

CATALONIA COIN WHITEPAPER

REAL COUNTRY-COIN PROJECT.

OPEN · DECENTRALIZED · TRANSPARENT

CATALONIA COIN DEV-TEAM

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Summary and Changes

Like Bitcoin, Catalonia already has its own digital currency. Since 2009 when bitcoin first appeared, different cryptocurrencies based on the same principles of social and network decentralization appeared. Since coins like Devcoin (currency for web developers) to the ones like CannabisCoin (used in marijuana dispensaries in the United States). Other ones were focused to countries like AuroraCoin (Iceland), Scotscoin (Scotland) and even Pesetacoin (Spain).

The appearance of Cataloniacoin is something natural if we consider the powerful interest that Catalonia always had into innovation and modernity. Many technology-related projects were carried out in this country and Cataloniacoin efficiency is a tool that can be perfectly integrated into that aspects.

The CATc launch is the culmination of a project that takes brewing some months in the digital sphere. Currently you can only buy coins from the IPO process in <https://c-cex.com/?p=catc-btc> but soon more exchanges are going to accept CATc in their pair exchanges.

Cataloniacoin v2 is a new project designed to recover the one that was born several months ago (but it was abandoned by its former developers). Now, a new and active team of developers with clear ideas recovered the project to work hard on it. The first step is the sale of the old pre-minted coins to ensure that the money is distributed fairly and to avoid suspicion with the accumulation of coins by the developers. If there are coins that haven't been sold in the IPO process, they'll be destroyed and after that moment they're going to be available just minting to help the CataloniaCoin network.

With the profits from the preminted coin sales, developers will make substantial improvements in the currency like:

- *Changing the algorithm or PoS implementation.*
- *Contact and discuss with Catalan businesses and companies to gradually achieve the implementation of the currency in Catalonia thanks to modernity, innovation and decentralization principles that describe the cryptocurrencies.*
- *Open discussions and polls to know what the community want. We're open, we want to discuss, we want to let people decide and know about all the project movements.*

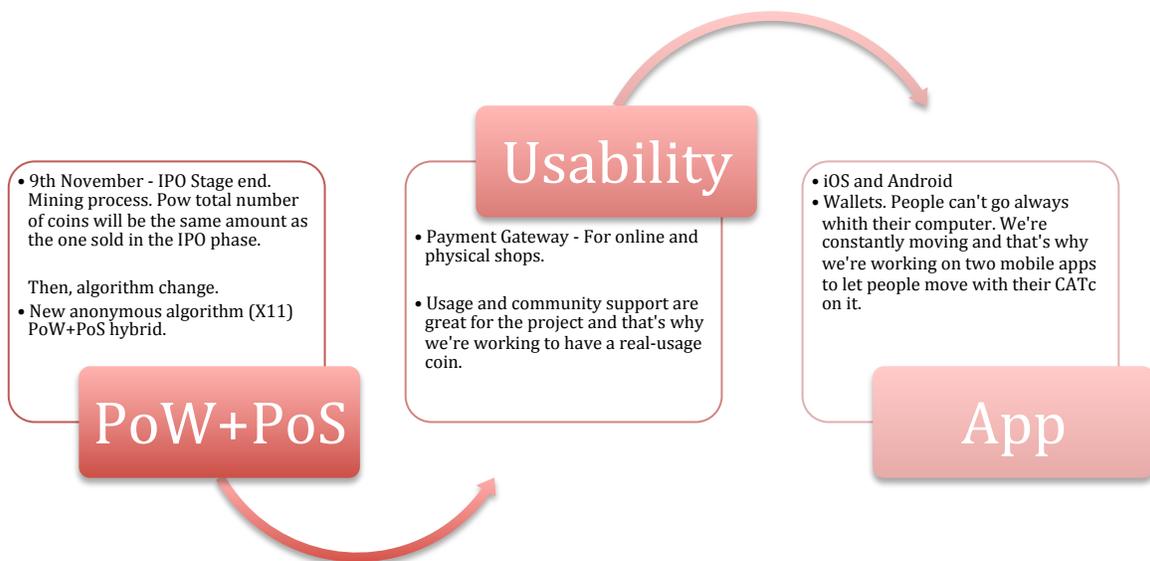
Soon we'll start working to achieve the maximum recognition in the crypto-currencies environment because we're a serious project that's here to stay.

If you have any question related with the coin, you can contact with the developers through the following email address or social accounts:

ABOUT

We can call that new CataloniaCoin Project as a completely new one, CataloniaCoinv2 is here to stay. Previous devs leave it and that's why the new CataloniaCoin team decided to sell all the previous premine through and IPO (*Initial Public Offering*). With that ipo, everyone have their opportunity to obtain CataloniaCoin (if they don't have a mining device).

As you can see on the oficial CataloniaCoin roadmap (<https://bitcointalk.org/index.php?topic=840542.0>) new changes and specs are coming, like a new X11 PoW+Pos Hybrid algorithm.



CATALONIA SITUATION – WHY TO SUPPORT

On September 11th 2012, around 1.5 million people filled up the central avenues of Barcelona in the largest demonstration ever held in the city. Who were they? What did they want? And why should you bother about it?

The 2012 Catalan independence demonstration, organized by the Catalan National Assembly, a broad and non-partisan movement born out of Catalan civil society, marked a turning point in the relations between Catalonia and Spain. For the first time in many years, the demands for an independent Catalan state moved out of the fringes of politics and occupied the central stage, as it became clear that a majority of Catalan citizens, of all origins and backgrounds, wished to establish a new political framework based on the principles of democracy, liberty and human rights. They aspired, as the slogan of the demonstration run, to form “a new state in Europe”. Rather than being a sudden eruption of nationalistic feeling, this was the latest step in a long and arduous struggle for self-rule and recognition, a fight that Catalans have always fought peacefully and too often in obscurity. But now, for the first time, the world was forced to look at Catalonia, not as just another Spanish region, but as a self-standing nation with its own legitimate and pressing demands.

A year later, with the same goal, more than 1.6 million Catalans made a 400 km human chain, tracing all the territory from north to south, known as the Catalan Way (Via Catalana).

A multitude of citizens, old and young, joined hands at exactly 17:14 (15:14 GMT), creating a historic line which crossed Catalonia from north to south, stretching over 400 kilometres of roads and city streets and occupied by a peaceful crowd of people with one common goal: to demand the independence of Catalonia, one of Europe’s oldest nations.

A large part of Catalonia's citizens have been claiming, for the past few years, the right to decide its destiny, with the support of 77 % of the Parliament of Catalonia, which had already declared in favour of the Catalan people being consulted, although the Spanish government has blocked the possibility of a referendum being held by the 7.5 million Catalans to vote democratically on their future.

The Catalan government has found five different ways to legally channel the demands of the Catalan people to exercise their right to vote, but the Spanish government is not willing to discuss any of them.

The official poll by the Opinion Study Centre (CEO) from March 2014 reveals that 74% of citizens think the future of the country needs to be decided on a referendum, and that 60% support the Independence of Catalonia.

The year 2014, during which the Scottish referendum will be held, also marks the commemoration of 300 years since Catalonia lost its freedom.

Follow the Catalonia Road-map: <http://catalanassembly.org/road-map>

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