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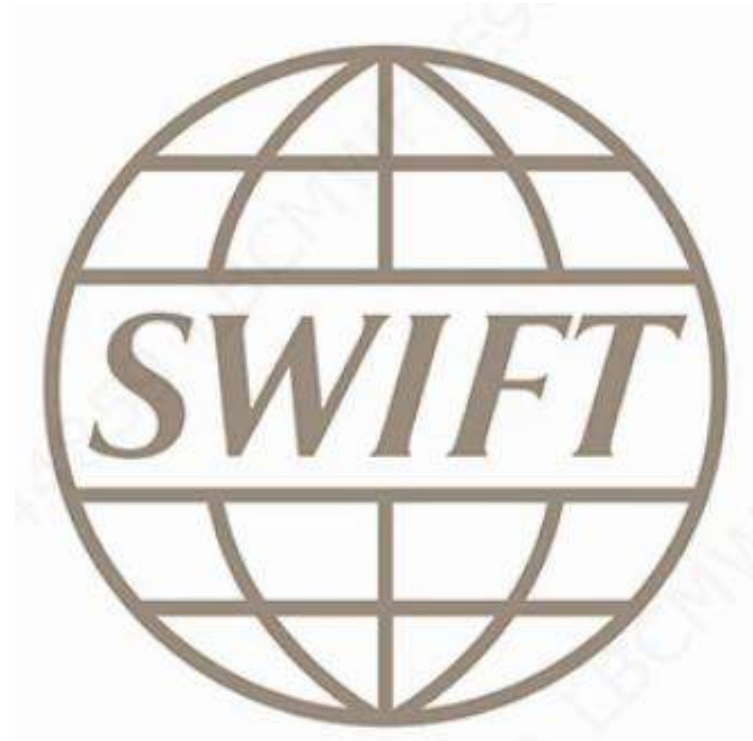
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# **SWIFT Customer Security Controls Framework (CSCF)**



# SWIFT CYBER HEIST 5 BREACHES

## The Bank of Bangladesh **\$951,000,000** stolen using trusted Windows Software

In February 2016, the Bank of Bangladesh faced a major cyber attack resulting in \$81,000,000 unrecovered. The attackers gained control over SWIFT systems by deploying trusted Windows software to the bank's internal systems. Potentially, \$951,000,000 was at stake.

## Far Eastern International Bank in Taiwan **\$60 Million** using tailored Malware

In October 2017, the bank in Taiwan was the target of a bank heist involving almost \$60 million. The hackers reportedly used tailored malware to generate SWIFT messages containing fraudulent information. Much of the stolen funds was recovered with help of its banking counterparts, however \$500,000 remained untraceable.



## Banco del Austro in Ecuador **\$12,000,000** stolen with credential compromise

In January 2015, attackers obtained the credentials of a bank employee and used these to access the employee's email account to alter SWIFT transfer requests. Transfers were made from several accounts of Wells Fargo, HSBC and Hang Seng Bank accounts totaling \$12 million. In the course of the investigation however, \$1.85 million dollars were recovered and returned.

## Banco de Chile in Chili **\$10,000,000** stolen using Buhtrap its MBR Killer malware

A destructive malware was released at the Banco de Chile in May 2018. It caused mayhem, distracting defenders from another attack on the crown jewels. Whilst all systems were down, fraudulent messages were sent for \$10,000,000.

## A Russian bank has spotted attacks targeting its SWIFT systems

Globex State Bank in Russia **\$940,000** at risk using system hacking In December 2017, the attackers being able to enter in their bank system. The hackers tried to steal 55 million rubles (\$940,000), but were only able to steal \$100,000 as the Russian bank detected the suspicious wire transfers.

# SWIFT OVERVIEW

Launched in 2016 in response to the sophisticated cyber attacks on SWIFT users, the Customer Security Programme (CSP) seeks to pragmatically 'raise the bar' of cyber-security hygiene across all users, reduce the risk of cyber attacks and minimise the financial impact of fraudulent transactions.

