



How to Mint zenBTC on Solana



zenBTC is the first wrapped bitcoin to be fully decentralized, self-custodied, and natively yield-bearing: turning idle Bitcoin into productive collateral in a matter of minutes.

This guide will walk you through the exact steps to mint zenBTC — from setting up your wallet to receiving your tokens on Solana.

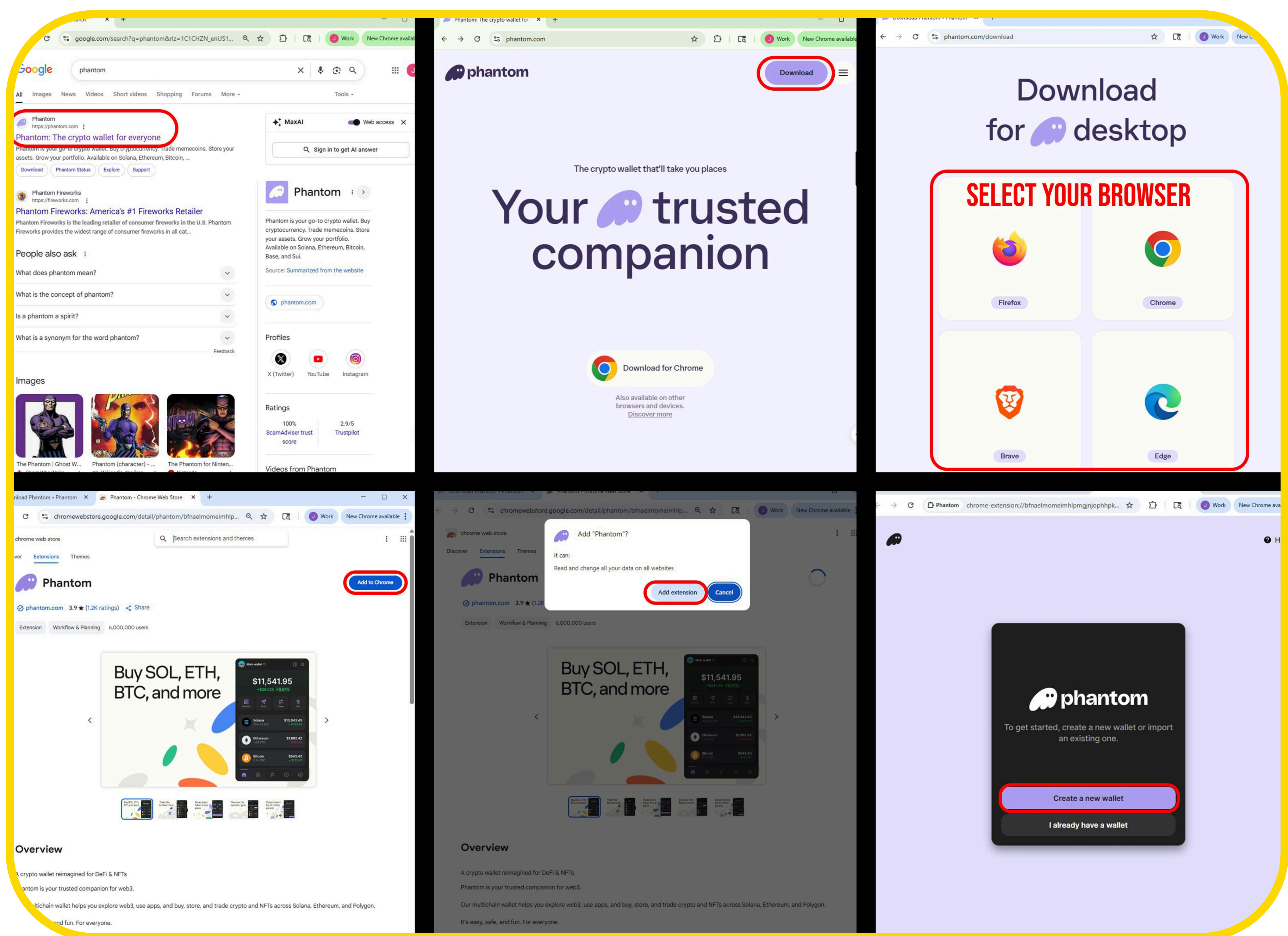
Getting Started

Since you are moving Bitcoin to Solana you will need:

1. **Bitcoin** in a wallet or centralized exchange (ex: Coinbase or Kraken)
2. A **Solana wallet**

We recommend the [Phantom Wallet](#) for new users (👻).

