# The e-CODEX Central Testing Platform (CTP)

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#### The e-CODEX CTP

- An automated testing infrastructure
  - Available via a user-friendly Web UI
- Enables member states to perform End-to-End tests between:
  - their e-CODEX e-Delivery infrastructure and
  - a fixed central testing point that is available 24/7
- Allows users to send and receive customisable test messages
- Highly successful in reducing the resources needed in e-CODEX for testing
- Used almost daily in e-CODEX, EXEC, e-Evidence and e-Justice Portal tests





# **Testing Scenarios**

#### 1) Connectivity Testing

- Using the GW-Test message
- Automatically, at any time
  - By "ordering" a message to be sent to a member's gateway through the e-CODEX CTP Web Interface
  - By sending a message to the CTP and checking its progress through the same interface.
- Doing so can save a great deal of time as it can effectively replace the need for manual initial Gateway-to-Gateway (GW2GW) connectivity testing
  - Would typically involve coordination between two different tech teams
  - Introduce delays caused by conflicting/busy schedules.





# **Testing Scenarios**

#### 2) e-CODEX Use-case Testing

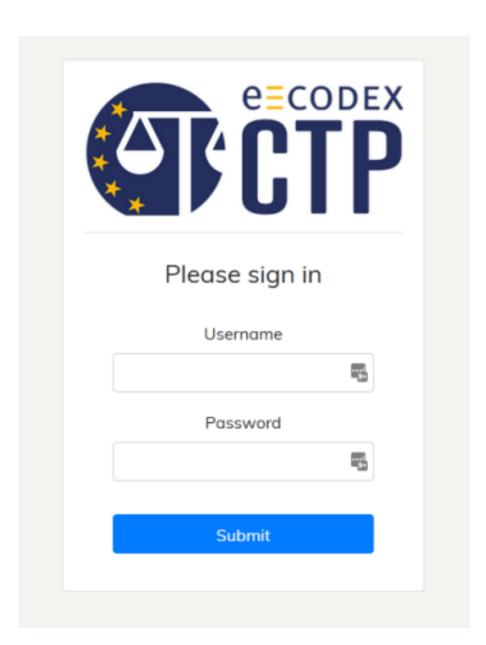
- A user of the CTP can select one or more sample messages for each e-CODEX use case (e.g. EPO, Small Claims) and **send them** to their test gateway, in order to emulate the reception of such a message.
- In addition, the CTP can **receive** such messages and check them against the pre-approved e-CODEX XSDs to ensure the validity of the message's structure.
- Very useful to get an idea of how e-CODEX messages are structured
- Quickly verify an application's conformance when XSD schema changes are introduced.