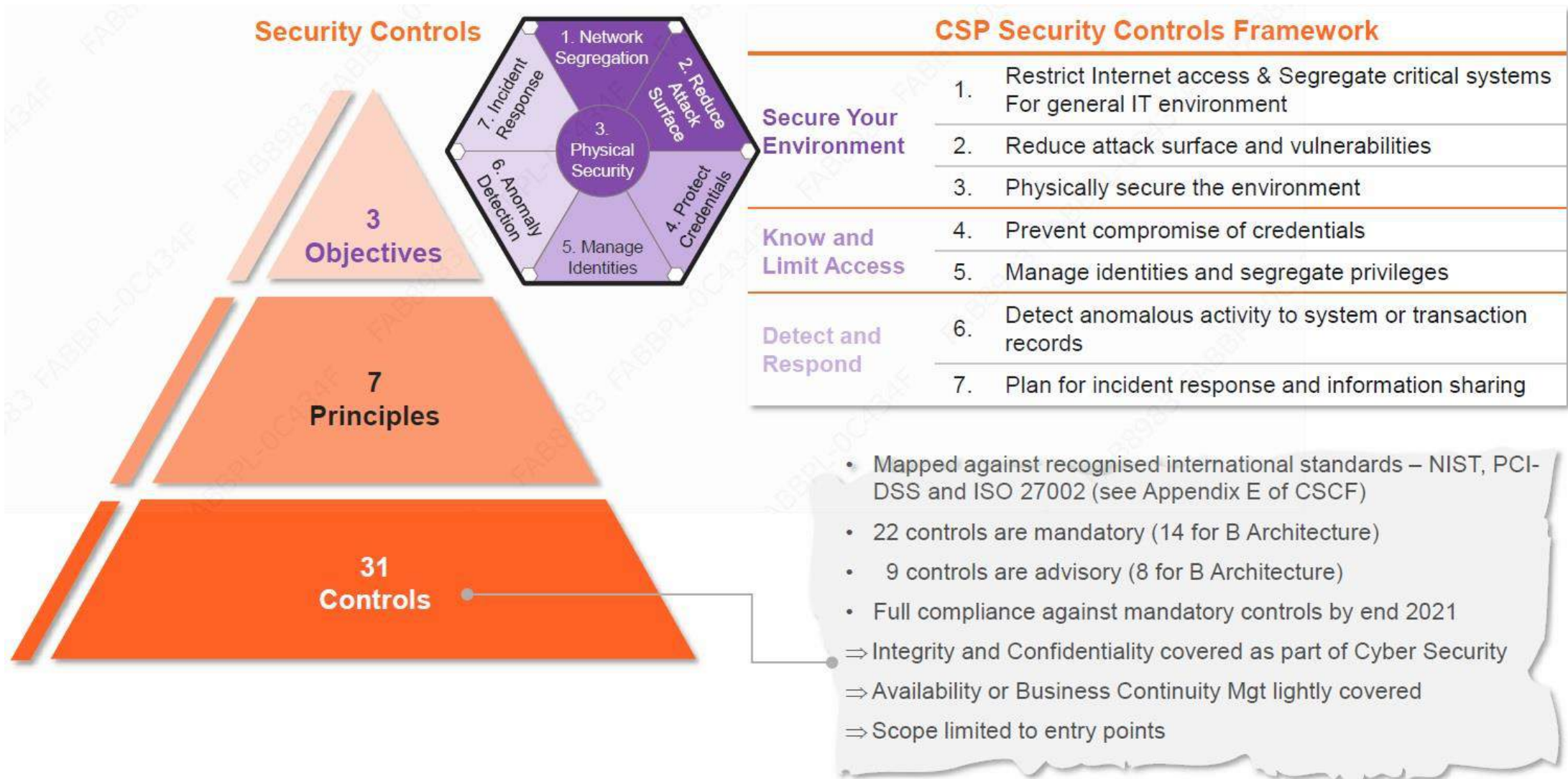
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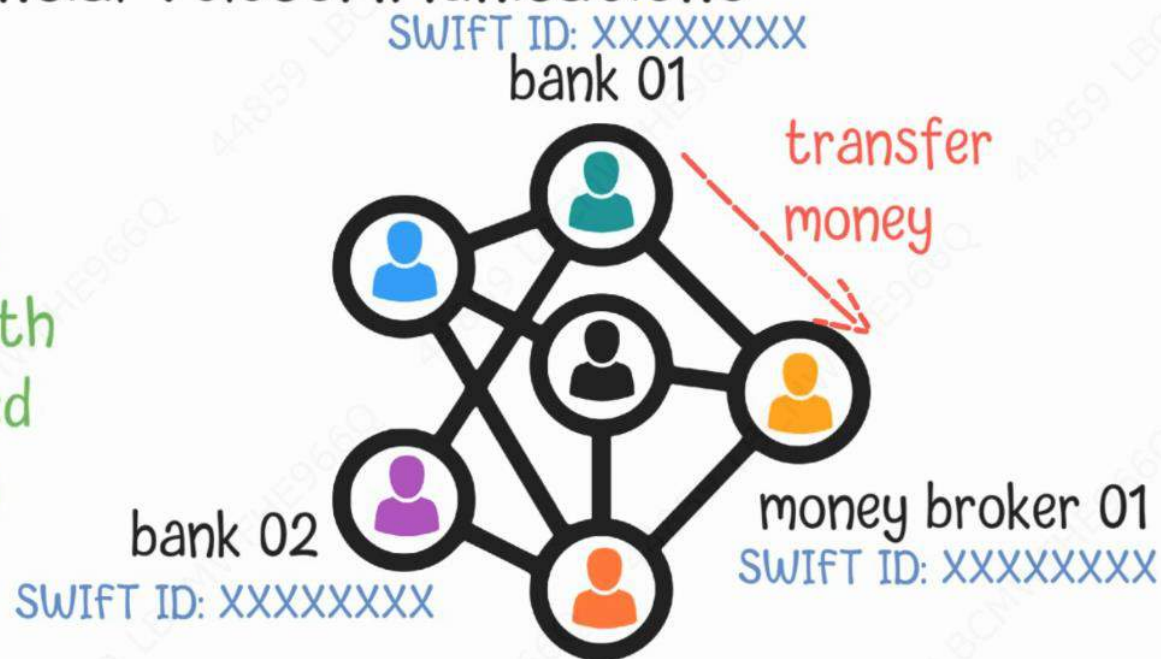


