

Indicaa Group

Container shipment application development

Problems

Indicaa approached us to provide an automated system to track and report their container shipments worldwide. The main issues they are facing in their current operations are:

- No centralized administrative system to track the loading operations.
- Duplication of work
- Time Consuming works
- No real time data availability
- No centralized system to stock loading photos, weight slips etc.
- Not able to track overweight containers.
- No centralized monitoring system to check container loading.
- No automatic system exists to understand the changes made in LR.
- No automatic system exists for generating report from the global operation.
- No generation of Big Data for analysis.
- Multiple versions of the same excel data are circulated for the same containers
- Lack of automated report generation.
- Lack of log sheet

Operations

YARD



INSPECTORS

Feed all container details (container number, booking number, country of origin , materials etc) in to an excel sheet. Inspectors will take photos of each containers with materials, with out materials, sealed container etc. All these will be emailed to their country manager.

COUNTRY OFFICE



COUNTRY MANAGER

Country manager will review the excel sheet and photos received from each inspectors.

He will enter the POD, commission, order number and do the shipping calculation (in multiple currencies) in excel using the formulae.

HEAD OFFICE



EMO

HQ receives multiple excel sheets from all the country managers along with the photos of each containers.

Shipping Manager will create necessary reports.

Proposed solution

YARD



INSPECTORS

A mobile application for Inspectors in the yard to feed the container loading data and images. Mobile app is designed to operate in offline mode and upload the data/images to server once the application comes online with internet connectivity

COUNTRY OFFICE



COUNTRY MANAGER

Web application for country managers to input the data's and verify the uploaded data by the inspectors. All calculations are automated.

HEAD OFFICE



EMO (ADMIN)

Web application for EMO office to generate any kinds of reports. Search by container number, yard, inspector name etc. EMO can view and track country/port wise shipment activities. He can check number of containers in CRS, how many are inspected and verified by the country manager. Monitor the changes made by the country manager in LR.

