How to buy and sell wrapped ISK (wISK)

IskanderCoin on Ethereum

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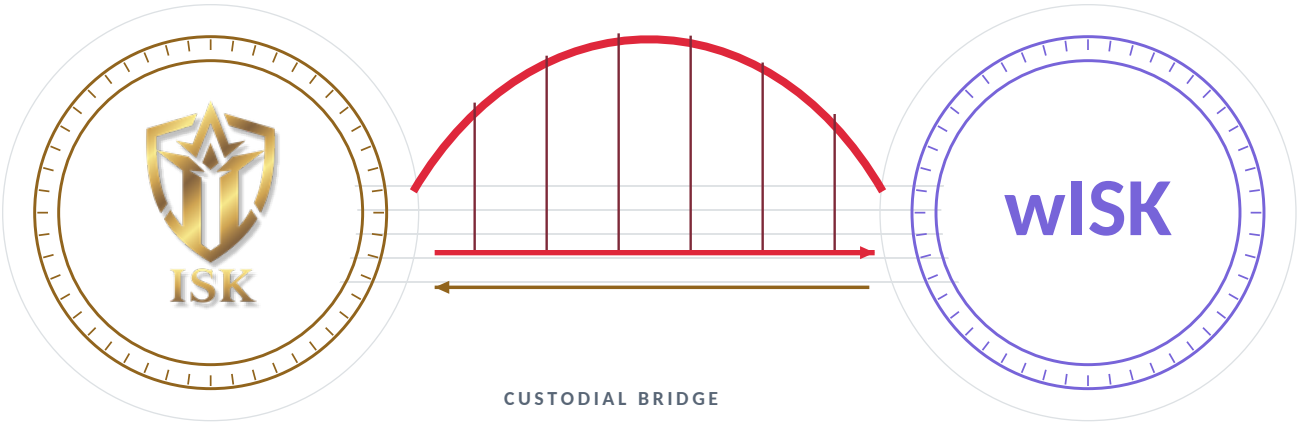
ISK is part of the Honest Money ecosystem (honest.money).



Move between native ISK and Ethereum, trade wISK for USDC, and connect the process to your bank account.

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Clickable links and navigation throughout. Start with a small test.

START HERE

Start with the right network.

I prefer Google Chrome on a computer for this walkthrough. A larger screen makes addresses, networks, and wallet prompts easier to check.

ASSET	NETWORK	WHAT IT DOES
ISK	**Iskander chain**	Your native IskanderCoin.
wISK	**Ethereum mainnet**	Wrapped ISK used for Ethereum swaps.
ETH	**Ethereum mainnet**	Pays for network fees (gas).
USDC	**Ethereum mainnet**	The dollar stablecoin used in this guide.

Set up MetaMask once



1. **Install from the real website.**

   Open MetaMask (metamask.io) directly and install the Chrome extension. Avoid search ads and lookalike links.

2. **Create a wallet and back it up.**

   For the recovery-phrase setup, write down MetaMask's 12 words in order. Use a separate MetaMask wallet for this walkthrough.

3. **Keep ETH available for gas.**

   Select **Ethereum mainnet**. Fund the wallet with roughly **$10-$20 of ETH** as a starting budget; actual fees vary. Keep enough ETH for approvals and outgoing transfers.

   Coinbase is the bank route used here. Kraken, Gemini, or MetaMask's buy feature may also supply ETH; check fees and Ethereum availability.

Your recovery words control your money.

Write them on paper and secure them in your safe. **Do not photograph them or save them in notes, email, cloud storage, or chat.** Anyone with the words can take the funds. Only enter them when creating or restoring your chosen wallet on its verified site or app.

Educational use only, not personalized financial advice. You are responsible for your keys and transactions. Malware, wrong addresses, malicious approvals, or service failures can cause permanent loss.

Sources: [1] MetaMask recovery-phrase security | Full URLs: p. 11.

WALLET SETUP

Find your ISK wallet.

