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Design Document – P2P Process Network

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Introduction

1.1 Purpose

The purpose of this document is to provide an explanation of the Procure to Pay Network

1.2 Background

Procure-to-Pay(PTP) is the multi-step process blockchain solution that connects a client with one or more service/product providers. It also allows for the identification and authentication of stake holders, service provisioning, budgeting, invoicing, and payment settlement. The network tracks the flow of purchase order created by manufacturer till the consumption is done and the payment is received by supplier of the purchase order.

1.3 Requirements and Dependencies

The following were used to build the application.

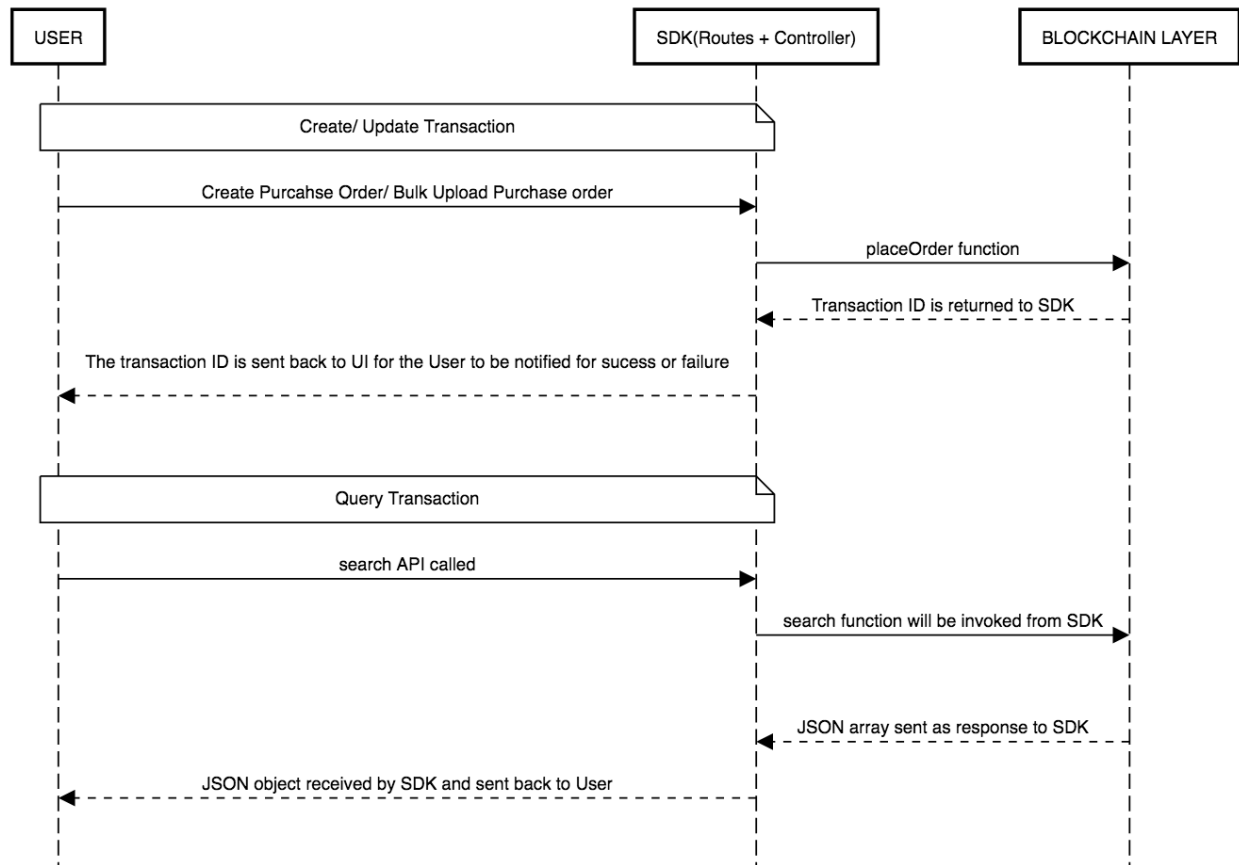
- 1) Hyperledger Fabric – 1.4
- 2) Node JS - v8.11.3
- 3) GoLang - go1.12
- 4) Angular JS
- 5) IDE – Visual Studio Code
- 6) Spring Tool Suite
- 7) Maven 3.6

1.4 Network Architecture

The application is divided into 3 layers.