SUPER ADMIN

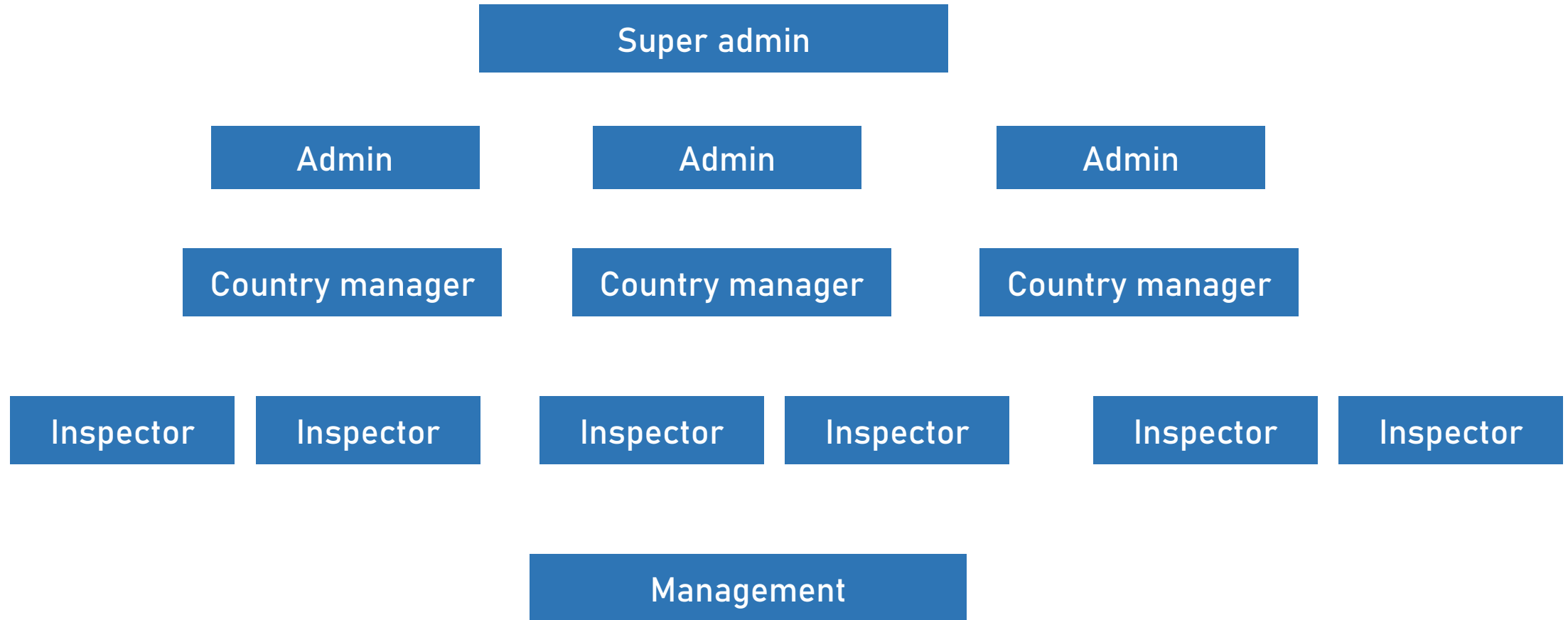


SUPER ADMIN

Manage the entire operation and have full access to the system.


User levels

User levels



User Journey – Inspector

Mobile Application - Inspector



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LOG IN

Enter your username and your password to sign in.