# Using the CTP

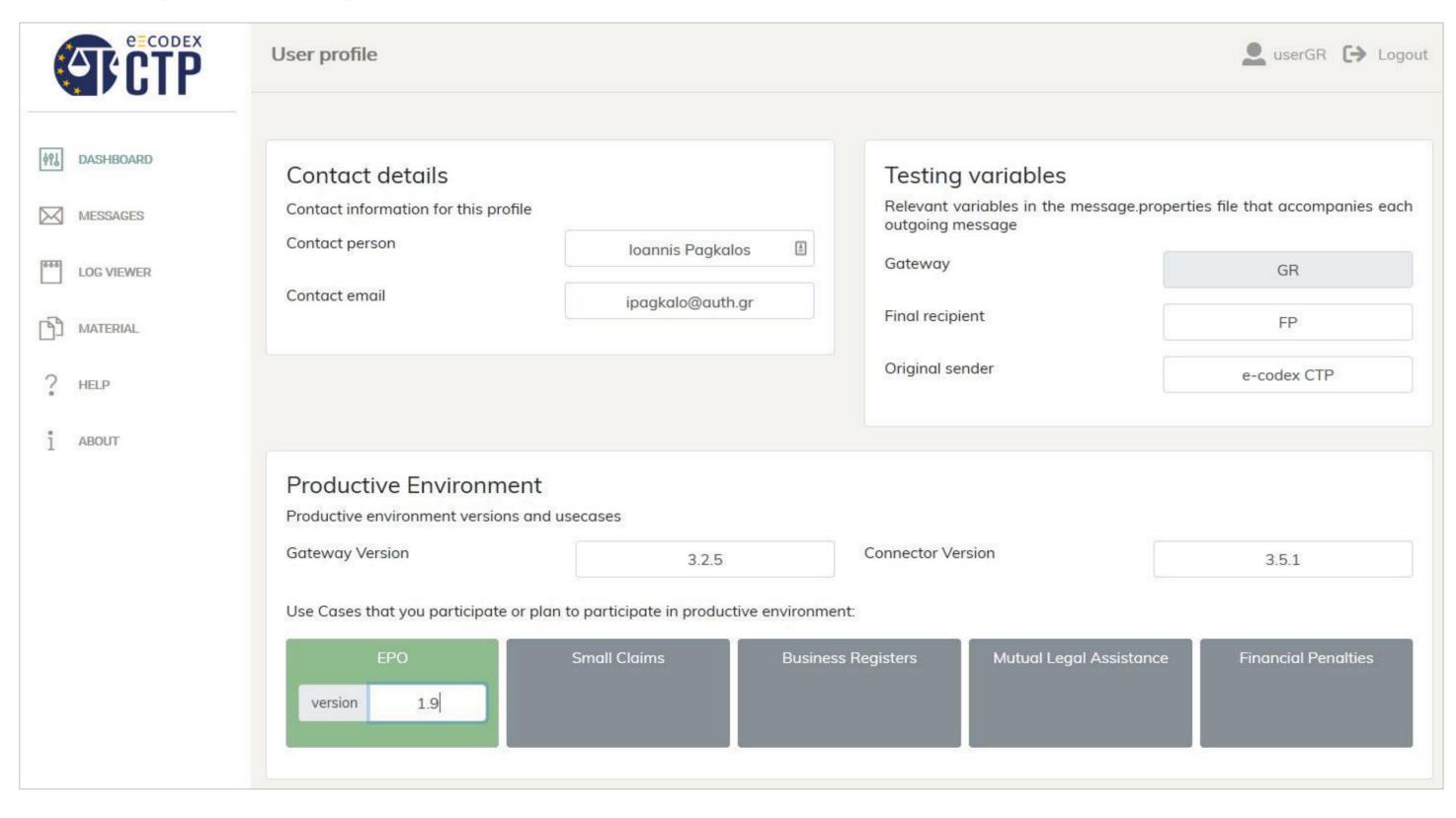
Login @ http://ecodextest.ee.auth.gr







# Set up user profile

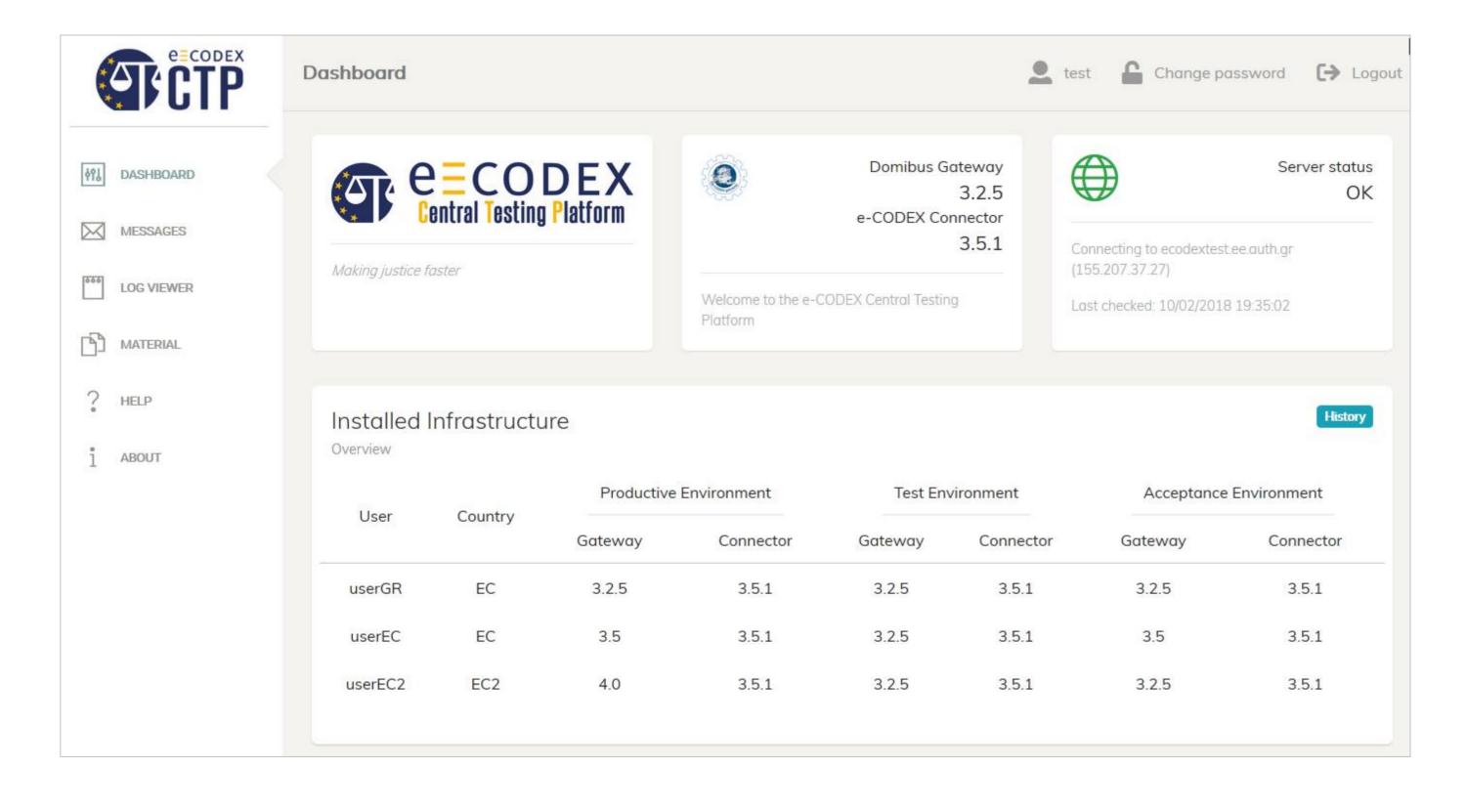


- Input Gateway,
  Connector & XSD
  Schemas for each
