

## **Fabric Overview**

### Permissioned

Restricting the access to B/c network through cryptographically secure protocols

### Privacy

Allowing a group of participants in the network to create a separate ledger of transactions

### Distributed Ledger

Fabric Ledger associated with 2 components:
 Transaction Log
World State DB(supports Couch and Level)

### Consensus

Provides support to SOLO, Kafka, SBFT

### **Smart Contracts**

Invoked by the application external to the network

Ledgers can only be accessed through chaincodes





- Peers
- Ordering Service
- Channels
- Organizations
- Fabric CA / Membership Services
- Chaincodes / Smart Contracts



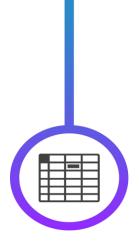
### Peers

**Endorsing Peers:** Receives transaction proposals from the client side to endorse the transactions. Must have chaincode installed to execute the query

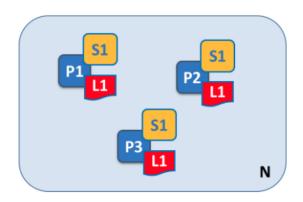
**Committing Peers:** Commits Transactions. Maintains the ledger and state DB. Not necessary to have a chaincode installed

**Ordering Peers:** These are special type of nodes whose key roles are to receive endorsed transactions from sdk, package them into blocks send it to all other peers so that they can validate those transactions and update their ledgers





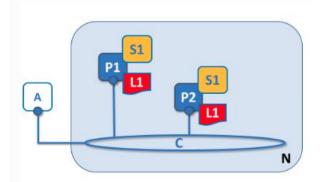
A Peer by definition can hosts the multiple instances of Ledgers and Smart Contracts



N	Blockchain network	
Р	Peer node	
S	Smart contract (aka chaincode)	
L	Ledger	

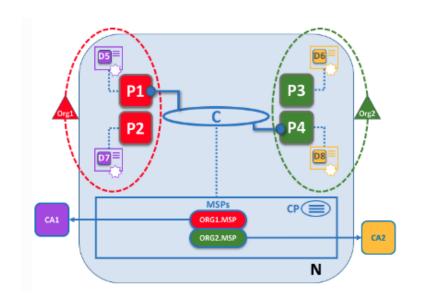


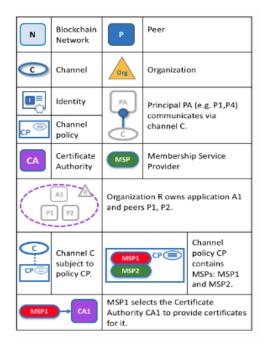
- Channels allow a specific set of peers of zero or more organizations and applications to communicate with each other within a blockchain network
- Each channel in a blockchain network is associated with a unique ledger and is hosted on every peer that has joined it
- Channels provide the possibility of having private networks among the peers



N	Blockchain Network	L	Ledger
C	Channel	A	Application
Р	Peer	PA	Principal PA (e.g. A, P1) communicates via channel C.
S	Chaincode		







- Each and every peer in the network is assigned a digital certificate by an administrator from its owning organization(unique)
- The mapping of peer identity to organization is provided by a component called a *Membership Service Provider* (MSP) which is associated with a Fabric CA server

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UNIX Shell Access (BASH) [H] Help Using Internet Functions
Connect to Other Sites (Telnet) [K] If You're Stuck at "Password"
     Point-to-Point Protocol
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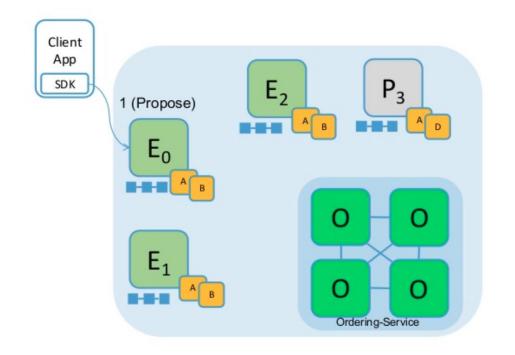
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# **Propose**

