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## **INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT**

Board of Directors and Management Circle Internet Financial, LLC

We have examined management of Circle Internet Financial, LLC's (the "Company") assertion that the Fair Value of Assets Held in USDC Reserve is equal to or greater than USDC in Circulation in accordance with the criteria defined in the accompanying USDC Reserve Report as of November 16, 2023, and November 30, 2023, at 11:59pm Pacific Standard Time "Report Dates"). The Company's management is responsible for its assertion. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on management's assertion based on our examination.

Our examination was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA). Those standards require that we plan and perform the examination to obtain reasonable assurance about whether management's assertion is fairly stated, in all material respects. An examination involves performing procedures to obtain evidence about management's assertion. The nature, timing, and extent of the procedures selected depend on our judgment, including an assessment of the risks of material misstatement of management's assertion, whether due to fraud or error. We believe that the evidence we obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

We are required to be independent and to meet our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to the engagement.

In our opinion, management's assertion that the Fair Value of Assets Held in USDC Reserve is equal to or greater than USDC in Circulation as of the Report Dates in accordance with the criteria defined in the accompanying USDC Reserve Report is fairly stated, in all material respects.

December 22, 2023

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#### **Management's Assertion**

Circle Internet Financial, LLC ("Circle" or the "Company") is responsible for the completeness, accuracy and validity of the USDC Reserve Report ("the Report") as of November 16, 2023 and November 30, 2023 at 11:59pm Pacific Standard Time (the "Report Dates"). Circle management asserts that the Fair Value of Assets Held in USDC Reserve is equal to or greater than USDC in Circulation at the Report Dates in accordance with the criteria defined in the Report below.

#### **USDC** Reserve Report

Report Dates	November 16, 2023	November 30, 2023
USDC in Circulation (as defined in the criteria below)	24,023,839,814	24,477,366,310
Fair Value of Assets Held in USDC Reserve (as defined in the criteria below)	\$ 24,075,758,343	\$ 24,529,287,113

#### **CRITERIA**

A. USDC In Circulation is defined as the total USDC supply on USDC Approved Blockchains at the Report Dates (29,061,462,060 and 29,486,774,403, respectively) less (i) Tokens Allowed But Not Issued as reported on USDC Approved Blockchains (4,962,341,110 and 4,934,126,957, respectively) and (ii) Access Denied Tokens as reported on USDC Approved Blockchains (75,281,136 and 75,281,136, respectively).

USDC Approved Blockchains are comprised of the Algorand, Arbitrum One, Avalanche C-Chain, Base, Ethereum, Flow, Hedera, NEAR, Noble, OP Mainnet, Polkadot Asset Hub, Polygon PoS, Solana, Stellar, and TRON blockchains and are used by the Company to issue and redeem USDC.

Tokens Allowed But Not Issued are defined as tokens that exist on the Hedera, Polkadot Asset Hub, and Solana blockchains and are not currently issued to a USDC Holder. They are required due to the technical implementation of USDC on those blockchains.

Access Denied Tokens are defined as the amount of USDC tokens that are restricted from being accessed by the holder to comply with a law, regulation, or legal order from a duly recognized U.S. authorized authority, U.S. court of competent jurisdiction, or other governmental authority with jurisdiction over the Company.

B. Fair Value of Assets Held in USDC Reserve is defined as the total balance of U.S. dollar denominated assets at the Report Dates in the Circle Reserve Fund and in Segregated Accounts held by the Company with regulated financial institutions on behalf of USDC holders.

The Circle Reserve Fund (the "Fund") is a government money market fund under Rule 2a-7 of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended. The Company owns one hundred percent of the equity interests in the Fund represented by the Fund's Net Asset Value (the "NAV"), held on behalf of USDC holders. The Reserve Report provides details of the fair value of the underlying net assets of the Fund that make up the NAV.

Segregated Accounts are unencumbered accounts held on behalf of USDC holders that are segregated from other accounts of the Company, including general corporate funds.



# **CIRCLE RESERVE FUND ASSETS AS OF NOVEMBER 16, 2023**

## **U.S. TREASURY SECURITIES**

TOTAL USDC RESERVE ASSETS AS OF NOVEMBER 16, 2023	24,075,758,343			
TOTAL OTHER USDC RESERVE ASSETS	1,737,682,426			
Cash due to/(owed by) the Company due to timing and settlement differences, net <sup>3</sup>	(12,223,815)			
Cash held at regulated financial institutions	1,749,906,241			
OTHER USDC RESERVE ASSETS AS OF NOVEMBER 16, 2023				
TOTAL CIRCLE RESERVE FUND ASSETS	22,338,075,917			
Cash due to/(owed by) Circle Reserve Fund due to timing and settlement differences	, net (40,014,074)			
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Cash held in Circle Reserve Fund	999,159,493			
U.S. Treasury Repurchase Agreements <sup>2</sup>	14,375,000,000			
TOTAL U.S. TREASURY SECURITIES	7,011,931,098			
912796ZN2 12/28/23	298,194,291			
912797FV4 12/21/23	995,017,270			
912797HU4 12/12/23	3,024,632,354			
912797FT9 12/07/23	598,244,790			
912797HN0 12/05/23	698,152,875			
912796ZD4 11/30/23	998,098,930			
912797FL6 11/24/23	399,590,588			
Cusip Maturity Date	Fair Value (\$) <sup>1</sup>			



# CIRCLE RESERVE FUND ASSETS AS OF NOVEMBER 30, 2023

## **U.S. TREASURY SECURITIES**

Cusip	Maturity Date	Fair Value (\$) <sup>1</sup>		
912797HN0	12/05/23	699,589,954		
912797FT9	12/07/23	599,472,360		
912797HU4	12/12/23	3,030,810,762		
912797FV4	12/21/23	909,503,964		
912797HW0	12/26/23	248,032,310		
912796ZN2	12/28/23	298,810,707		
912797FW2	01/04/24	398,008,420		
912797GC5	01/11/24	982,941,153		
TOTAL U.S. TREASURY SECURITIES		7,167,169,630		
U.S. Treasury Repurchase Agreements <sup>2</sup>		14,564,000,000		
Cash held in Circle Reserve Fund		1,003,641,646		
Cash due to/(owed by) Circle Reserve Fund due to timing and settlement differences, net <sup>3</sup>		(96,827,382)		
TOTAL CIRCLE RESERVE FUND ASSETS		22,637,983,894		
OTHER USDC RESERVE ASSETS AS OF NOVEMBER 30, 2023				
Cash held at regulated financial institutions		1,902,038,972		
Cash due to/(owed by) the Company due to timing and settlement differences, net <sup>3</sup>		(10,735,753)		
TOTAL OTHER USDC RESERVE ASSETS		1,891,303,219		
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TOTAL USDC RESERVE ASSETS AS OF NOVEMBER 30, 2023		24,529,287,113		

# **USDC** Reserve Report



### Notes

- Amounts are shown here at their fair value as of the Report Dates. The Circle Reserve Fund in which these securities are owned, reports U.S. Treasury Securities in accordance with Rule 2a-7 under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended.
- 2. U.S Treasury Repurchase Agreements within the Circle Reserve Fund involve the overnight lending of cash to global financial institutions which is overcollateralized by U.S. Treasury securities.
- 3. Fund and bank balances have been adjusted for timing and settlement differences, which include: deposits/withdrawals occurring after the bank statement cut-off time (but before the Report Dates), securities purchased/sold on the last day of the reporting period and settled after the Report Dates, interest receivable or payable, and unrealized gains/losses.

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December 22, 2023