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INTRODUCTION

Our goal is to make the internet as decentralized as possible, more secure, preserve free speech and give to “we the people” the power to be their own bank.

THE PROBLEM

The internet, as we know it, is not totally centralized because no single corporation owns the entire web. But a handful of big name companies such as Google and Facebook operate most of the essential servers and control what people can access or post on the internet.

THE SOLUTION

Implementation of the Web3. The 3rd iteration of web technology brings us the decentralized web, a space where services are distributed rather than localized, where users own and control their own data, and where smaller players take back power from corporate giants like Google and Facebook.

minoDB

minoDB will be a decentralized blockchain database service using swarm technologies. A swarm is a large group of nodes (computers) that work together to store and manage data.

A swarm blockchain nodes system is highly efficient. Think of swarms like torrent peers. A swarm is actually spread out across the entire planet. This means that if you're retrieving your data, it's coming from the node closest to you rather than from the other side of the world. So, it's going to come as fast as possible. And if you're retrieving data from several swarms at the same time, it's all going to come to you in parallel, just like torrents when you're downloading data from peers.

Using Blockchain Database minoDB will do to MySQL what Bitcoin did to big banks. This will make your data more secure, all encrypted and decentralized.
DOMINO TOKENS

Domino Protocol will be powered by two tokens:

1) **DOMI** External ERC-20 Token running on the Ethereum Blockchain.

   - Token Symbol - DOMI
   - Total Supply - 135,000,000 DOMI (Deflationary)
   - Decimals - 18

2) **MINO** Internal Database Network Token.

   - Token Symbol - MINO
   - Total Supply - na
   - Decimals - 18

The necessity for an internal token is because ERC-20 tokens are too slow and transaction fees too high for real-time blockchain database access. The DOMI ERC-20 external token exists to represent on exchanges for customers to easily obtain to use the Domino Protocol services. The MINO internal token exists to enable high-speed and real-time database access. The DOMI and MINO tokens will be exchangeable via the Domino Protocol Platform. For the pre-sale, people will be buying DOMI tokens only.

**Domino Bridge.** The Domino Bridge will be a two-way interoperability system that uses Simple Payment Verification to enable:

- DOMI tokens to be transfer from the Ethereum blockchain to the Domino blockchain as a MINO Internal Database Network Token.
- MINO Internal Database Network Token to be moved from the Domino blockchain to the Ethereum blockchain as a DOMI ERC-20 token.

The Bridge will converts the DOMI tokens at a 1:1 ratio to MINO tokens.

**DOMI Deflationary Token.** At the end of Phase 6, 100% of the tokens will be burned for all new (.dom) blockchain domain purchase. Moreover, 20% of the tokens will be burned for all purchase of any Token Creator packages.
(.dom) Blockchain Domain will be built on the Crypto Name Service. CNS is a set of smart contracts on the Ethereum blockchain that govern how domains are created and used. Although its functions are similar to the traditional DNS, CNS has architectural differences that change the interaction model significantly. For example, CNS domains are owned. They do not need to be renewed and cannot be reclaimed by the Domino Protocol. Once claimed, users have full control of their domains.

Every (.dom) domain will be issued an ERC-721 token. This standard makes it easier for developers to interpolate with the Domino Protocol. Moreover, it lets users control their domain ownership from any compatible wallet, exchange, or marketplace.

Each ERC-721 token can be identified by a unique number, a Token ID. To make domains recognizable, we use a process called Namehashing.

To verify an implementation of the name hash algorithm, use the following reference table:

- `. = 0x0000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000000
- domi.dom = 0xf861dfe7d7adeaaacdbd29bc03ff92e4693383cbd1547832f9bf5a72ebefb95
- www.domi.dom = 0x6759745ca606c32bed24f4b678e086a00e084b682f2d5ec862bd27e0f0db7
- a.b-domi.dom = 0xcb9fc66aba73c9788a8540f79de7eac069a48912bbf4d0560d6bfe5e3dbab5106

The (.dom) registry tracks all domain names with their corresponding name hash. That makes it possible to obtain an original domain name from a name hash via an ETH RPC call.

