

POKÉMON PONZI WHITEPAPER v1.0



■ Summary

Once, this world was calm. Trainers caught their Pokémon, built their teams, and dreamed of becoming Champions. But then came the **Age of Ponzis**. Wealth split the land, the rich grew richer, commanding legendary Pokémon and hoarding treasures, while the poor scrambled for crumbs, left to chase weak Pokémon and broken promises. Every town echoed with whispers of easy gains and sudden rugs, and the people learned to live in constant fear of becoming the next exit liquidity.

From the depths rose **schemers and visionaries**, battling not for badges but for control of the markets. Rumors spread of whales who could summon tidal waves of liquidity, of memecoin devs who bent entire networks to their will, and of corporations promising safety and 100x gains, only to leave trainers rugged in the dust.

You are a newcomer, stepping into this cycle of hype and despair. The people look to you, not just as a trainer, but as one who might tame the chaos of the Ponzi cycle itself. In these lands, Pokémon are your allies, memes your weapons, and every battle shapes the fate of a world teetering between moonshots and rugs.

The question is simple: will you become just another exit liquidity... or rise as the true Champion of the Degens?

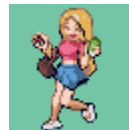
■ Gameplay

- ROM Hack built on Pokémon Emerald
- All Pokémon from Gen 1–3 available, with updated evolutions
- Modern mechanics: Fairy type, updated movesets
- Reusable TMs + no HM restrictions
- Harder difficulty than Emerald



■ Player & Rival

- Play as either:
 - Ethan: Brilliant but socially awkward crypto dev/trader boy
 - Athena: Provocative and wealthy OF and crypto girl



■ Characters & NPCs

- SBF leads FTX (Team Aqua)
 - Obsessed with commanding the sea of liquidity
- Vitalik is Mauville's Electric Gym Leader
 - Ethereum wizard archetype
- Brian Armstrong runs Rustboro Gym as CEO of Coinbase Corp
- Other crypto personalities make up gym leaders and main characters
- NPCs and Trainers reference crypto Twitter banter
- Mini-boss battles with characters from the anime



■ Play & Earn

- Earn crypto tokens by:
 - Defeating gyms
 - Catching Pokémon
 - Talking to NPCs
 - Tokens are claimable via wallets and game codes
 - Utility tied to gameplay + future expansions

■ pump.fun Integration

- \$POKEPZ
 - pump.fun token live
 - 6ouqitM2vGguJdqnKJERrFZHcyGHcR9x5B2bsXLzpump
 - Will have utility/burn for crypto token
- Livestreamed gameplay on pump.fun
- Gym battles, rival fights, community events

■ Roadmap

- Pump.fun Livestream launch
- v1.0 Release: Demo ROM hack
 - Up to Gym #3
- Token Claim System
- Community NPC integration
- Meme-driven expansions

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