It works on both desktop and mobile, but we suggest using the browser extension for a smoother experience. This guide will focus on Phantom in a desktop browser, though most Solana wallets follow a similar process.

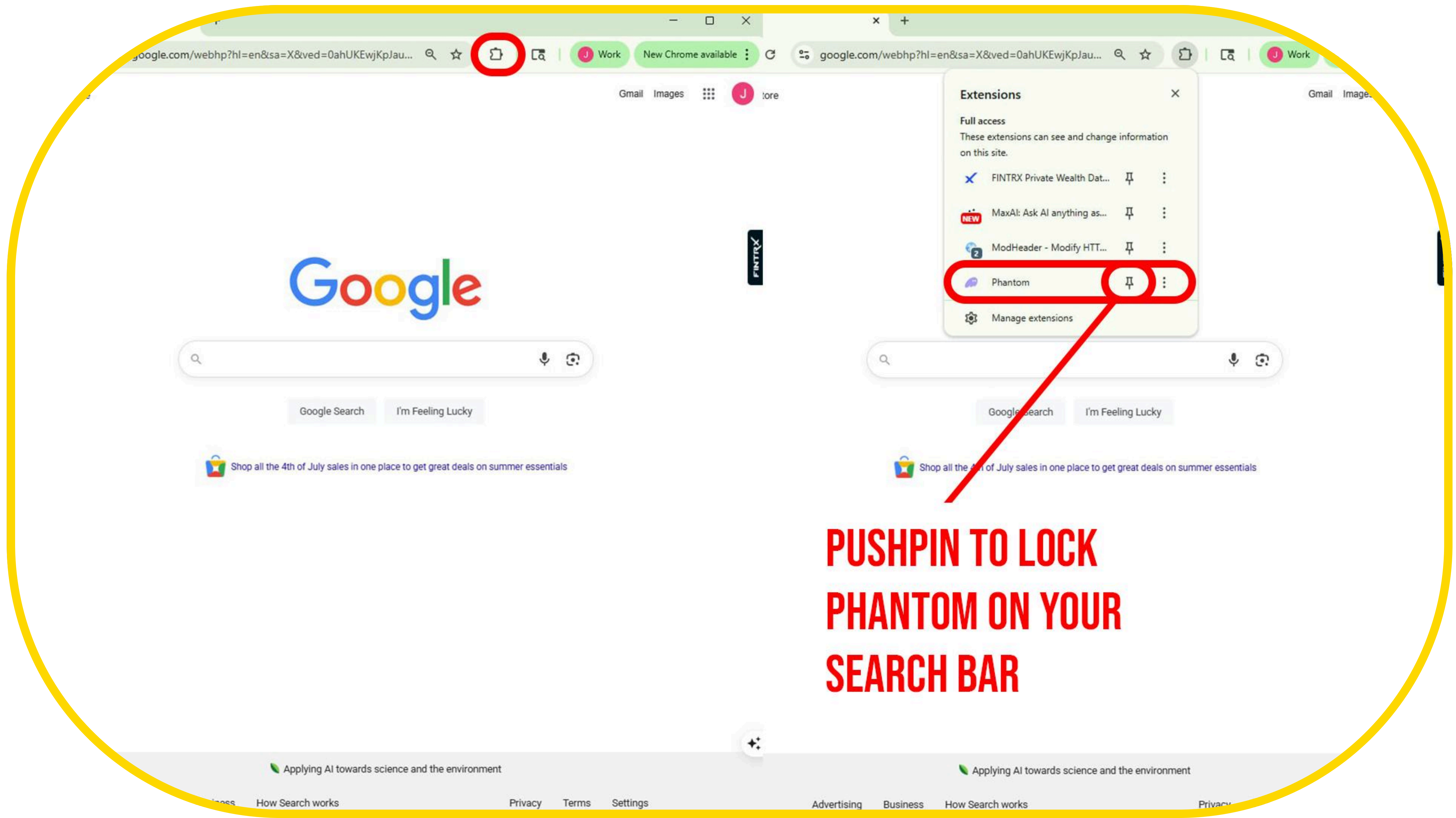


Once installed, just follow the prompts to create your new wallet.

Before you can mint, you'll need to fund it with a small amount of **SOL** to cover network fees. **0.1 SOL** is required to mint.

Pro Tip:

Clicked off your wallet and now you cannot find it?