Already have an ISK wallet you can use? You can keep using it. The multi-chain wallet below is an optional way to organize your coins.

Where are your mining rewards going?

Use the ISK web wallet (wallet.iskandercoin.com). Find your payout address in your Iskander dashboard (iskandernetwork.com/member/dashboard) or mining profile (mine.honest.money/dashboard/profile), then compare it with your wallet.

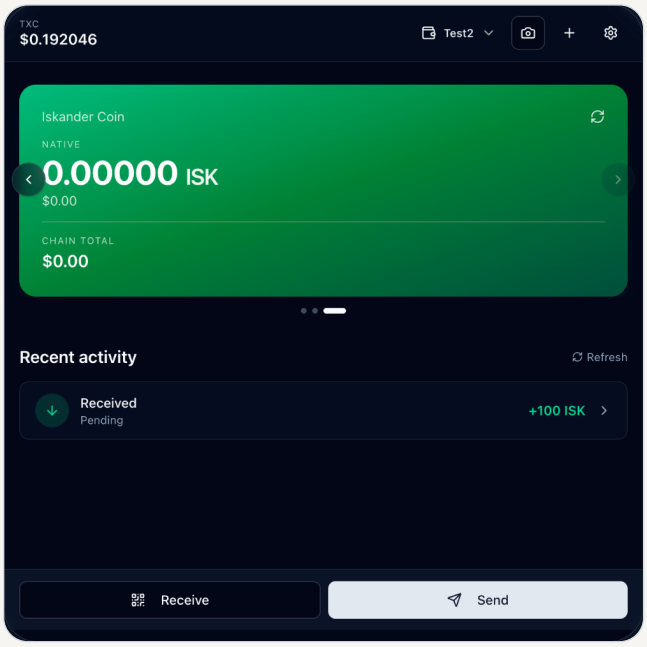
Optional: Honest Money wallet

In the Honest Money wallet (mobile.honest.money), create a wallet and carefully back up the **24 words it generates**, or import your existing compatible recovery phrase.

1. Go to **Settings (gear) > Chains** and turn on **IskanderCoin** and **Ethereum**.

2. Use the left/right arrows to select the IskanderCoin wallet, then choose **Receive** to copy its native ISK address.

3. Send a small amount of ISK from your old wallet. Wait for confirmation before moving more.



ISK wallet view: the native wallet card and Receive button. A pending transfer is still awaiting confirmation.



Prefer a physical backup?

The Beekeeper coin (blockchainmint.com/product/bee) holds a 12-word recovery phrase under its sticker, often as a QR. Eligible U.S. TEXITcoin miners can claim a complimentary coin through their dashboard, subject to availability. See source [3] for opening instructions. A little WD-40 on a cloth can remove glue; avoid sharp tools.

Keep in mind: importing a coin's phrase into an online wallet makes that wallet hot. Trust the coin's provenance and seal. Moving coins to a new wallet does not automatically update future mining payouts.

Sources: [2] Honest Money wallet tutorial · [3] Coin setup · [4] Free coin claim | Full URLs: p. 11.

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SELL / 1

Wrap ISK into wISK.

The bridge converts native ISK into an Ethereum token. Your MetaMask Ethereum address is where the wISK will arrive.

ISK — Your native wallet → **BRIDGE** — ISK to wISK → **wISK** — Your MetaMask wallet

1 Choose the wrapping direction.

Open the wISK bridge (wisk.iskandercoin.com). Select **Have ISK / Want wISK** and enter a small test amount that meets the current order minimum.

2 Enter your own Ethereum address.

Copy your **Ethereum receive address from MetaMask** and paste it into the wISK destination field. Use a self-custody wallet, **not an exchange deposit address**. Review the quoted output and fee.

WRAPPING EXAMPLE / AT A 5% FEE

50 ISK	-	2.5 ISK	=	47.5 wISK
You send		Bridge fee		Quoted output

Illustrative token amounts, not a dollar-price quote. Network fees are additional.

