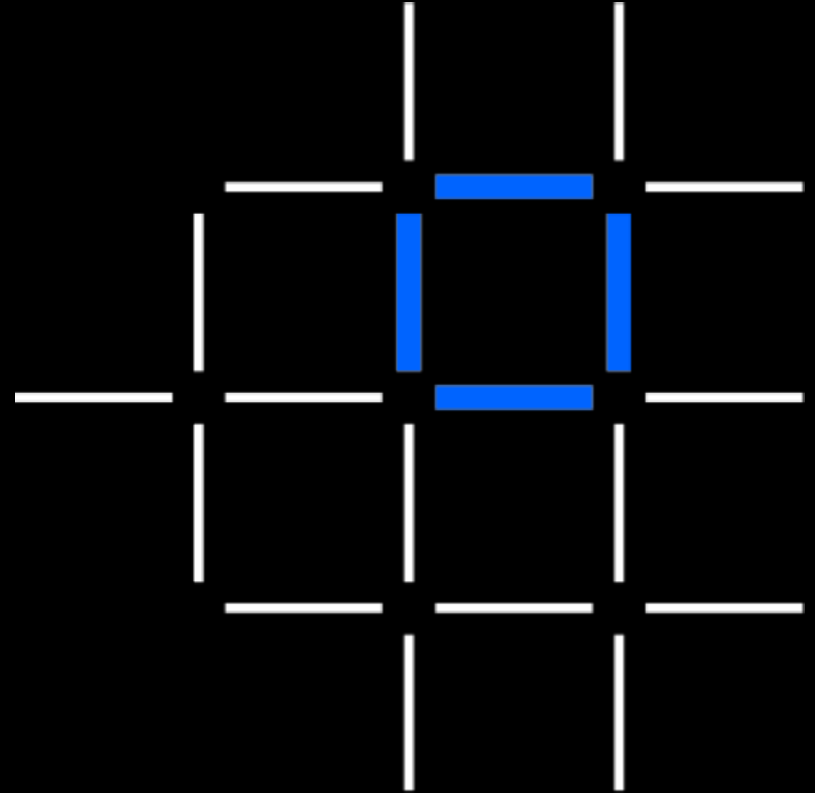


# Virtual Blockchain Immersion

**April 21-24**

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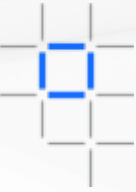


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# Schedule – April 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>



## **April 21<sup>st</sup>:**

- Blockchain Introduction
- Food Trust Demo
- Vehicle Lifecycle Demo
- Immunichain Demo
- What Makes a Good Use Case

## **April 22<sup>nd</sup>:**

- Lab Instructions
- Developer Journey Lab

# Schedule – April 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>



## **April 23<sup>rd</sup>:**

IBM Blockchain Platform & LinuxONE  
Kubernetes 101

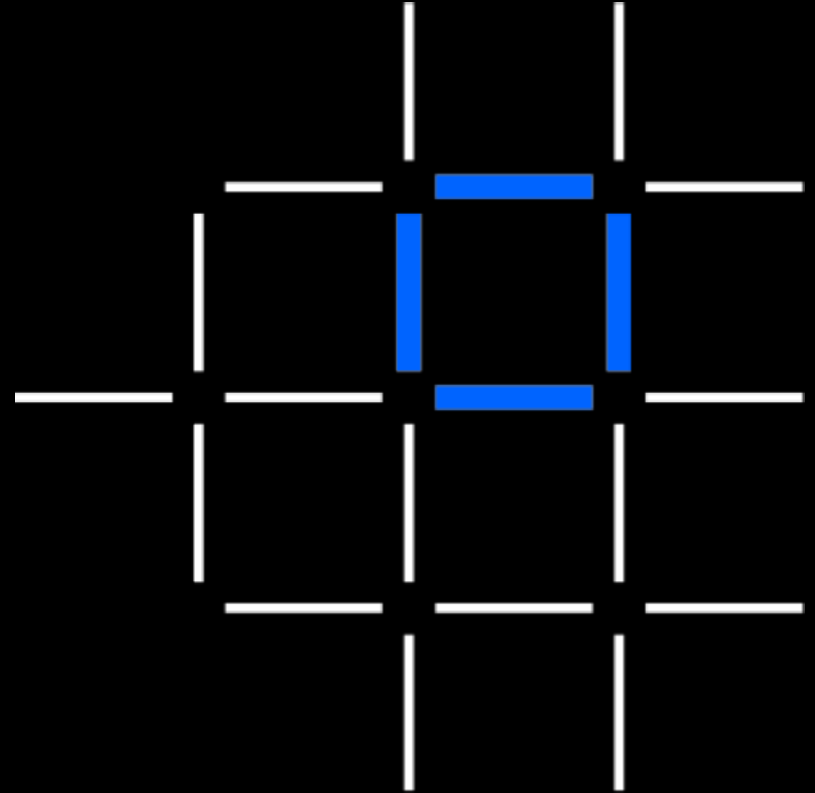
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Lab Instructions  
IBM Blockchain Platform: Deploy Network  
IBM Blockchain Platform: Deploy Smart Contract

