

Introduction

Real-time payments have recently marked several significant milestones in their fast-moving journey to global acceptance. Notably, the Clearing House's RTP® network recently facilitated the <u>largest instant payment</u> in the United States: a \$10 million intercompany liquidity management transfer executed by BNY (formerly Bank of New York Mellon). The payment was sent from Computershare, a transfer agent and BNY client, to another financial institution using the RTP network. This landmark transaction was made possible by the RTP network's increased transaction limit — from \$1 million to \$10 million — implemented on February 9. Currently, more than 285,000 businesses utilize the real-time payment rail each month. This development underscores the growing demand for higher-value instant payments between corporates.

Real-time payments are also expanding to new providers, particularly in the digital wallet space. Social media platform X is taking steps to launch X Money Account, a <u>digital wallet</u> system. With Visa as its inaugural partner, this real-time payment system plans to feature inplatform digital wallets and peer-to-peer payments linked to users' debit cards, powered by Visa Direct for secure and instant funding. Users will also have the option to transfer funds directly to their bank accounts. According to X CEO Linda Yaccarino, the service is expected to debut later in 2025.



Meanwhile, FinTech company FIS recently announced its certification to enable <u>send capabilities</u> on the FedNow® Service. This achievement allows FIS to support the full payments life cycle on the Federal Reserve's real-time payments rail for its partner banks, including instant payments for loans, rent and bills. The certification builds upon FIS' previous receive-only certification in July 2023, which enabled the company to receive payments, send returns and handle acknowledgments on the FedNow network.

In Brazil, the Pix instant payment network is set to launch a <u>recurring</u> <u>payments</u> functionality called Pix Automático in June, according to a recent announcement. This feature will allow users to automate payments for utilities, streaming services and other recurring bills. For the companies managing recurring billing, Pix Automático will simplify the process by reducing the need for multiple banking partnerships currently required for handling automatic debits in Brazil.