# SWIFT OVERVIEW



### SWIFT : Society for Worldwide Interbank financial Telecommunications

financial organizations use  
SWIFT to communicate with  
each other using predefined  
messages and instructions



SWIFT Network

# PCI-DSS

Payment Card Industry  
Data Security Standard



Security  
Standards Council®



# 5 BIGGEST CREDIT CARD DATA BREACHES

## 2019: Capital One (106 Million Customers Exposed)

Capital One, the fifth-largest credit card issuer in the United States, revealed in July 2019 that a hacker accessed the personal information of around 106 million information customers and applicants in the U.S. and Canada. The data that was accessed included highly personal details on consumers and small businesses, including names, social security numbers, income and dates of birth as of the time they applied for one of several credit card products from 2005 through early 2019.



## 2014: The Home Depot (56 Million Cards)

This 2014 attack on the do-it-yourself retailers was perpetrated through a "unique, custom-built malware" according to the [Wall Street Journal](#). Fortune magazine [reported](#) that Home Depot (HD) ended up paying customers. ng \$25 million to banks, \$134.5 million to card companies like Visa and MasterCard and \$19.5 million to affected

## 2006: TJX Companies (94 Million Cards)

The company that own retailers like TJMaxx and Marshall's (TJX) was a target of a cyber-attack in 2006, reported the Associated Press. While data for both Visa (V) and MasterCard (MA) credit cards was stolen, the AP reported that for Visa alone, the fraud related losses could be to the tune of \$68 million to \$83 million, spread across 13 countries. Consumer Affairs reported that the company ended up paying \$41 million to Visa, \$24 million to MasterCard and another \$9.75 million in consumer protection settlement to 41 states.