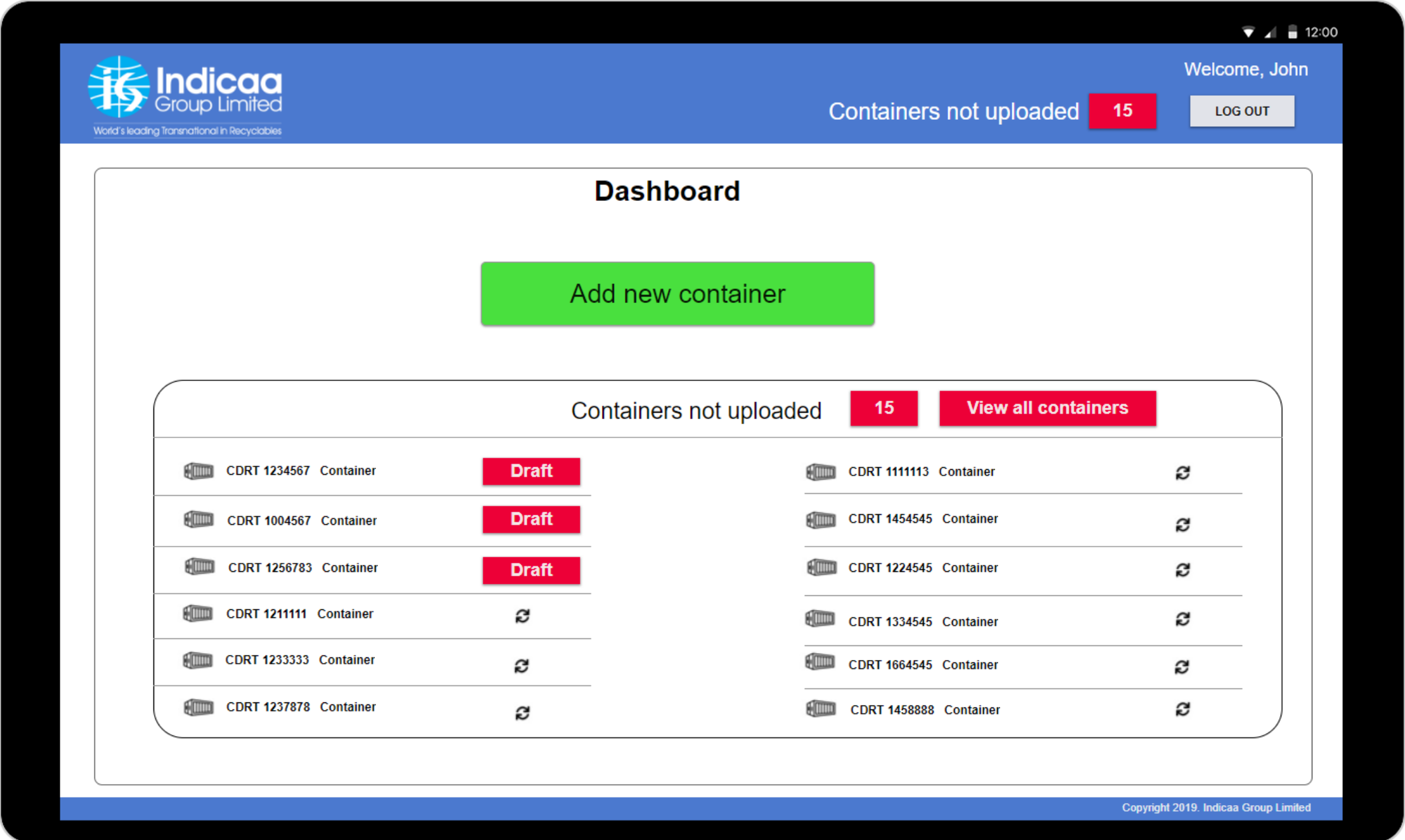
Email address

Password


Sign in

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Mobile Application - Inspector