# Blockchain Introduction

An Introduction to Blockchain for Business

*Austin Grice*



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***What is Blockchain***

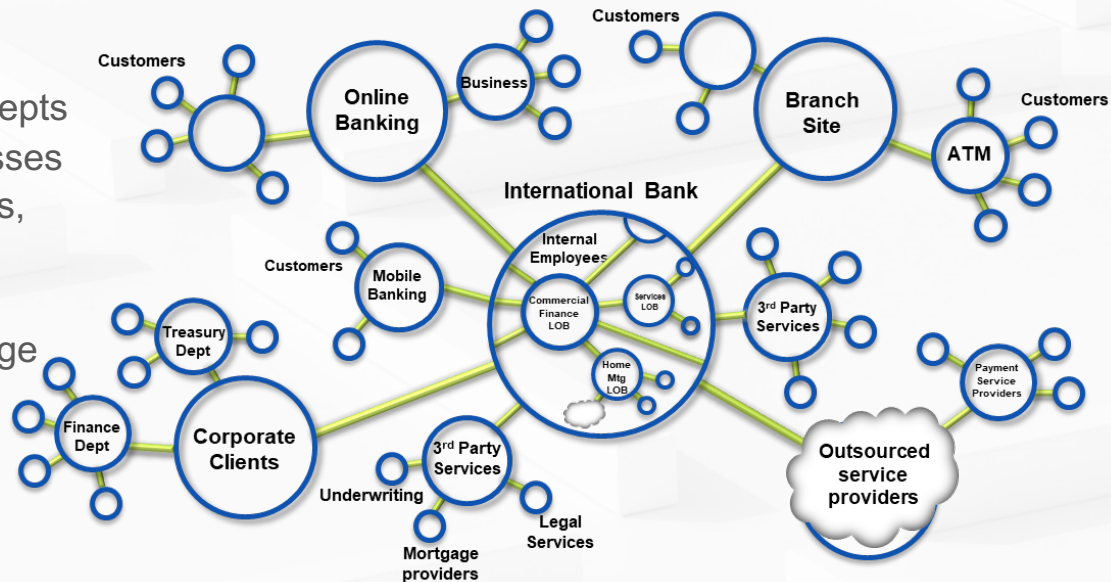
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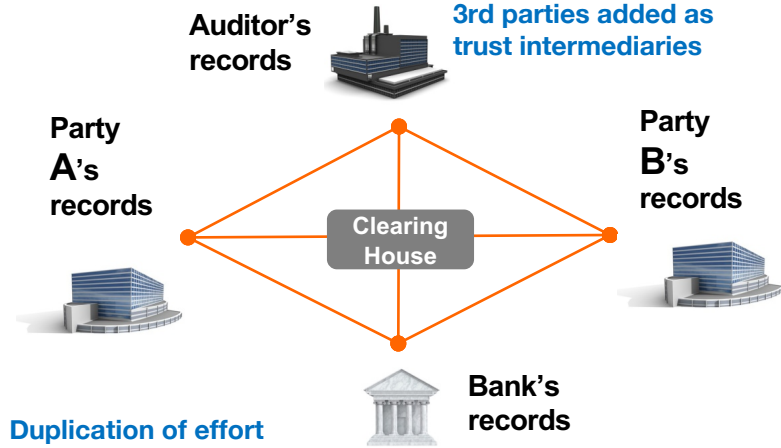
# What is blockchain?



- Blockchain lets you build a decentralized **business network**
- Blockchain builds on basic business concepts
  - **Business networks** connect businesses
  - **Participants** are customers, suppliers, banks, partners
  - **Assets** flow over business networks
  - **Transactions** describe asset exchange
  - **Contracts** underpin transactions
  - The **ledger** is a log of transactions



