

Conditional Trade Instruments Self-Executing Trade Finance on DUAL Network

The \$2.5 Trillion Problem

Global trade exceeds \$18 trillion annually, yet \$2.5 trillion in trade finance demand remains unfunded. Traditional banks reject 40% of SME applications despite creditworthiness. Paper-based letters of credit take 40+ days to settle. Counterparty risk and lack of real-time shipment visibility create friction.

The Solution: Programmable Trade Instruments

Conditional Trade Instruments embed trade finance logic directly into DUAL tokens. Instead of paper letters of credit, buyers fund escrow and release payments automatically as milestones are verified—no intermediary required.

How It Works (4-Step Flow)

Step 1: Buyer creates instrument	Step 2: Funds locked in escrow
Step 3: Milestones verified (IoT + docs)	Step 4: Automatic partial release

Traction on DUAL Network

51.2M tokens issued | 538M transactions | <1 sec finality

Market Opportunity

TAM: \$100B+

SAM: \$10B

SOM (Y5): \$300M

The Ask

Total Seed	\$2M
Engineering (40%)	\$800K
GTM & Partnerships (30%)	\$600K
Compliance & Legal (15%)	\$300K
Operating Reserve (15%)	\$300K

Trade finance modernization is underway. Programmable instruments will unlock the \$2.5T gap.