Domino Protocol will maintain a public-facing API which can be used to obtain domain information with a name hash. To achieve this, a similar call like: https://dashboard.dominoprotocol.com/api/v1/{namehash} will be available.

You will be able to point your (.dom) domain to content on a decentralized storage network like IPFS or to any IPv4, IPv6 addresses. Your (.dom) domains will be available for browsing via Extensions on Opera, Chrome, Firefox and Brave.

Watch video tutorial on (.dom) Domain >>>

My Domino Domains

![Image of Domino Domains]

Congrats, that name is available! $12.50
Add to cart

Your Cart
0 Item(s)
$0.00

Claim FREE .DOM
First 1000 members get one FREE

All domain purchases are a one-time payment. .dom Domains have no renewal fees.
.dom MARKETPLACE

On the Domino Marketplace you will have the ability to sell (.dom) domain at the right price while taking advantage of 0% selling fees. NOTE: Only DOMI Tokens will be accepted in the marketplace.

Two methods will be made available.

1) **Buy Now** - Domains offered at a fixed price.

2) **Make Offer** - Communicate to potential buyers that you are interested in receiving offers for your domain. You can start negotiating with any interested parties directly and agree on a price as soon as an offer is received.

TOOKEN CREATOR

Create an ERC20 Token without coding. Easily deploy an audited and verified ERC20 smart contract for a standard, capped, mintable, burnable, payable Token on Ethereum network where a percentage of the tokens will go to the Domino Protocol Shareholders. Depending on the package chosen, this could be between 6% and 12%. Therefore, this will get you started with an already build community. NOTE: Only DOMI Tokens will be accepted. Below, an example of what those packages could look like.

Soon available in the Domino Protocol Dashboard

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**CREATE A BASIC TOKEN**
With MiniMailing
12% Tokens to ShareHolders
Newsletter Sent to **250,000** Crypto Enthusiasts
NOTE: Up to 3 days for mailing delivery

**CREATE A PROFESSIONAL TOKEN**
With BigMailing
10% Tokens to ShareHolders
Newsletter Sent to **500,000** Crypto Enthusiasts
NOTE: Up to 5 days for mailing delivery

**CREATE A BUSINESS TOKEN**
With SuperMailing
8% Tokens to ShareHolders
Newsletter Sent to **1 Million** Crypto Enthusiasts
NOTE: Up to 7 days for mailing delivery

**CREATE AN ENTERPRISE TOKEN**
With MegaMailing
6% Tokens to ShareHolders
Newsletter Sent to **5 Million** Crypto Enthusiasts
NOTE: Up to 5 weeks for mailing delivery
For every $1 (USD) Dollar spent on the Domino Protocol Platform, you will get 1 (One) Domino Future Share. In the even that a new Token is created on the Domino Protocol Platform with our online Token Creator, Shareholders will get a portion of the total amount of Token minted. The percentage of Tokens going to the Domino Protocol Shareholders will vary depending on the package chosen (between 6% and 12%).

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**FUTURE SHARES BREAKDOWN**

If the new Token Quantity = ________________ 100,000,000 Tokens
and 10% goes to ShareHolders = _____________ 10,000,000 Tokens
while the total network shares = ___________ 300,000
and your total shares = ________________ 1,200
then your % on the distribution = _________ 0.4%
Therefore your amount of the new Token = ___ 40,000 Tokens
**AFFILIATE PROGRAM**

**Earn From Referrals Sales.** Every purchase and repurchase of (.dom) Blockchain Domain Name and online Token Creation made by your Referrals, will earn you 20% in future share commission payable in future token shares. Furthermore, every purchase and repurchase of pre-sale DOMI Tokens before the end of phase 6 made by your Referrals, will earn you 20% payable in DOMI. There is no limit on the personal referrals that you refer and if you are good at this then the more you refer, the more you can get out of the system.

**Marketing Banners to Promote.** [Login to your dashboard](#) and click the Affiliate TAB to find your custom Affiliate links and our pre-made marketing banners to promote and earn with our affiliate scheme.