# Traditional

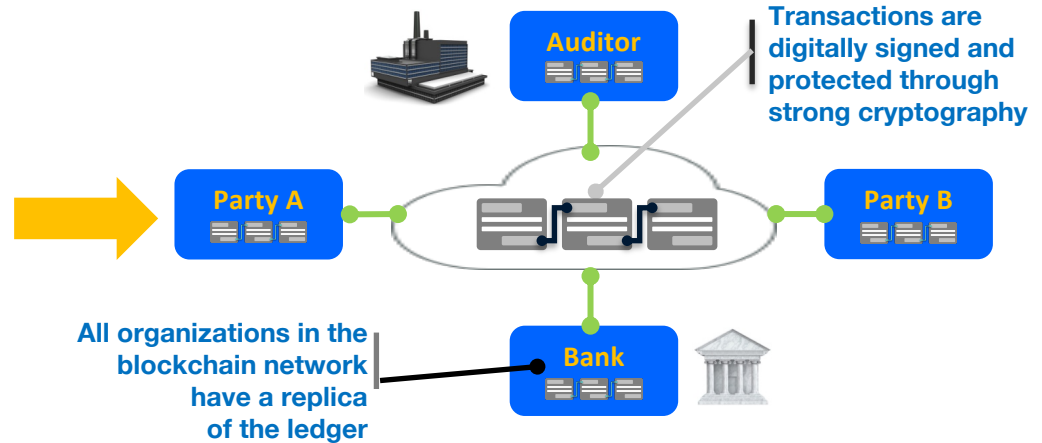


Transaction fees – Cost, Time  
Data exposure - Security  
Centralized entities - Risk  
No central source of information - Truth

...inefficient, expensive, vulnerable

# With Blockchain

A shared, replicated, permissioned ledger



...provenance, immutability, finality

# Transferring assets, building value

*Anything that is capable of being owned or controlled to produce value, is an asset*



## Two fundamental types of asset

- Tangible, e.g. a house
- Intangible, e.g. a mortgage



## Intangible assets subdivide

- Financial, e.g. bond
- Intellectual, e.g. patents
- Digital, e.g. data



## Cash is also an asset

- Property of anonymity
- Hard to prove and track

# Ledgers, Transactions and Contracts



- **Ledger**: an important **log** of all transactions
  - Describes the inputs and outputs of the business
- **Transaction**: an **asset transfer** between participants
  - Matt gives a car to Dave (simple)
- **Contract**: the **conditions** for a transaction to occur
  - If Dave pays Matt money, then car passes from Matt to Dave (simple)
  - If car won't start, funds do not pass to Matt (as decided by third party arbitrator) (more complex)



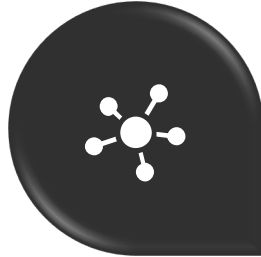
- *How do I know that the transaction I see is the same as the transaction you see?*
- *How do I know that the contract - the business rules associated with the transaction - are interpreted and implemented consistently between us?*
- Significant costs of reconciliation, dispute resolution and legal processes

# Blockchain aims to solve the problems of ledgers and contracts

by allowing transactions and business rules to be **shared** between participants of the network

## Shared Ledger

Distributed system of record, shared across business network. Replicated and synchronized ledger with no central administrator



## Smart Contract

Provides the shared implementation of the business rules associated with each transaction

## Privacy

Ensuring appropriate visibility; transactions are secure, authenticated & verifiable



## Consensus

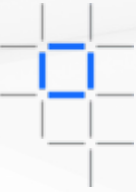
Appropriate parties agree to valid transactions


This sharing is the foundation for innovative business solutions, including the ability to remove ambiguity and friction from trade

Broader participation, lower cost, increased efficiency



# Different types of blockchain



 **bitcoin** is an example of an unpermissioned, public ledger:

- The first blockchain application
  - Peer to Peer electronic cash system
  - Resource intensive
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- Blockchains for business generally prioritize
    - **Assets** over cryptocurrency; **Identity** over anonymity; **Selective endorsement** over proof of work



# Two Types of Blockchain



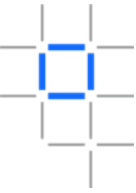
	Private/Permissioned	Public/Unpermissioned
Who?	Known invited parties	General public, unknown
Consensus	Selective Endorsement	Proof of Work/Stake
What is transferred?	Assets	Currency
Examples	Hyperledger Fabric	Bitcoin, Ethereum





*Example Networks*

# Further examples by (selected) industry



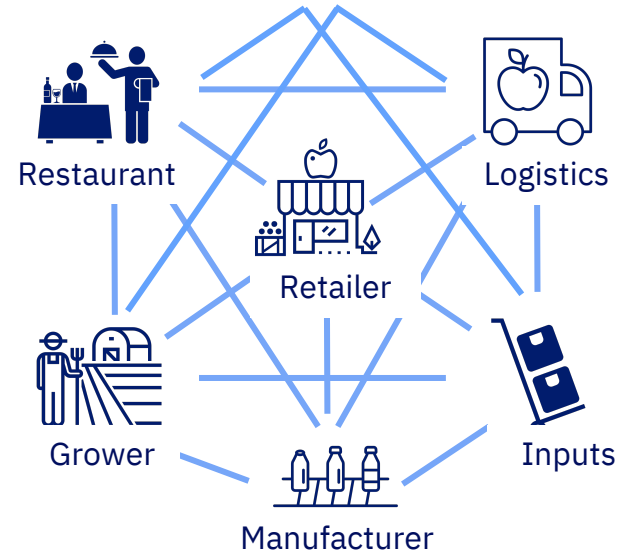
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# Today, traditional system constructs limit transparency

