

An Ocean of Change

Bridging DeFi and ESG Standards to Digital Trade Finance



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It Starts With a World-Class Team

- Who are we?
- How we started











Trade Finance



A \$1.7 Trillion Opportunity



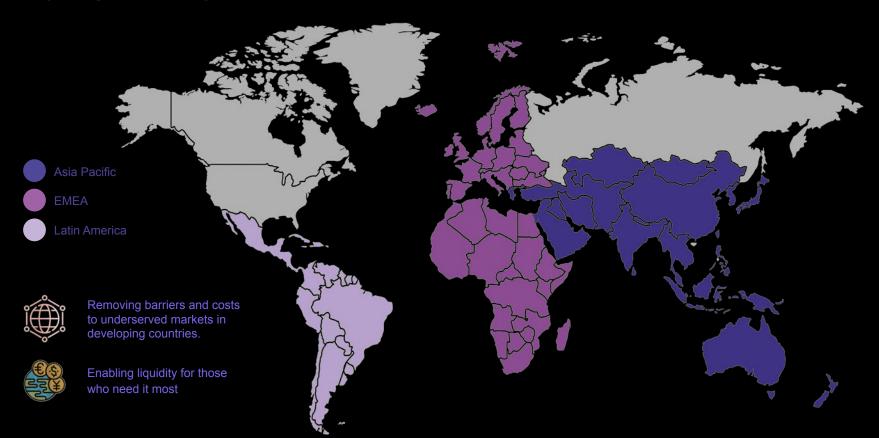
- What is the TF Gap?
 - The difference between how much trade finance is requested and the actual trade finance provided by lending institutions
 - Reached \$1.7 Trillion in 2021
 - How to tackle the TFG?



Emerging Market Corridors



Injecting new liquidity for markets that need it most





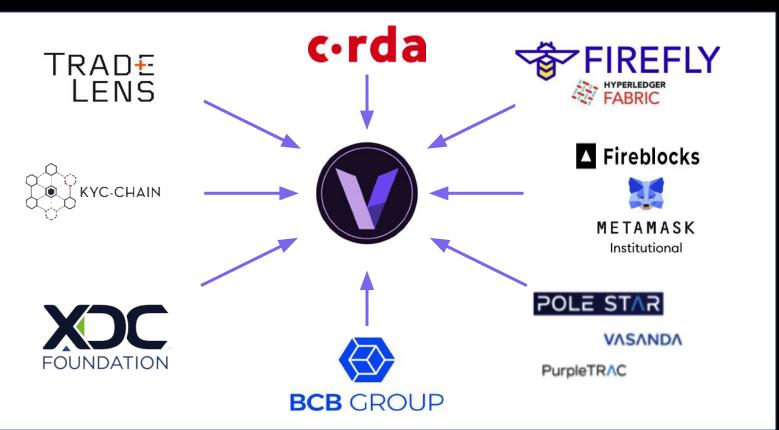
Bringing Together Trade Finance, ESG, DD, and Defi to Solve supply chain issues

- Liquidity
 - Defi bridge
 - TVL & Liquidity pools
- Interoperability
 - Public & private chains resources
 - Regulatory compliance on public & private chain (banks & corporates
 - Data Privacy
 - Risk mitigation
- ESG SASB standardisation
- Analogue to Digitisation





Integration and cooperation



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Integration with IBM Hyperledger



- Kaleido & Firefly
 - Multichain Node Deployment
 - Audit and Management layer
- IBM Hyperledger & Tradelens
 - eBL aggregator of digital shipping documents to supply chain stakeholders

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Considering Banking and Compliance



- Banking Requirements
 - Regulatory compliance
 - Private data
 - Risk mitigation
 - Auditable processes and transparency
 - Evolving ESG & sustainable financing
- Cofinancing
 - AKA Syndicated financing
 - Institutional custodian access
 - Alternative to traditional affiliate DeFi and CeFi financing

Banking

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Global Trade is Broken

- More than 80% of global trade needs financing
- SMEs account for around 90% of companies around the world but most of them lack access to affordable trade finance
- Banks focus on large suppliers with established onboarding processes, credit histories and less impact on their cost of capital
- As of 2022, the global trade finance gap increased to well in excess of USD 1.7 trillion.
- The manual paper-based trade documentation processes are:
 - slow, long and expensive
 - o fragile and prone to human error
- Using Pdf documents is not digitalization!
- ICC pre requisite on demand for real digitalisation

