

USER MANUAL

DECENTRALIZED CROSS-BORDER MESSAGING SYSTEM

GENERAL INFORMATION

Decentralized Cross-border Messaging System, hereinafter **DCMS**, is a software package that provides decentralized exchange of financial messages between two or more participants. It is a convenient, secure and low-cost tool for interbank settlements.

The key difference of the system is the impossibility of forced exclusion of participants, since there is no single owner.

DSMS is an alternative channel for transmitting financial messages and does not exempt from compliance with regulatory rules. **DCMS** can serve as a complement to existing centralized systems such as SWIFT, SPFS, CIPS or could replace it. The main advantages of DCMS include the absence of a central node, significantly lower payment costs, the ability to use any currency, and compatibility with SWIFT messaging formats. One of the most important features is the platform architecture, which allows achieving high performance and horizontal scalability, unachievable in a classic distributed ledger based on blockchain. The **DSMS** links the business processes of financial message transfer and liquidity. The transfer of a financial message occurs through nodes that are correspondents in a future transaction.

Documentation includes:

Node configuration file

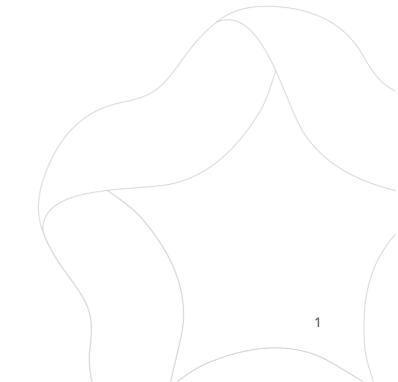
Nodes addresses for testing:

http://dcms.dev.dltc.spbu.ru:3001/

http://dcms.dev.dltc.spbu.ru:3002/

http://dcms.dev.dltc.spbu.ru:3003/

http://dcms.dev.dltc.spbu.ru:3004/





GLOSSARY

Private Key

A key used in asymmetric encryption. A part of a key pair that is not published in the public domain. Can be used for both encryption and decryption, depending on the algorithms used.

Public key

A key used in asymmetric encryption. The portion of a key pair that is not made publicly available. Can be used for both encryption and decryption, depending on the algorithms used.

Node

A deployed instance of the system core with loaded keys of a system participant

System participant

A system participant is a person (an individual or a legal entity) who has control over the node(s) and the key(s)

Network address

IP address and port of the running instance of the system core

Node address

A fingerprint of the public key is used for addressing within the DCMS

Currency

A list of accounting units in the system

Base currency

The currency in relation to which all rates are set

Exchange rates

Coefficients in relation to the base currency for calculating limits and exchange rates for currency conversion

Agreements

The main essence of the system. An agreement can be concluded between a pair of participants and means trusting the public keys of the participants in the pair to each other.

Limits

When concluding an agreement, it is assumed that each participant in the agreement will set limits. Limits are set both generally and for each currency.

Setting a limit in a specific currency means the possibility of transferring liquidity between the participants in the agreement. It is also a risk management tool and the basis for auto clearing.

DSMS network



A set of nodes in a system that form a connected graph. There may be a number of independent DCMS networks.

Balances

Balances formed during the process of transmitting messages across agreements

WSS channel

A secure channel for exchanging messages between parties to agreements

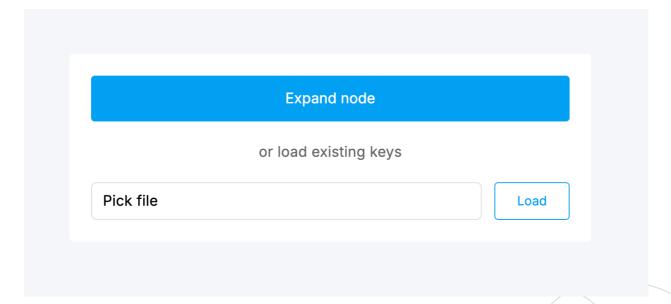
Message

Message about the transfer of funds. The recipient can be any node of the DCMS network. It can be informational if the amount specified in the message is 0.

Information message (Intention)

Information message about the transfer of funds. The recipient can only be a node from the list of Agreements.

