aeda:connect

pre-seed · $500,000

Modern infrastructure for fast, low-cost cross-border transfers through one API.

For banks, payment companies and their customers.

The problem

−34%
correspondent banks in Eastern Europe since 2011

$29+
bank fees on a $200 transfer

Mon–Fri
banking days only

The solution · connect once. reach new countries

1 API
one integration

~4×
cheaper than bank transfers

24/7
in minutes

bank → **aeda connect API** → licensed partners settle in regulated stablecoins → recipient's bank

The market · target corridors: EECA ↔ EU and US, later the rest of the world

$905bn
TAM · worldwide

~$128bn
SAM · EU, US ↔ EECA

$1.45bn
SOM · first route

Traction

2 LOIs

payment institutions · contracts in legal review · pilot Dec 2026

Team · we ran the bank departments that buy this

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Business model

fee per transfer

with a contractual monthly minimum

The ask

$500,000 pre-seed

SAFE · ~$5M pre-money · ≈ €445,000
12 months to 6 partners live

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Sources: BIS CPMI 2023 · tariffs of 6 banks in the region, Aug 2026 · World Bank 2024 · Council of the EU 2023 · Central Bank of Armenia 2025 · ~4× is a pre-pilot estimate. aeda is a technology provider; licensed partners hold and move the funds.