
PERSONAL PRODUCTIVITY / WEB PROPERTY

Digital Real Estate: *Maintenance* Is Margin

Pages compound when refresh, speed, and disclosure stay honest—otherwise you own a lottery ticket with hosting fees.

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property. Read with [creator systems](#), [network effects](#) where real, [Pareto](#) on page-level revenue, and [inversion](#) on thin monetization traps.

"A website is real estate when cash and maintenance both show up on the ledger."

1. Sites *as Assets*

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DIGITAL PROPERTY QUARTERLY PASS

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Revenue map

URLs, SKUs, affiliates—top ten earners.

02

Technical health

Speed, security, broken links—owner named.

03

Content refresh

Top pages updated, intent checked.

04

Risk scan

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