LAUNCH PAGE



POINTS OF INTERACTION

Expand node

Launches the DCMS service with the previously saved configuration or creates a new one.

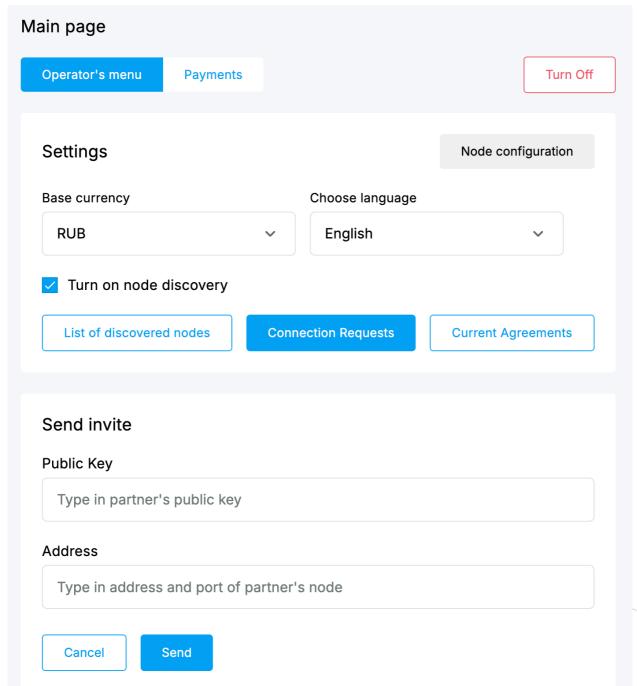
Select and upload a configuration file

Using the "Select file" field, select the configuration file, which should be a json file according to the scheme described in config/config-schema.json.

When you click the "Load" button, the service will be automatically launched with this file.



MAIN PAGE

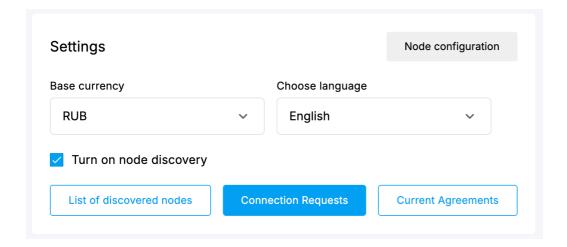


OPERATOR PANEL

Basic settings







1. Base currency

Allows you to select the primary currency from those added to the system by the user. If no currency has been added to the system at the moment, the message "No currencies" is displayed.

2. Choose language

Allows you to change the interface language. Available languages as of this document date: Russian and English.

3. Turn on node discovery

Enables/disables publishing of core information to the discovery service. If the "Turn on node discovery" box is checked, each new publication occurs when the information published in discovery by the user changes, as well as every 60 seconds.

4. Node configuration





Allows you to get technical information about the node kernel.

Get a list of available nodes

Takes you to the "List of discovered nodes" page

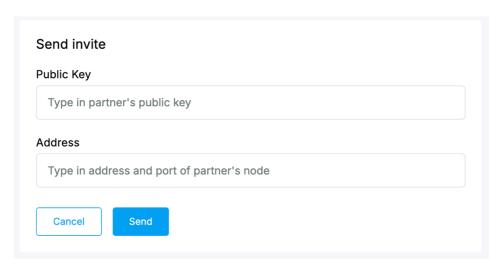
Agreement requests

Takes you to the "Connection requests" page

Current agreements

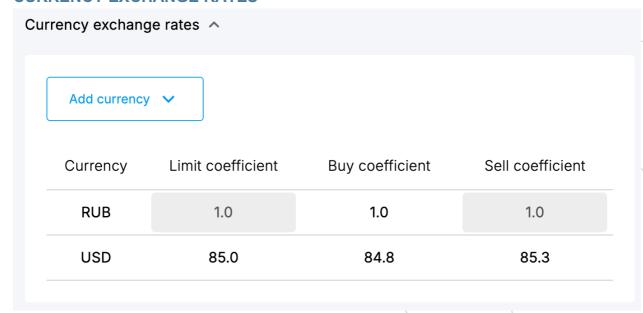
Takes you to the "Current agreements" page

SEND INVITE



Allows you to send an invitation bypassing the discovery service using the public key and the partner's address.