## The Problem:

- **Data is siloed** within each company and accessing it requires a request and time
- Exchange of information takes place between a pair of partners; to get information from a distant partner may require **intermediaries** time, resources
- Most transactions are still **paper-based**, creating inefficiencies and opportunities for fraud
- Because everyone maintains their own record of transactions, **differences** take time and resources to reconcile

## The food industry today

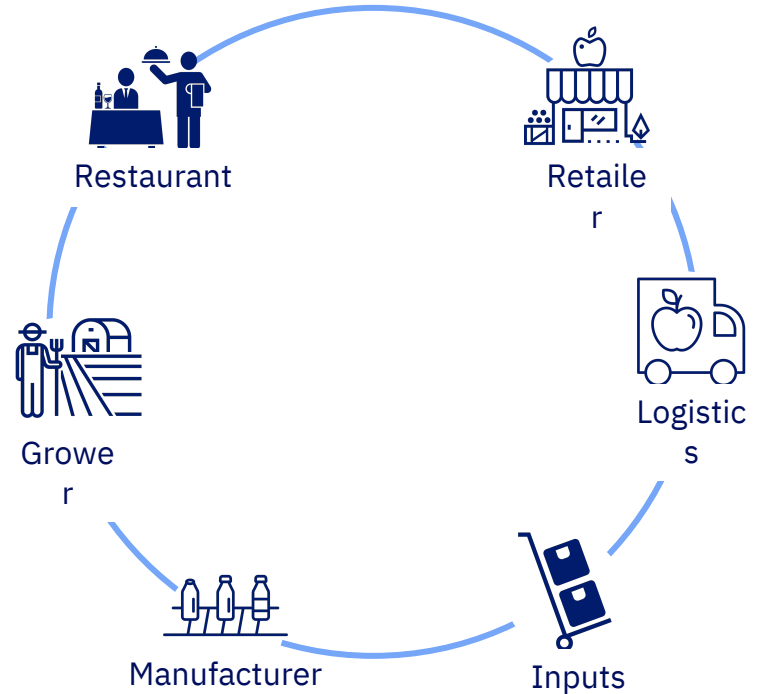


# Blockchain transforms systems with trust and transparency

## The Solution:

- Blockchain provides an **independent data-sharing platform**
- Once data is shared in a single data-sharing platform, everyone has **instant transparency** into the transactions they are authorized to view; no intermediation required
- **Data immutability** creates an auditable record of all transactions, disincentivizing fraudulent behavior
- **Dispute resolution** from the shared ledger can be automated saving time and resources

## The food industry with blockchain



# Cross-border payments today remain costly, complex and slow

*Limited end-to-end transparency, fee opacity & delivery uncertainty*

## The Challenges

- **Slow:** Current international payments systems rely heavily on **coordination between several counterparties** exchanging both information and value, taking **days or even weeks to complete** transactions.
- **Costly:** **Reconciliation**, regulatory **compliance**, foreign exchange and the cost of trapped **liquidity** in correspondent banking accounts are a few factors that continue to **inflate** the true cost of cross-border payments.
- **Limited Transparency:** The involvement of multiple intermediaries creates a **complex** web of procedures and **hinders the end-to-end visibility** of cross-border payments – often resulting in **error-prone** and faulty transactions that must be reconciled later. Parties are also rarely aware of where exactly fees are deducted along the way.
- **Complicated:** Privacy and security concerns have given rise to new, often **competing regulatory requirements**, creating a **barrier** for payment processing in certain regions, **cutting off** high-potential emerging markets from participating in the global economy.