3 Create the order and send the ISK.

Click **Get Started**. On the awaiting-payment page, copy the **new order's ISK deposit address**. Send the exact amount requested from your ISK wallet; keep enough ISK to cover its network fee. Follow the displayed deadline.

4 Wait for the bridge to complete.

Keep the order ID. Check for wISK in MetaMask on Ethereum after completion. If hidden, use **Manage tokens > Add custom token** and paste the full contract printed at the top of this page.

Bridge note: the interface shown in this guide describes a **custodial** service and displays a 5% wrap fee and 0% unwrap fee. You rely on its operator to process the conversion. Confirm the live terms and quote before sending.

Sources: [5] Bridge interface (author screenshot, Sept 8, 2026) | Full URLs: p. 11.

SELL / 2

Sell wISK. Cash out USDC.

Use CoW Swap to trade wISK for USDC, then send that USDC to Coinbase on the Ethereum network.



WISK TOKEN CONTRACT / ETHEREUM MAINNET

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Show wISK in MetaMask: Tokens menu (three dots) > Manage tokens > Add custom token. Paste this address, then Next / Import. Menu labels may vary.

1 **Connect and choose your tokens.**

Open CoW Swap (swap.cow.fi) and connect MetaMask on Ethereum. Paste the wISK contract above into the token selector and choose **Import**. Set **Sell: wISK** and **Buy: USDC**.

2 **Review, approve, and swap.**

Enter a small amount. Check the output, fees, minimum received, and recipient. Follow **Approve and Swap** or the separate prompts: approve the sell token if needed, then sign the swap order. An approval alone does not complete a swap. Wait until the order is filled.

3 **Send USDC to Coinbase on Ethereum.**

In Coinbase, open **Receive > USDC** and select **Ethereum**. Copy that deposit address into MetaMask's **USDC > Send** flow. Send a small test, wait for Coinbase to credit it, then send the rest. Keep ETH for the transfer fee.

4 **Cash out to your bank.**

Once credited and available, use Coinbase's cash-out flow. Convert USDC to USD if prompted, choose your linked bank account, and review fees and timing before confirming.

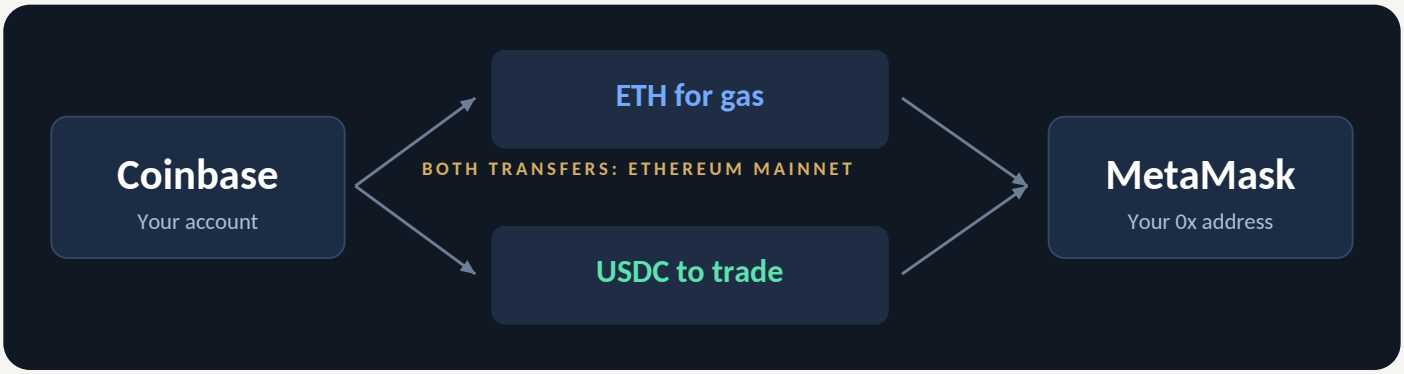
Alternative: Uniswap (app.uniswap.org/explore/pools/ethereum/0xf364a7ea901569b4ea3d0e5bfe2ccddfb1063142). Compare the **final amount received after fees**; neither service is always cheaper.