CURRENCY EXCHANGE RATES





1. Adding currency

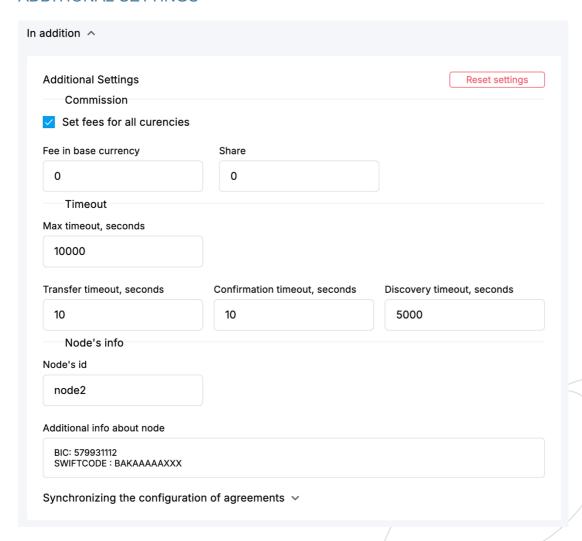
This is done using the "Add currency" button.

2. Changing the rate

To change one of the coefficients, you can simply change the value of the coefficient in the table.

Two exceptions: the limit coefficient and the sale of the main currency. They should not be changed.

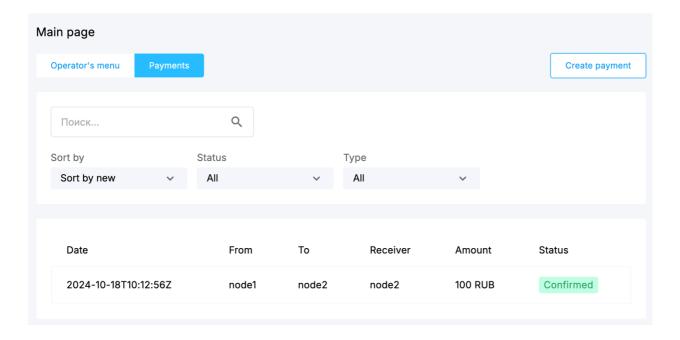
ADDITIONAL SETTINGS



Allows additional configuration of the system core.



PAYMENTS



1. Create payment

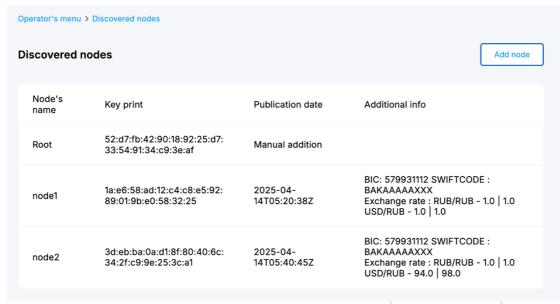
The button takes you to the payment creation page.

2. Payments table

Displays all payments that have been processed by the system core. Clicking on a line with one of the payments takes you to a page with details about that payment.

NODE LISTS

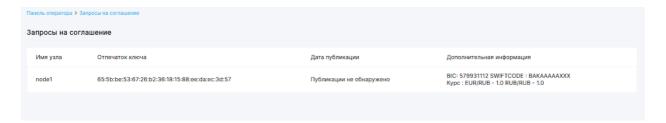
LIST OF AVAILABLE NODES





Displays nodes that the system has discovered using the discovery service, as well as nodes that have been added manually by the user. See the section "Add node". Clicking on the "Node's name" line will take you to the node page.

LIST OF RECEIVED REQUESTS



Displays a list of nodes from which the core has received a request to conclude an agreement. Clicking on the "Node's name" line will take you to the node page.