**Building a Downline.** Be sure to contact every new downline member you sponsor and let them know you are there to help them. Include your phone number and email address and let them know you have an "Open Door Policy" which means they can contact you whenever they need help. Just let them know when you’re available and what method of communication works best for you. This is not rocket science, and yet some people just don't do it. If you haven’t been doing this, start today. Make it a habit to send a welcome email to every new member you sponsor.

**THE TEAM**

Domino Protocol started with a team of 3 and will continue growing with mainly top engineers with backgrounds in computer science, AI, database, blockchain, encryption, security, networking and more. Some team members are anonymous because they are located in Countries/States/Provinces that have a less-than-friendly attitude towards cryptocurrency and/or decentralization.

![Laird Martin Dufresne](#)
**Laird Martin Dufresne**
Lead Developer

![Daniel Dunn](#)
**Daniel Dunn**
Sr Developer

![Sophie B.](#)
**Sophie B.**
Graphic Designer
Domino Protocol will be executing a token pre-sale to raise funds for development and commercialization of its decentralized services. The only accepted currency will be BTC, ETH, LTC and DASH. Pricing will start at 0.025 USD per DOMI at phase 1.

**TOKEN ALLOCATION**

- **Affiliate/Bounty**: 1,500,000
- **Team/Development**: 5,000,000
- **Uniswap Public Sale**: 2,500,000
- **Pre-Sale**: 6,000,000
- **Domino Effect Bonus**: 120,000,000

**DOMI Tokens**: 135,000,000
DOMINO EFFECT MATRIX

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Uniswap (Start $0.085) at end Phase 6

| Total Funding | 63,000,000 | 31,000,000 | 15,000,000 | 7,000,000 | 3,000,000 | 1,000,000 | 8,500,000 | **$512,500.00** |

Team Tokens (3 years) 5,000,000
Affiliate/24hrs Program 1,500,000
Total DOMI Tokens 135,000,000

USE OF FUNDS

**Research & Product Development: 50%**

Use to continuously develop and improve our products and services, grow the team globally.

**Network Costs: 15%**

Initial capital needed to seed the network with servers and nodes to kick-start our decentralized services.

**Sales and Marketing: 15%**

Grass-roots marketing to start and expand to conferences, sponsorships, advertising.

**Operations: 15%**

General overhead and administrative costs for running the business on a planetary scale.

**Legal, Compliance, Accounting: 5%**

Essential to Domino Protocol to maintain high standards for its operations and provide transparency.
Development and Launch of the Front End and Back End website - Launch DOMI Token pre-sale - Launch (.dom) Domain Names pre-sale - Launch Affiliate Program.


Placement of DOMI Token on other exchanges - Launch (.dom) Domain Names Marketplace - Launch Token Creator module - Switch from pre-sale to New Front End Website - Launch ChainLink Node - Launch IPFS Server.

Development of minoDB Decentralized Blockchain Database - Alpha Launch of minoDB Node - Beta Launch Domino Browser Win/Mac/Linux,

Beta Launch of minoDB Node - minoDB Source Code on GitHub - Launch Domino Browser Win/Mac/Linux - Launch (.dom) 3rd Party Browser Extensions.

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Business Model Risks. Domino Protocol Platform designed Domino Protocol (including the Application and DOMI) according to a specific business model. In particular, the adoption and success of Domino Protocol depends on several factors, including:

- Domino Protocol Platform’s ability to hire top engineers to develop the Application and Domino Protocol;
- the number of users providing resources to support the functions of Domino Protocol;
- the availability of DOMI to Domino Protocol users after the Token Sale; and
- the number of users perceiving DOMI to be valuable and thus willing to use Domino Protocol as either providers of resources or consumers of Domino Protocol.
If the business model of Domino Protocol is flawed, or if the assumptions underlying that business model are incorrect, Domino Protocol may underperform or fail. Domino Protocol Platform may at its discretion elect to change the business model of Domino Protocol in response to competition or market requirements, to address perceived flaws, to optimise the model, or otherwise. Any such changes to the business model of Domino Protocol may fail to achieve their purpose and could adversely affect Domino Protocol.

