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The ACPR and the AMF warn the public against the activities of several entities offering in France investments in Forex and in crypto-assets derivatives without being authorized to do so

With the objective of protecting investors, the Autorité de Contrôle Prudentiel et de Résolution (ACPR) and the Autorité des Marchés Financiers (AMF) regularly update their black lists of websites identified as offering investments in the unregulated foreign exchange (Forex) market and in derivative products whose underlying assets include crypto-assets, without being authorized to do so.

## Forex:

Here is the list of recently identified websites run by unauthorized entities:

- activefinancial.trade
- akselinvest.pro
- algo-management.co
- baccocapital.pro
- brown-fin.com
- byou360invest.com
- corsaircontrol.pro
- www.crytomerge.com
- www.ellandroadcapital.com
- gainful-markets.com
- gestiondupatrimoine.net
- guardianinvest.co
- importcapital.cc
- mgmglobal.com
- www.morgencharles.business
- www.mt4gestion.com
- north-trader.com
- omegapro.in
- platform.gainfulmarkets-tech.com
- sallixcapital.com
- success26inv.com
- tangent-capital.pro
- tidetechnologiesgroup.ltd
- www.universaltrade.io

## **Crypto-assets derivatives:**

- www.aeexc.lat
- www.bitecx.com
- www.bitoasis.ai
- cybercapital.ltd
- elitetrader.io
- epargne-crypto.io
- www.exopip.com
- geetle.com
- oneglobal-advr.com
- quantumfundsgroup.net
- www.rivegarde.com

In 2023, the AMF and ACPR have added 66 unauthorised websites in the Forex category and 11 in the crypto asset derivatives category.

Lists of all websites that are not authorized to offer investments in Forex or in crypto-assets derivatives are available on the Assurance Banque Épargne Info Service – <u>ABEIS's website</u>, on the <u>AMF's website</u> and the <u>AMF Protect Epargne</u> website.

Please note that these lists are updated regularly but they are not intended to be complete, as new unauthorized entities appear regularly.

To ensure that the intermediary offering you financial products or services is authorized to operate in France, you may consult the register of authorized investment service providers (<a href="https://www.regafi.fr">https://www.regafi.fr</a>), the list of authorized intermediaries in the financial investment advisor (FIA) category (<a href="https://www.orias.fr/search">https://www.orias.fr/search</a>); and of authorized crowdfunding service providers that can be found on this page on the AMF's website.

If the intermediary in question does not appear on any of the last three lists, we strongly recommend that you should not make use of their services, as they are in breach of the applicable legislation and are not required to comply with basic rules of investor protection, information disclosure and claims handling.

## Do you have any questions? You can find information on the following websites:

Assurance Banque Épargne Info Service (ABEIS) www.abe-infoservice.fr

AMF: <a href="http://www.amf-france.org/">http://www.amf-france.org/</a> or call the AMF Epargne Info Service on +33 (0)1 53 45 62 00, Mondays to Fridays from 9am to 12.30pm.

ACPR: https://acpr.bangue-france.fr/

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About the ACPR
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attached to the Banque de France that supervises the banking and insurance sectors and ensures
financial stability. The ACPR is also responsible for protecting the customers of the supervised
institutions and carries out the mission of fighting against money laundering and the financing of
terrorism. It also has resolution powers. The ACPR's operational departments come under its General
Secretariat. Visit our website https://acpr.banque-france.fr/