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Welcome, John

Containers not uploaded **15**

LOG OUT

Add new container

COUNTRY OF DESINATION

PORT OF LOADING

SHIPPING LINE

DATE OF EMPTY PICKUP

GROSS WEIGHT

PAY LOAD

TARE WEIGHT

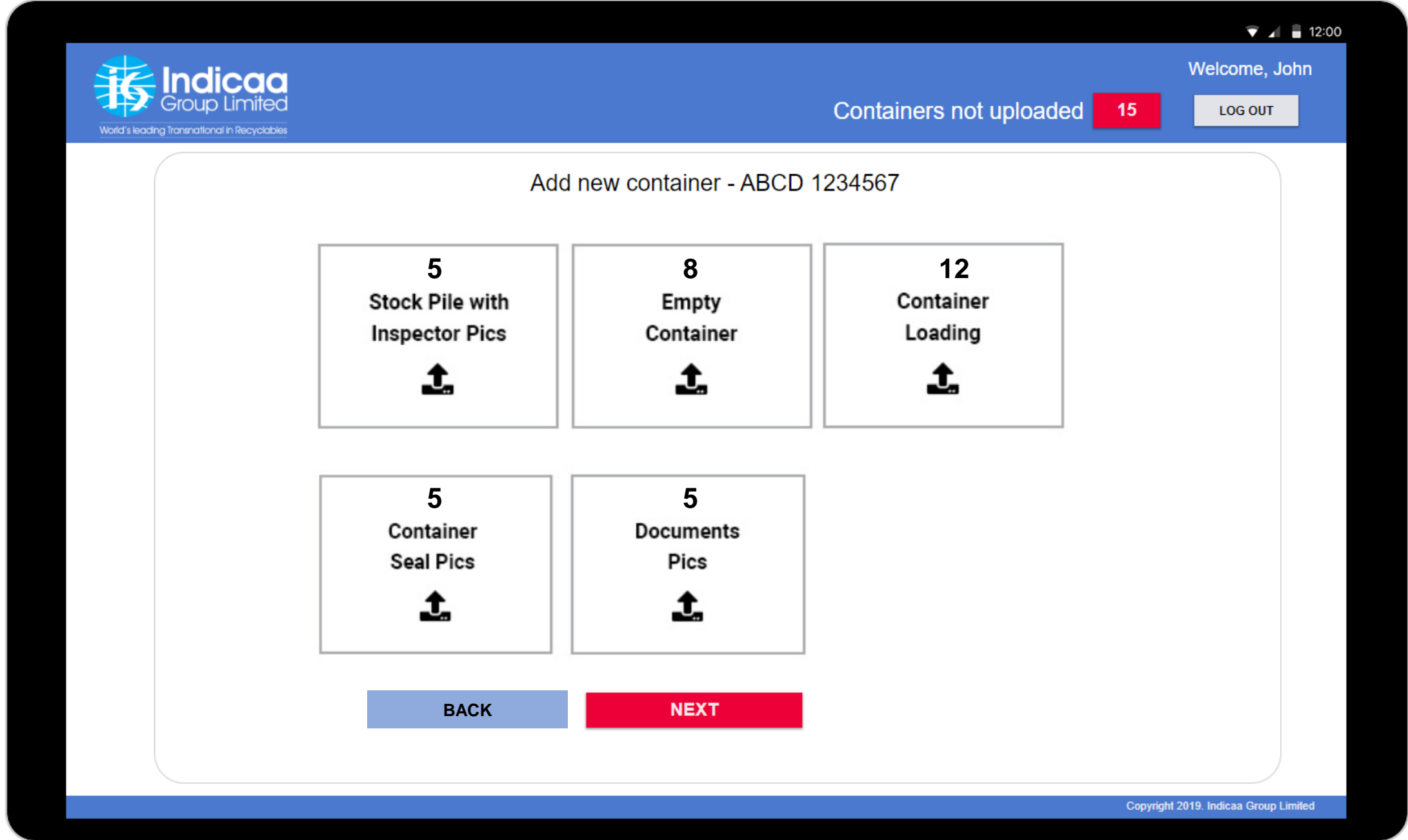
EMPTY DEPOT NAME

BACK


NEXT

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Containers not uploaded

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LOG OUT

Add new container - ABCD 1234567

NET. WEIGHT

INSPECTOR NAME

SEAL NO.

SHIPPER SEAL NO.

VO NUMBER

IGL MATERIAL GRADE

DATE OF WEIGHT

DATE OF GATE OUT
FROM SUPPLIER YARD

LS NUMBER

MATERIAL
DESCRIPTION

SAVE AS DRAFT

SUBMIT

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Mobile Application - Inspector






















Dashboard

Add new container

Containers not uploaded

15

View all containers

 CDRT 1234567 Container	Draft	 CDRT 1111113 Container	
 CDRT 1004567 Container	Draft	 CDRT 1454545 Container	
 CDRT 1256783 Container	Draft	 CDRT 1224545 Container	
 CDRT 1211111 Container		 CDRT 1334545 Container	
 CDRT 1233333 Container		 CDRT 1664545 Container	
 CDRT 1237878 Container		 CDRT 1458888 Container	

User Journey – Country Manager

LOG IN

Enter your username and your password to sign in.

Username

Password

Sign in

Country Manager

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Archive Containers

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Log Out

Dashboard

Filter by:

Container Number

Inspector

Container No.	Inspector	Status	Action
C 1000	Jack Smith	Unverified	<div>View</div> <div>Update</div>
C 2000	Mark Doe	Unverified	<div>View</div> <div>Update</div>
C 3000	Jack Smith	Unverified	<div>View</div> <div>Update</div>
C 4000	Mark Doe	Unverified	<div>View</div> <div>Update</div>
C 1000	Jack Smith	Unverified	<div>View</div> <div>Update</div>
C 2000	Mark Doe	Unverified	<div>View</div> <div>Update</div>
C 3000	Jack Smith	Unverified	<div>View</div> <div>Update</div>

View all containers

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Filter by:

Container Number

Date

Inspector

Container No.	Date	Inspector	Status	Action
C 1000	01/08/2019	Jack Smith	Verified	<div>View</div>
C 2000	10/08/2019	Mark Doe	Verified	<div>View</div>
C 3000	12/08/2019	Jack Smith	Verified	<div>View</div>
C 4000	15/08/2019	Mark Doe	Verified	<div>View</div>
C 1000	18/08/2019	Jack Smith	Verified	<div>View</div>
C 2000	22/08/2019	Mark Doe	Verified	<div>View</div>
C 3000	02/09/2019	Jack Smith	Verified	<div>View</div>

