



Fund Update : R-co Thematic Blockchain Global Equity — June 2025



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"We want our fellow Americans to know that digital assets are part of the mainstream economy, and are here to stay"
JD Vance, US Vice-President

In May 2025, global markets rebounded as U.S.-China trade tensions eased with a 90-day tariff truce. Strong corporate earnings, particularly in tech, and moderating inflation supported risk assets, though volatility persisted due to geopolitical uncertainties, renewed fears around US fiscal deficit and tariff policy shifts. Meanwhile, Blockchain and digital assets regulatory and legislative dynamics keep easing broader adoption, at the institutional and corporate level with stablecoin Genius act advancing closer to the Presidential desk. In Hong Kong, long-awaited stablecoin bill was passed and public consultation on AML compliance was launched.



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Capital market activity also kept pretty active across our portfolio companies. Coinbase confirmed its acquisition agreement with digital assets derivatives global leader Deribit for US\$2.9bn². This acquisition is expected to set this latter as the one of the largest player in the digital assets derivatives segment. Coinbase became the first Blockchain based company to join the S&P 500 index. Thanks to a regulatory nod from the SEC, Galaxy Digital and DeFi Technologies successfully uplisted in Nasdaq, unlocking access to a significant pools of capital. Robinhood agreed to acquire Wonderfi for C\$250m to accelerate growth in Canada². TaskUs is taken private at a 26% premium by its co-founders and a Blackstone affiliate². Circle who plans to list on Nasdaq early June reportedly declined takeover offers. Meanwhile, BlackRock intends to take a 10% stake in

Circle during the initial public offering, which is over 25 times oversubscribed according to industry insiders³.

In this context, the fund kept outperforming in May, building up on the strong momentum initiated in mid-April. Performance was led by Digital assets/Fintech portfolio category, with Galaxy Digital, Coinbase and Robinhood leading. Blockchain infrastructure portfolio bucket also strongly contributed to performance this month, with diversified crypto-miners to cloud HPC positively lifted by renewed commitment around AI related investment from hyperscalers.

We remained disciplined and took advantage of continued market strength to reduce our exposure to Palantir ahead of earnings and trimmed The Blockchain Group. We marginally strengthened our exposure to Asia and added some shares of Cosco Shipping, Cango and OSL. At the end of the month, our equity exposure was 93.3%⁴, slightly building back up our cash holding.

Industry news to watch:

MUST READ: our March 2025 industry outlook.

As previously stated, with increasing regulatory clarity and accelerated adoption trends, we remain extremely confident about the bright outlook for the Blockchain industry.

[Blockchain: Large-scale adoption accelerated by supportive regulatory momentum](#)

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[2] Source : Coinbase, June 2025.

[3] Source : Bloomberg, 28/05/2025.

[4] Source : Rothschild & Co Asset Management, 31/05/2025.

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