## 1984: TRW/Sears (90 Million Cards)

Almost 37 years ago, the New York Times [reported](#) that the password for a leading credit union TRW was stolen from a Sears (SHLD) store on the West Coast. That password unlocked the credit histories and personal information that could subsequently be used to obtain credit card numbers.

## 2009: Heartland Systems (160 Million Cards)

A lone hacker broke into the systems of the payment processing company in 2009 and was later caught and jailed. In 2013, five people, including this hacker, were [indicted](#) for attacking a number of retailers, financial institutions and payment processing firms and stealing personal identification and credit/debit card data. The total mentioned in that indictment was 160 million cards. Other companies affected included Nasdaq, 7-Eleven, Carrefour, JC Penney, Hannaford, Wet Seal, Commidea, Dexia, JetBlue, Dow Jones, Euronet, Visa Jordan, Global Payment, Diners Singapore and Ingenicard.

# PCI-DSS Overview

## What is PCI DSS

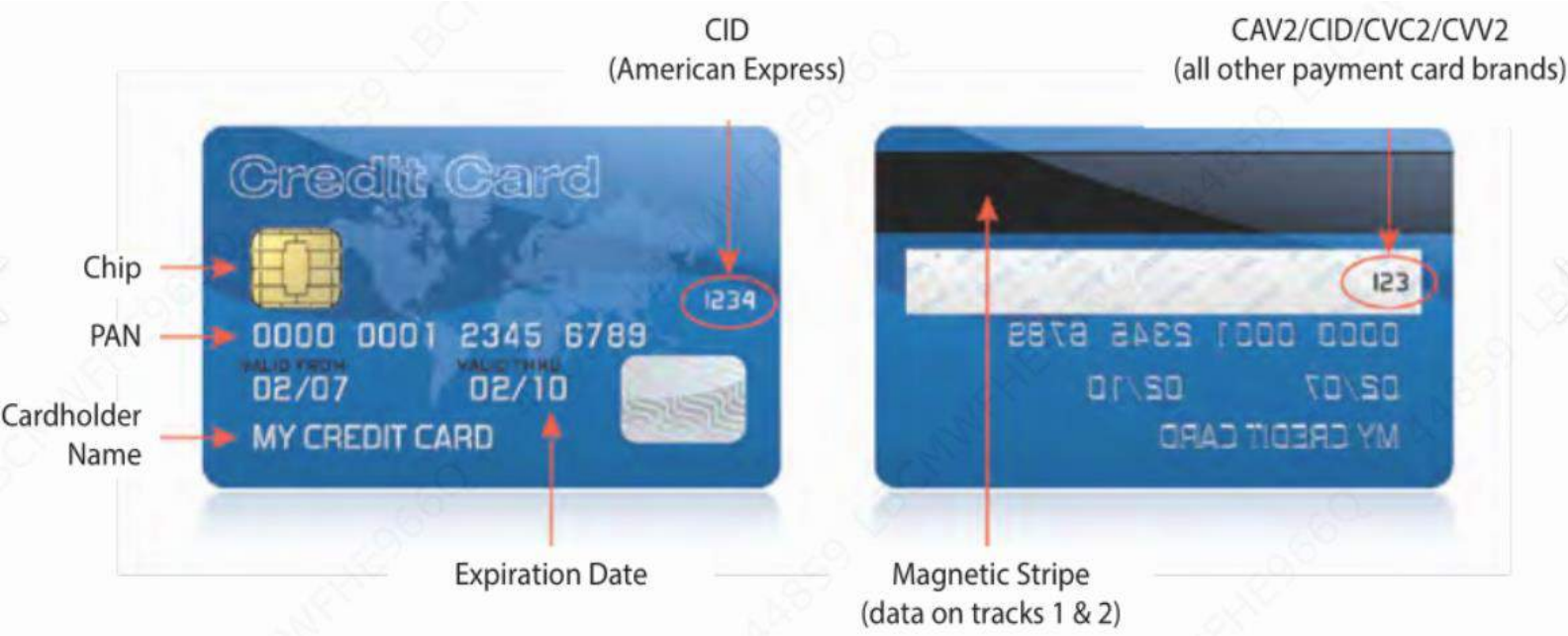
The Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard (PCI DSS) was developed to encourage and enhance cardholder data security and facilitate the broad adoption of consistent data security measures globally. PCI DSS provides a baseline of technical and operational requirements designed to protect account data.

