

Latin America & Caribbean Tech Boom: AI, Fintech, and Cybersecurity Trends

Technology · Answer Key · 15 Questions

1. Which Latin American country has been identified as the most targeted for ransomware attacks in recent years?

- A) Mexico
- B) Brazil**
- C) Argentina
- D) Chile

2. What is the primary focus of the Caribbean Digital Transformation Project (CARDTP), funded by the World Bank?

- A) Expanding tourism infrastructure
- B) Increasing access to digital services, technologies, and skills**
- C) Developing new cryptocurrency regulations
- D) Promoting traditional agricultural practices

3. Which sector continues to be the leading venture capital success story in Latin America, attracting significant investments?

- A) Renewable Energy
- B) E-commerce
- C) Fintech**
- D) Biotechnology

4. In Latin America, which country was the first to adopt Bitcoin as legal tender?

- A) Brazil
- B) Argentina
- C) El Salvador**
- D) Mexico

5. What percentage of Caribbean e-commerce transactions occur on mobile devices, highlighting a mobile-first shopping trend?

- A) 25%
- B) 45%
- C) 65%**
- D) 85%

6. Which region has become the global leader in ransomware incidents, with a significant percentage of organizations affected?

- A) Asia-Pacific
- B) Latin America**
- C) Africa
- D) Middle East

7. In Latin America, many countries are developing AI legislation. Which country is noted for launching an experimental AI Sandbox Regulation?

- A) Chile
- B) Colombia
- C) Argentina
- D) Brazil**

8. What technology is seeing significant adoption in Latin America, with countries like Brazil and Chile leading in solar and wind power growth?

- A) Nuclear energy
- B) Renewable energy**
- C) Geothermal energy
- D) Fossil fuels

9. Regarding cybersecurity in Latin America, what is a common tactic used by cybercriminals to exploit regulatory compliance?

- A) Offering free cybersecurity software
- B) Threatening to publish sensitive citizen data**
- C) Providing anonymous VPN services
- D) Conducting phishing simulations

10. Which of these Latin American countries is among the top five in terms of cryptocurrency transaction volume, according to recent data?

- A) Uruguay
- B) Ecuador
- C) Venezuela**
- D) Paraguay

11. The Caribbean Digital Transformation Project aims to increase access to digital services, technologies, and skills for governments, businesses, and individuals. Which of the following is a core component of this project?

- A) Developing new tourism attractions
- B) Improving agricultural yields
- C) Enhancing digital skills and entrepreneurship**
- D) Expanding traditional banking services

12. In Latin America, what trend is driving the demand for stablecoins and Bitcoin, particularly in countries with high inflation?

- A) Decreasing internet penetration
- B) Government initiatives to ban digital assets
- C) Financial volatility and currency devaluation**
- D) Limited access to traditional financial services only

13. Which technology is gaining prominence in Latin America, with commercial launches in countries like Jamaica and ongoing rollouts in Mexico and Peru?

- A) 3G
- B) 4G LTE
- C) 5G**
- D) Satellite internet only

14. What is a key trend in the Caribbean e-commerce market, with a significant percentage of transactions occurring on mobile devices?

- A) Reliance on desktop computers
- B) High adoption of physical stores
- C) Mobile-first shopping**
- D) Predominance of cash-on-delivery payments

15. Latin American countries are developing AI legislation. Which country has proposed legislation that includes measures to support innovation, such as regulatory 'sandboxes'?

- A) Brazil
- B) Mexico
- C) Chile**
- D) Colombia