## International Payments System Today

SWIFT + Correspondent Banking



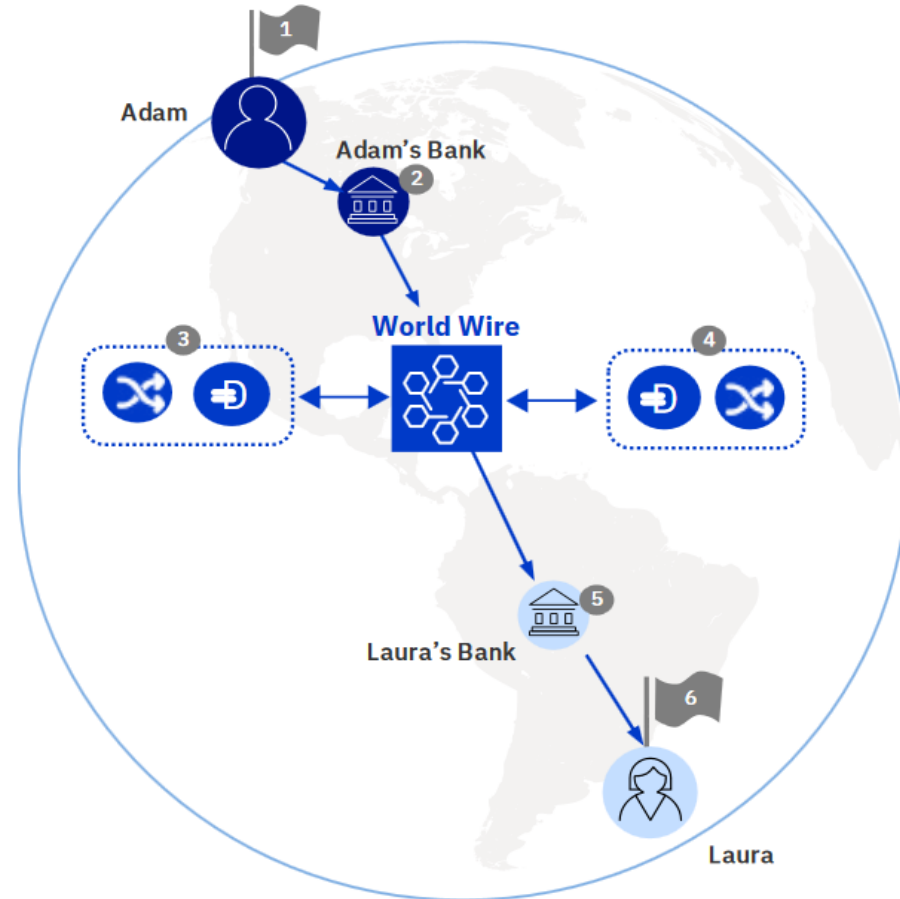
# World Wire simplifies clearing & settlement to streamline cross-border payments

*Faster, Cheaper & More efficient*

## World Wire targets industry pain points

- **Clear & Settle Faster:** Near **real-time clearing and settlement** reduces a process that traditionally takes 2-10 days, to mere **seconds**.
- **Reduce Costs:** Costs per transaction are reduced – this includes the removal and reduction of correspondent banking fees, capital requirements, regulatory costs, and reconciliation costs – allowing for **improved capital efficiency**.
- **Increase Transparency:** Financial institutions receive unprecedented **end-to-end transparency** of a payment from initiation through receipt by the receiving financial institution – **reducing the occurrence of disputes** and need for reconciliation.
- **Build Trust:** The use of distributed ledger technology creates the irrevocable and irrefutable audit trail of transactions, **enhancing regulatory reporting** capabilities and easing compliance concerns, while also **removing barriers of entry** for Financial Institutions entering **new markets**.

## International Payments with World Wire



— **Clearing and settlement flow**

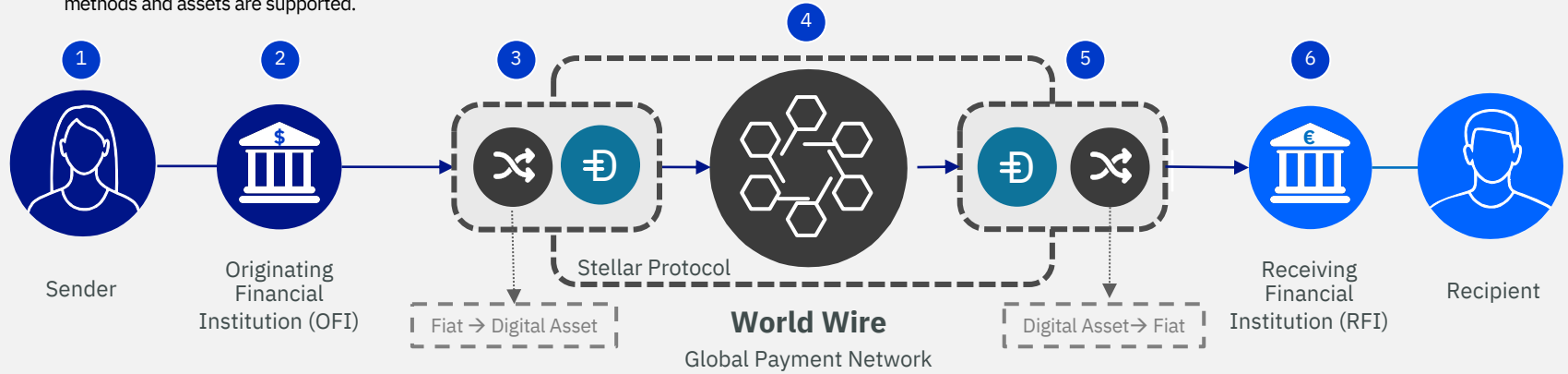
# How it Works



- 1 Sender from Canada (CAD) wants to send a payment to a recipient in Brazil, who is expecting Brazilian Real (\$R).
- 2 Sender's Financial Institution (OFI) calculates the FX fees to send a payment using World Wire and debits the sender's account the total amount in CAD **plus** fees. The fee total will be a sum of both the OFI and RFI's fees.
- 3 Using World Wire's messaging capabilities, the OFI **clears** the payment with the RFI and the CAD (plus fees) is converted to the *chosen* digital asset (e.g., XLM) equivalent.

