



Harry's Take

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Our Bodies Will Be Fed from Earth; Our Brains from Space!

I can't help but think a lot of people are getting more confused than ever. Launching rockets into space is so expensive and still quite risky. How can we actually make stuff on the moon and send it back here economically? How could we have a million people on Mars as Elon Musk envisions? What will they do there in such a hostile environment with beyond extreme temperatures and no oxygen just for starters.

Frankly, I don't yet get the major colonies on Mars vision... other than research scientists and billionaires. Why? Unless the earth becomes a cesspool from its own pollution or nuclear wars, and new technologies only work to reduce such pollution more and more cheaply over time: Who would want to live that far away from civilization here and what would we do there? If you want a red, desert-like, peaceful, laid-back experience, we already have places like Arizona, with great hotels, houses and entertainment – and still plenty of underground water to service it... and yes, oxygen to breathe! And we can fly there in hours.

First, you have to get the basics of the wonders of innovation and technological progress. Only rich people could afford a car in the early 1900s, two decades after invention in the late 1800s (1886 combustion engine)... But just by 1929, 90% of urban households had a car. By 1970 most suburban and rural households had two, and much more drive-able with many more features! The S-curve adoption process that fuels these miracles is predictable once you prove how long it takes to get them to the first 1% and 10%; and then the miracle 10% to 90% adoption occurs in a short, predictable period of time. The most important insight in this era:

The growing Knowledge Economy is largely invisible, just like the thoughts, data and knowledge in our brains. It's the invisible that can work in and from space, not us so much!

That's why we will definitely see major data centers on the moon. That is inevitable as the cost of launches goes down as exponentially as everything else, and Elon is already leading that exponential launch rate. Peter Diamandis was on CNBC on Monday morning talking about the inevitability of this. I see him talk at the same Tony Robbins Platinum Member conferences I speak at once a year. He's not just a bright scientist. He has always been a big picture technological futurist. He's an obvious genius at this, which is clear if you ever get to see him. Now, he sees hundreds of thousands of launches coming in the next decade or so... and yes, that means costs will come down dramatically. In 1900 no one would have thought everyday people in the cities would have automobiles. Less than 30 years later they did! And the suburbs became the majority living habitat.

The big picture is simple: More and more of our GDP and lifestyle going forward will rapidly come from more affordable and accessible data, information... and most important knowledge and solutions to our challenges and problems in life. Space and the moon have access to near unlimited, near-free sunlight energy (with no clouds to block) to fuel the invisible, massless, weightless part of our economy that will increasingly dominate our future. And we are coming up against exponentially growing, alarming pollution problems down here on earth. Data centers generate pollution too! The real truth: "Space is for the invisible and weightless... then it makes more sense."

So, NO: I don't see producing cement from moon dust and shipping it back to earth, at least not in my or your lifetime. But the most important Knowledge Economy will almost certainly see the moon and orbiting satellites transmitting almost of our data, information, entertainment and knowledge in real-time at startlingly-lower costs – just as we already receive effortlessly and cheaply today on our TVs. And thus far, Elon Musk has been the one person to most see this and make it possible. Jeff Bezos looked as odd and eccentric just a few decades ago. And they both look like they couldn't change a flat tire!

Space will join the already sizable Bitcoin-led crypto technology movement to radically restructure money and financial assets that came first. AI, led by Nvidia has come after that to radically transform business and work. Space is... as they say on Star Trek: "The Final Frontier"... in our lifetimes.

Hence, once we finally see the long overdue crash to deflate the first artificial bubble since 2008; Bitcoin, Nvidia and SPCX (SpaceX) will be three leading stocks to load up on at the bargain prices of your lifetime! But NOT now, very likely at the top of the largest, longest bubble in history.

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