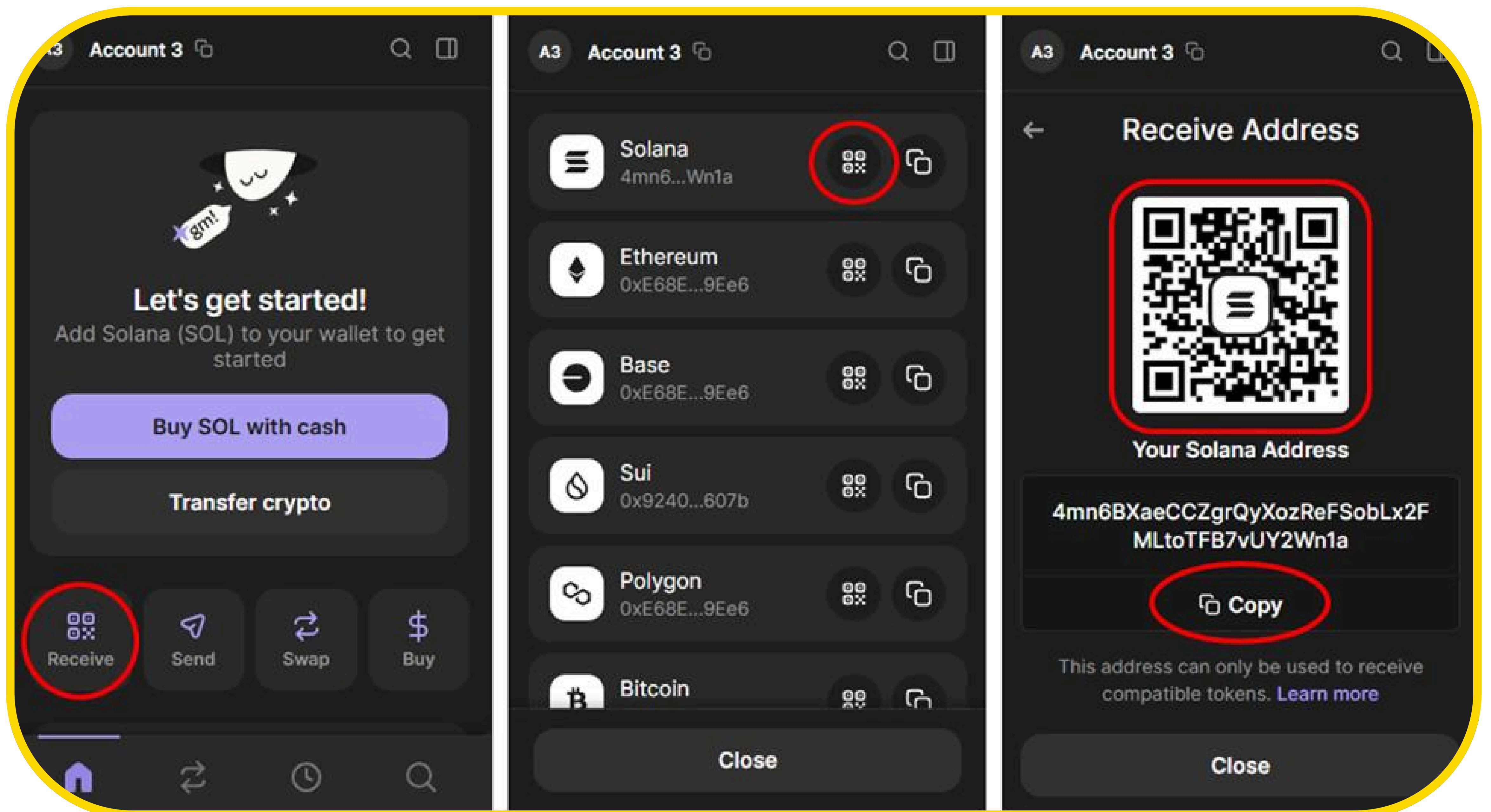
Funding Your Wallet:

To mint zenBTC, your wallet needs a small amount of SOL to cover network fees. Here are the three easiest ways to fund it:

1. Have someone send you SOL

Your wallet has a unique Solana address that others can use to send you crypto:

- Open your wallet
- Click "**Receive**"
- Copy the address or scan the QR code

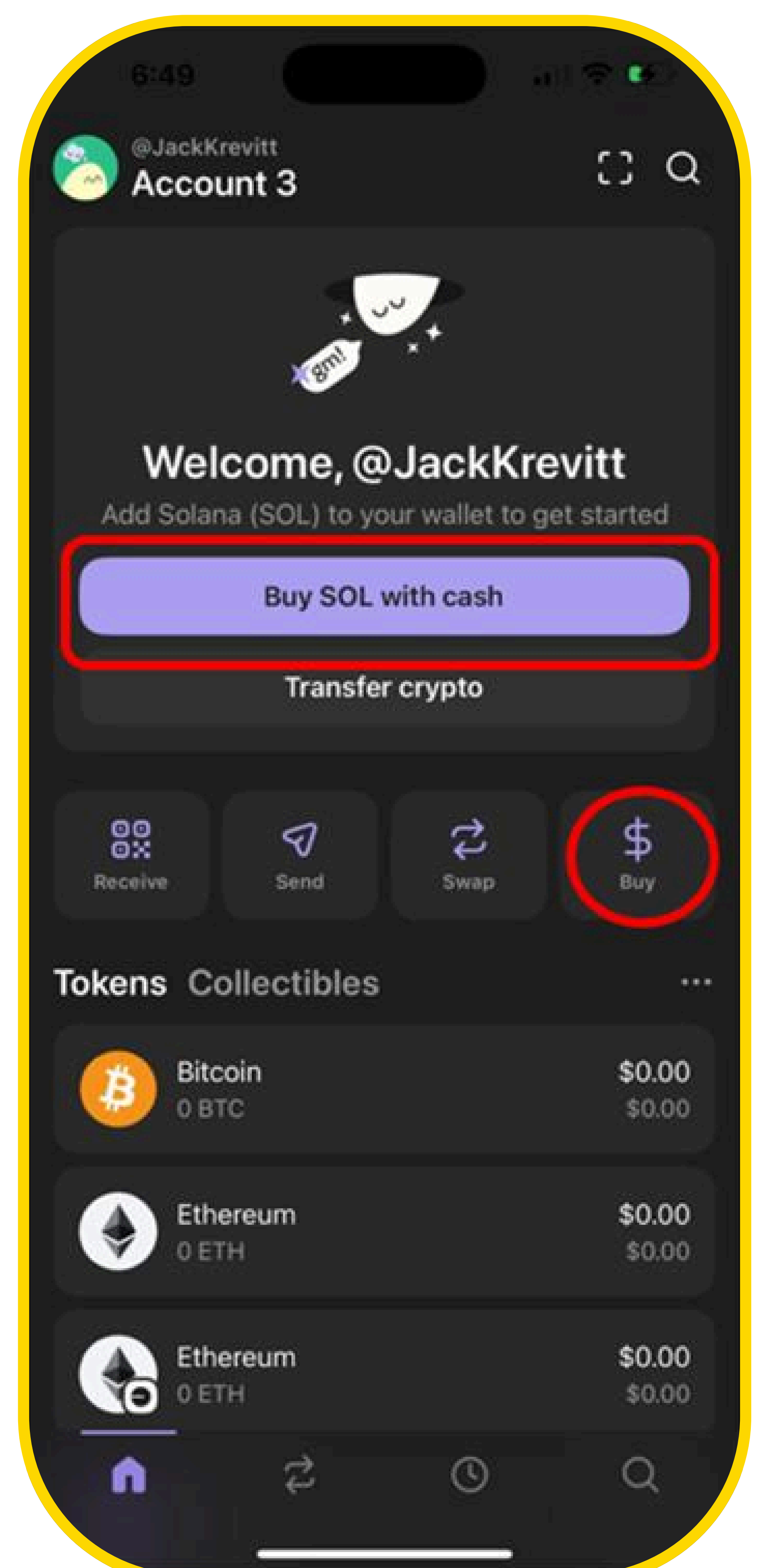


2. Buy SOL on an exchange (e.g. Coinbase or Kraken)

- Purchase SOL on the exchange
- Withdraw it to your Solana wallet using the same address from step 1

3. Buy SOL directly in the wallet

- Phantom and other wallets support in-app purchases
- This may require completing identity verification (KYC)





Navigating to the Mint Page

To this point you should have:

- A Solana wallet
- SOL in that wallet
 - At least 0.1 SOL to mint
- BTC in either a Bitcoin wallet or centralized exchange
 - At least 0.00015 BTC to mint

If so, you are ready to mint!

Go to the mint page here: zenbtc.app.zenrocklabs.io

Minting

Minting zenBTC is quick and easy! To mint you must:

1. Connect your wallet to the zenBTC app
2. Generate a Bitcoin deposit address
3. Send Bitcoin to your deposit address to mint zenBTC

Below are detailed instructions to complete the process

Connecting your wallet

The first step when using any decentralized app is connecting your wallet.

To connect your wallet to the zenBTC app, simply click **“Connect Wallet”** at the top right of the screen and follow the prompts.

Once connected, the button will display your wallet address.