  environment
  - Productive
  - Testing
  - Acceptance





#### **Dashboard**

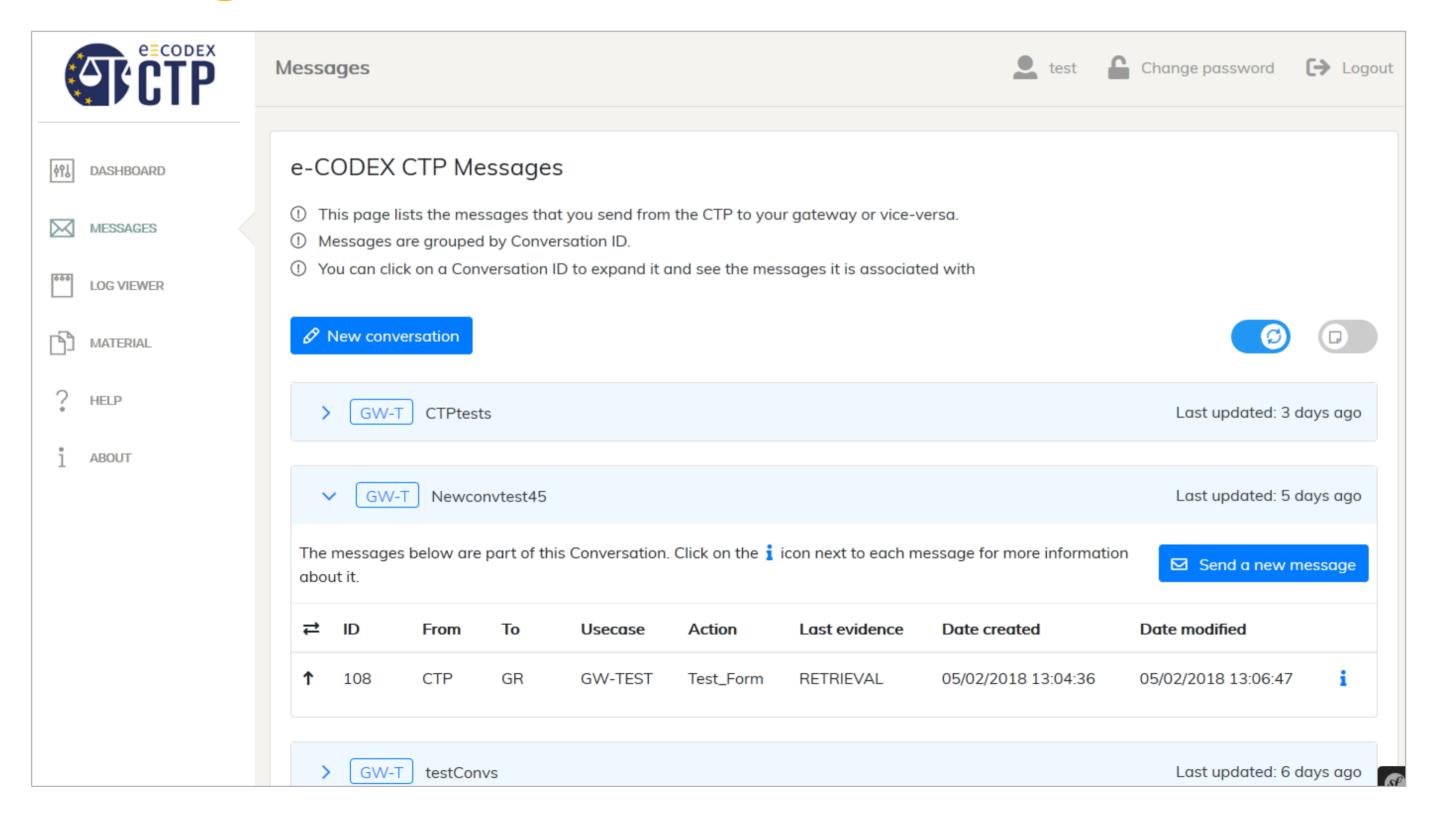


- See CTP & Consortium status
- Navigate to:
  - Messages
  - Log Viewer
  - Material
  - Help
  - About