\* World Wire allows Participants access to real-time FX liquidity to fulfill payments on the network. Market Makers on the network facilitate the exchange of fiat to digital assets and conversely, digital assets to fiat. Multiple settlement methods and assets are supported.

- 4 The digital asset (e.g., XLM) equivalent is then sent to the RFI accepting the payment on behalf of their client, the Recipient. The transaction details are recorded to the ledger and the payment is **settled**.
- 5 The Receiving FI is able to then convert the digital asset to the Brazilian Real (\$R) equivalent and deduct their portion of the FX fee calculated in Step 2.
- 6 Transaction balance (\$R) is transferred to Recipient's account for immediate use.



# GLOBAL TRADE IS HIGHLY INEFFICIENT AND BURDENED BY PAPER-BASED PROCESSES

## + Data trapped in organizational silos

Information is held in paper and various digital formats across dozens of service providers along the supply chain, requiring complex, cumbersome, and costly peer-to-peer messaging. The result is inconsistent information across organizational boundaries, latency in obtaining shipment visibility, and blind spots that hinder the efficient flow of goods.

## + Manual, time-consuming, paper-based processes

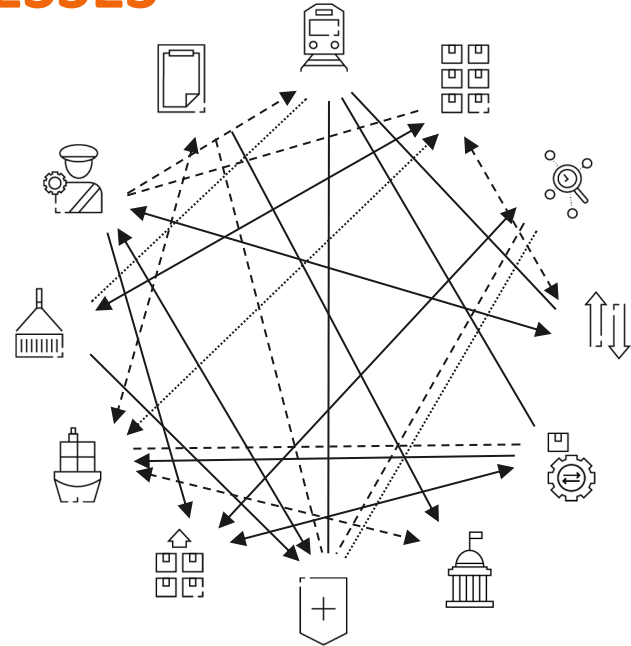
The collection and processing of up-to-date data, as well as inefficient trade document exchange, requires manual checks and frequent follow-ups and results in errors, delays and high compliance costs. Late filings are common due to missing information.

## + Clearance takes too long and is often subject to fraud

Risk assessments by customs authorities lack sufficient and trusted information resulting in high inspection rates, added prevention measures against fraud and forgery, and delayed customs clearance.

## + High costs and poor customer service

These challenges have significant downstream repercussions. The inability to forecast and plan effectively, address supply chain disruptions in near real-time, and share trusted information across the supply chain leads to excessive safety stock inventory, high administrative costs, operational challenges, and ultimately poor customer service.





# OUR MISSION

## DIGITIZE THE GLOBAL SUPPLY CHAIN

### + Connect the ecosystem

Bring together all parties in the supply chain - including shippers, freight forwarders, intermodal operators, ports and terminals, ocean carriers, customs and other government authorities, and others - onto a blockchain-based platform with a secure permission and identity framework.

### + Drive true information sharing

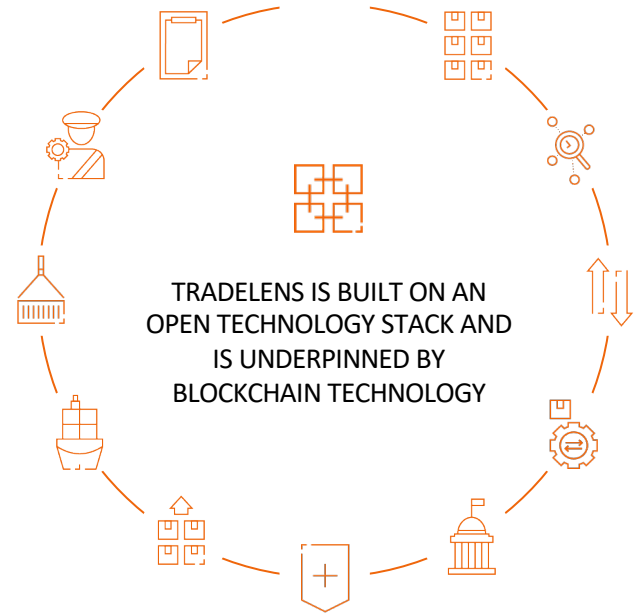
Provide for the seamless, secure sharing of near real-time, actionable supply chain information across all parties to a trade - encompassing shipping milestones, cargo details, trade documents, the structured data embedded in trade documents, customs filings, sensor readings, and more.

