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CLR - April 8, 2025, 12:33 am

So I got bored and am currently cooking this up real fkn quick, I think i have something potentially pretty profitable on my hands with some further tweaks. Only took an hour or two to make lol.

Anyone done this before?

th3c0rrupt3d0n3 - April 8, 2025, 8:31 am

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This. If you're not getting beat by someone better or smarter than you, you'll be getting saturated by dozens of others trying to capitalize on the opportunity.

One of my favorite MEV groups just open sourced some of their tooling for this very reason

Infinity. - April 8, 2025, 1:08 pm

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Monero (2014) – Privacy-first.

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Forks with minor changes pretending to be revolutionary.

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Compare that to Satoshi, who mined fairly and disappeared.

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what u dont know pls

RangoWorld - April 10, 2025, 8:59 am

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Depends how good you are i suppose. I only put an hour or two into it and then switched to doing some other work, but ill likely go back to it at some point. i had it in a state where it was often barely losing any money, mostly breakeven (even with the provider fees) if there was no provider fees it would be profiting, and im sure i can fine tune it some more and do some other stuff with it to reach a profitable point.

SUI-3183372 - April 11, 2025, 9:26 am

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