Account Data	
Cardholder Data includes:	Sensitive Authentication Data includes:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Primary Account Number (PAN)</li><li>▪ Cardholder Name</li><li>▪ Expiration Date</li><li>▪ Service Code</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Full track data (magnetic-stripe data or equivalent on a chip)</li><li>• CAV2/CVC2/CVV2/CID</li><li>• PINs/PIN blocks</li></ul>

## Need for PCI DSS

- Enforced by Card Brands and mandated by Central Bank of UAE as a regulatory requirement
- External and Internal reviews to protect card holder data and environment
- Identify and report possible security risks in the existing Process, Business, IT applications and infrastructure on-prem and cloud w.r.t. PCI DSS requirements.
- Conducts Risk Assessment, Firewall & ACL Reviews, VA, Network Segment PT, Internal & External PT, Application PT, Security Policy Review, Card Data Discovery, baselines, Incident Response Test, ODC Review, Third Party Review, Wireless Scanning, User Access Control Review.
- Serves as a layer to provide assurance to the Card Brands, Central Bank, clients, customers.
- Enhance Customer trust and brand reputation
- Enhance bank’s security posture

Type of Data on a Payment Card



Payment Card Data Classification

		Data Element	Storage Permitted	Render Stored Data Unreadable per Requirement 3.4
Account Data	Cardholder Data	Primary Account Number (PAN)	Yes	Yes
		Cardholder Name	Yes	No
		Service Code	Yes	No
		Expiration Date	Yes	No
	Sensitive Authentication Data <sup>2</sup>	Full Track Data <sup>3</sup>	No	Cannot store per Requirement 3.2
		CAV2/CVC2/CVV2/CID <sup>4</sup>	No	Cannot store per Requirement 3.2
		PIN/PIN Block <sup>5</sup>	No	Cannot store per Requirement 3.2

# PCI-DSS Overview

The PCI DSS consists of a standardized, industry-wide set of requirements and processes for various security controls, ensuring that payment card and cardholder data are protected. There are **6 control objectives**, which are split into 12 requirements (and these are further divided into around 252 sub-requirements)



## Build and Maintain a Secure Network

- Install and maintain a firewall configuration to protect cardholder data
- Do not use vendor-supplied defaults for system passwords and other security parameters



## Protect Cardholder Data

- Protect stored cardholder data
- Encrypt transmission of cardholder data across open, public networks



## Maintain a Vulnerability Management Program

- Use and regularly update anti-virus software or programs
- Develop and maintain secure systems and applications



## Implement Strong Access Control Measures

- Restrict access to cardholder data by business need-to-know
- Assign a unique ID to each person with computer access
- Restrict physical access to card holder data



## Regularly Monitor and Test Networks

- Track and monitor all access to network resources and card holder data
- Regularly test security systems and processes

