



Rapids Network

Blockchain At Your FingerTips

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We're **Rapids**! An Innovative Social Blockchain Project.

Social Media Networks have become the new medium of personal expression and conversation. Cryptocurrency and blockchain technology are also enriching our lives by altering the way we transact.

Rapids has an innovative approach to solving one of the biggest problems within the Crypto space. That is, of course, the all important "Mass Adoption". We seek to bring the power of Blockchain to everyone, even those who avoid it because it's too complicated or scary. Rapids intend to go to market with a viable solution.

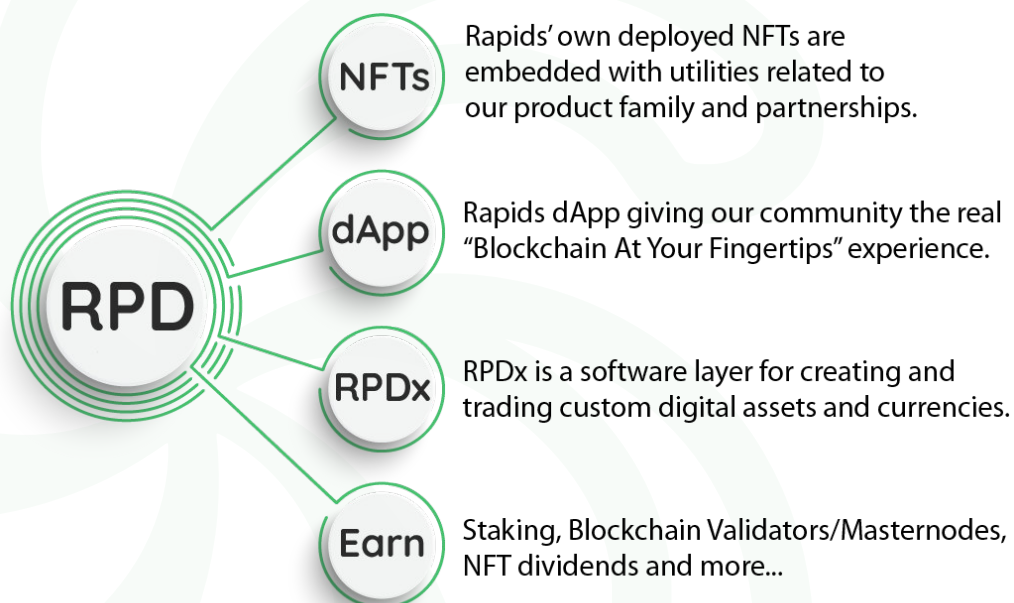


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Current Situation

Today there are several differences in blockchains, cryptocurrencies, coins, tokens and dApps. So much difference that you can no longer see the forest for the trees. Have you ever heard of Governance, Utility, MetaVerses, NFT and SCs? Not surprising, many equals will not. But each and every one of them is important and determines our society. There is a lot of development going on in real life and the digital world. Both worlds will create a mixed reality that will come closer together. Below are a few facts/examples and what Rapids specializes in.

Social Media

The origins of Social Media date back to not long after the introduction of the internet and the world wide web. Since then, Social Media has evolved, consistently improving with platforms such as Facebook and Instagram that have attracted considerable attention with 2016 estimates of over 1.79 billion and 500 million monthly active users, respectively.