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Verify Container #C1000

	INSPECTOR	CORRECT INFORMATION
Country :	Australia	
Container No. :	#C1000	
Gross Weight :	11,300kg	
Tare Weight :	1,300kg	
Supplier Name :	oxfam	
Place of Loading :	Batemans Bay	
Booking No. :	C0185672	
Shipping Line :	Taroona	
Pod :	Putka	
Seal No :	01234567	
Item Code :	CD123456	
Description :	Domestic services	
Net Weight :	2,300 kg	
VO Number :	1205846	
LS Number :	3245846	

COMMISSOIN TO AGENT PER TEU /(US\$)
COMMISSION TO AGENT

EXTRA ORDINARY EXPENSE

NAME OF FORWARDING AGENT/
TRUCKING COMPANY

ORDER NUMBER

POD / FINAL DESTINATION

PURCHASE RATE

NAME OF TURN IN DEPOT NAME

DATE OF TURN IN

PER TON

PER TEU



VERIFY

User Journey – Admin

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Container Reports

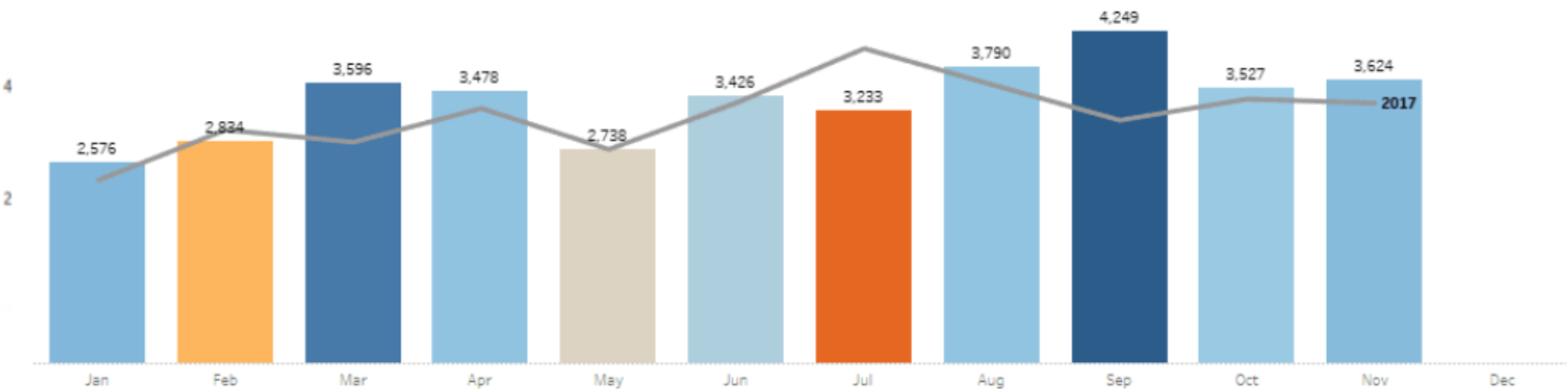
Users

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Dashboard

Container loaded
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Container not verified
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View all containers

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Container Reports

Filter by:

Container Number

Date

Country



Export to Excel

Container No.	Inspector	Verified By	Country	Action
C 1000	Jack Smith	Manage1	Australia	View
C 2000	Mark Doe	Manage2	Bahrain	View
C 3000	Jack Smith	Manage3	Brazil	View
C 4000	Mark Doe	Manage4	China	View
C 1000	Jack Smith	Manage5	Canada	View
C 2000	Mark Doe	Manage6	Colombia	View
C 3000	Jack Smith	Manage7	Denmark	View

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Users

Filter by:

Container Number

Date

Inspector



Name	Email	Type	Phone	Location
Jack Smith	jacksmith123@gmail.com	Manager	202 555 0135	Port of South Louisiana
Mark Doe	markdoe058@gmail.com	Inspector	203 164 8643	Port of Houston
Jack Smith	jacksmith123@gmail.com	Manager	202 555 0135	Port of Hampton Roads
Mark Doe	markdoe058@gmail.com	Inspector	203 164 8643	Port of South Louisiana
Jack Smith	jacksmith123@gmail.com	Manager	202 555 0135	Port of Houston
Mark Doe	markdoe058@gmail.com	Inspector	203 164 8643	Port of Hampton Roads
Jack Smith	jacksmith123@gmail.com	Manager	202 555 0135	Port of New Orleans

User Journey – Super Admin

LOG IN

Enter your username and your password to sign in.