**Insufficient Funding.** Domino Protocol Platform will depend on the proceeds of the Token Sale to fund its operations until such time, if ever, that Domino Protocol Platform earns sufficient revenue from Domino Protocol or other activities. The proceeds of the Token Sale are cryptocurrencies that may increase or decrease in value. Domino Protocol Platform may, at its discretion, engage in hedging or similar activities to manage the risk of cryptocurrency fluctuations, but those activities may not be sufficient, may fail, or may worsen the consequences of those fluctuations. In addition, the cryptocurrencies held by Domino Protocol Platform may not be convertible to flat currencies or other cryptocurrencies at rates Domino Protocol Platform considers favourable or at all. The cryptocurrencies held by Domino Protocol Platform are also subject to loss or theft despite security precautions taken by Domino Protocol Platform. If for any reason Domino Protocol Platform’s funds are not sufficient to sustain its operations, Domino Protocol Platform may have to reduce or suspend its operations, which would adversely affect Domino Protocol Platform’s ability to develop and operate Platform at the intended level or at all.

**Unanticipated Risks.** Domino Protocol will be launched and will evolve in technology, business, economic, and legal environments that are uncertain and subject to rapid, unpredictable, and potentially contradictory evolution. The future risks associated with those environments, their respective evolutions, and the interactions among them are unknown and unknowable but they could threaten the viability or existence of Domino Protocol.

**Product Risks**

**Delay.** Domino Protocol Platform may not develop and deploy the Application according to its intended schedule. Delays in deploying the Application may adversely affect the acceptance of Domino Protocol in the market and ultimately the viability of Domino Protocol.

**Inability to Use DOMI.** Holders of DOMI will not be able to use them with Domino Protocol until Domino Protocol Platform makes it them available (“Launch”). Launch may be delayed, or may not occur at all. Even after Launch, the availability of certain services will be limited.
Failure to Develop and Support the Service. As a consequence of the realisation of one or more of the other risks in this White Paper or of risks not described in this White Paper, or because of business or technical decisions taken by Domino Protocol Platform in good faith, Domino Protocol Platform may fail to launch Domino Protocol with a full set of intended features and functions or at all, may discontinue certain features and functions of Domino Protocol, may not improve or add to the features and functions of Domino Protocol over time, may not adequately support Domino Protocol, and may not fix bugs in Domino Protocol in a timely way or at all. Domino Protocol (including DOMI) may therefore not have the utility described in this White Paper or expected by a Participant.

Service Issues. Domino Protocol may be degraded, interrupted, or fail because of hardware, software, or network defects, security breaches, hacking, viruses or other malicious code, natural disasters, congestion in underlying networks, and other causes. Domino Protocol Platform may be unable to restore Domino Protocol to normal operation in a timely way or at all.

Service Updates. Domino Protocol Platform may not update Domino Protocol in a timely way or at all to fix bugs, address incompatibilities arising because of changes in underlying technologies and services, respond to user feedback, or react to competitive threats. Any such delays or failures could adversely affect Domino Protocol.

Failure to Meet Expectations. The initial and future versions of Domino Protocol may not meet a Participant's expectations regarding features, functions, performance, availability, quality, security, scale, price, or other attributes that are important to a Participant.

Reliance on Third Parties and Third Party Systems. Domino Protocol Platform relies on third parties and third party systems it does not control to operate the Application and Domino Protocol and to provide services on which Domino Protocol depends. Those third parties and third party systems may be unable or unwilling to act as Domino Protocol Platform needs and expects, may themselves act maliciously, or may be adversely affected by other parties acting intentionally, unintentionally, or maliciously or by other events outside their control. The failure of those third parties or third party systems to perform according to Domino Protocol Platform’s needs and expectations could adversely affect Domino Protocol.