## Messages Module

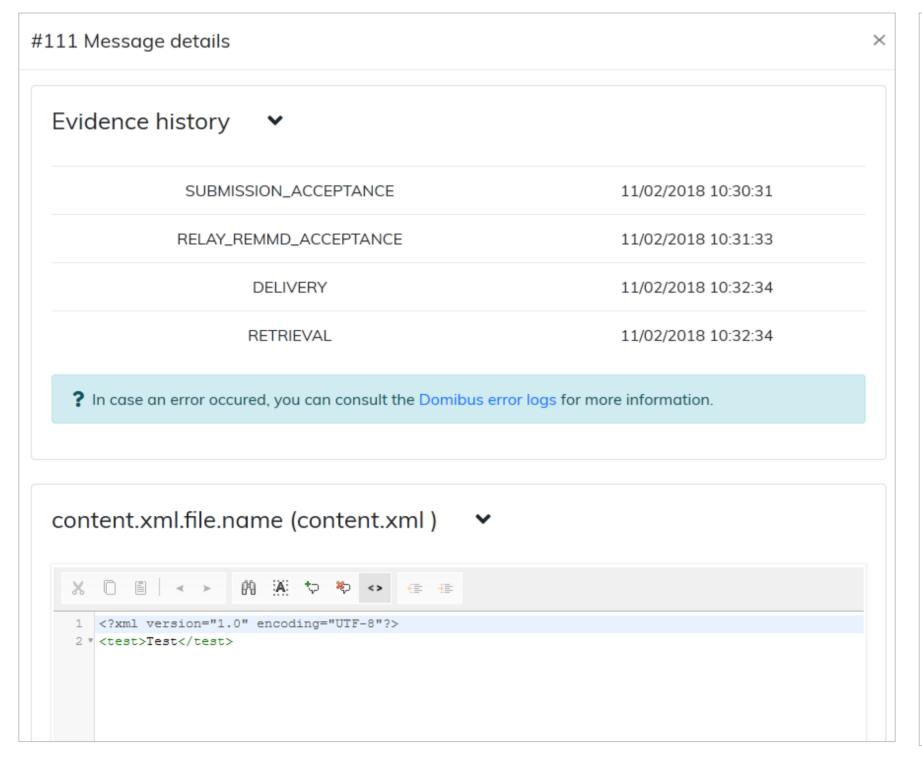


- Heart of the CTP
  - Messages that are either sent to or from your gateway
  - Grouped by ConversationID in collapsible panels
  - Click on info button i for details on each message





# **Message Details**



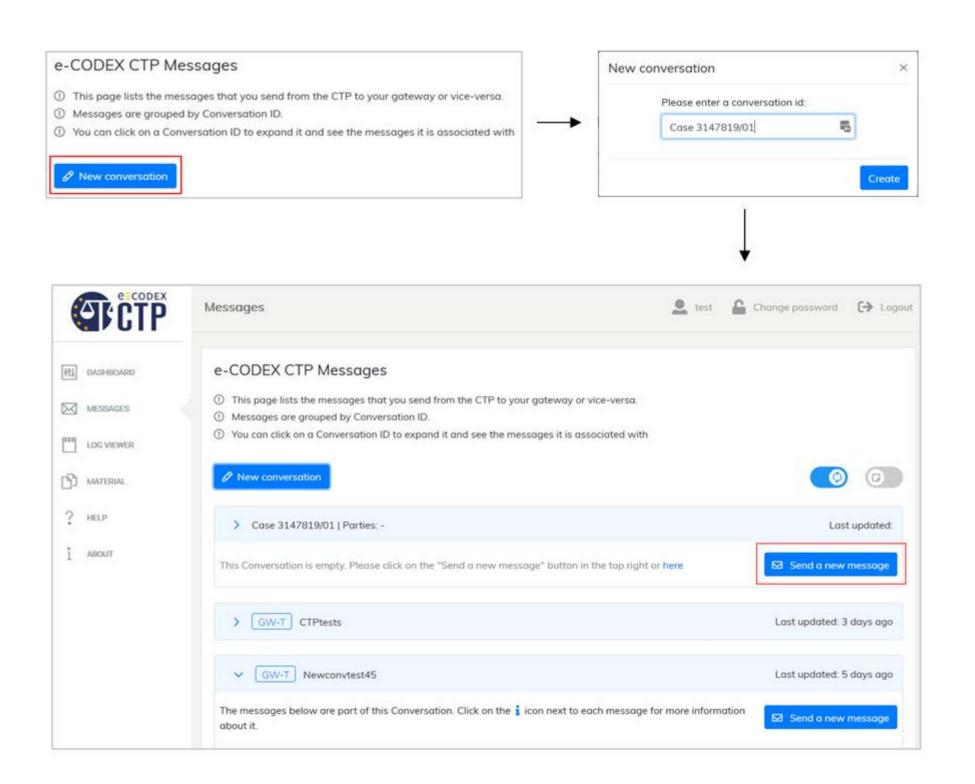
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## Sending a Message to your Gateway