- 1) User Interaction Layer
- 2) SDK Layer
- 3) Blockchain Layer





1.4.1 User Interaction layer

The user interaction layer includes a presentation layer. This layer is built using HTML/ Angular JS and CSS.

1.4.2 SDK Layer

This is the middle/interface layer which is the gateway to the blockchain. The middle layer provides the communication between user interaction layer and the blockchain layer. This layer is built using Node js. Java SDK is also available. The transaction submitted by the user is routed to controller file which is the node layer via a routes.js file. The controller file will have the orderer address and peer address which are participating in the network. The named of installed chaincode, the transaction and the arguments of the transaction is send to the chaincode in the form of request. The transaction is sent using `sendTransactionProposal`. The proposal response will be sent back to sdk by the chaincode and this response can be sent back to UI. For query transaction, the request is sent to chaincode using `querybyChaincode`.





Controller.js syntax

```
module.exports = (function() {
  return{
    PlaceOrder: function(req, res){
      var channel = fabric_client.newChannel('mychannel');
      var peer1 = fabric_client.newPeer('grpc://localhost:7051');
      var peer2 = fabric_client.newPeer('grpc://localhost:8051');
      var peer3 = fabric_client.newPeer('grpc://localhost:9051');
      var peer4 = fabric_client.newPeer('grpc://localhost:10051');
      channel.addPeer(peer1);
      channel.addPeer(peer2);
      channel.addPeer(peer3);
      channel.addPeer(peer4);
      var order = fabric_client.newOrderer('grpc://localhost:7050')
      channel.addOrderer(order);

      const request = {
        //targets : --- letting this default to the peers assigned to the channel
        chaincodeId: 'p2pchaincode',
        fcn: 'placeOrder',
        args: [poNumber, materialCode, lineNumber, orderQuantity, uop, deliveryDate, creationDate, price, currency, supplier],
        txId: tx_id
      };
      // send the transaction proposal to the peers
      return channel.sendTransactionProposal(request);
    }
  }
})();
```

Here peer1 and peer 2 belongs to org1 (Manufacturer) and peer3 and peer4 belongs to org2 (supplier). We have to specify the peer to which is acting as committing peer.

```
// is required because the event registration must be signed
//let event_hub = fabric_client.newEventHub();
// event_hub.setPeerAddr('grpc://localhost:7051');
let event_hub = channel.newChannelEventHub('localhost:7051');
```

For **search** transaction, target peer has to specified along with the request.





```
const request = {
  targets : [peer1],
  chaincodeId: 'p2pchaincode',
  txId: tx_id,
  fcn: 'search',
  args: [ID]
};
console.log(request)
// send the query proposal to the peer
return channel.queryByChaincode(request);
```

1.4.3 Blockchain Layer

In the blockchain layer we have the chaincode or smart contract. The chaincode is written in Golang. The call to chaincode is done through SDK. The explanation of chaincode and the functions implemented are explained in later section.

1.5 Application Participants

- 1) Manufacturer
- 2) Supplier

1.6 Application Description

There are two organizations in the network – Manufacturer & Supplier. In the network implementation, these two are defined as org1 and org2. The two organizations have two peer each of which one is the endorsement peer. The network is using orderer type of solo. A channel named “mychannel” is created and all the four peers are joined to the channel. There is a script file to start the hyperledger fabric network and to install the chaincode. While running the script file the peer, chaincode, orderer and CA containers are created.

For running our chaincode on the fabric network there are a series of steps to be followed.

In the utils.sh the commands to install, instantiate and invoke the chaincode needs to be specified for before running the network.