Sources: [6] MetaMask token import · [7] CoW swap workflow · [8] Coinbase cash-outs | Full URLs: p. 11.

BUY / 1

Fund your Ethereum wallet.

For this walkthrough, Coinbase connects your bank account to crypto. If you already hold ETH and USDC, start with the transfer steps below.



1 **Buy USDC and some ETH.**

Create an account at Coinbase (www.coinbase.com), complete its verification, and link your bank. Buy your intended amount of USDC and roughly **$20 of ETH**. USD-to-USDC may have no conversion fee, but check the preview; transfer and cash-out fees can still apply.

2 **Check when the funds can leave Coinbase.**

Bank-funded purchases may be placed on hold. Check your **available-to-send balance** and release date before planning the swap.

3 **Send ETH to MetaMask first.**

If needed, complete the MetaMask setup on page 2. Copy its Ethereum receive address. In Coinbase, send ETH using **Ethereum** and wait until it appears and confirms in MetaMask.

4 **Send USDC to that same Ethereum address.**

In Coinbase, send USDC using **Ethereum** to your MetaMask address. Test with a small amount first and verify arrival before sending more. ETH and USDC use the same Ethereum account address.

Same address does not mean same network.

A 0x address can appear on several chains. For this guide, choose **Ethereum** for both ETH and USDC transfers. Sending on Base, Arbitrum, or another chain will not fund this Ethereum workflow.

Sources: [9] Coinbase pricing and fees · [10] Available balances and holds | Full URLs: p. 11.

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BUY / 2

Swap USDC for wISK.

Check the full wISK token contract throughout. A familiar token name or logo alone is not enough to identify the right asset.

1 Select USDC to wISK on CoW Swap.

Open CoW Swap (swap.cow.fi) and connect MetaMask on Ethereum. Set **Sell: USDC**. For the buy token, paste the **full wISK contract at the top of this page** and choose **Import**.

2 Start small and confirm the order.

Enter the USDC amount. Review the output, fees, and minimum received. Approve USDC if prompted, then review and sign the swap order. Wait for **Order filled** and the token balance update.



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This example exchanged 3.9869 USDC for 44.5241 wISK. It illustrates the completion screen; it is not a current price quote.

3 Show your new wISK balance.

In MetaMask, select Ethereum and use **Manage tokens > Add custom token** if wISK is missing. Paste the full contract printed at the top of this page. Keep wISK on Ethereum, or use the bridge to unwrap it into native ISK as shown next.

Sources: [7] CoW Swap market orders and approvals · [6] MetaMask token import | Full URLs: p. 11.

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BUY / 3 - OPTIONAL

Bring wISK back to ISK.

Want native IskanderCoin instead of the Ethereum token? Use the bridge in the opposite direction, with your own native ISK wallet ready to receive.

1 Copy your ISK receive address.

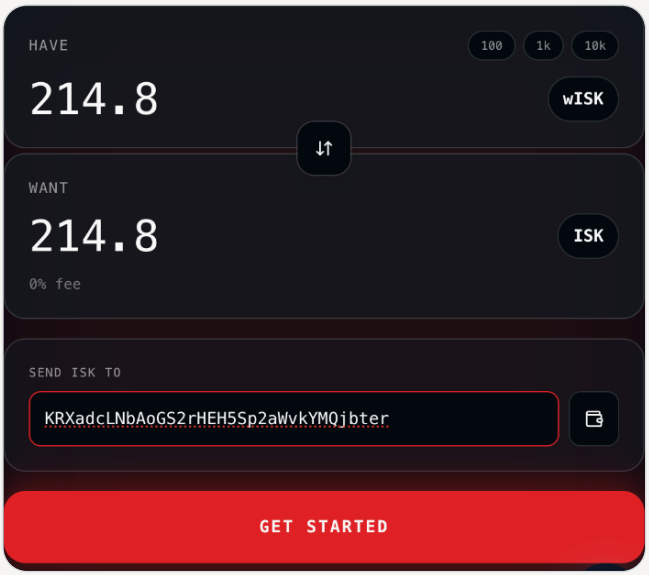
In your ISK wallet or Honest Money (mobile.honest.money), select **IskanderCoin > Receive**. Copy the native address.