LIST OF CURRENT AGREEMENTS

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Current agre	ements		
Node's name	Key print	Publication date	Additional info
node1	1a:e6:58:ad:12:c4:c8:e5:92:8 9:01:9b:e0:58:32:25	2025-04- 14T05:20:38Z	BIC: 579931112 SWIFTCODE: BAKAAAAXXX Exchange rate: RUB/RUB - 1.0 1.0 USD/RUB - 1.0 1.0

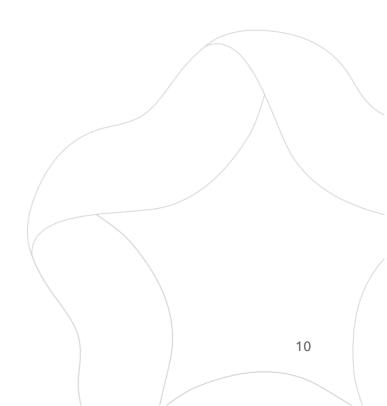
Displays a list of nodes with which agreements have been concluded. Clicking on the "Node's name" line will take you to the node page.



ADD NODE

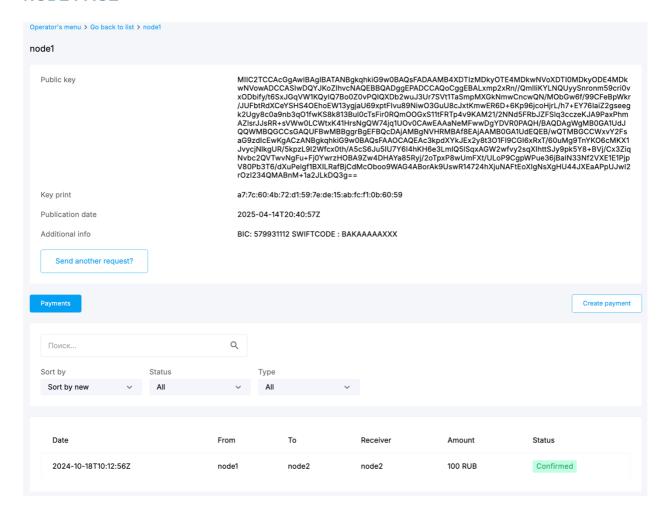
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Add node	
Node name *	
node1	
Public key *	
Node's address	
Exchange rate	
USD/RUB: 79	
Additional info	
BIC : VTBRRUMMXXX	
	Cancel Save

When you click on the "Add node" button, a form will open that will allow you to manually add a node to the system memory, bypassing the discovery service.



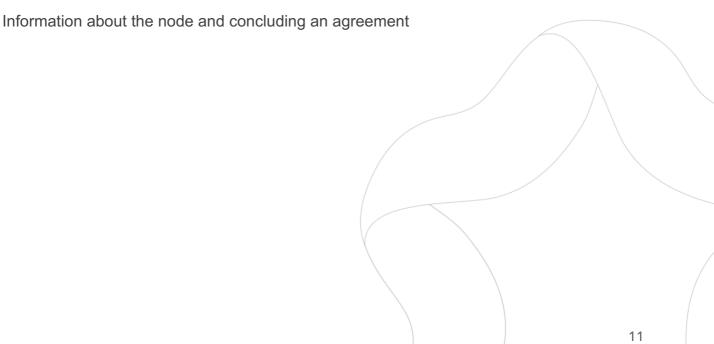


NODE PAGE

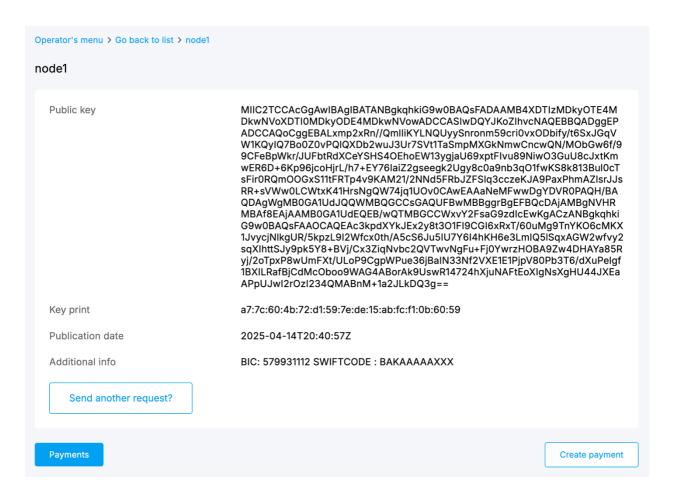


The Payments tab is similar to the Payments tab on the main page.

Important: Setting limits and creating intents is only available if an agreement has already been concluded with the node.







