

# 2022-2023 Outlook

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## **P&L Summary**

|   | \$mm               |         |         | Growth % |        |      |
|---|--------------------|---------|---------|----------|--------|------|
|   | 2021E <sup>1</sup> | 2022F   | 2023F   | 2021E    | 2022F  | 2023 |
| USDC Interest Income <sup>2</sup>         | 28                 | 438     | 2,188   | 542%     | 1,440% | 36   |
| TTS                                       | 48                 | 113     | 366     | 1,737%   | 138%   | 22   |
| SeedInvest                                | 9                  | 10      | 18      | 4%       | 19%    | -    |
| Total Revenue and Interest Income         | \$85               | \$562   | \$2,572 | 449%     | 563%   | 35   |
| USDC Income Sharing and Transaction Costs | 12                 | 163     | 773     | 321%     | 1,273% | 37   |
| TTS Costs                                 | 31                 | 79      | 275     | 3,815%   | 157%   | 24   |
| Total Third Party Transaction Costs       | \$43               | \$242   | \$1,048 | 1,080%   | 468%   | 33   |
| Compensation                              | 68                 | 234     | 418     | 257%     | 247%   | 7    |
| General and Administrative                | 31                 | 79      | 167     | 124%     | 154%   | 1    |
| Depreciation and Amortization             | 4                  | 16      | 27      | (12%)    | 309%   | 6    |
| IT Infrastructure                         | 5                  | 16      | 30      | 40%      | 200%   | 9    |
| Marketing                                 | 14                 | 109     | 205     | 3,302%   | 701%   | 8    |
| Total Operating Expenses                  | \$122              | \$454   | \$847   | 193%     | 274%   | 8    |
| % of Total Revenue and Interest Income    | 143%               | 81%     | 33%     |          |        |      |
| Operating Profit                          | (\$79)             | (\$134) | \$677   | na       | na     |      |
| Stock-Based Compensation                  | 21                 | 62      | 117     | 483%     | 198%   | 8    |
| Depreciation and Amortization             | 4                  | 16      | 27      | (12%)    | 309%   | 6    |
| Adj. EBITDA <sup>3</sup>                  | (\$54)             | (\$56)  | \$820   | na       | na     |      |
| Adj. EBITDA margin %⁴                     |                    |         | 46%     |          |        |      |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Estimates subject to change as year-end is finalized

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> USDC reserve return rates calculated using CME 30 day federal funds futures curve as of January 19, 2022 (https://www.cmegroup.com/markets/interest-rates/stirs/30-day-federal-fund.guotes.html#)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Adjusted EBITDA excludes digital asset impairment and other income/expense which are non-operational

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Adjusted EBITDA / (Total Revenue and Interest Income less USDC Income Sharing and Transaction Costs)

## **Key Metrics**

|                                 | 2021E <sup>1</sup> | 2022F  | 2023F   |  |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|--------|---------|--|
|                                 | 4.0                | ****   | ****    |  |
| USDC in Circulation (\$bn)      | \$42               | \$110  | \$220   |  |
| Monthly Active Customers (#)    | 380                | 2,000  | 5,000   |  |
| Total Transaction Volume (\$bn) | \$268              | \$804  | \$1,810 |  |
| Fiat Transaction Volume (\$bn)  | \$2.9              | \$4.5  | \$7.5   |  |
| Total Volume Lent (\$bn)        | \$0.2              | \$2.5  | \$6.4   |  |
|                                 |                    |        |         |  |
| Growth %                        |                    |        |         |  |
| USDC in Circulation             | 951%               | 260%   | 100%    |  |
| Monthly Active Customers        | 288%               | 426%   | 150%    |  |
| Total Transaction Volume        | 3271%              | 198%   | 125%    |  |
| Fiat Transaction Volume         | 4767%              | 155%   | 67%     |  |
| Total Volume Lent               | 0%                 | 1,648% | 148%    |  |

| Definitions  |
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| USDC in Circulation - Amount of USDC in circulation at period end  |
| <b>Monthly Active Customers</b> - Business accounts with >\$100k in transaction volume per month across all Circle products  |
| <b>Total Transaction Volume</b> - Total of Fiat Transaction Volume and On-Chain Transaction Volume through Circle Accounts and Circle APIs   |
| <b>Fiat Transaction Volume</b> - Gross value of all revenue generating fiat transactions from the Transaction Services business, including domestic bank transfers using ACH, credit and debit card transactions and wires |
| Total Volume Lent - Value of loans outstanding at period end   |