Privacy Risks. Domino Protocol will rely in part on Ethereum and other public, decentralised platforms. Anyone with Internet access can inspect all transactions and other information stored in those platforms that is not encrypted. A Participant’s transactions involving DOMI, and other information about a Participant or that belongs to a Participant that may be processed by or stored in those platforms in connection with a Participant's use of Domino Protocol, may be inspected by the public. Certain information may, even if encrypted, be associated with a Participant by combining it with other public or non-public information.
Technology Risks

Core Technology Risks. Domino Protocol is built with core technologies that are in some cases immature and unproven, including the Ethereum blockchain platform and various open-source software applications and libraries. If those core technologies do not perform according to Domino Protocol Platform’s needs or expectations, have bugs or security vulnerabilities that are not or cannot be fixed, become unstable, degraded, or unavailable, are changed or forked in a way that is incompatible with Domino Protocol, or are not further developed or supported, Domino Protocol Platform may be required to change the specifications of Domino Protocol and to reduce or eliminate features and functions that are important to Participants, or to discontinue Domino Protocol.

Integration Risks. Domino Protocol will be integrated using some essential third party services. If the integrations with those services fail, or those services are unreliable or do not perform as expected, those features within Domino Protocol, or Domino Protocol generally, may be adversely affected or delayed.

Smart Contract Risks. Certain key features of Domino Protocol will be implemented in smart contracts on the Application and on the Ethereum blockchain platform. The nature of smart contracts makes them difficult to change to fix bugs, improve performance, or add features and functions. Domino Protocol Platform may therefore not correct defects in Domino Protocol or improve Domino Protocol to meet market needs or respond to competition fast enough or at all, which could adversely affect the utility or viability of Domino Protocol.

Hacking. All software systems, including the Application and the Ethereum blockchain platform, have security vulnerabilities. Malicious actors may (a) disrupt, corrupt, or interfere with the Application, Domino Protocol, or the Ethereum blockchain platform, (b) defraud Domino Protocol Platform or other stakeholders in Domino Protocol, including Participants or DOMI holders, and (c) steal DOMI or other valuable data stored in the Application, Domino Protocol, or the Ethereum blockchain platform, some of which may belong to or involve Participants or DOMI holders.

Mining Attacks. Certain features of Domino Protocol depend on the Ethereum blockchain platform. Ethereum is a decentralized service comprising a global peer-to-peer network of many independent node operators. Coordination or collusion among node operators could subject Domino Protocol and its stakeholders, including Participants or DOMI holders, to a variety of attacks that could compromise the integrity of Domino Protocol, cause loss, theft, or corruption of DOMI and other valuable data stored in Domino Protocol, including Participants or DOMI holders, or increase the cost of using the platform to levels that make operation of Domino Protocol uneconomic and unsustainable.
Security Risks. The security and integrity of essential components of Domino Protocol depend on cryptography. Known and currently unknown weaknesses in the cryptographic algorithms used in Domino Protocol and its underlying core technologies, and advances in techniques or computing power to circumvent those algorithms, may compromise the security and integrity of Domino Protocol, cause the loss, theft, or corruption of DOMI and other valuable data stored in Domino Protocol, including Participants or DOMI holders, and require the suspension or discontinuation of Domino Protocol. The existence or future development of stronger cryptographic algorithms to replace compromised algorithms, and the feasibility of implementing those stronger algorithms in Domino Protocol and its underlying core technologies, is uncertain.

Prohibitively High Transaction Costs. All transactions on the Ethereum blockchain platform, including the transfer of DOMI, have a cost in Ether (“Gas”). As at the date of this White Paper, Gas prices for basic transactions on the Ethereum blockchain platform are nominal. However, Gas prices may increase and make the trading of DOMI on the Ethereum blockchain platform commercially unfeasible.

Ethereum May be superseded. In Domino Protocol Platform’s view, the Ethereum blockchain platform is the optimum blockchain platform from which to issue DOMI. However, the Ethereum blockchain platform may be superseded by competing blockchain platforms that improve on the Ethereum technology. It is not known whether the Ethereum blockchain platform will remain the predominant platform for token issuance. If Ethereum is superseded, DOMI could be adversely affected as usage and adoption declines.