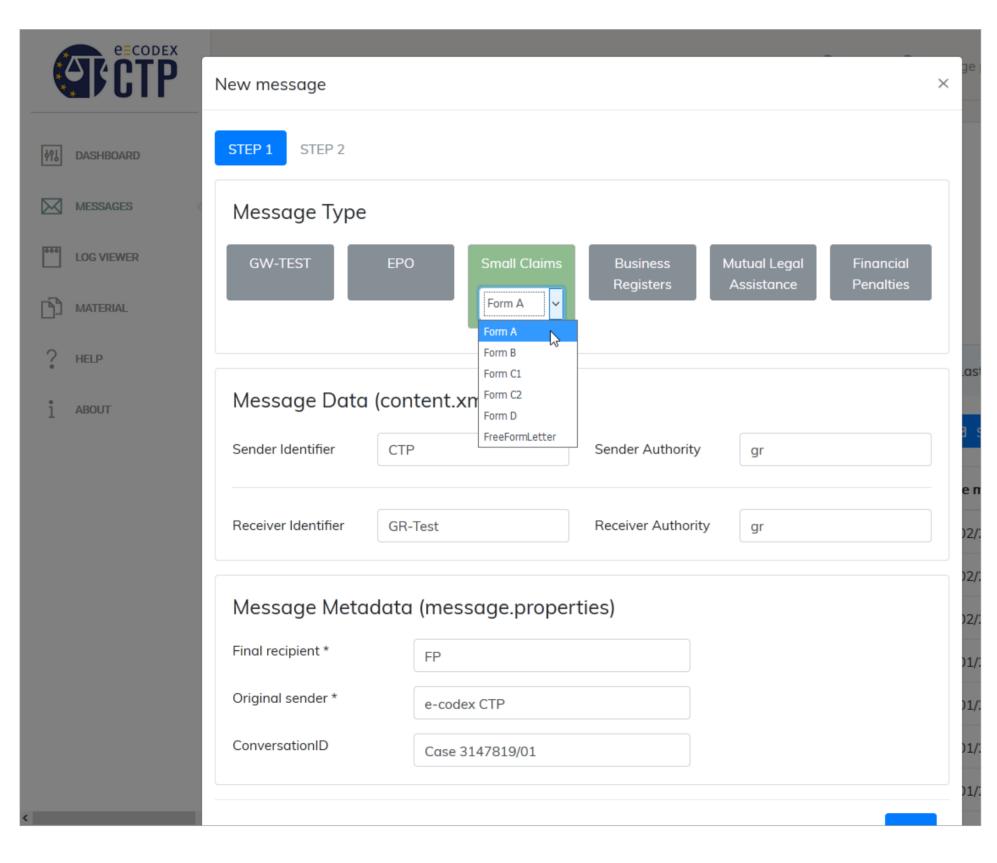
- Either
  - Choose an existing conversationID and click on "Send a new message" or
  - 2. Create a **new conversationID** and then click on the respective "Send a new message button":