Username

Password

Sign in

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Master Records

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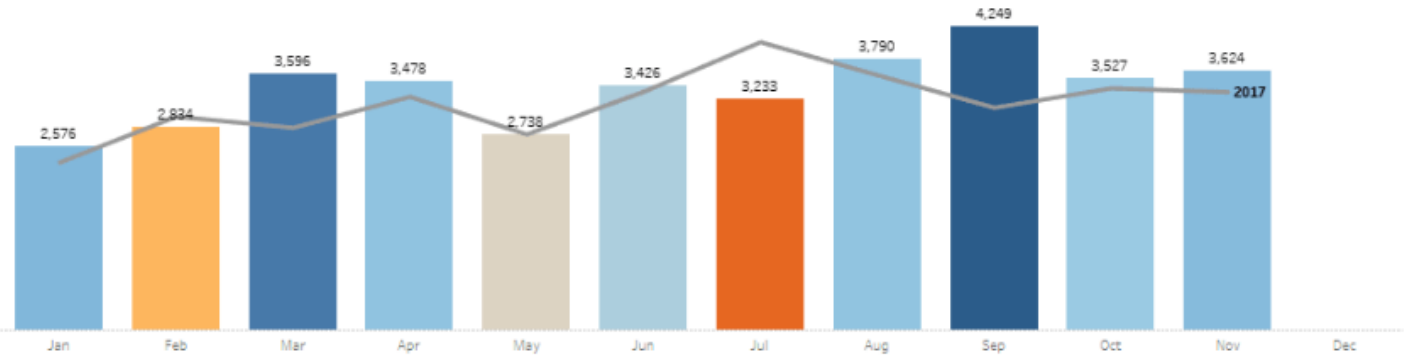
Log Out

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Filter by:

Country

Containers by country of orgin



View all containers

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Filter by:

Container Number

Date

Country

Export to Excel

Container No.	Inspector	Verified By	Country	Action
C 1000	Jack Smith	Manage1	Australia	<div>View</div> <div>Delete</div>
C 2000	Mark Doe	Manage2	Bahrain	<div>View</div> <div>Delete</div>
C 3000	Jack Smith	Manage3	Brazil	<div>View</div> <div>Delete</div>
C 4000	Mark Doe	Manage4	China	<div>View</div> <div>Delete</div>
C 1000	Jack Smith	Manage5	Canada	<div>View</div> <div>Delete</div>
C 2000	Mark Doe	Manage6	Colombia	<div>View</div> <div>Delete</div>
C 3000	Jack Smith	Manage7	Denmark	<div>View</div> <div>Delete</div>

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Filter by:

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Export to Excel

Container No.	Inspector	Verified By	Country	Action
C 1000				<div>View</div> <div>Delete</div>
C 2000				<div>View</div> <div>Delete</div>
C 3000				<div>View</div> <div>Delete</div>
C 4000				<div>View</div> <div>Delete</div>
C 1000	Jack Smith	Manage5	Canada	<div>View</div> <div>Delete</div>
C 2000	Mark Doe	Manage6	Colombia	<div>View</div> <div>Delete</div>
C 3000	Jack Smith	Manage7	Denmark	<div>View</div> <div>Delete</div>

Do you want to delete this record?