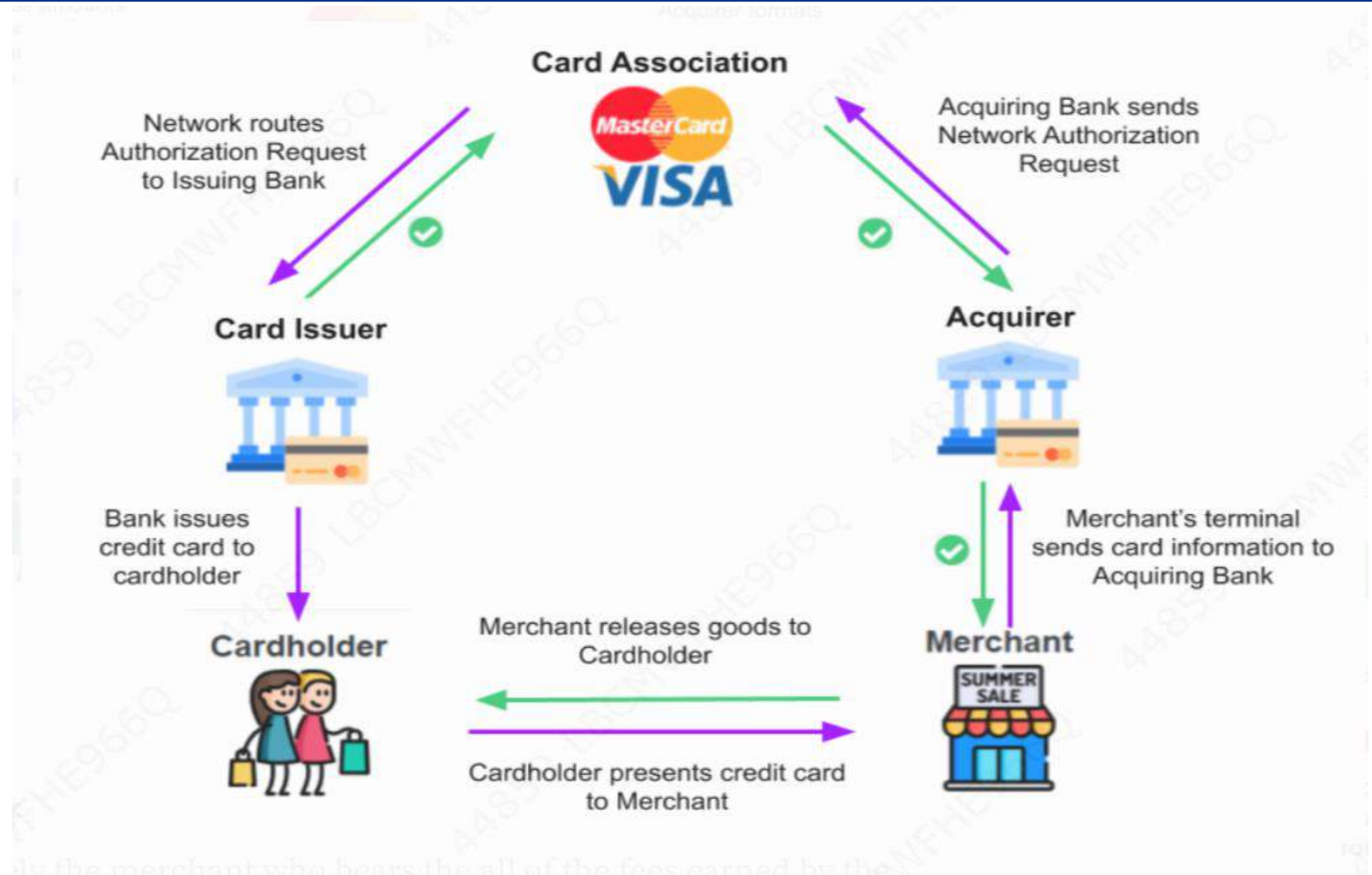


## Maintain an Information Security Policy

- Maintain a policy that addresses information security for employees and contractors