# **Customising the Message – STEP 1**

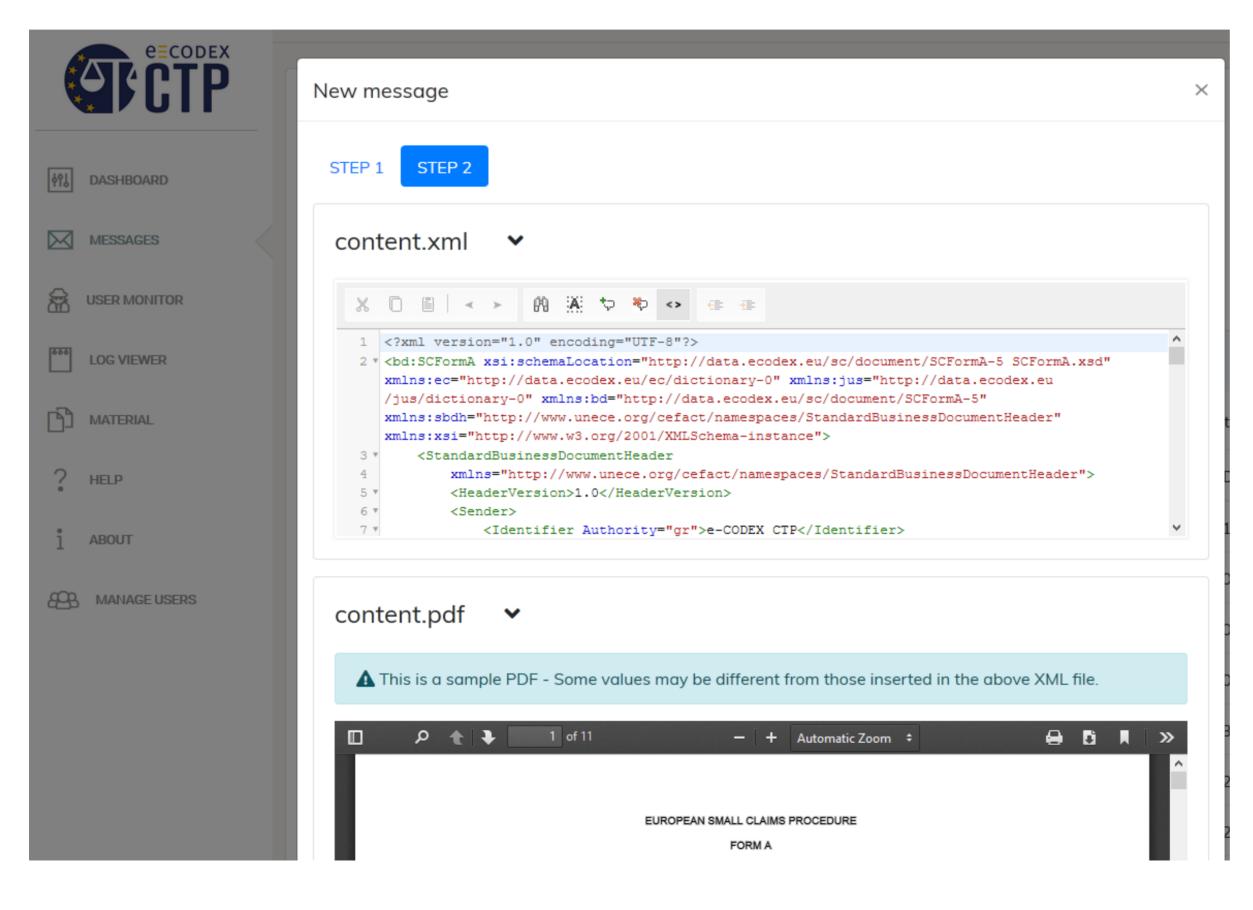


- Message Type: Allows the user to select from the available Message Types.
- Message Data: According to the message type selected, some or all of the following options are available:
  - SBDH data: Content of the SBDH section of the e-CODEX message XML (Receiver/Sender identifier & authority)
  - Case ID: Customise the content of the jus:IdentificationCaseIdentification/jus:NumberID XML Node (reply forms only)
  - Message Metadata: Contents of the message.properties file of the e-CODEX message, including the conversationID (auto-filled)