Endorser

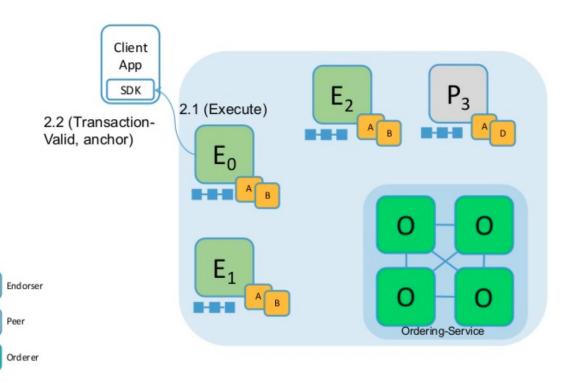
Peer

Orderer

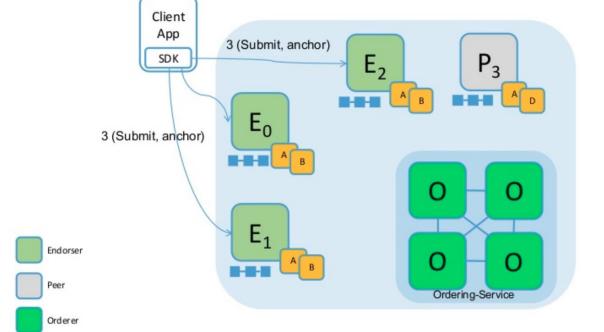


Client app submitting a transaction proposal to the endorsing peer E0

## **Execute**

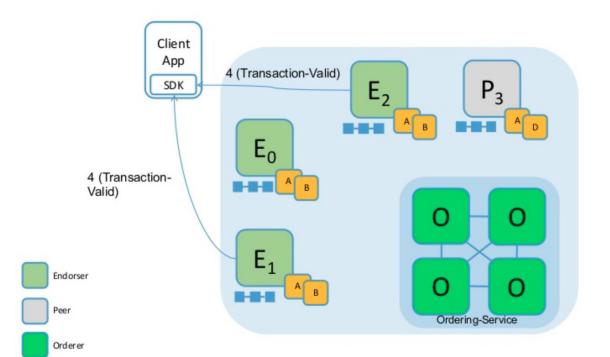


## **Submit**



Client app requesting further endorsements as per the endorsement policy defined

# **Endorse**

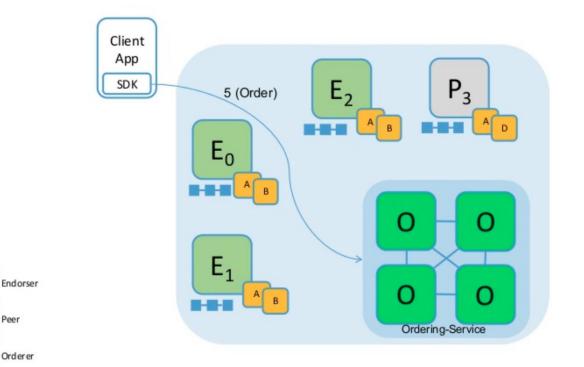


Digitally signed endorsements sent to the client app

## Order

Peer

Orderer



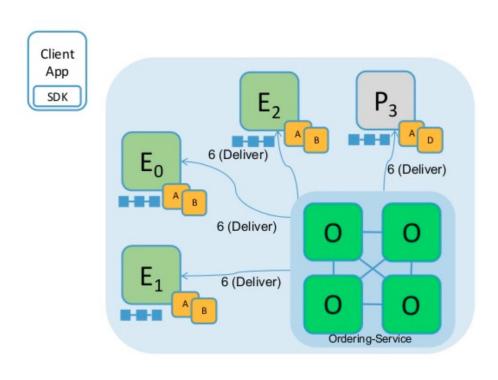
Client app submitting the transaction along with endorsements to the ordering service

# **Deliver**

Endorser

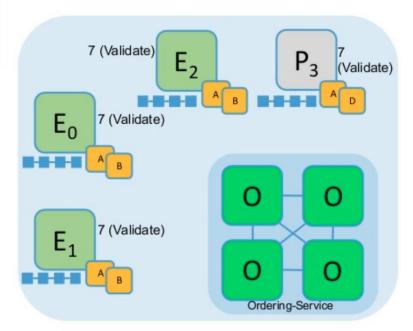
Peer

Orderer



## **Validate**





Peers validate the received block and make updations to their respective ledgers