# Card Authorization Workflow





**NESA**



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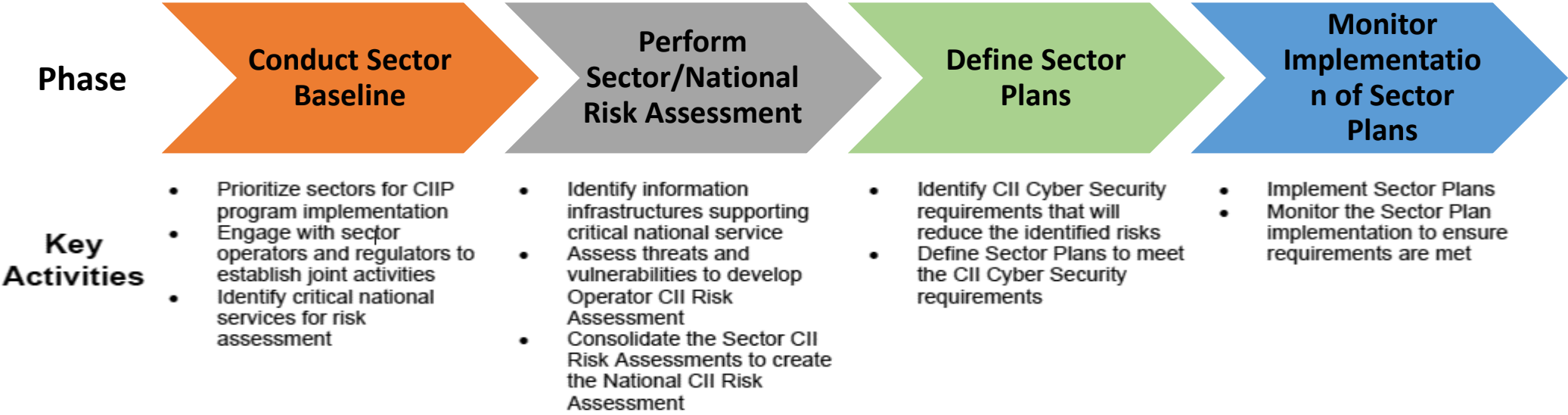
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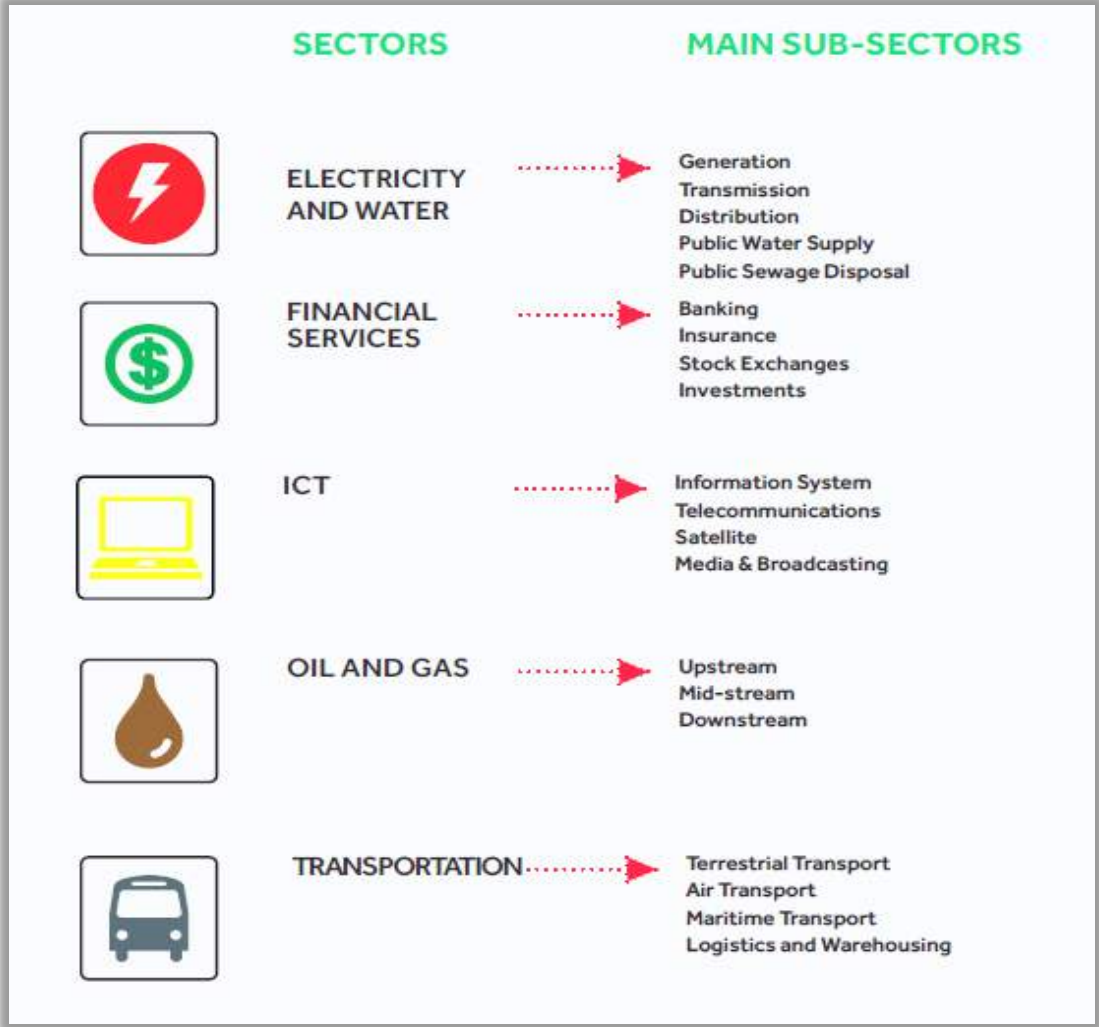
# NESA UAE IA OVERVIEW