Syntax:





```
peer chaincode install -n p2pchaincode -v ${VERSION} -l ${LANGUAGE} -  
p ${CC_SRC_PATH} >&log.txt
```

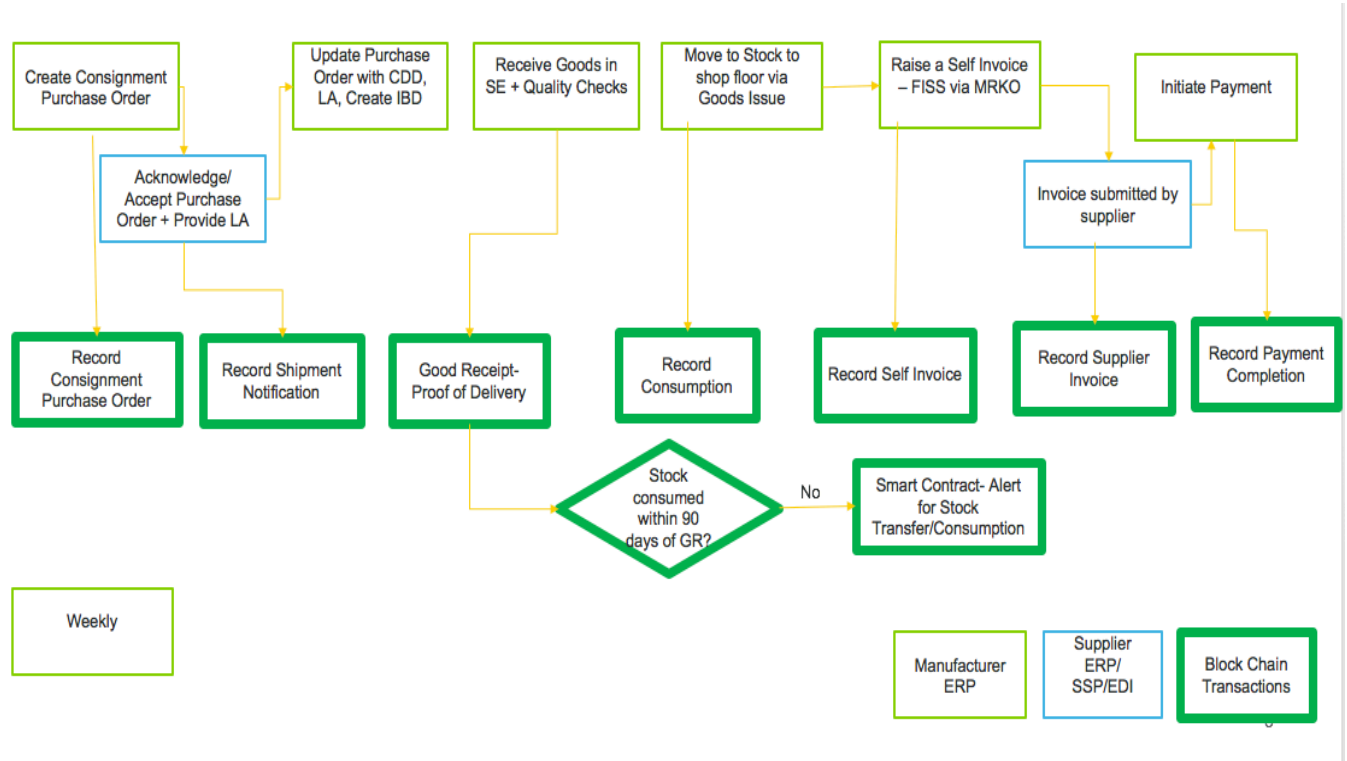
```
peer chaincode instantiate -o orderer.example.com:7050 -C $CHANNEL_NAME -  
n p2pchaincode -l ${LANGUAGE} -v ${VERSION} -c '{"Args":["init"]}' -  
P "OR ('Org1MSP.member','Org2MSP.member')" >&log.txt
```

```
peer chaincode invoke -o orderer.example.com:7050 -C mychannel -  
n p2pchaincode $PEER_CONN_PARMS -  
c '{"Args":["placeOrder","M1","P01","L1","100","DOZEN","10-10-2-18","10-09-  
2018","1000","USD","FLEXTRONICS"]}' >&log.txt
```





1.7 Flow Diagram



1.8 Chaincode

The chaincode is written in Golang. The packages needed for implementation are imported from “Shim”. The important functions defined for the chaincode are

a) Init

Init function is called during initialization or update done on the chaincode. Init function takes **ChaincodeStubInterface** as parameter. When we call this function from CLI, it responds back with the peer response.

```
func (t *ProcureToPayChaincode) Init(stub shim.ChaincodeStubInterface) pb.Response {}
```

b) Invoke

All the logic implementation functions are written here. These implementation functions are called transactions. There are insert, update and query transactions. The transaction list is explained later.