YES

NO

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Uploads

Shipping rate file



UPLOAD

Last updated on: 01 Sept 2019 1:30pm

Currency exchange rate



UPLOAD

Last updated on: 03 Sept 2019 8:30am

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Filter by:

Country

Inspector



Name	Email	Type	Phone	Location
Jack Smith	jacksmith123@gmail.com	Manager	202 555 0135	Port of South Louisiana
Mark Doe	markdoe058@gmail.com	Inspector	203 164 8643	Port of Houston
Jack Smith	jacksmith123@gmail.com	Manager	202 555 0135	Port of Hampton Roads
Mark Doe	markdoe058@gmail.com	Inspector	203 164 8643	Port of South Louisiana
Jack Smith	jacksmith123@gmail.com	Manager	202 555 0135	Port of Houston
Mark Doe	markdoe058@gmail.com	Inspector	203 164 8643	Port of Hampton Roads
Jack Smith	jacksmith123@gmail.com	Manager	202 555 0135	Port of New Orleans

User Journey – Management

Enter your ID

Container shipment for the past 2 days from

DUBAI

Month

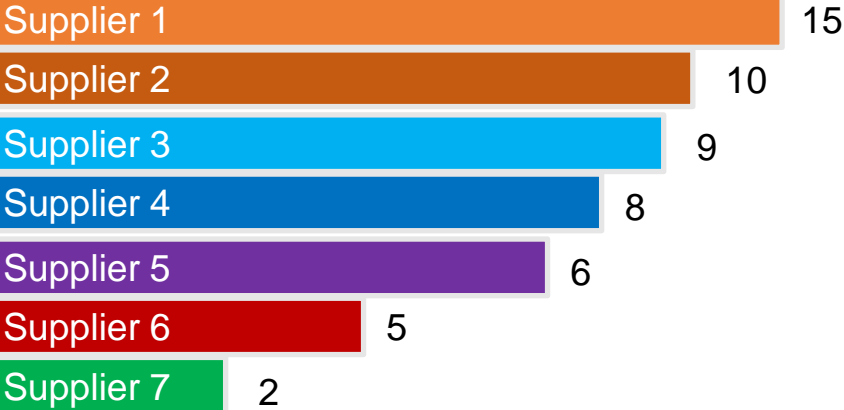
Year

Container loaded
55

Container not verified
10

Container verified
45

Supplier



Materials



Features(proposed)

Mobile application - Inspectors

- Login screen
- Dashboard
 - Add new container
 - List of containers added on the current day and their status
- Add new container
- Fill the container form along with images
 - store images offline
 - reduce the size of the images while upload
 - add timestamp to each image
 - save image as a single pdf file for each category for admin to view
 - After images are successfully uploaded it will be automatically deleted from the tab.
 - Add new field booking reference (dropdown)

Web application – Country Managers

- Login screen
- Dashboard
 - To view the snapshot of all containers uploaded by inspectors along with the status
 - View and update each containers from dashboard
 - option to filter the containers
- Archive containers
 - details for each containers uploaded
 - View and update each containers and some fields are specifically for managers have to fill for each containers
 - option to filter the containers based on defined criteria
- Profile
 - Update login password, location etc
- Inco Terms – add new field
- Enter Currency values on based on the port of origin. Exchange rate will be calculated based on the current exchange value entered.

Web application - Admins

- Login screen
- Dashboard
 - view the snapshot of all activities of inspectors, managers
 - option to view country/ region specific activities
 - number of containers added/verified etc
- Container Reports
 - snapshot of each containers uploaded (region specific)
 - modify container details uploaded by inspector/manager
 - filter the containers based on defined criteria
 - exports records to excel
- Users
 - Mange inspectors/managers - add, modify, delete the access for each

Web application - Super Admin

- Login screen
- Have all the functionalities of admin
- Manage all admins
- Generate reports for the entire container operations
- Admin will add values to the below fields to the system. These values are used for calculation of LR
 - MARKETING EXPENSES / MT (US\$)
 - BL FEE - 10 TEUS BASIS(USD)
 - CUSTOMS COST / TEU (USD)
 - OCEAN FREIGHT+ECA / TEU (US\$)
 - PACKING DATE / CONT. LIFTING DATE
- There are two excel sheet upload options – Shipping rate sheet upload and Currency exchange rate upload. Based on these 2 excel sheet all calculation will happens.
- Run reports and save as favorites.
- Incase if there is any deletion add a note - reason for deletion.