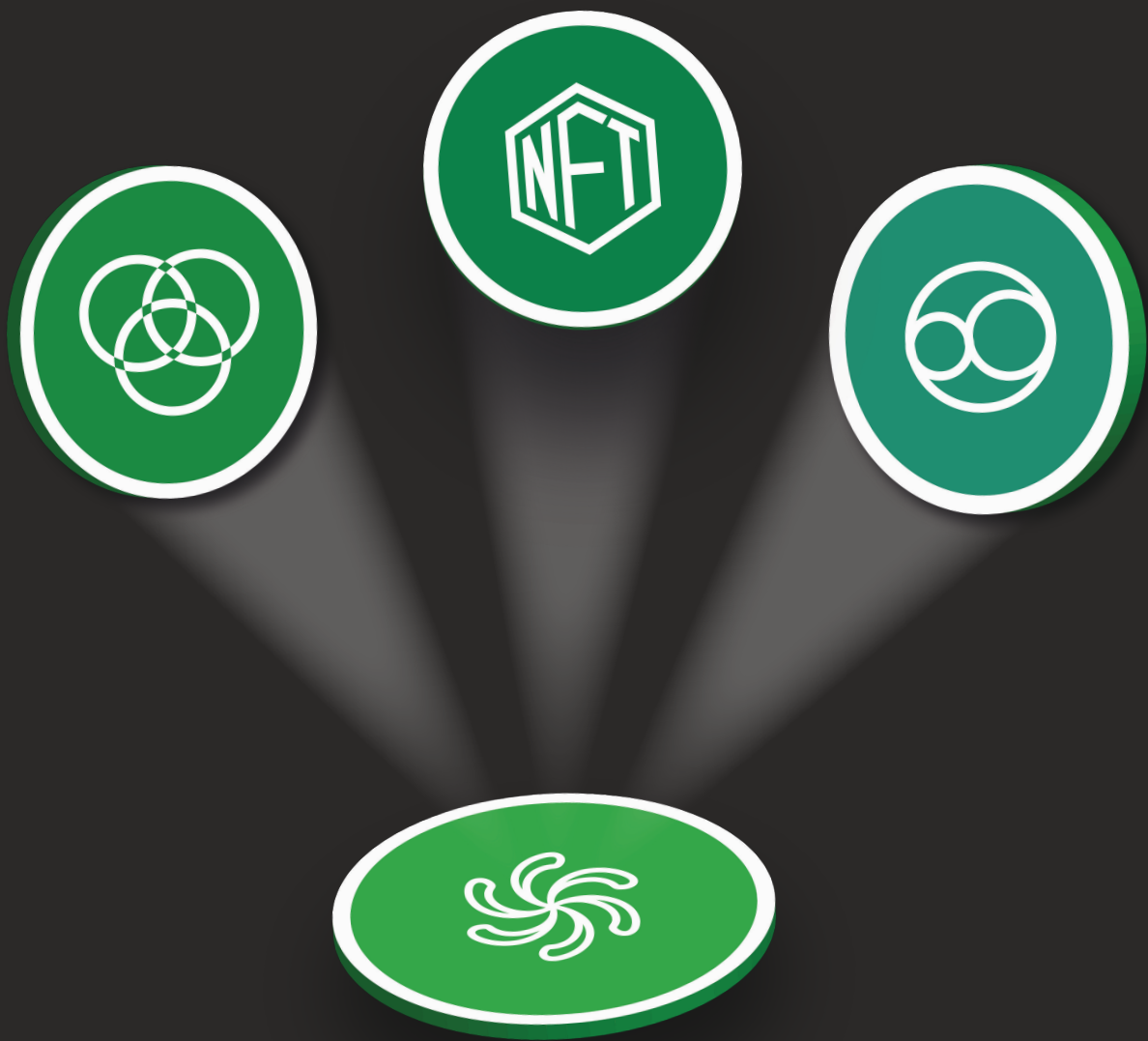
The number of Social Media users continues to expand annually and along with them, comes profits. In 2017, Social Networks reported revenues of 41 Billion US Dollars. This has demonstrated that the financial market for Social Media also multiplies in concert with the increase in the number of users. Rapids intends to capitalize on this lucrative market by introducing cryptocurrencies into the fold, allowing online peer-to-peer and business-to-business transactions in the quickest and most secure fashion.

Entertainment

There are different forms of entertainment. Watching a stream or movie via one of your favorite broadcast or stream platforms. Or are you more that kind of a person that likes to go to a festival, cinema or congress? All these different things are a form of entertainment.

Due to the global recession, the value of the worldwide entertainment and media market is projected to fall to 2 trillion US Dollars for the year 2020. However the forecast for 2021 – 2022 suggests revenue will once more rise to 2.3 trillion US Dollars, as in 2019.

As what the NFT (Non Fungible Token) brings, Rapids will hop on the express train and launch its own NFT chain early 2022. This chain will open up the possibility to create unique tokens. More information? Please check RPDx.