2 Create an unwrap quote.

Open the bridge (wisk.iskandercoin.com). Choose **Have wISK / Want ISK**. Enter a test amount and paste your address in **Send ISK To**.

3 Review and start the order.

Check the amount, destination, and fee. Click **Get Started**.



Bridge example: **Have wISK**, **Want ISK**, and the native **Send ISK To** field. Always enter your own receive address.

Two addresses. Two jobs.

YOUR ISK RECEIVE ADDRESS

Where the bridge sends native ISK.

THE ORDER'S WISK DEPOSIT ADDRESS

Where you send wISK on Ethereum.

0% unwrap fee shown

Ethereum gas still applies when you send wISK to the order.

4 Send wISK to the new order address.

On the order page, copy the address labeled **Send wISK on Ethereum to**. In MetaMask, select **wISK > Send**. Paste that address, compare it carefully, and send the exact order amount on Ethereum. Keep ETH for gas and follow the order deadline.

5 Wait for native ISK to arrive.

Watch the order page until it confirms completion, then verify the ISK transaction in your native wallet. Save the order ID and transaction hash if you need help.

Sources: [5] Bridge interface (author screenshot, Sept 8, 2026) · [2] Native wallet setup | Full URLs: p. 11.

TRADE WISELY

Liquidity changes the deal.

Check what you will actually receive before you sign. Your own trade can move the market when the pool is small.

107,971	9,264	~$18.5K
wISK in the pool	USDC in the pool	Combined pool value

DEX Screener snapshot (dexscreener.com/ethereum/0xf364a7ea901569b4ea3d0e5bfe2ccddfb1063142), September 8, 2026. Rounded values for the linked wISK/USDC Uniswap v3 pool; liquidity and prices change.

PRICE IMPACT

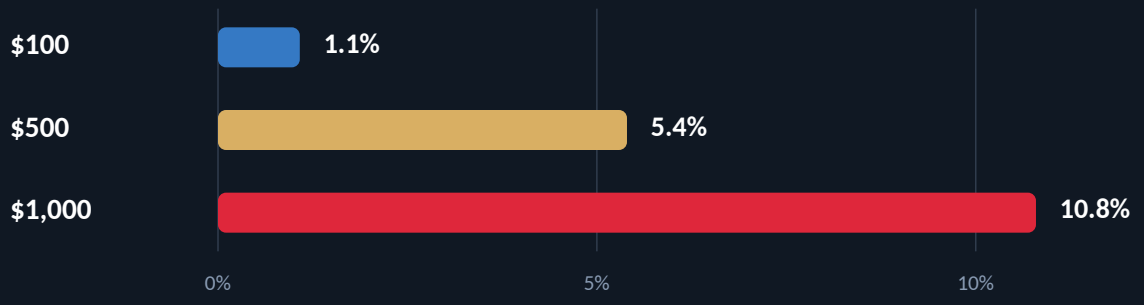
The price change your own trade causes. Larger trades relative to available liquidity can receive a worse average price.

SLIPPAGE

The difference between the quote you expect and the result at execution. Slippage tolerance limits how much worsening you accept.

How big is your trade relative to this pool?

Trade value as a share of the reported USDC balance



Scale comparison only. These percentages are not predicted price impact or slippage.

This is a **Uniswap v3** pool with liquidity allocated across price ranges. Total token balances alone cannot tell you the price impact of a specific trade. Use the live swap quote and minimum received; increasing slippage tolerance does not remove price impact.

My approach: learn with small amounts you can afford to lose. For trades above $1,000, compare quotes carefully; a trustworthy OTC seller may be an option, but introduces counterparty risk. Future listings and deeper liquidity are possible, never guaranteed.