NORTH AMERICA

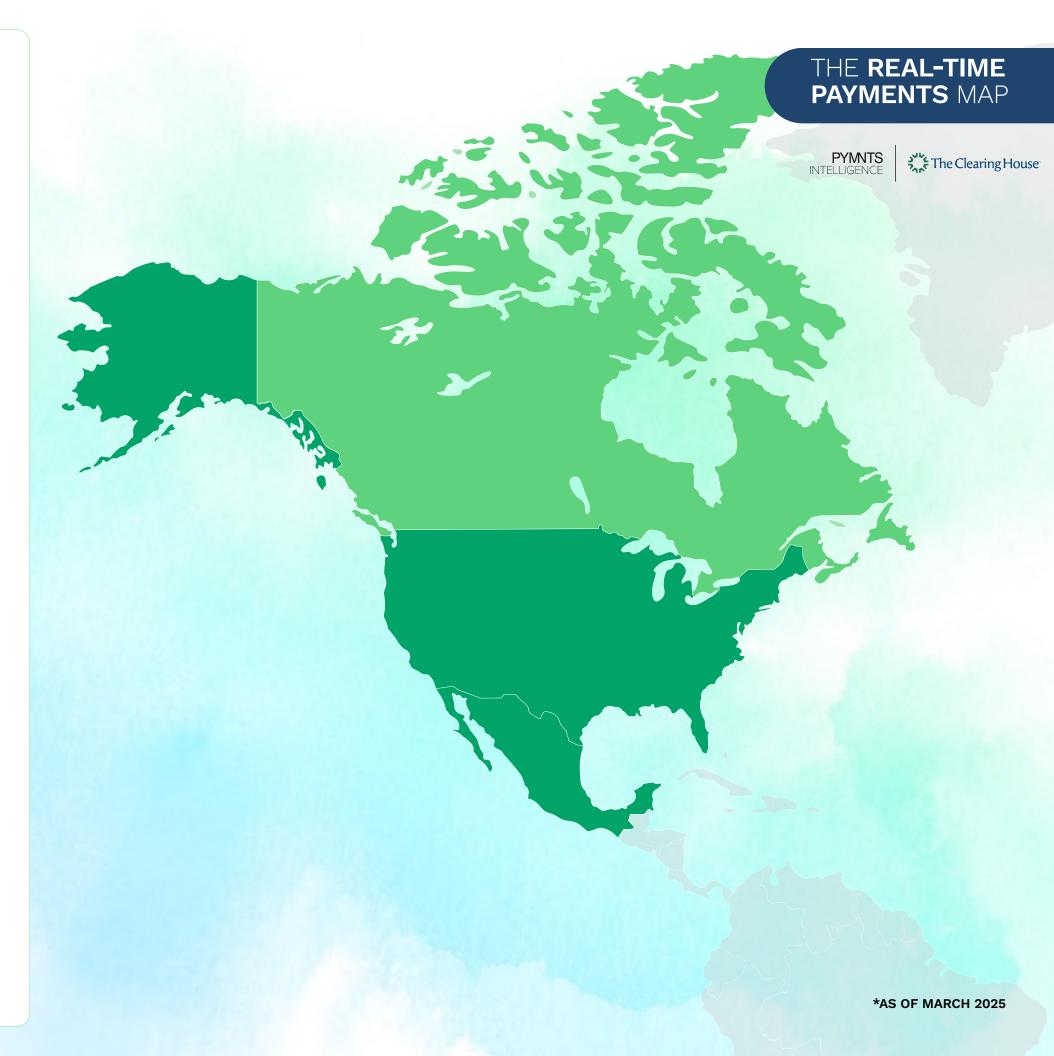
LIVE





EXPECTED 2026





SOUTH AMERICA

LIVE



ARGENTINA 2016



EL SALVADOR 2021



BELIZE 2016



GUATEMALA 2006



BRAZIL 2002



HONDURAS

2008



CHILE 2008



NICARAGUA

2016



COLOMBIA 2019



PERU 2016



COSTA RICA



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EUROPE

LIVE



























































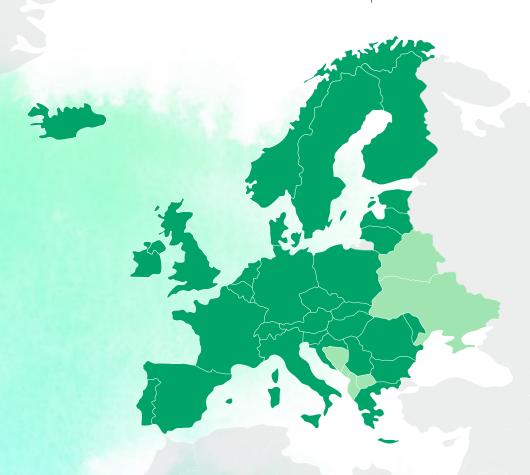






THE **REAL-TIME PAYMENTS** MAP





AFRICA

LIVE



ANGOLA 2023



GHANA 2007



MOROCCO 2023



SOUTH AFRICA



BENIN 2024



GUINEA-BISSAU 2024



MOZAMBIQUE 2012



SOUTH SUDAN



BURKINA FASO 2024



2017



NAMIBIA



TANZANIA



CÔTE D'IVOIRE 2024



LESOTHO 2024



NIGER 2024



TOGO 2024



DJIBOUTI

2021



MADAGASCAR 2016



NIGERIA



TUNISIA







EGYPT 2022



MALAWI 2015



RWANDA 2022



UGANDA



ETHIOPIA



MALI 2024





ZAMBIA 2019



GAMBIA 2020



2019



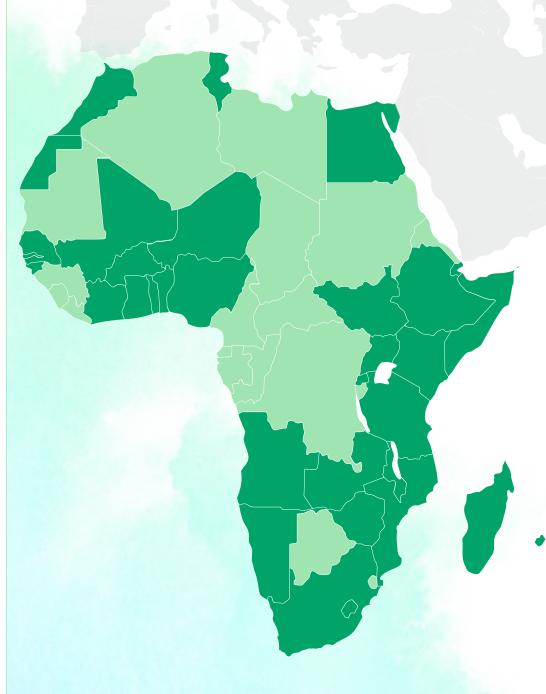
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ZIMBABWE 2011