Syntax:





```
func (t *ProcureToPayChaincode) Invoke stub shim.ChaincodeStubInterface)
pb.Response {
function, args := stub.GetFunctionAndParameters()
if function == "placeOrder"{
return t.placeOrder(stub, args)
}
return shim.Error("Error invoking function")
}
```

1.8.1 Assets

The following assets are defined in the chaincode.

1) Material

ID-material code

The material for which the purchase order is created. Identified by material code. Purchase order details will be stored in material in the form of array

2) Purchase Order

ID-PO Number

Purchase order contains the details of the specific order for a particular material. Identified by PO number. Batch details will be stored in this asset in form of array.

3) Batch

ID-Batch Code

The details of the batch which is shipped, received or invoice generated is stored in this asset. Identified by batch code.

4) Invoice

ID – Invoice Doc Num

The details of invoice generated by the manufacturer when a consumption is done or the invoice generated due to overdue (90 days in stock) is stored in invoice. Identified by invDocNum.

1.8.2 Transactions

1) PlaceOrder

The manufacturer places an order to supplier or they can submit bulk orders. Purchase Order asset is created and also the purchase order details is stored in material asset.

2) shipmentNotification

Supplier supplies the order in batches to manufacturer.

3) goodsReceipt





Manufacturer updates the material, batch and purchase order assets when the batch is received

4) recordConsumption

Manufacturer consumes the product and the invoice is generated

5) generateInvoice

If the difference in number of dates between current date and date of receiving the batch is greater than 90, the notification will be sent to manufacturer and supplier. Manufacturer then generates the invoice for that batch. This functionality is implemented in this transaction.

6) invoiceStatus

This transaction is for changing the status of invoice when invoice is approved by supplier and payment is completed by manufacturer. The invoice generated by manufacturer has to be approved by supplier before sending the invoice for payment. After approving the invoice, it is send for payment.

7) Payment

When the invoice is sent to manufacturer to pay for the purchase order, the invoice status of that invoice is changed to "Paid".

8) Search

This transaction is to search the assets using their identifier.

1.9 Reconciliation Report

This is an important feature in the application. Reconciliation report shows the complete details of a particular **material Code**. All the purchase order details created for that particular material code will be displayed in the report. Therefore, it will be easy for one to understand the details about a particular material. The overdue quantity, if generated will also be displayed along with the number of overdue dates. The report is available for both manufacturer and the supplier.

Report							
PO Number	PO Quantity	Shipped Quantity	Received Quantity	Consumed Quantity	Available Quantity	Status	Overdue Consumption(>90 days)
PO400	300 (Jan 22 2019)				100		
		300 (Jan 23 2019)	300 (Jan 26 2019)				100 (Jan 26 2019)
				200 (Jan 26 2019)		Paid	
PO401	100 (Jan 22 2019)				0		
		100 (Jan 24 2019)	100 (Feb 27 2018)				
				100 (Feb 27 2018)		Paid	





1.10 File Upload

Filling up each and every field in the create purchase order screen is bit difficult. And it is not necessary that the manufacturer will be creating only one purchase order at a time. There is a provision to create bulk purchase order and submit them to the supplier. This feature enables the manufacturer to create the purchase orders easily rather than creating each purchase order separately.

This feature is implemented using a spring boot application. The bulk upload file can be an excel or csv file. The IDE used for the development of spring boot app is spring tool suite.