When done correctly, the “connect” button will be replaced by your wallet ID like the below:

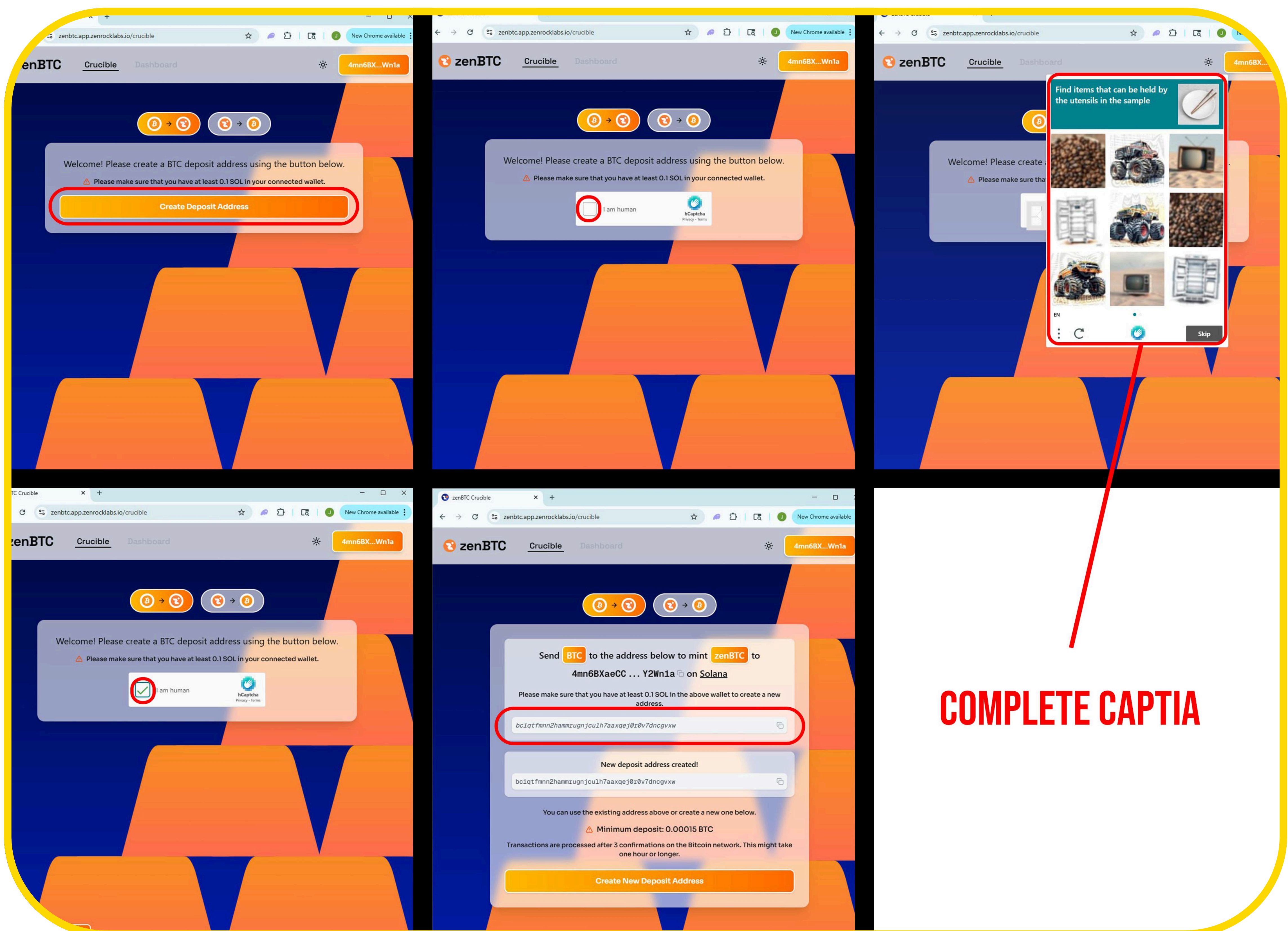


Generate a Deposit Address on the Bitcoin Blockchain

To mint zenBTC, you will deposit Bitcoin directly on the Bitcoin blockchain.

The Bitcoin you send will be self-custodied using Zenrock's decentralized custody technology.

Follow these steps to generate your unique deposit address:





Mint!

You're now ready to mint zenBTC. The address highlighted below is your unique mint address. Simply send Bitcoin to it to mint.

If you're using a Bitcoin wallet, look for a **"Send"** button.

On a centralized exchange, it may be labeled **"Send Crypto."** Once sent, your zenBTC will arrive on Solana in approximately 40–60 minutes.

