

# Harnessing the power of Vulcan



Vulcan Forged, a blockchain gaming platform, is looking to redefine the entire online gaming industry through the creation of a decentralized gaming ecosystem. It offers a complete set of tools needed for games and decentralized apps development including an NFT marketplace and a platform for hosting game tournaments and other online events.

Vulcan's gaming system and technologies provide users with complex building tools with mechanics for fighting, foraging and spying as part of the strategy. Designed as an ecosystem that's easy to play and build, Vulcan aims to promote world-class blockchain games by providing support for developers through incubation and crowdfunding. Blockchain gamers will surely appreciate this one-stop shop where users can get instant access to popular games and a growing NFT marketplace for buying and selling digital in-game assets.

## The VulcanVerse

The VulcanVerse is the home of the NFT-based creatures known as the Vulcanites. Each creature is unique and has its own custom mythology and skill upgrades. The Vulcanites can gather resources, compete for exclusive NFTs in treasure hunts and participate in community-driven games and quests on the side. The creatures can be upgraded for world-building and engagement. The Vulcanites cannot be used to cause harm to others.

## Growing Gaming Community

VulcanVerse is a virtual world in the Greek-Roman era and a stand-alone game using blockchain technology. Users can truly own land and assets in this ecosystem. The lore is written by Steve Jackson and Ian Livingstone, also the authors of Fighting Fantasy.

The project began on VeChain Thor but it was later transferred to the Polygon network. The company's gaming ecosystem has been rapidly rising in popularity as

a result of a growing blockchain gamer community and a fast-paced development. As Vulcan forges the future of blockchain gaming, the community notes the arrival of the 3D board game Incarnate to the ecosystem. Other games that will join the platform will be offered marketing and technical support as well as \$40,000 in development grants.

Berserk, a fantasy trading card game, was also recently launched in Vulcan's ecosystem. Players can battle it out with each other using creatures on the trading cards. Cards can also be exchanged in the Vulcan ecosystem. The launch of this game will include a tournament prize of \$100,000 for the winners.

Vulcan has teamed up with Arkane Network to provide support for cryptocurrencies outside of ETH and ERC20 tokens. The ecosystem will now be open to gamers from both in and outside the crypto world.

The Vulcan team has also introduced a fiat-crypto platform to expand payment options for new and existing users. By the end of 2021, the team also expects to have launched 100 new games in the VulcanVerse.

## VulcanVerse

VulcanVerse Beta is an open-world massive multiplayer online role-playing game (MMORPG) powered by blockchain technology and a deep lore written by the authors of Fighting Fantasy.

Players of the game can truly own assets they acquire in the form of NFTs. Land, Vulcanites, Gods and Items are the primary assets players can own. Once acquired, players can sell or exchange them in the marketplace.

## Vulcanites

Players can create their own quests, hunt for NFTs or battle against Vulcanites which are the creatures that inhabit the VulcanVerse. They can vary from minotaurs to demons to sabretooth tigers and mammoths. Each Vulcanite has its own plot of land. Players can use the Vulcanites for battles, forage for rare objects and artifacts and defend against other creatures trying to steal plots of lands.

As of today, there are 28 Vulcanites in the game with more coming to VulcanVerse in the future. Players should know the Level of their Vulcanites to determine their skills.

## Land

Land in the VulcanVerse is divided into plots that players can own, exchange or build upon. A plot of land has a unique NFT ID attached to it to grant in-game access.

Plots of land are divided into four quadrants: The Underworld of Hades, Gardens of Arcadia, Desert of Notus and Mountains of Boreas. Each quadrant has its own special qualities and characteristics. The plots of land can be built or modified according to the player's specifications.

In the map of VulcanVerse, Vulcan City lies at the center where the quadrants intersect. This area of the map is neutral territory.

VulcanVerse enables players to terramorph and grant items to use if they own land tools. Land can be upgraded to unlock more assets and earn PYR passively.