Regulatory Risks

Regulatory Status. The regulatory status of the Application, Domino Protocol, DOMI, and the Token Sale is unclear or unsettled in many jurisdictions. Regulators in many jurisdictions have announced their intention to consider the adoption of regulations to cover cryptographic tokens and the markets for them. It is not known if, when, or to what degree different jurisdictions will interpret existing laws and regulations or adopt new laws and regulations that could adversely affect the Application, Domino Protocol, DOMI, and the Token Sale, or whether those laws or regulations would be applied retroactively. Adverse laws or regulations and/or the financial and other costs of regulation could cause Domino Protocol Platform to modify or discontinue certain features or functions of Domino Protocol, or cause Domino Protocol Platform to discontinue the Application or Domino Protocol in certain jurisdictions or entirely, or make dealing in DOMI regulated or illegal in certain jurisdictions.
Excluded Jurisdictions. The Token Sale will only be open to Participants of jurisdictions where the Token Sale (or similar cryptographic token offerings) is not prohibited or otherwise restricted. It is a Participant’s sole responsibility to determine if they are prohibited or restricted from participating in the Token Sale, or if such participation constitutes a breach of the laws or regulations of their jurisdiction, whether by virtue of their citizenship, residency, or other association with a jurisdiction which prohibits or otherwise restricts the conduct of the Token Sale (or similar cryptographic token offerings). Violation of those prohibitions or restrictions may result in criminal and/or administrative penalties being imposed on the breaching Participants.

Compliance Risks. Complying with laws and regulations that apply to Domino Protocol Platform, the Application and/or Domino Protocol may be costly and may divert a significant portion of Domino Protocol Platform’s attention and resources. If Domino Protocol Platform must have a license or other government registration or approval to operate the Application or Domino Protocol in a jurisdiction, there is no guarantee that Domino Protocol Platform will qualify for or be granted the necessary license, registration, or approval. The lack of the necessary license, registration or approval would restrict or prevent Domino Protocol Platform from operating Domino Protocol in that jurisdiction. If Domino Protocol Platform fails to comply with applicable laws or regulations, Domino Protocol Platform could be subject to significant legal liability and financial and reputational losses which may adversely affect the Application, Domino Protocol, and/or DOMI.

Tax. The tax status of the Application, Domino Protocol, DOMI, and the Token Sale is unclear or unsettled in many jurisdictions. Adverse interpretation of existing tax laws and regulations or adoption of new adverse tax laws and regulations could result in unanticipated and potentially retroactive tax liability for Domino Protocol Platform and other stakeholders in Domino Protocol, including Participants and DOMI holders. Those adverse tax consequences could cause Domino Protocol Platform to modify or discontinue certain features or functions of Domino Protocol or increase prices for Domino Protocol, or cause Domino Protocol Platform to make the Application or Domino Protocol unavailable in certain jurisdictions, or make dealing in DOMI subject to tax in certain jurisdictions.

Market Risks

Lack of Market Penetration. Domino Protocol may not attract users and/or third parties providing services to Domino Protocol at the intended level or at a level sufficient to become or remain useful or viable. Any such lack of use or interest could negatively affect the development of Domino Protocol and/or the utility or value of Domino Protocol and/or DOMI.
**Competition.** Other organizations may develop (a) services that compete with Domino Protocol, and may do so with some or all of the open-source software underlying Domino Protocol or (b) cryptographic tokens that can be used in blockchain platform-based database services similar to Domino Protocol. Those competing services and cryptographic tokens may adversely affect the adoption and use of Domino Protocol and/or the adoption, utility, and/or value of DOMI, and ultimately the viability and continued existence of Domino Protocol and/or DOMI. It is unknown whether or to what extent, if any, those competing services and cryptographic tokens may be interoperable with Domino Protocol or may accept DOMI.

**Secondary Markets for DOMI.** As at the date of this White Paper, there is no public market for DOMI. Virtual currency exchanges and other secondary markets for DOMI may never exist. Even if DOMI are listed or traded on a secondary market, there is no assurance that an active or liquid trading market for DOMI will develop or, if developed, will be sustained. Unless Domino Protocol Platform publicly states otherwise, Domino Protocol Platform has no financial or other relationship with, and does not endorse, any such exchange or secondary market that elects to transact in DOMI. Exchanges and secondary markets may be new, under-capitalised, illiquid, volatile, operated by persons with minimal or no relevant experience, and subject to minimal or no regulatory oversight, making use of them susceptible to a variety of market, financial, fraud, and other risks that could result in Participants’ or DOMI holders’ loss of DOMI or other losses.

