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Announcement of Subsidiary's Release

TOKYO, July 3, 2026 – Coincheck, Inc., a subsidiary of Monex Group, Inc., issued the following press release.

Attachment: Summary of Coincheck, Inc. press release

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[Press Release]

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Coincheck, Inc.

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Coincheck, Inc. (Head office: Shibuya-ku, Tokyo; Representative Director: Satoshi Hasuo, Tomoyuki Isaka ; hereinafter “Coincheck” or “the Company”), which operates “Coincheck,” a crypto asset trading service that ranks No. 1 in Japan in terms of active users and app downloads*, today announced that its “Coincheck App” recorded the No. 1 ranking in Japan for app downloads in the first half of 2026 (※) among domestic crypto asset trading apps. The “Coincheck App” has also ranked No. 1 in Japan in app downloads for seven consecutive years through December 2025.



※ Coverage: Domestic crypto asset trading apps; Period: January 2026–June 2026; Data provided by AppTweak

The Company will continue to make improvements aimed at delivering an easy-to-use app that allows even those with no experience in crypto asset trading to easily purchase Bitcoin and other crypto assets.

Three Highlights of the First Half of 2026

Expanding points of contact with crypto assets through partnerships with companies via Coincheck CaaS

1. Launched a service to exchange Credit Saison's “Eikyu Fumetsu Points” for crypto assets

Coincheck concluded a business alliance agreement with Credit Saison Co., Ltd. aimed at further expanding Japan's crypto asset market and creating new services, and on June 29, 2026, launched a service that allows “Eikyu Fumetsu Points” to be exchanged for three crypto assets. This alliance is an initiative to create opportunities for Saison card members to access crypto assets and new financial services. The companies will advance their collaboration in areas such as linking point programs and customer loyalty programs, integrating payment services with crypto asset services, and conducting joint marketing that leverages their respective customer bases.



For details, please see [here](#).

2. Concluded a business alliance agreement with KDDI and established a new company, “au Coincheck Digital Assets Corporation”

Coincheck concluded a business alliance agreement with KDDI Corporation. By combining the customer base of the au economic ecosystem with the Company's expertise in the crypto asset business, we will expand opportunities to access digital assets, including crypto assets, and extend digital assets into everyday services.



In addition, KDDI, au Financial Holdings Corporation, and the Company jointly established a new company, “au Coincheck Digital Assets Corporation,” to advance a non-custodial wallet business. Centered on a non-custodial wallet offered as a mini-app within au PAY, the new company aims to create an environment where digital assets such as crypto assets and stablecoins can be used more readily.



For details, please see [here](#).

3. Began collaboration with Mercoin, enabling trading of Coincheck-listed assets on “Mercari” (Coincheck CaaS)

On June 8, 2026, Coincheck began a collaboration enabling the trading of crypto assets handled by Coincheck (a total of 12 assets, including Shiba Inu and Dogecoin) on the Mercari app. With the start of this collaboration, Mercari app users can now trade—easily and securely, with the Company—a wide variety of crypto assets handled by Coincheck, in addition to the three existing assets (Bitcoin, Ethereum, and XRP), all within the familiar Mercari app.



In line with this collaboration, the Company also launched “Coincheck CaaS (Crypto as a Service),” an embedded finance service that lets crypto asset trading functionality be incorporated via API integration. Going forward, the Company plans to further broaden its collaborations with a wide range of applications and services that have their own user bases.



For details, please see [here](#).

Reference

The highlights for 2025 (full year / second half) are available [here](#).

About Coincheck, Inc.

Under the mission "Making New Value Exchange More Accessible," Coincheck, Inc. operates Coincheck, Japan's No.1 cryptocurrency trading service by active users and the No.1 cryptocurrency trading app by downloads for seven consecutive years*. The company also operates Coincheck Prime, which supports cryptocurrency trading and custody for corporations and institutional investors, and Coincheck Partners, which supports crypto-related businesses for corporate clients.

As a member of Monex Group, Inc., listed on the Tokyo Stock Exchange Prime Market, and Coincheck Group N.V., listed on NASDAQ, Coincheck provides "new value exchange" enabled by



cryptocurrencies such as Bitcoin and Ethereum and blockchain technology with a commitment to transparency, reliability, and security.

Reference: Coincheck Press Release dated February 26, 2026, "Coincheck App Wins 'Best Cryptocurrency App' at APAC Awards 2025"

*Coverage: Domestic cryptocurrency trading apps; Period: January 2019–December 2025; Data provided by AppTweak

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