### + Foster collaboration and trust

Enable the digitization and automation of the cross-organization business processes integral to global trade, including import and export clearance, with blockchain ensuring secure, auditable, and non-repudiable transactions.

### + Spur innovation

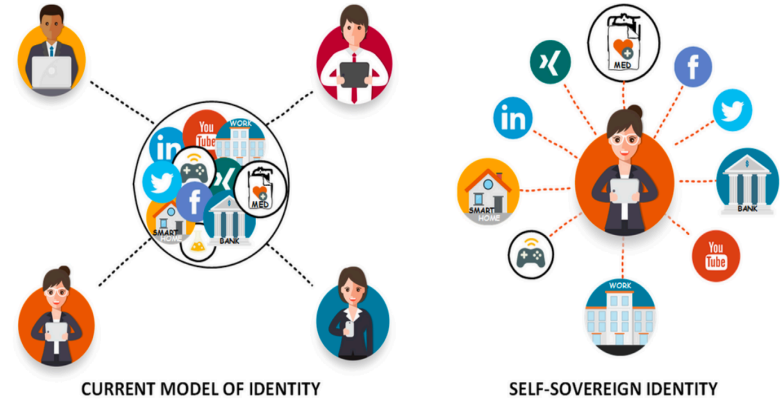
Lay the foundation for ongoing improvement and innovation through an open, publicly -available API, the use of standards and promotion of interoperability, and the launch of an Application Marketplace that parties can use to build and deploy TradeLens-powered applications for themselves, their partners, and their customers



# Decentralized trusted identity

## Personally manage your digital IDs online with the Sovrin Network – an open source project creating a global public utility for self-sovereign identity

- Pushes identifies to the edge of the network frictionless, secure identity verification of self-sovereign identity. It's time to evolve the current system of siloed identities, endless passwords, and insecure databases.
- The Sovrin Network is the new standard for digital identity – designed to bring the trust, personal control, and ease-of-use of analog IDs – like driver's licenses and ID cards – to the Internet.
- Cryptographic, point to point exchange of identity - Every person, organization, and thing has a digital wallet to control the flow of their identity
- Based on Hyperledger Indy technology



 **sovrin**  
identity for all

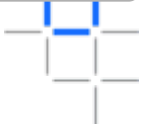
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# Making blockchain real for business...



Trade Finance	Pre and Post Trade	Complex Risk Coverage
   	   	 
Identity/ Know your customer (KYC)	Unlisted Securities/ Private Equity Funds	Incentive Program
  	  	 
Medicated Health Data Exchange	Government	Distributed Energy/ Carbon Credit
		 
Supply Chain	Food Trust	Provenance/ Traceability
 	         	



*How IBM Can Help*

# How IBM can help

*The certainty to solve business challenges together*



## Security at Scale

Enterprise-grade security and control on a platform where businesses and industries are reinventing themselves



## Trusted Expertise

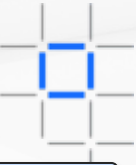
Reinventing business processes through unrivaled industry and technical knowledge as you start, accelerate and innovate your blockchain network.



## Network Convening Power

Bringing together an expansive partner network of innovators, regulators and suppliers to establish, join or run your blockchain network.

# IBM's end-to-end **Blockchain Strategy**



**Services**

Collaborate with services teams from ideation all the way to production



**Ecosystem**

Tap into our diverse ecosystem to develop strategic partnerships and create your competitive advantage



**Solutions**

Solve critical industry challenges by building and joining new business networks and applications



**IBM Blockchain Platform**

Build, operate and grow blockchain networks in heterogeneous environments



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A founding, premier member of Hyperledger, IBM is committed to open source, standards & governance

# IBM Blockchain Platform

**Advanced tooling**  
allows you to quickly  
build, operate and grow  
blockchain networks

**Open technology**  
uses the popular  
Hyperledger Fabric  
distributed ledger

**Deploy anywhere**  
fully managed, or flexible  
deployment on-premises or  
on other cloud vendors



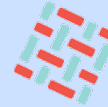
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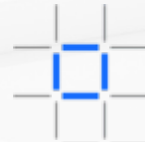
**IBM Cloud**

