.

(Mar-9-2023) The FedNow CBDC platform is project is expected to go live to the public sometime May to July 2023

<https://files.catbox.moe/t4652m.mp4>

(Mar-15-2023) Federal Reserve announces July launch for the FedNow Service

<https://www.federalreserve.gov/newsevents/pressreleases/other20230315a.htm>

Launching July 2023: Instant Payments with the FedNowSM Service

<https://frbervices.org/financial-services/fednow/>