

# **Xtrackers Galaxy Physical Ethereum ETC Securities**

## **Xtrackers ETC Information**

Name	Xtrackers Galaxy Physical Ethereum ETC Securities			
Underlying of the index	Ethereum			
Replication form	Physical			
ISIN	CH1315732268			
Issuer	Xtrackers Digital Markets ETC AG			
Issue date	25.03.2024			
Trading Currency	SIX Swiss Exchange: CHF Xetra: EUR, USD BX Swiss: CHF			
Maturity	No Maturity Date			
Upfront	0% (via Exchange)			
Product fee	0.35% p.a.			
Authorised Participants	Jane Street, Flow Traders			

Index Information					
Name MSCI Ethereum Reference Index					
Bloomberg (fixing)	MXETHUSD <index></index>				
Storage	Cold storage in segregated wallets at one or more cryptocurrency custodians				
Custodian(s)	Coinbase Custody International Limited, Zodia Custody (Ireland) Limited				
Trustee	Vistra Capital Markets Trustees Limited				

#### At a glance:

- Simple and convenient exposure to cryptocurrency spot prices: The Xtrackers Galaxy Physical Ethereum ETC Securities are linked to the Ethereum spot price and can be conveniently purchased via traditional brokerage accounts without the need to set up and manage a cryptocurrency wallet.
- Physical ownership: The Xtrackers Galaxy Physical Ethereum ETC Securities are backed by physical Ethereum held in cold storage cryptocurrency custody accounts.
- Segregated account: The underlying physical Ethereum is stored in institutional-grade cold storage custody solutions. Each series of ETC Securities has exclusive title over an allocated pool of Ethereum to ensure effective segregation of assets.

## Physical Replication

Xtrackers Galaxy Physical Ethereum ETC securities are backed by a direct investment in the underlying physical Ethereum. The issuer has direct and sole ownership of the Ethereum, which is stored in institutional-grade cold storage custody solutions. Each physical ETC security entitles the holder to a specified quantity of Ethereum (the "Coin Entitlement") of the segregated pool owned by the issuer. The value of the security is a function of the Coin Entitlement, the Ethereum spot price and any applicable fees.

### Limited-Recourse Assets

In respect of each series of ETC securities, the underlying physical Ethereum (Secured Property) is owned by the issuer and held through the secured account custodian(s). It is further secured in favour of the trustee on behalf of the security holders. Each series of ETC securities will have recourse only to the respective secured property in relation to such series after the relevant service providers have been paid any outstanding amounts in relation to such series. Such secured property is not available to satisfy the claims in relation to a different series of ETC securities (i.e. is "ring-fenced").

Listing and Trading Information Xtrackers Galaxy Physical Ethereum ETC Securities											
Exchange	ISIN	NSIN	Exchange Code	Trading Currency	Trading Hours	Settlement	Bloomberg ticker	Reuters RIC			
XETRA	CH1315732268	A4AE1T	XETH	EUR	09:00-17:30 CET	t+2	XETH GY	XETH.DE			
XETRA	CH1315732268	A4AE1T	XETU	USD	09:00-17:30 CET	t+2	XETU GY	XETU.DE			
SIX Swiss Exchange	CH1315732268	131573226	XETH	CHF	09:00-17:30 CET	t+2	XETH SW	XETH.S			
BX Swiss	CH1315732268	A4AE1T	XETH	CHF	09:00-17:30 CET	t+2	XETH BW	XETH.BN			



## Key Advantages of Xtrackers Galaxy Physical Ethereum FTC securities

- Institutional-grade products: The product draws on the symbiotic expertise of Xtrackers and Galaxy, combining Xtrackers' long-standing ETP track record with Galaxy's broad cryptocurrency domain expertise.
- Convenience: A straightforward way to gain exposure to spot returns of the underlying cryptocurrency. The ETC security structure fits seamlessly into traditional brokerage accounts and portfolio management structures without the need to set up a cryptocurrency wallet.
- Minimal tracking error: Returns of the ETC securities are equal to the spot returns of the underlying cryptocurrency minus any applicable fees.
- Physical backing: The ETC securities are physically backed by the corresponding cryptocurrency, stored in institutional-grade cold storage cryptocurrency custody solutions at one or more cryptocurrency custodian(s).
- Segregated wallets: Each ETC series has security over segregated cryptocurrency wallets held by the custodian(s) to ensure effective segregation of assets.
- Liquidity of Xtrackers ETC securities: Securities are traded intra-day on one or multiple major European stock exchanges.
- Transparent value: The value of the ETC securities and the underlying cryptocurrencies are transparently reported on the Xtrackers website and news sources respectively.

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<sup>1</sup> Based on AuM, ETFGI Global ETF and ETP industry insights, 12/2023

## Key Risks of Xtrackers Galaxy Physical Ethereum ETC securities

- Non-principal protected investments: Xtrackers Galaxy Physical Cryptocurrency ETC securities are non-principal protected investments, therefore an investor's capital will be at risk up to a total loss.
- Distinct risks of cryptocurrencies: Prices of cryptocurrencies are extremely volatile when compared to most (if not all) traditional asset classes. Cryptocurrencies face distinct market, technical, operational, legal, regulatory, cryptocurrency custody, hacking, fraud and blockchain risks.
- Market volatility affects investments: The value of the ETC securities depend on the underlying Ether price. It may go down as well as up and past performance is not a good indicator of future performance.
- Deduction of fees and no accrual of interest: Investments in cryptocurrency ETC securities will not accrue any interest and performance is subject to the deduction of the applicable fees
- Debt security: Investing in ETC securities will not make an investor the owner of the Underlying
- Counterparty risk: The ETC program relies on many counterparties which leads to counterparty risk.
- Secondary market pricing: Pricing of the ETC securities on the secondary market may be at a significant discount or premium compared to the Value per ETC Security (intrinsic value) published by the Issuer.
- Exchange rate: The price of cryptocurrencies is generally quoted in US dollars. If a security holder values cryptocurrencies in another currency, the value will be affected by changes in the exchange rate.

For a full description of relevant risk factors, please refer to the prospectus.

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