A maven project is created and in pom.xml dependencies are added. The POJO class created will have the variables of the purchase order to be created. The rest API will be specified in the implementation class to store the data to blockchain ledger.

```
40     a1.setReceivedQuantity("0");
41     a1.setRequiredQuantity("0");
42     a1.setShippedQuantity("0");
43     a1.setSupplier("0");
44     a1.setUop("0");
45     return purchase;
46 }
47
48 @CrossOrigin(origins = "*", allowedHeaders = "*")
49 @RequestMapping(method=RequestMethod.POST, value="purchase")
50 public void addPurchase(@RequestBody String purchase) {
51     RestTemplate restTemplate = new RestTemplate();
52     //String url="http://ec2-35-173-231-185.compute-1.amazonaws.com:3000/api/PlaceOrder";
53     //String url="http://p2p-process-network.mybluemix.net/api/PlaceOrder";
54     String url="http://localhost:8000/PlaceOrder";
55     HttpHeaders headers = new HttpHeaders();
56     headers.setContentType(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON);
57     purchase=purchase.substring(8, purchase.length()-1);
58     //System.out.println(purchase);
59     JSONArray output;
60     String jsonStringData="";
61     try {
62         output = new JSONArray(purchase);
63         // System.out.println(output);
64         for (int i = 0; i < output.length(); i++)
65         {
66             JSONObject po = output.getJSONObject(i);
67             //System.out.println(po);
68             // jsonStringData="{\"$class\": \"com.cts.ipm.p2pNetwork.PlaceOrder\", \"poNumber\": \"
69             jsonStringData="{\"poNumber\": \"\"+ po.getString(\"PO Number\")+\", \"materialCode\": \"
70             JSONObject request = new JSONObject(jsonStringData);
71             //System.out.println(\"request\" +request);
72
73             HttpEntity<String> entity = new HttpEntity<String>(jsonStringData,headers);
74             String jsonString = restTemplate.postForObject(url, entity,String.class);
75             // System.out.println(jsonString);
76
77         }
78     } catch (JSONException e) {
79         // TODO Auto-generated catch block
80         e.printStackTrace();
81     }
82 }
83
84 }
85 }
86 }
87 }
```

The spring boot application is built as maven and it is started. From the UI, in the script file the call be forwarded to the spring boot app after uploading the excel file.





Code snippet for bulk upload feature where the spring boot application is called is as follows

```
$scope.uploadExcel = function () {
    $scope.loading = true;
    var myFile = document.getElementById("file");
    var inp (property) FileReader.onload: (this: FileReader, ev: ProgressEvent<FileReader>) =>
    var rea any
    reader.onload = function () {
        var fileData = reader.result;
        var workbook = XLSX.read(fileData, { type: 'binary' });
        workbook.SheetNames.forEach(function (sheetName) {
            var rowObject = XLSX.utils.sheet_to_row_object_array(workbook.Sheets[sheetName]);
            $scope.excelJson = rowObject;
        });
        for (var i = 0; i < $scope.excelJson.length; i++) {
            var data = $scope.excelJson[i];
            $scope.name = data.batchcode;
        }
        var request = {
            "data": $scope.excelJson
        }
        console.log(request)
        var requestInfo = RequestUpload();

        data: requestInfo

        var res = $http.post('http://localhost:8080/purchase', request).then(function successCallback
        (response) {
            //alert("Successfully created product");
        });
    };
}
```

1.11 Running Network

For running the application, we have to start the fabric network, install the chaincode and then the node SDK is started. The following steps have to be followed.

- 1) Navigate to the folder which contain the shell script for starting the fabric. Here there is a startFabric.sh script. When we run this script, it will call the byfn.sh script in the network folder.

./startFabric.sh

If this script is run successfully, the following result will be displayed.





```
===== All GOOD, BYFN execution completed =====

  END

Total execution time : 451 secs ...

Start with the registerAdmin.js, then registerUser.js, then server.js
```

2) We can see the list of containers that is up and running.

docker ps -a

```
AIM00110:app 549121$ docker ps -a
CONTAINER ID        IMAGE
23f437a2b5be        dev-peer0.org1.example.com-p2pchaincode-1.0-9d09bfff7f837eb542fa04b0ef966bd7b92e081da6a09e20ca0cf8aa65b9f3223
c73538739708        dev-peer1.org2.example.com-p2pchaincode-1.0-aac37441f4a1110929372d78d0d6aab4260f64196fe0355643209fb4390b8239
c13df1154026        hyperledger/fabric-tools:latest
7703ac09de7e        hyperledger/fabric-peer:latest
8ea735305e00        hyperledger/fabric-ca:latest
a088c4ab4aea        hyperledger/fabric-ca:latest
8931b49c1bf6        hyperledger/fabric-peer:latest
1c5ebad46cdd        hyperledger/fabric-peer:latest
3d16f1b32f99        hyperledger/fabric-orderer:latest
0d1b3f5d0d84        hyperledger/fabric-peer:latest
AIM00110:app 549121$
```

Now the chaincode is installed and instantiated in all the peers of the channel.