The purpose of the UAE IA Regulation is to provide requirements to raise the minimum level of protection of information assets and supporting systems across all implementing entities in the UAE

Objectives	Building a unified, competitive and resilient economy across all emirates.
	Support other initiatives involving national security, economic development and the improvement of daily life for UAE citizens and residents.



# NESA UAE OVERVIEW: SCOPED SECTORS



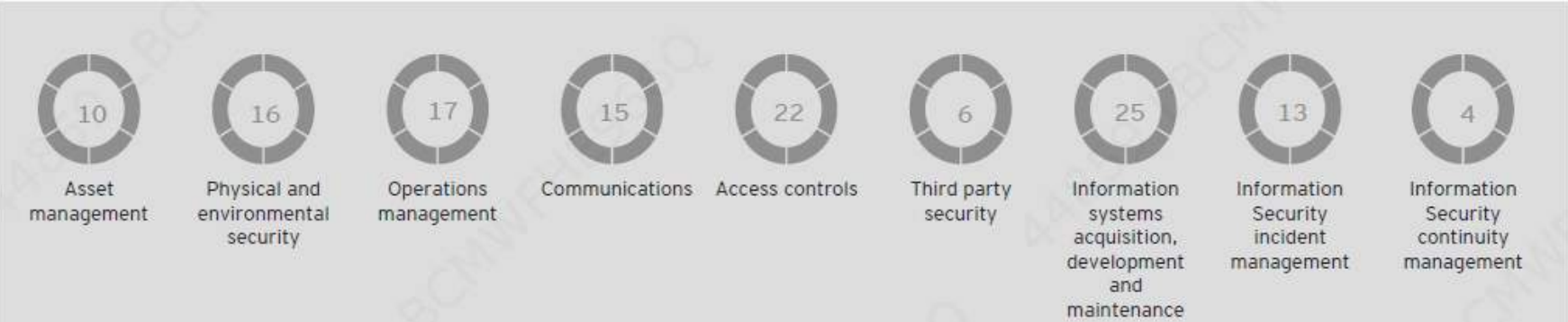
# NESA UAE Overview

The NESA IAS comprises of 60 management and 128 technical controls.  
Under the 188 controls NESA IAS defines 135 mandatory sub controls and 563 sub controls based on risk assessment with priorities assigned to each control

## Management control group domains



## Technical control group domains



Priority-wise control count	
Priority Level	Number of controls
P1	39
P2	69
P3	35
P4	45

Based on the circular released on **10th September 2018** by the Central Bank of the United Arab Emirates (UAE).  
All the banks in the UAE are required to comply with the NESA IAS, by adopting the best security standards and leading information security practices.

**ANY QUESTIONS?**

**Thank you**