

# Single Window and Blockchain How they can fit together.

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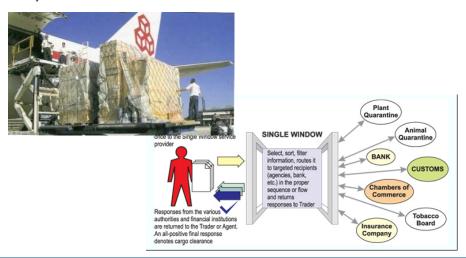
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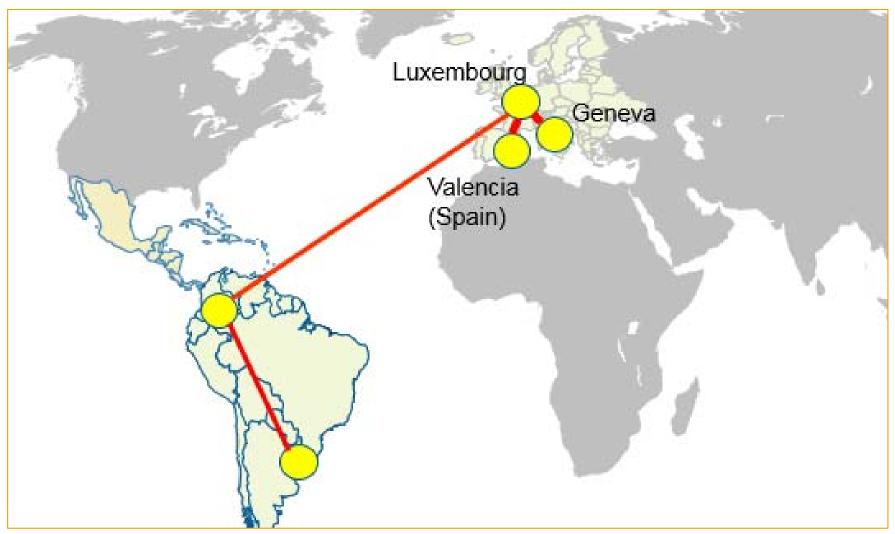


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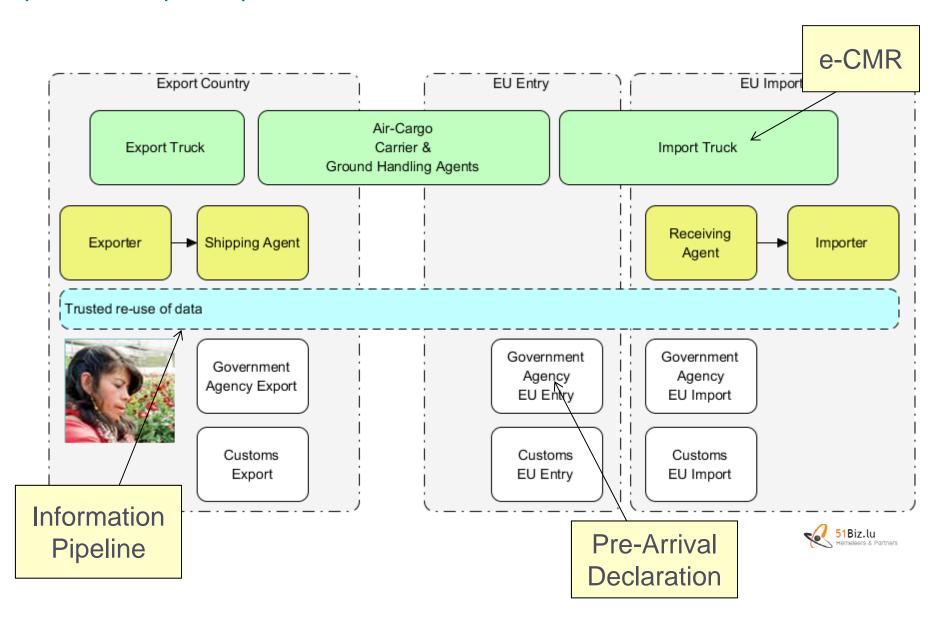
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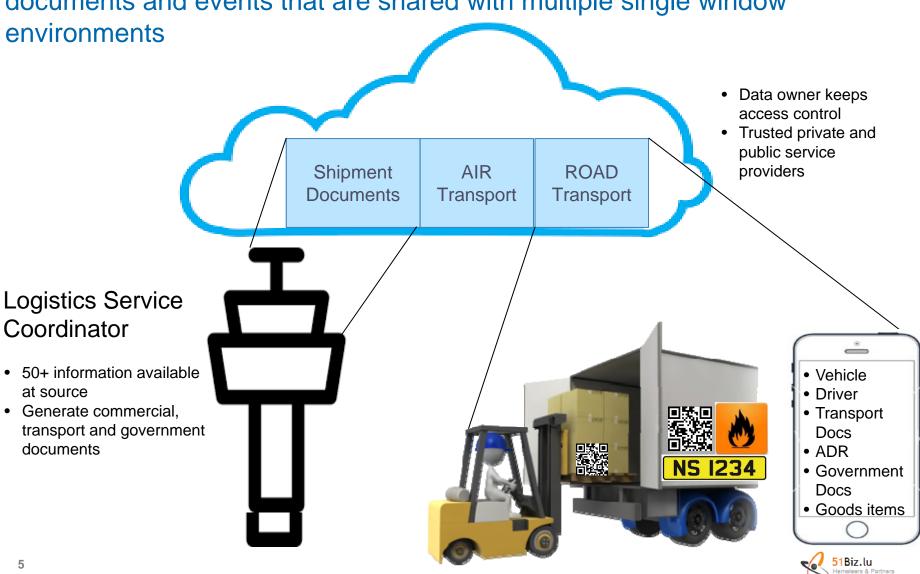
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Data captured at at source to be re-used along the supply chain by trusted private and public partners