3) Node modules

The required node modules need to be installed. This is done using command

npm install

This will install the packages that are predefined in package.json. If any error specifying package is not available, we can install that using command npm install.

4) **registerAdmin.js** and **registerUser.js**

The admin and users have to be enrolled for each ca. In the network since this is multi org, there are two ca containers and using the certificate file of ca we have to enroll admin and user.

For enrolling admin

node registerAdmin.js

For enrolling user

node registerUser.js

This will create a **hfc-key-store** in the SDK folder and create the user and admin. This is later used by controller when committing a transaction.

5) Now we have to start the node app

Go to the root folder and hit the following command

npm start OR node server.js

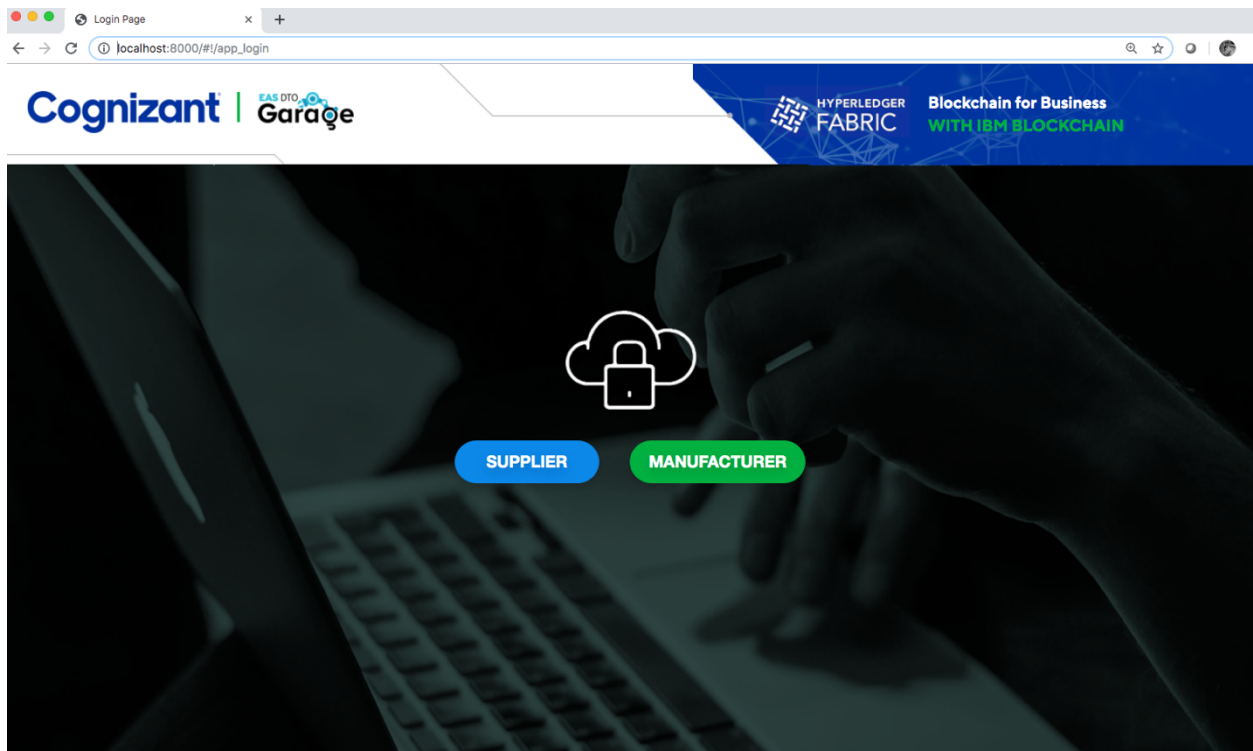




The following will be displayed if the app is started successfully

```
AIM00110:ProcureToPay 549121$ npm start  
  
> Fabric-ElectriCharge-app@1.0.1 start /Users/549121/Desktop/PROCURETOPAY-FABRIC/ProcureToPay  
> node server.js  
  
/Users/549121/Desktop/PROCURETOPAY-FABRIC/ProcureToPay  
Live on port: 8000
```

We can hit the application at <http://localhost:8000/>



The following credentials can be used to login as one of the participants.

Supplier

User name – “supplier”

Password - “pass”

Manufacturer

User name – “manufacturer”

Password - “pass”