**Price Volatility.** The price of DOMI in the Token Sale may not be indicative of the price of DOMI on public markets. DOMI have no intrinsic value at the time they are created. The price of DOMI on public markets may be extremely volatile, may decline below the price a Participant will pay for DOMI, or may diminish to zero in response to various factors, some of which are outside Domino Protocol Platform’s control, including, among others, the following:

1. the volatility of the prices of cryptographic tokens generally and in response to events that have little or nothing to do with Domino Protocol Platform;
2. general economic conditions and macroeconomic changes;
3. changes and innovations in blockchain technology, the industry sectors in which Domino Protocol Platform operates, and other technologies and markets;
4. Domino Protocol Platform’s announcements pertaining to strategic direction, key personnel, financial and operational results, partnerships, significant transactions, new products, and other events;
5. activities and announcements of Domino Protocol Platform’s competitors; and
6. third-party reports, recommendations, and statements regarding DOMI, the Application, Domino Protocol, or Domino Protocol Platform.
**Risk of Dilution.** Domino Protocol Platform will create and distribute DOMI other than via the Token Sale, as described in pages 31 and 32 of this White Paper. In many cases, those other DOMI will be distributed for less consideration per DOMI than a Participant will pay for DOMI in the Token Sale. The distribution of those other DOMI will increase the overall supply of DOMI in the market, and may affect as well as result in downward pressure on the market price of DOMI. In addition, Domino Protocol Platform reserves the right to create and distribute new DOMI in one or more other token sales.

**Market Perception.** The market price of DOMI could be adversely affected by negative publicity, social media commentary, rumors, and other information, whether or not true, about Domino Protocol Platform, the Application, Domino Protocol, DOMI, the technology on which Domino Protocol is based (including Ethereum), and/or the legal or regulatory environment in which the Application or Domino Protocol operates.

**General Economic and Market Risks.** Adverse changes in general global and regional economic and market conditions may adversely affect Domino Protocol Platform, the suppliers and third parties on which Domino Protocol Platform depends, and users and prospective users of Domino Protocol, all of which may adversely affect the availability, reliability, performance, adoption, and the success of Domino Protocol.

**Participant Risks**

**Private Key Risks.** Each Participant, not Domino Protocol Platform, is responsible for securing the private key that controls their DOMI. If a Participant does not know their private key, they will permanently lose their DOMI. If their private key is lost or stolen, they could permanently lose their DOMI. If they store their private key with a third-party wallet or vault service, they will permanently lose their DOMI if they forget and are unable to recover their credentials to access the third-party service, or if the third party service malfunctions, is corrupted or compromised, makes their credentials or private key available to others, ceases operations, is hacked, or otherwise cannot make their private key available to them or loses control of their private key.
Token Sale Process Risks. The process for participating in the Token Sale will be described in the terms and conditions applicable to the Token Sale ("Token Sale Terms") which Domino Protocol Platform will make available separately from this White Paper. If a Participant does not carefully follow that process, they may not be able to participate in the Token Sale or purchase DOMI, they may permanently lose the funds which they intend to submit as payment for DOMI, or they may permanently lose DOMI which they have purchased. The digital wallet to which payment for DOMI will be made ("Payment Address"), like all software systems, has security vulnerabilities. Malicious actors may attempt to steal funds from the Payment Address, including by hacking it. Funds in the Payment Address are also subject to loss or theft by other means. Each Participant accepts all risk of loss or theft of their payments from the Payment Address.

Incompatible Wallet. The technical requirements for receiving DOMI will be described in the Token Sale Terms. If a Participant uses a wallet or other technology that does not conform to those technical requirements, or if they use a third party service whose wallet or other technology does not conform to those technical requirements, their DOMI may be permanently lost.

Uninsured Losses. DOMI are not insured by Domino Protocol Platform or by any public agency, and there is no institution supervising and controlling the economy for cryptographic tokens. If a Participant’s or DOMI holder’s DOMI are lost or stolen, they will have no recourse unless they insure them at their expense. Domino Protocol Platform cannot issue new or substitute DOMI to replace lost or stolen DOMI.