Sources: [11] Pool data · [12] Impact vs. slippage · [13] Uniswap concentrated liquidity | Full URLs: p. 11.

QUICK REFERENCE

Keep this page handy.

Every website link includes its destination in parentheses so this guide works on screen and on paper. Check the domain and full path before visiting.

WISK / ETHEREUM MAINNET

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Use this token contract for importing and identifying wISK. **Do not send funds to the token contract or the DEX pool address.**

WALLETS & SETUP

ISK web wallet
(wallet.iskandercoin.com)

Honest Money wallet
(mobile.honest.money)

MetaMask
(metamask.io)

Iskander dashboard
(iskandernetwork.com/member/dashboard)

Mining profile
(mine.honest.money/dashboard/profile)

Beekeeper coin
(blockchainmint.com/product/bee)

BRIDGE, TRADE & CASH OUT

ISK / wISK bridge
(wisk.iskandercoin.com)

CoW Swap
(swap.cow.fi)

Live market: DEX Screener
(dexscreener.com/ethereum/0xf364a7ea901569b4ea3d0e5bfe2ccddfb1063142)

Alternative: Uniswap
(app.uniswap.org/explore/pools/ethereum/0xf364a7ea901569b4ea3d0e5bfe2ccddfb1063142)

Coinbase
(www.coinbase.com)

Token explorer: Etherscan
(etherscan.io/token/0xFB38867D064Df981F159b886007F1273a346b0BB)

Need help?

Open a ticket at the Honest Money help desk (help.honest.money). Include the order ID, transaction hash, network, and public wallet address. **Never send your recovery phrase or private key.**

SOURCES & REFERENCES

Sources you can verify.

Reference numbers in the page footers point here. Source checks and example screenshots are dated September 8, 2026; interfaces, fees, and liquidity can change.

[1] MetaMask: recovery-phrase security
(support.metamask.io/start/user-guide-secret-recovery-phrase-password-and-private-keys)

[2] Honest Money: multi-chain wallet setup
(help.honest.money/kb/mobile-honest-money-wallet-tutorial)

[3] Honest Money: recovery words and physical coins
(help.honest.money/kb/start-here-seed-phrases-and-cold-storage-coin)

[4] Honest Money: claim a complimentary coin
(help.honest.money/kb/how-to-claim-your-free-coin)

[5] ISK / wISK bridge: author screenshots, September 8, 2026
(wisk.iskandercoin.com)

[6] MetaMask: displaying and importing tokens
(support.metamask.io/manage-crypto/tokens/how-to-display-tokens-in-metamask)

[7] CoW Swap: market orders and token approvals
(docs.cow.fi/cow-protocol/tutorials/cow-swap/swap)

[8] Coinbase: cashing out to a bank
(help.coinbase.com/en/coinbase/getting-started/add-a-payment-method/instant-cashout)

[9] Coinbase: pricing and fee disclosures
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[10] Coinbase: available balances and holds
(help.coinbase.com/coinbase/trading-and-funding/sending-or-receiving-cryptocurrency/available-balance-faq)

[11] DEX Screener: wISK / USDC pool snapshot
(dexscreener.com/ethereum/0xf364a7ea901569b4ea3d0e5bfe2ccddfb1063142)

[12] Uniswap: price impact versus slippage
(support.uniswap.org/hc/en-us/articles/8643794102669-Price-Impact-vs-Price-Slippage)

[13] Uniswap: concentrated liquidity
(developers.uniswap.org/docs/get-started/concepts/liquidity-providers/concentrated-liquidity)

The author's screenshots illustrate the workflow. The token quantities in screenshots are examples, and pool values are a dated snapshot. Use the current order or swap quote before sending funds.

THE HONEST MONEY ECOSYSTEM

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Iskander Network (iskandernetwork.com)

Honest Money (honest.money)

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More from Mati Allin (x.com/MatiAllin).

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