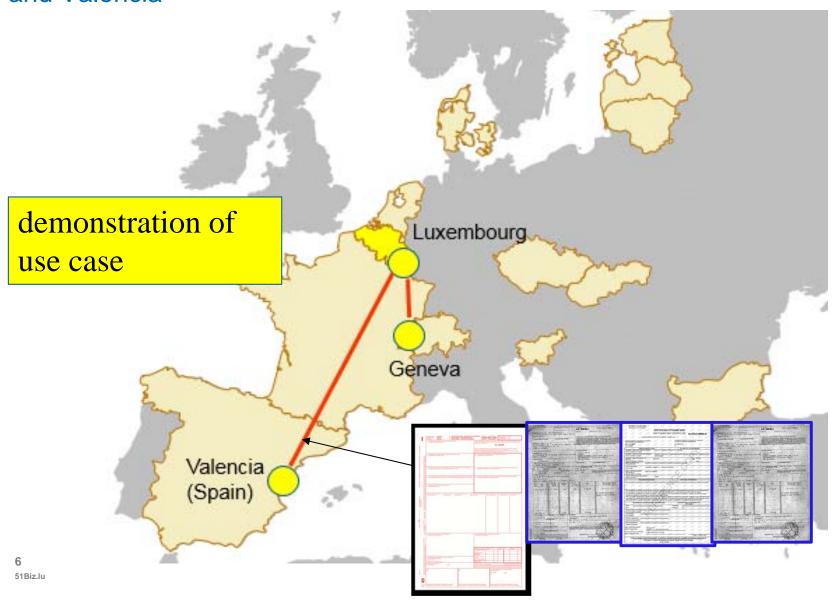
## **Truck: Luxembourg - Valencia**

The reference trade lane illustrates the opportunity to trust digital data, documents and events that are shared with multiple single window



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# **Single Window and Blockchain**

#### Trust across borders

- Trade Finance
- Border controls access data that can no longer be shared
- Blockchain technology enables to verify authenticity and uniqueness of logistics documents
- Single Windows can protect commercial data that were used to create e-Certificates

#### Traceability of goods

- IOT technology enables to generate events
- Smart contracts to automate supply chain processes
- Blockchain enables to access goods movement history records that can no longer be changed

#### **Execute logistics contracts**

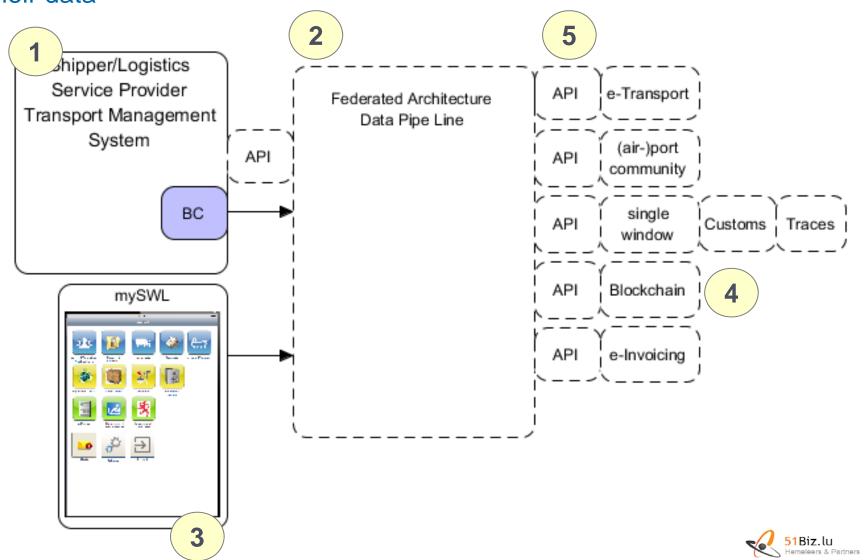
- Authenticity, Unique, Latest version
- Events, signed by multiple signatures (e.g. goods receipt, proof of delivery
- Use as a reference for government declarations
- Protect commercial data by reducing the use of paper shipment pouches

#### Sharing data between private and public

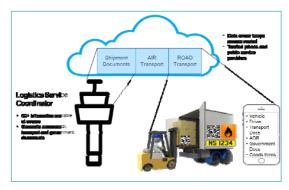
- Private economic operators and government agencies share trusted information
- Blockchain can authenticate ecertificates and the information that was used to obtain the certificate

## **Federated Architecture**

A federated architecture will provide single authentication, authorization and data interoperability where data owners keep control who can access their data



## **Conclusions**



- 1. 50-60% of information is available at the source of the multi-modal trade lanes
- 2. It's all about sharing trusted data with business partners and government control agencies.
- 3. Single window and blockchain
  - ☐ Trust across borders
  - Traceability
  - Contracts and events
  - ☐ Sharing data between private and public
- 4. Blockchain: learn today, use tomorrow
  - ☐ Understand potential of IOT, Blockchain, Data Integration
  - ☐ Proof of concept driven by business, not technology hype