**On-Premises**

**Other clouds**



# Hyperledger: A Linux Foundation project



- IBM Blockchain Platform is underpinned by technology from the Hyperledger project
- Hyperledger is a collaborative effort created to advance cross-industry blockchain technologies for business
- Founded February 2016; now more than **280 member organizations**
- Open source  
Open standards  
*Open governance model*

## Premier



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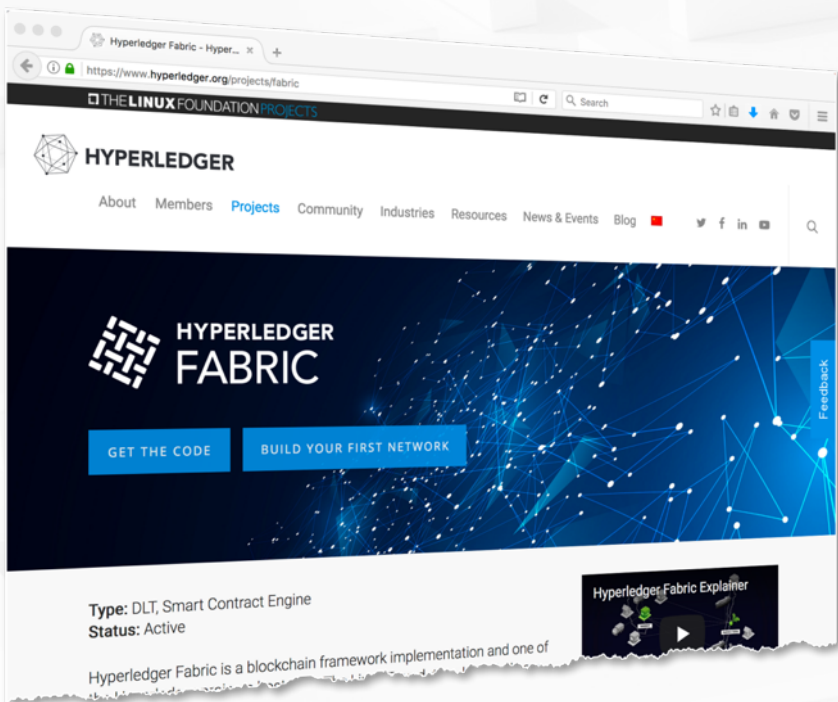


## Academia Associate

## General



Source: <https://www.hyperledger.org/members>  
Updated: 11 September 2019



- An implementation of blockchain technology that is a foundation for developing blockchain applications
- Emphasis on ledger, smart contracts, consensus, confidentiality, resiliency and scalability.
- v1.4.6 released in February 2020
  - v1.4.x Long Term Service release with emphasis on production operational and serviceability enhancements; new programming model abstractions for ease of development
  - v2.1 is out now
- IBM is one of the many contributing organizations


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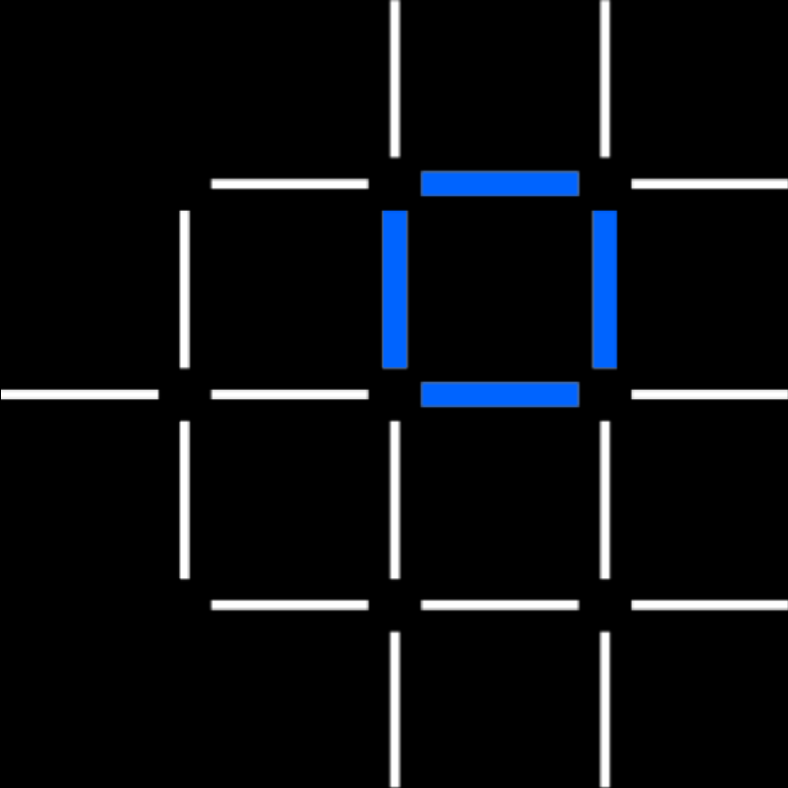
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