THE **REAL-TIME** PAYMENTS MAP





MIDDLE EAST LIVE AZERBAIJAN 2020 OMAN 2017

BAHRAIN

INDIA 2010

JORDAN

KAZAKHSTAN

2020

2022

2018

2020

2016

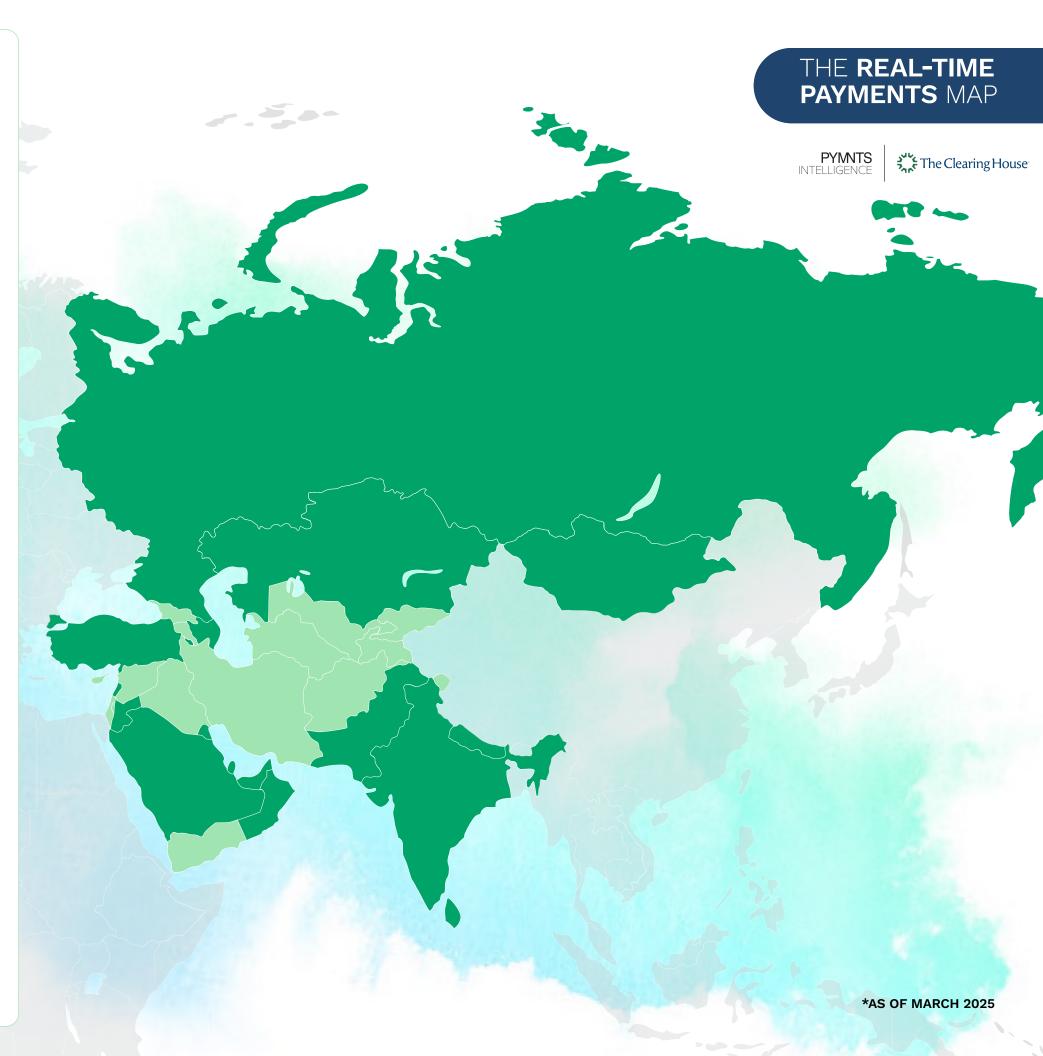
NEPAL

KUWAIT

LEBANON

MONGOLIA





ASIA-PACIFIC LIVE **AUSTRALIA** MALAYSIA 2018







CHINA

2010





SOUTH KOREA