A CHAIN WITH MULTI PURPOSE

Blockchain At Your Fingertips Philosophy

If we read back about what we wrote in the “Current Situation”. We’ve talked about a ton of different blockchains, cryptocurrencies and 1000 and 1 different platforms. Our philosophy is that Blockchain should be at your fingertips. We think that everything should be connected within hand reach. And that’s why we came up with our own Rapids Mobile Wallet where you’ll be able to reach all the Rapids services on your mobile device.

Rapids Core

The official Rapids Core is where it all started, a wallet that is supported by the Rapids chain. This wallet is needed to hold your RPD coins. Furthermore it opens the possibility to stake your coins to be able to increase your holdings. And if that is not enough, Rapids does also have the possibility to invest in Masternodes. But, what are Masternodes and what can they do for you? More about Masternodes can be found in the Masternodes & Staking chapter.



Rapids Mobile Wallet

As earlier described, Rapids created their own Mobile Wallet which opened up new possibilities such as; Storing RPD coin, QR sending and receiving and our revolutionary Linkshare technology. Rapids Wallet development is still ongoing and to be released in the near future. Check out our roadmap on the Official Rapids Website (www.rapidsnetwork.io/about-us) for more In-depth details.



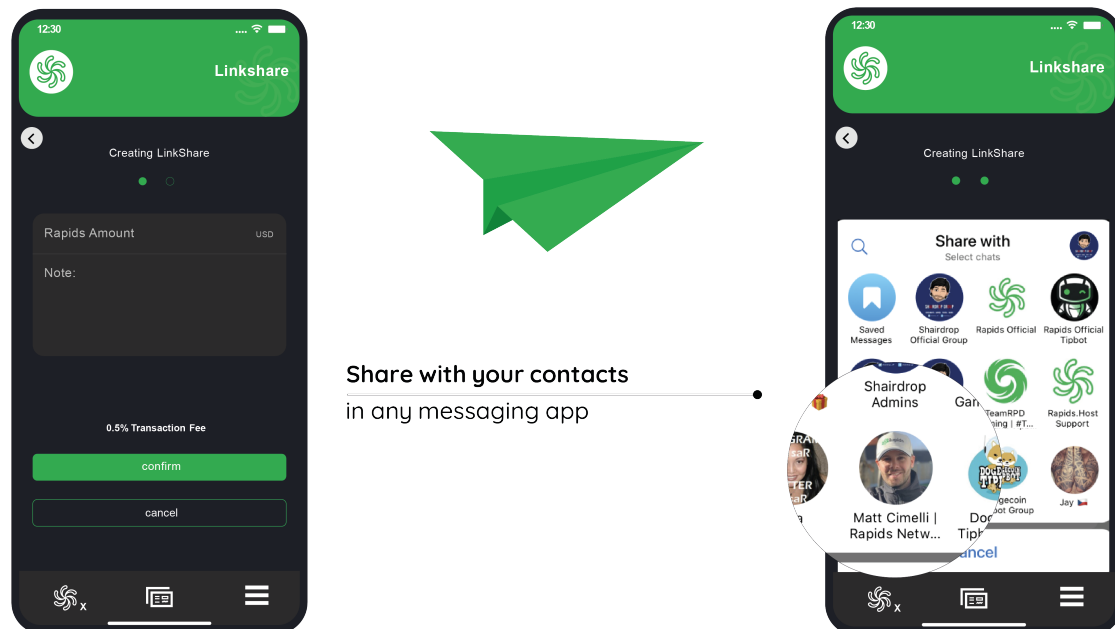
Linkshare Technology

Rapids LinkShare gives you the option to complete a partial transaction. By sharing the link with friends, family or perhaps your following...

With LinkShare sending RPD gifts on special occasions or at events has never been easier or more fun. Many social communities are taking advantage of the LinkShare technology with having the ability to share gifts via a link on platforms to their followers.

Direct from Rapids Wallet you can LinkShare via text message, email, Twitter, Facebook, Whatsapp, Slack, Telegram, and basically anywhere you can share a link.

And this is not even the end for Linkshare, there is yet a lot to come, check our roadmap for upcoming features.



Raptic (tipbot)

By using Raptic, our Rapids Tipbot, you're able to accept RPD payments and tips as well as access to features when integrating Raptic bot to your channel such as Discord, Telegram and more. Raptic opens up a whole new world for communities with possibilities such as deposit, withdrawal, tips, rain for active users and tip to 3 lucky winners. Raptic has also proven to increase community engagement and is often used as a marketing tool for rewarding communities during events etc.