# **Customising the Message – STEP 2**

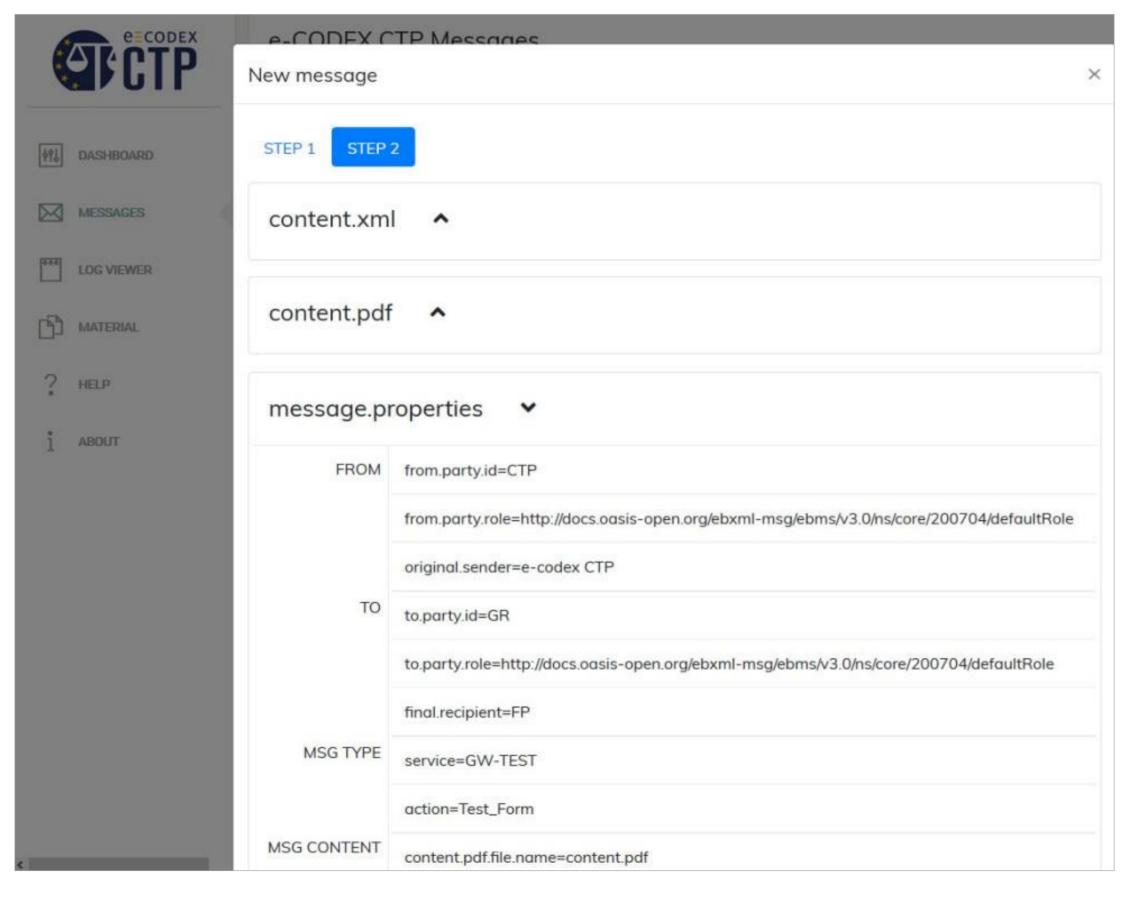


- Preview the content of the outgoing message via a web text editor.
  - This editor also offers colour-coding for XML files.
- The files that can be previewed are:
  - content.xml
  - content.pdf (available for downloading or embedded preview)
  - message.properties (this file cannot be edited)