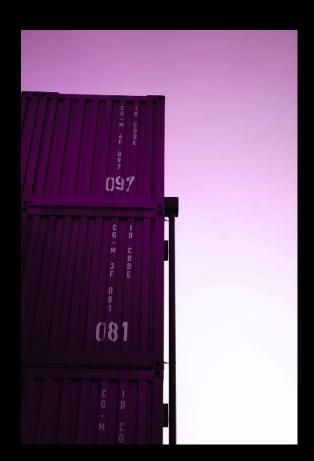


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Voy Changes the Game

- Can be treated as a catalog and tailor different combinations
- Tokenized LCs become tradable assets
- Connects liquidity to trade finance through De-Fi
- Syndications & Co-financing opportunities
- Secondary Market Trading
- Monitors ESG & Sustainability





Benefits to Banks and SMEs



Banks

- Lower lending risk
- Automated processes
- Lowers risk of human error
- Quicker cash turnover
- Tokenized letter of credit
- Immutable records
- Digitised documentation
- Enhanced due diligence
- Diversified portfolio high yields into SME
- Co-financing risk reduction



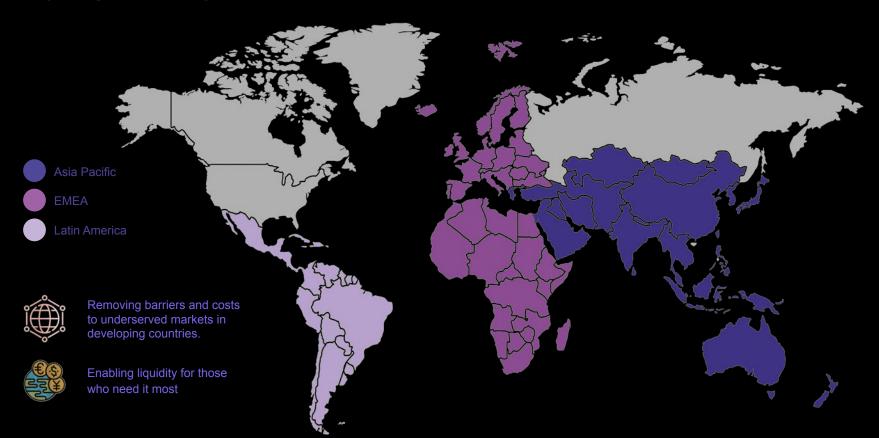
SMEs

- Lowers inherent risk
- Increased available liquidity
- Transparent financing process
- Faster trade
- Decreased costs
- Real time remittance
- Real time financing
- Sustainable financing
- ESG monitoring

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ESG Global Standardisation



Non ESG World vs the ESG Standardised World of Tomorrow

- The world is increasingly requiring transparency and integrity through the entire Supply Chain.
- ESG compliance with recognised standards will provide that.
- VOY is building the tools to empower all stakeholders to have trust in the system.





A Global opportunity



- Businesses are getting on board.
- ESG understanding and engagement is growing
- Consolidation of complex ESG Frameworks
- Regulations imminent in largely unregulated space



Our Role in Solving the ESG Problem

VOY is being built to ensure that trust is maintained in the whole system





Our Role in Solving the ESG Problem



- How will VOY do this?
- Financiers/logistics/Suppliers
- First the shipping industry and its specific challenges:
 - Shipping is totally powered by fossil fuels.
 - Shipping has pledged to reduce carbon emissions by 50% from 2008 levels by 2050
 - Cargo volumes will grow by 130% by 2050
 - Cargo volumes have grown four fold since the 1980's
 - there is currently no capability to replace fossil fuels at the scale required
- Shipping needs to
 - o focus on operations to reduce carbon emissions
 - whilst purchasing carbon offsets to bridge the gap until cleaner fuels are available.



Maritime and Industry Challenges



Compliance and Financial Risk

- Changing Regulations and sanctions
- Screening inefficiency
- Multiple point solutions and shadow co's



Illicit Activity

- Vessel and company identification
- Sanctions evasion



Sustainability Concerns

- Fossil fueled shipping industry
- Difficult to quantify sustainability risk
- Lack of understanding

ESG - VOY ESG Screening



Supplier and Corporate E, S and G Monitored Values



Environment

- Emissions
- Energy management
- Ecological impact
- Waste & hazardous materials
- wastewater and bilge water management



Social

- Human rights
- Customer privacy
- Data security
- Labor practices
- Health and safety