Technical information about the node and the agreement status with the node.

If there is no agreement, the "Send request" button will be displayed. Clicking on it will send a request for an agreement to the node.

If the node accepts it, the agreement will be concluded and the button will change to the "Break" button. Clicking the "Break" button will break the agreement and add the node to the blacklist.

If an agreement has arrived in our core, there will be an "Accept agreement" button.

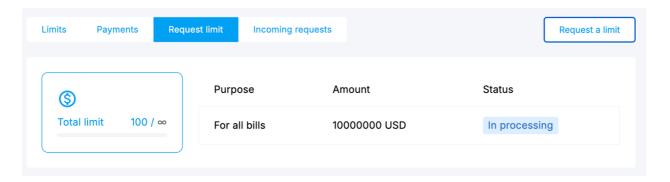
Manual setting of limits.



The "Limits" tab shows the limits set at this point. When you click the "Set Limits" button, a window appears that allows you to set limits manually.

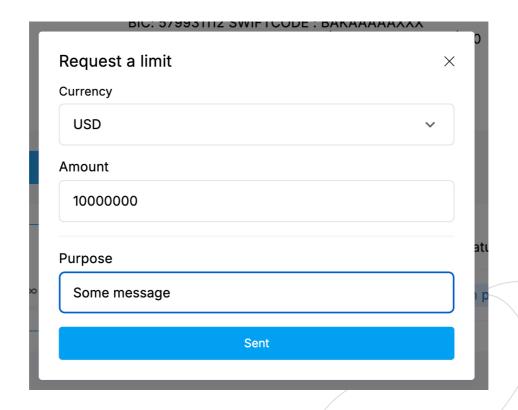


INTENTS AND LIMITS



In the "Request Limit" and "Incoming Requests" tabs, you can view the intents that are being considered and those that have already been closed. Clicking on an intent in the table will take you to the page for that intent.

New intents can be created using the "Limit Request" button.



INTENT PAGE

On this page, communication between nodes takes place regarding the setting of a particular limit for a specific currency.



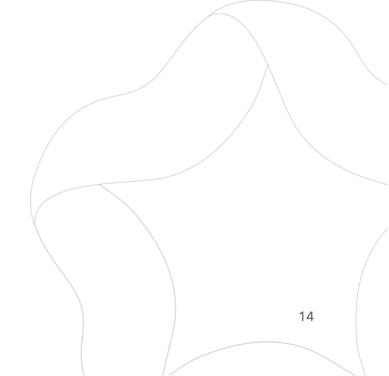
Creating a payment

Go back to payment's list New payment Draft		Fill in from swift file
Currency	AED	~
Amount	1000000	
То	node1 a7:7c:60:4b:72:d1:59:7e:de:15:ab:fc:f1:0b:60:59	
Max accepted fee	0.02	
	Добавить вложенное сообщение	
Payment purpose	Test payment in AED	
Encrypt data		

You can go to the "Create payment" page from the "Payments" tab on the main page, as well as the tab of the same name on the node page.

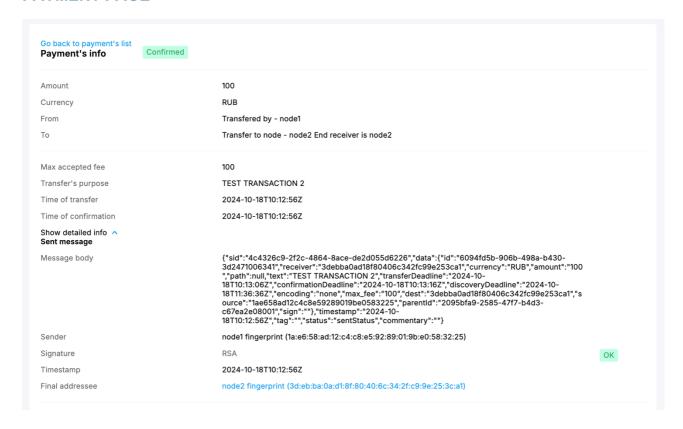
When you fill in all the fields and click the "Send" button, the payment will be created and

will begin to be processed and sent.





PAYMENT PAGE



On the payment page you can see detailed information about the payment.