# **Customising the Message – STEP 2**

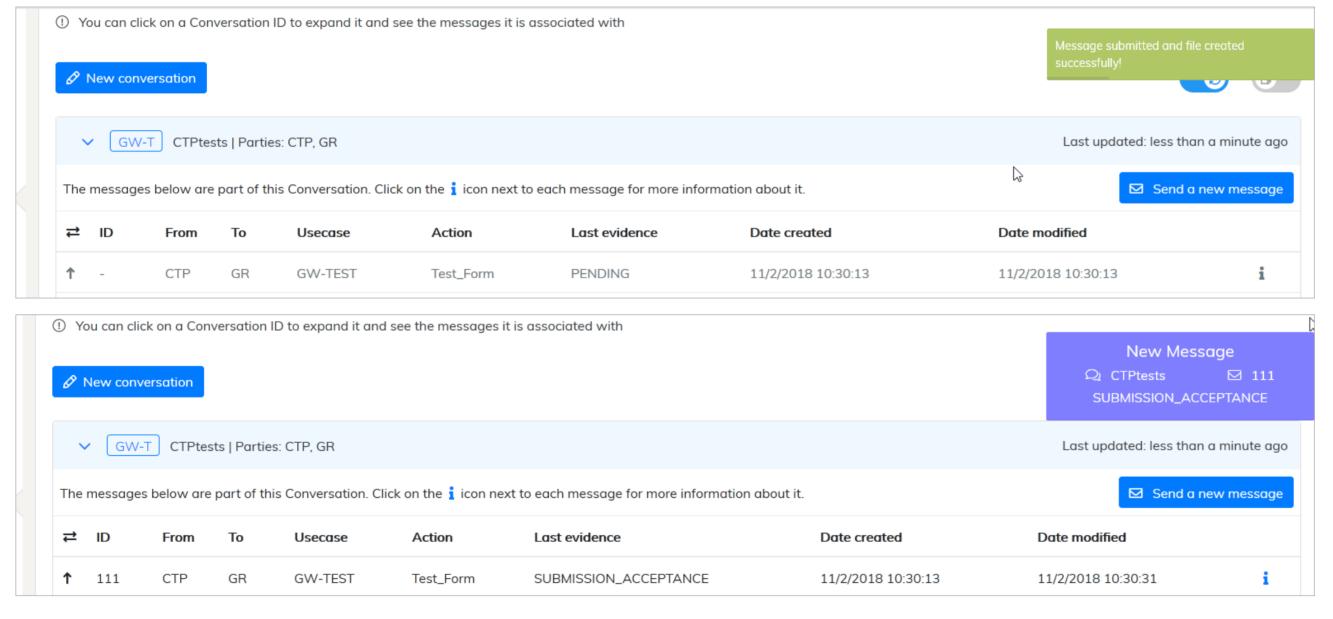


Visual guide on understanding the message.properties file





# Tracking message progress

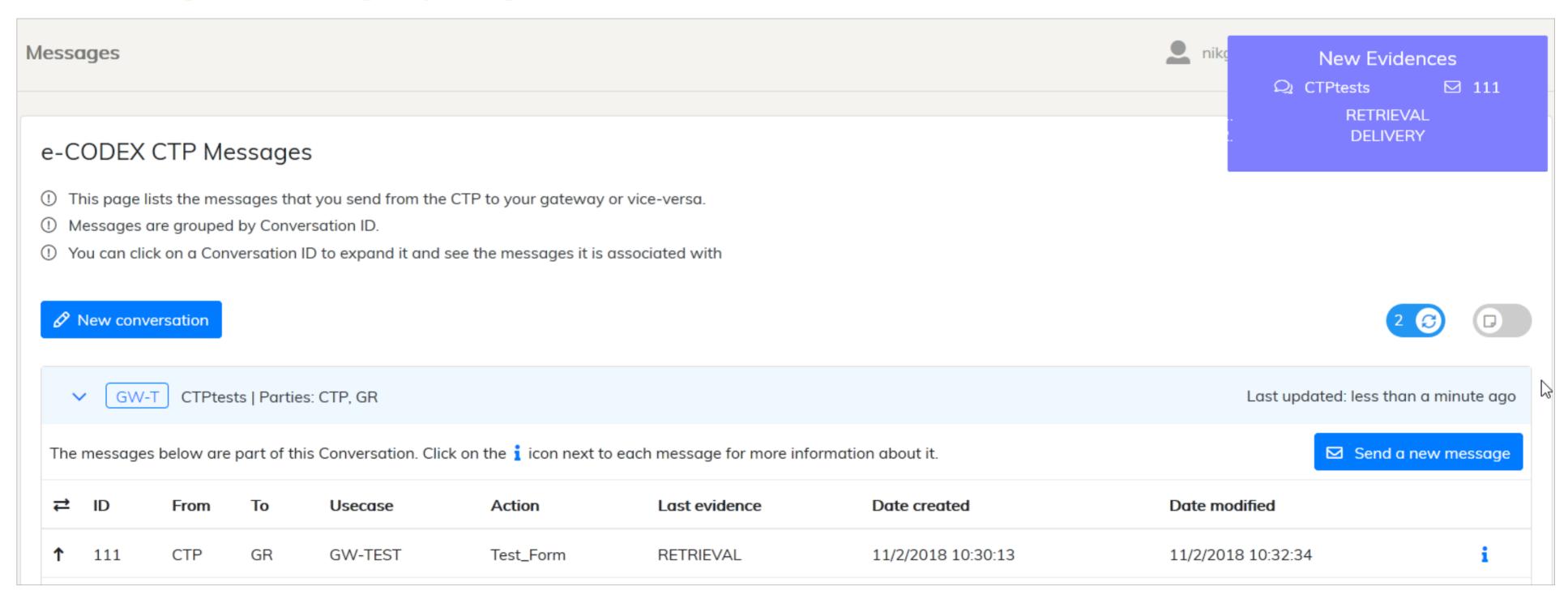


- All messages (either sent by the CTP or sent to the CTP) are tracked in real-time using a notification system.
- The "Last Evidence" section of each message row is also automatically updated





# Tracking message progress







# **Log Viewer**

- This page includes a real-time view of the server logs of the CTP (both the connector & the Domibus gateway)
   to aid in debugging erroneous message exchanges.
- The table on the left side of this view shows the messages associated with a user's account.
- The table on the right shows all errors as they appear on the logs.
- Clicking on any message will highlight all the errors that could possibly be associated with it, based on the time period during which the message was processed (+/- 5 minutes).

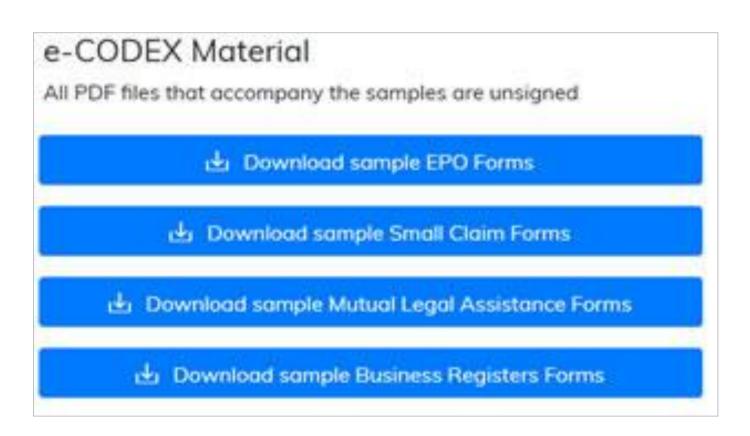
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110	07/02/2018 21:30:23	eu.domibus.connector.gwc.DomibusConnectorGatewayWebserviceClientImpl -	11/02/2018 10:32:33	
109	05/02/2018 13:10:46	eu.domibus.connector.gwc.DomibusConnectorGatewayWebserviceClientImpl -	11/02/2018 10:32:33	
108	05/02/2018 13:04:36	eu.domibus.connector.gwc.DomibusConnectorGatewayWebserviceClientImpl -	11/02/2018 10:32:33	
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#### **Material Module**

- Static page that serves as a repository of readily-available testing material such as Sample Files in PDF format and their respective e-CODEX XML representations.
- In the current version of the CTP, the page contains sample files for the following use cases:







### **Contact Information**



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