RPDx layer

To widen our services and hop onto new possibilities and trends we have been working hard on our RPDx layer. RPDx is a Layer built on top of RPD. With RPDx it's simple to create tokens to represent custom assets or currencies and to transact, exchange, crowdfund and more without leaving Rapids Blockchain or relying on third party platforms.

In addition, Rapids offers the possibility to process 100,000+ transactions per second (TPS) thanks to Sharding.

"Sharding is a database partitioning technique used by blockchain companies with the purpose of scalability, enabling them to process more transactions per second. ... Sharding can help reduce the latency or slowness of a network since it splits a blockchain network into separate shards."

In addition, you do not pay gas fees at Rapids and you do not have to worry that you will suddenly be faced with any surprises on your transactions.

Rapids has a wide background of people who have been in cryptocurrencies from the beginning but also the entertainment media and event sector. With NFT's we are able to merge both worlds into one.

Rapids Marketplace

With the launch of RPDx, Rapids will also launch its own Marketplace. This Auction Marketplace will offer companies, artists and hobbyists the opportunity to launch their own music, art and film NFTs on the RPDx network. Choose if you want to launch a collection or one piece, will it be exclusive with just one piece available or a bunch of them? Can collectors buy it now or will it be auctioned? Possibilities are endless without ever leaving Rapids Blockchain.

Rapids Ticketing

For the first time, a cryptocurrency is standing up and turning NFTs into something that will make a big impact in society. Use non-fungible tokens to mint tickets for concerts, festivals, parties, fairs, cinemas and more. The combination of RPDx and the Rapids Mobile Wallet puts everything at your fingertips.

Where people used to collect stamps or access bands, you can now go to your favorite film, festival or event, own an NFT and save or trade. In addition, an entrance ticket via NFT offers many advantages, such as preventing copying of festival tickets, but also a royalty system in which event organizations receive a percentage of the resale of entrance tickets.

The latter in particular is a big difference with the current situation, where that is not the case and only third parties earn money from it. Not yet convinced of Rapids or this technique or perhaps interested? Let one of our consultants know and we will be happy to start the conversation.

Distribution

As the swap strategy from the original RPD ERC20 token was altered to support the QUARK algorithm. Rapids Blockchain now utilizes a two-tiered, energy efficient network that combines a Proof of Stake (PoS) protocol, for the creation of new blocks and the security of the network, and a Masternode network to enhance the stability. Rapids early 2021 deployed a coin reduction at a ratio of 1000:1 taking our max supply from 30 billion to 30 million.

The following reward model displays block reward proportions:

Masternodes	60%
Staking	20%
Dev	20%

Coin Specifications

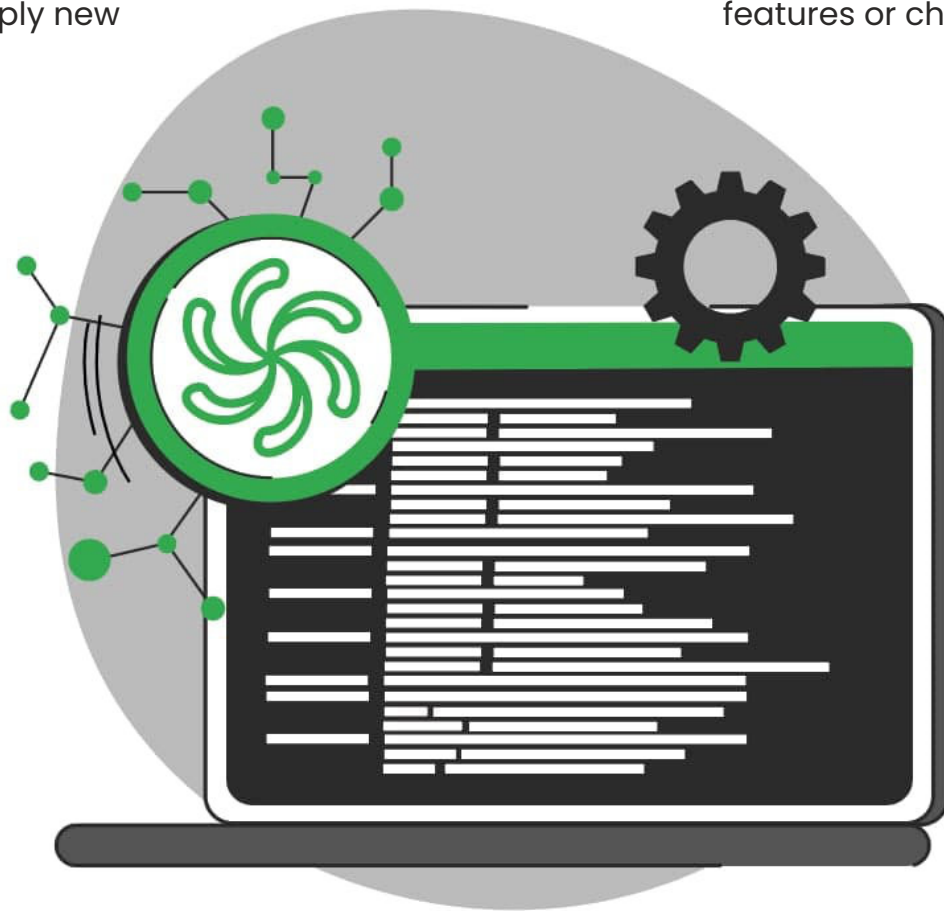
Block Time	60 seconds
Max Coin Supply	30.000.000
Premine	20.000.000
Masternode Collateral	10.000
Reward Rate per Block	MN 60%
	PoS 20%
	Dev 20%
Halving Cycle	4 Years (2102400 blocks)
Coin Staking Age	75 confirmations

Reward Distribution

Block Height	Reward per Block
1	20.000.000 rpd
2 ~ 2102401	1.7835 rpd
2102402 ~ 4204801	0.89175 rpd
4204802 ~ 6307201	0.445875 rpd
6307202 ~ 8409601	0.2229375 rpd
8409602 ~ 10512001	0.11146875 rpd
10512002 ~ infinite	0.05573438 rpd

Masternodes & Staking

The Rapids blockchain comes with 2 different reward systems. Namely Masternodes and Staking, for some a lucrative way to earn some extras and for others a powerful way to attract and retain investors. Or by processing blocks. But as a RPD Masternode holder you gain more than just more RPD, you get the right to vote for decisions or be able to apply new features or changes.



Staking

To start staking Rapids, you have to install one of the native wallet clients which can be found at <https://rapidsnetwork.io/about-us#wallets>. There is no minimum amount of RPD coins needed to receive rewards although you are most likely to win a block reward by increasing your stake (RPD coins in your wallet).

Masternodes

Masternodes have been around for quite some time but that makes them not less special. Masternodes are servers (nodes) that provide additional services for the blockchain that can't be accomplished using Proof-of-Work.

Rapids Host

Rapids' Hybrid Smart Pool and Masternode Platform..

Host your Masternode and unlock discounts, premium features within the platform and earn benefits such as airdrops of new coin listings.

Join community hybrid pools, earning rewards direct to your web wallet.

Rapids Host has several other coins listed with a view to list many more over 2022 creating connections and collaborations with many other communities.

Rapids Hosts over 500 masternodes across several communities of investors who enjoy passive income in return creating a revenue stream for ongoing Rapids Development.

During 2022 Rapids Host will see a major redevelopment of the platform whereby we'll see many new features being added, new ux/ui and server reductions and in return increasing overall platform performance.

Rapids Socials

Website:

<https://rapidsnetwork.io>

RoadMap

<https://rapidsnetwork.io/about-us>

Telegram Community

<https://t.me/RapidsOfficial>

Telegram Announcements:

<https://t.me/RapidsNews>

Discord:

<https://discord.gg/tMV2hSATqK>

Medium:

<https://rapidsnetwork.medium.com/>

Twitter:

<https://twitter.com/RapidsRPD>

Facebook:

<https://facebook.com/RapidsNetwork/>

Bitcointalk:

<https://bitcointalk.org/index.php?topic=5009962.0>

YouTube:

<https://youtube.com/c/RapidsNetwork>

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