Comparison of Smart Chains

- Ethereum (ETH)
- Cardano (ADA)
- Binance Smart Chain (BNB)
- Polkadot (DOT)
- Polygon (MATIC)
- Solana (SOL)

Definitions

Smart Chain:

A blockchain that permits the creation of new coins or tokens. Ethereum, as an example, has more than 2700 tokens!

Tokens:

Units of cryptocurrency that are used as money/coins, NFTs, for earning rewards or for voting, for example. All coins are tokens, but not all tokens are coins.

Quick Numbers

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MktCap Rank		Coin	Market Cap	Dominance	7d	30d	Twitter	Telegram	Quarterly	Markets
2	\$	ETH Ethereum	\$300.20 B	18.4872%	0.09% 🔺	10.22% ▼	1.26 M	0.00		4,219
4		ADA Cardano	\$54.291 B	3.3434%	7.83% 🔺	29.06% 📤	466.15 K	0.00		111
5	.	BNB Binance C	\$53.489 B	3.2941%	1.47% 🔺	42.62% ▼	3.97 M	135.56 K		1,717
8	Ð	DOT Polkadot	\$22.063 B	1.3588%	2.09% 🔺	38.11% ▼	433.15 K	33.61 K	- M	62
15	%	MATIC Polygon	\$11.589 B	0.7137%	9.49% 🔺	141.9% 📤	367.70 K	0.00		96
17	=	SOL Solana	\$8.4584 B	0.5209%	9.77% 🔺	32.93% ▼	288.01 K	84.77 K		29

Notice ADA and MATIC are the only ones with positive price gains over 30 days. Also notice MATIC fell the least on the recent correction and has recovered the most.

Additional Information

MktCap Rank		Coin	# of Projects	Notable Projects	What's Special
2	\$	ETH Ethereum	27821	USDT, UNI, LINK, AAVE, YFI	Already used by 1000's of projects, home to DeFi and NFTs, soon to be green (POS)
4	*	ADA Cardano	1 so far 100+ I/P²	CARDS, many more in the next mo. or two	Ethereum co-founder as CEO, based on univ. research, is POS, easy to switch from ETH
5	.	BNB Binance C	. 191³	CAKE, MDX, GRT, ONT, ENJ, BAKE, 1INCH	Backed by the largest crypto exchange, easy to switch from Ethereum as it's a copy
8	Ð	DOT Polkadot	954	LINK, KSM, ONT, ZRX, ANKR, REN	Ethereum co-founder as CEO, supports many different blockchains and their interconnection
15	8	MATIC Polygon	106 ⁵	LINK, GRT, INJ, REEF, QUICK	Sits on Ethereum, boosts speed to 7-10K TPS, reduces GAS fees, allows interoperability
17	=	SOL Solana	250+ ⁶	USDT, LINK, LUNA, GRT, REN, AR,	Unique design allows developers to program with more common tools, 50,000 TPS

¹ Data from https://www.stateofthedapps.com/stats
² Data from https://ambcrypto.com/cardano-has-over-100-commercial-projects-in-the-pipeline-says-hoskinson/

³ Data from https://coinmarketcap.com/view/binance-smart-chain/

⁴ Data from https://coinmarketcap.com/view/polkadot-ecosystem/

⁵ Data from https://www.block123.com/en/feature/polygon-matic-network-list/

⁶ Data from https://solana.com/news/solana-ecosystem-news#

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