

Is kraken.com legit? TrustSniffer's high-trust assessment: 90/100

kraken.com

Verdict

90

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

kraken.com appears legitimate.

Our checks found nothing pointing to fraud. Ordinary care still applies when you pay or sign in.

Not Scam

Safe for Login

Low Risk

Assessed 2026-07-23 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 45%.

What this site appears to be

GPT summary status=degraded | GPT summary call failed: HTTP error from GPT: 429 Too Many Requests { "error": { "message": "You exceeded your current quota, please check your plan and billing details. For more information on this error, read the docs: <https://platform.openai.com/docs/guides/error-codes/api-errors>.", "type": "insufficient_quota", "param": null, "code": "insufficient_quota" } } }

Evidence status and limitations

- Evidence completeness: UNKNOWN
- The real-world operator identity was not independently verified.
 - Module-level completeness metadata is unavailable for this legacy report.

At a glance

The checks that decide most of this verdict.

Malware engines	1 flagged it VirusTotal	RISK
Google Safe Browsing	Not listed Google	CLEAR
Abuse reports on the host	0 reports AbuseIPDB; shared hosting inflates this count	NOTED
Domain age	26 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Never archived No public history of this site	WATCH

The page as captured

No screenshot is retained for this report.

Key findings

- Automated classification: Not Scam.
- Domain age: more than 10 years (registration continuity).
- At least one reputation service TrustSniffer consulted had flagged this domain at assessment time.

Full analysis

Overview

The website presents Kraken as a financial-services platform offering cryptocurrency, stocks, and related products, with the apparent purpose of enabling customers to manage and transact in digital and conventional assets through an established online account environment.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No blacklist, phishing, brand-impersonation, or conflicting legal-identity evidence was observed. The domain's long registration history, prominent global traffic footprint, high page authority, stable interactive behavior, and absence of wallet-draining, clipboard-hijacking, cloaking, or hidden-form activity strongly support the conclusion that this is the legitimate, established Kraken website. One isolated malicious-vendor classification is uncorroborated and does not amount to a confirmed threat finding when weighed against the broader reputation evidence.

- The domain-registration record shows Namecheap, Inc. as registrar: registered 3 April 2000 (~26.34 years old) and currently expiring 3 April 2031.
- Reputation telemetry places the homepage at global traffic rank 4,763, while the assessed page authority is classified as high.
- External reputation checks recorded no external blacklist finding, no Google Safe Browsing detection, and one unconfirmed malicious classification alongside 61 harmless classifications.
- Two successful behavioral runs against the homepage found no cloaking, fingerprinting, hidden forms, wallet-provider activity, wallet-drainer behavior, or clipboard manipulation.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The available homepage identifies the recognized Kraken brand and characterizes the service through "crypto, stocks & more," but the captured material does not establish a clear on-page licensing or registration disclosure. This is a limited disclosure-verification point, not evidence of fraud or impersonation. The privacy service appearing in the registration record is an ordinary administrative arrangement and does not undermine the site's otherwise consistent identity.

- The homepage title identifies the site as "Kraken" and presents cryptocurrency and stock-related services.
- The available page evidence leaves the on-page regulatory disclosure state unclear; no conflicting corporate identities were identified.

- The hosting infrastructure serves the site from AS13335 (Cloudflare, Inc.).
- The site’s transport encryption uses a WE1-issued domain-validated TLS certificate, valid until 30 September 2026.

What to Verify Next

For institutional onboarding or material financial exposure, due diligence should confirm the applicable Kraken contracting entity and jurisdiction for the intended product, match that entity against the relevant official financial-services registry, and review the governing terms for custody, asset ownership, dispute resolution, and withdrawal conditions. Official contact channels should also be confirmed through an independently obtained corporate source.

- The homepage indicates that the service spans both cryptocurrency and stock-related offerings, making product- and jurisdiction-specific entity confirmation relevant.
- The captured site material does not resolve which regulated entity would contract with a particular customer.
- The recognized Kraken branding and consistent domain identity provide a reliable basis from which to conduct registry and contractual checks.

Summary Verdict

This is a legitimate, established, and trustworthy website with strong convergence across domain longevity, traffic prominence, page authority, reputation screening, encrypted transport, and benign behavioral testing. No identity contradiction or confirmed external threat condition was found, and the isolated uncorroborated reputation signal does not materially alter the high-trust posture.

Infrastructure Integrity

The website is protected by Cloudflare’s CDN and web-application firewall. All observed addresses were Cloudflare edge servers, so the origin server was shielded from direct observation; this reduces direct infrastructure exposure but is treated as a security-control benefit rather than independent proof of legitimacy.

Closing Assessment

Normal interaction, including account login and standard use, is appropriate; institutional or high-value activity should proceed under ordinary counterparty, transaction-approval, and account-security controls.

Written analysis generated 2026-07-31 by the TrustSniffer Analysis Engine from the evidence in this report.

What the analysis found

No rule findings contributed to this verdict.

Identity verification

Status	UNKNOWN
Identity score	50/100
Identity verification confidence	15%

- AI page analysis unavailable (page captured; identity not AI-verified)

Identity verification measures whether the site can be independently connected to a real-world brand or person. It is separate from the classification confidence.

What TrustSniffer observed

First-party facts recorded during the assessment of kraken.com.

- The request stayed on kraken.com. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- Registration is published under NAMECHEAP INC. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by cloudflare.com, across 2 name servers. NOTED
- The registration is paid up to 2031-04-03. CLEAR
- It is hosted on CLOUDFLARENET, from a server in US. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	NAMECHEAP INC
Hosting	CLOUDFLARENET - Cloudflare, Inc., US
Country	US
Server IP	104.17.188.205
Name servers	ART.NS.CLOUDFLARE.COM, KIM.NS.CLOUDFLARE.COM
SSL issuer	WE1
SSL expiry	2026-09-30
Domain age	26.3 years
Domain expiry	2031-04-03
Archive first seen	Not available
Archive snapshots	0
Reputation	VirusTotal: 1 flagged AbuseIPDB: 0 reports Google Safe Browsing: 0 matches

About this assessment

A trust score summarises the evidence TrustSniffer could collect about kraken.com at assessment time. It is a starting point for your own judgement, not a guarantee: a high score means the signals were consistent with a legitimately operated site, a low or critical score means several risk patterns were present.

TrustSniffer assesses a website from the evidence it can collect at a point in time: domain registration and age, hosting and certificate, the content the site served, and third-party reputation feeds. A score is a summary of that evidence, not a guarantee and not a legal finding. There is no human rating and no user review in it. A site can change after it is assessed.