Governance

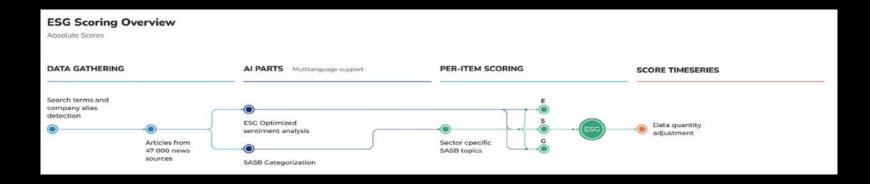
- Business ethics
- Competitive behavior
- Management
- Regulatory environment
- Critical incident risk management
- Accident and Safety Management
- Sanctions



How we do it

Sentiment Analysis - 3 Stage Evaluation

- Al sentiment analysis
 - Scanning over 47k publications and news sources
 - SASB financially material topics
- Comparative Screening
 - Compared against peer group in relative sector
 - Ranking in performance quartile
- Screening for Key Sustainability Topics
 - Product involvement
 - Impact performance over time





Sample Report

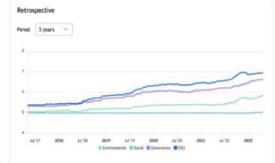
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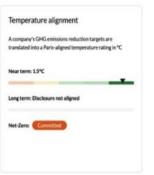
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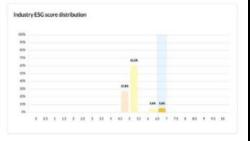












Digitalization of Trade Finance

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A real opportunity



Technology Enables Change

- Technology path
 - Digitisation > Tokenisation > Smart Contract Automation
- Create efficiencies in real time remittance
- Enhanced data transparency
- Accessible audit trails
- Secure institutional third party custodian access

Undeniable Changes Ahead

- Major financial institutions
 - Forming crypto-strategy hedge funds
 - Implementing DeFi solutions into core businesses
- Current financiers only focused on increasing profits within existing core businesses
- Leaving a \$1.7 Tillion each year and growing of unserviced financing
- A real opportunity to fill an entirely untapped market segment

Trade Finance



Two Major Problems



- Nearly all TF is bank financed
- Banks have low risk tolerance
- SMEs are high risk



Liquidity

- Banks seek "low hanging fruit" first
- Affiliate banking process spreads risk but is slow
- No liquidity remaining for high risk SMEs

Decentralized Finance

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Bridging DeFi pooled Liquidity and Real World Trade

- TVL and liquidity pools
 - Staking
 - Farming
- Interoperability
 - Providing access to additional cross-chain liquidity.
 - Cross-chain bridges and swaps
- Bringing crypto value into the real world
 - DAO and the Voy Marketplace
- Enabling Defi yields via real world returns
- Truly sustainable Defi
 - No math magic
 - No crypto magic internet money



Bringing Supply Chain into the New Era



The Future is VOY

- Trade finance and supply chain in dire need of change
 - Digitsation and tokenisation are keys
- \$1.7 Trillion trade finance gap
 - Massive opportunity
- Building the ecosystem with existing best-in-class solutions
 - IBM Hyperledger
 - Firefly
 - Intel SGX
- Disconnect between crypto liquidity and real world trade
 - Defi and DAO to connect the physical and digital worlds





A Full Suite of Enterprise Solutions



Digitalised Trade Finance Solution



Liquidity Pools & Democratised Defi



Payment rail for Supply Chain Finance





- tBL and tLC | Immutable Blockchain Security |
- Full KYC/AML | Sanctions Screening | ESG Scoring |
- Data Repository | Automated Smart Contracts and Escrow | Permissioned Transparency
- Fees charged for contract listing on marketplace and financed trade contracts.
- Professional Fund Management Advice | Exclusive On-platform Funding Source
- Staked Defi tokens creates a crowdfunded liquidity pool (TVL)
- Funds directed by DAO
- Interest income from on-platform financed trade contributes to TVL
- Cross Border Payments
- Instant Remittance
- Instant FX Translation
- Fiat/Crypto Enabled
- Fees charged for remittance
- NGO driven data supporting ESG
- Tokenized Letters of Credit
- Tokenised Bills of Lading
- Digitised Trade Documentation

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Creating New Marketplaces

- All stakeholders onboarded to the ecosystem
 - Blockchain based
 - Secure
 - Auditable
 - Transparent
- Global supply chain consolidated into a Supply Chain as a Service (SCaaS) ecosystem
 - Ancillary standalone services
 - TF Marketplace, ESG, X-Border Pmts, etc.
 - Tokenized Letters of Credit
 - Tokenized Bills of Lading
 - Digitised shipping documents
- Tokenized LCs can become a tradable asset class
- Defi liquidity pools are connected to trade finance at both retail and corporate levels
 - Retail DAO
 - Institutional custodians & fund managers for accredited regulated investments
- ESG supply chain standardisation



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