## Gods: Titans and Olympians

Gods inside the VulcanVerse are based on Greek and Roman mythology. They do not have physical bodies in the game but they bestow blessings and abilities to players based on their own lore.

The Titans and Olympians are represented as Dynamic NFTs. As players advance to new levels, the look of the Gods will also change. Each God will look as a child at Level 1 and will change in appearance in higher levels. The Gods begin as newborns and they must be taken care of to develop their full strength and powers.

Each God will only have 100 editions. Owning any of these NFT Gods presents several benefits that owners can enjoy not only within the VulcanVerse but also the entire ecosystem of Vulcan Forged.

The powers of the Gods are stackable and getting more of them is crucial. These unique powers become active once players own the NFT. As levels increase, powers can be expanded significantly.

## Benefits of Owning the Gods

Players can get items in the game to acquire abilities and other perks. These items are also NFTs which can be bought, scavenged and traded.

Owning the Gods in VulcanVerse has significant benefits to the Vulcan experience. For any Titan or Olympian, players can enjoy 10% to 70% off marketplace fees. A player can have 10% to 70% extra LAVA when it is earned by playing games. Additional rewards await those who have any staked PYR.

Players who own a level 7 Olympian will be granted access to Elysium, an island paradise within the VulcanVerse where exclusive NFTs can be found. Although users cannot own Elysium land, it contains PYR pits and exclusive NFTs that cannot be found in other lands.

For players with a level 7 Titan, they will gain access to Tartarus which is a hellish land containing more exclusive NFTs in the Vaults of Vulcan.

## Tokenomics

Vulcan Forged and Matic collaborated in January 2021 to introduce the PYR token which users can utilize throughout the ecosystem. Defi game launchpads, fee settlement, play-to-earn privileges, staking and gaming platform pools will all be using the PYR token.

The partnership with Matic will help the company shift from the VeChain network and eliminate gas fees on PYR transactions within the ecosystem. PYR is a deflationary coin with 10% of each transaction going to reward pools while 5% return to buy-back and supply locking.

Vulcan users will also be able to claim part of their reward pool, which was previously announced at \$20 million, by playing the games in the ecosystem or staking the platform's native token, PYR. The coin was recently offered on the centralized cryptocurrency exchange Kucoin. The initial listing aims to support PYR and the Vulcan Forged ecosystem. It currently has a marketplace with more than \$60 million in trading volume.

The PYR economy is designed to fill multiple use-cases. Even if a person does not wish to participate in the ILO event, PYR can be earned in several ways like converting LAVA from playing and engaging in the ecosystem, winning game tournaments, selling NFTs, assigning your land as a portal; and airdrops or rewards.

The collected PYR from any of these activities can be used to engage in the platform or purchase other assets in the marketplace.

## High Quality NFTs

Vulcan Forged has recently acquired the intellectual property rights for the artworks included in the Frank Frazetta Art collection. Dubbed as the “Godfather of Fantasy Art”, Frank Frazetta is a world-famous fantasy and science fiction artist who became known for his illustrations of Conan the Barbarian. His “Egyptian Queen” painting was sold for \$5.4 million and it will be tokenized for the first time by Vulcan. The artwork will be part of an NFT-themed ‘Vulcanite’ who represents a champion in the company’s game.

Aside from the digital ownership of the actual works of Frazetta, users of Vulcan Forged can take the tokens inside the VulcanVerse as champions as well as other games in the ecosystem. The current IP rights will also enable gamers to use the characters in the five upcoming gamebooks. The artworks are expected to contribute to the deep lore in the entire Vulcan ecosystem.

## Conclusion

The trading volume in VulcanVerse went up from around \$10,000 to \$6 million due to rapid developments in NFTs. The venture certainly has a keen eye for trends in cryptocurrencies and games. True to its mission, Vulcan Forged is committed to provide only the best gaming experience for users in its ecosystem.

Blockchain game enthusiasts will truly enjoy the VulcanForged ecosystem since it’s a one-stop-shop for popular games and a huge NFT marketplace for in-game digital assets.