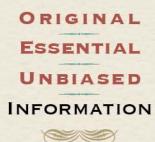
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Alliance Lite as a **SWIFT Connectivity Platform**

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Presentation Agenda

- Introductions Oxy & Trellis
- SWIFTNet and Alliance Lite
- Integration Options
- Costs and Benefits of Alliance Lite
- Alliance Lite at Oxy
- Project Background
- Current Situation
- Questions



Occidental Petroleum



- Int'l Oil and Gas E & P with Chemicals Company
- Founded 1920 30,000 employees & contractors
- Fourth largest US Oil & Gas Company
- Domestic operations in Texas, New Mexico, California, Kansas, Colorado & Utah
- Middle East/Africa in Qatar, Oman, Libya, Yemen & Bahrain
- South America in Colombia, Argentina & Bolivia
- Occidental Chemical in 11 US States plus Canada, Brazil and Chile



Trellis Integration Partners



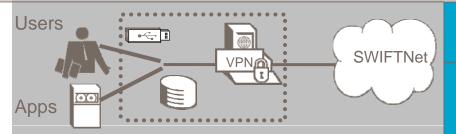
- Founded in 2007 by ex-Microsoft IT Treasury Members
- Specialty Consulting and Integration for SWIFT Technology
- Extends base Microsoft products into industry vertical solutions for corporate treasuries, community banks, investment managers and medical bankig participants
- Microsoft Gold Certified partner
- SWIFT partner and Alliance LITE Wholesaler



How to connect to SWIFTNet

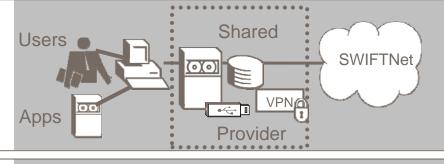
Private Infrastructure

SWIFTNet connectivity infrastructure owned and operated by the customer



Indirect Connectivity

SWIFTNet connectivity infrastructure owned and operated by third party



Outsource

Flexibility and

control

One time
1.5 KEUR
+ provider
cost

One time

25-50

KEUR

Yearly
7.7 KEUR
+ provider
cost

Yearly

20-25

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Alliance Lite

Simplified, Internet based, secure connectivity, more business oriented



Easy and light

One time

Yearly 10.2 KEUR

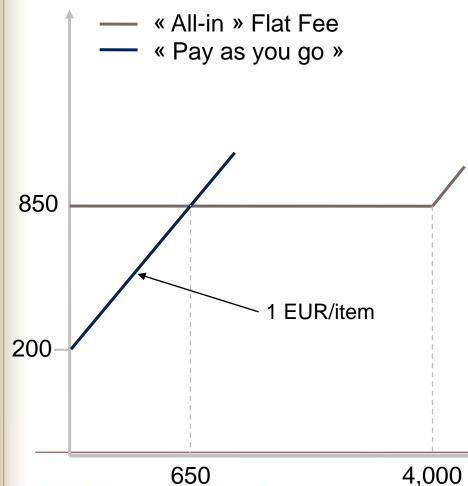
* Prices for average 200 FIN messages/day





Alliance Lite Pricing

Price (EUR/month)



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« All-in » Flat Fee

850 EUR/month, includes traffic up to 4000 items/month (+ 1.0 EUR/item > 4,000 items/month)

« Pay as you go »

200 EUR/month + 1.0 EUR/item

Monthly billing

1 item = 1 FIN MT, 1 InterAct, or 1 FileAct chunk (up to 100 KB)

Traffic (sent+received items/month)

4,000

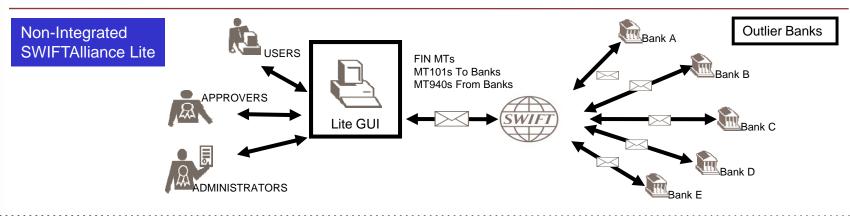


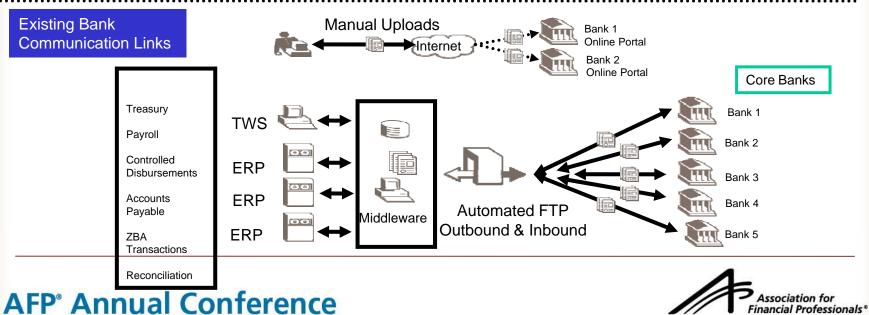
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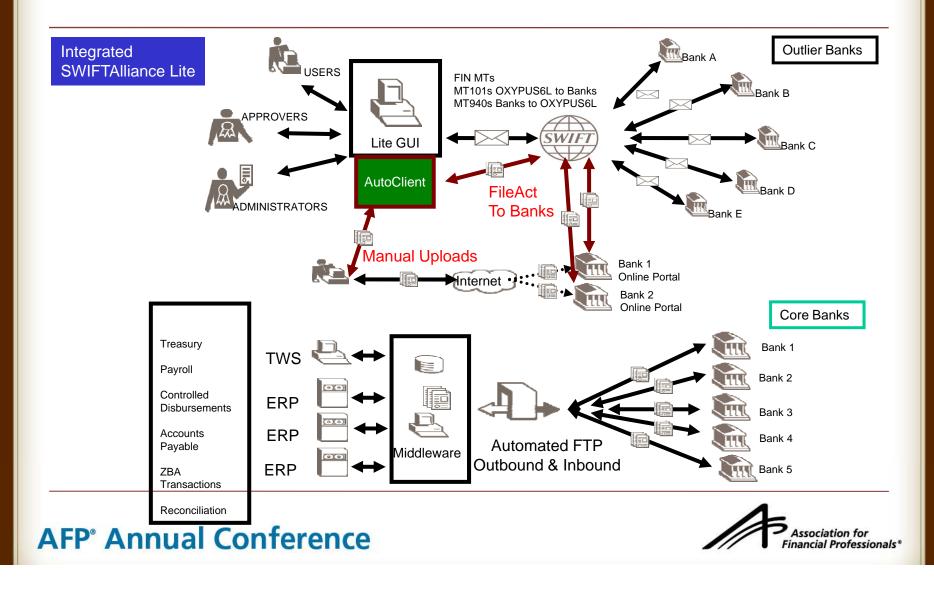


Alliance Lite in an non-integrated environment

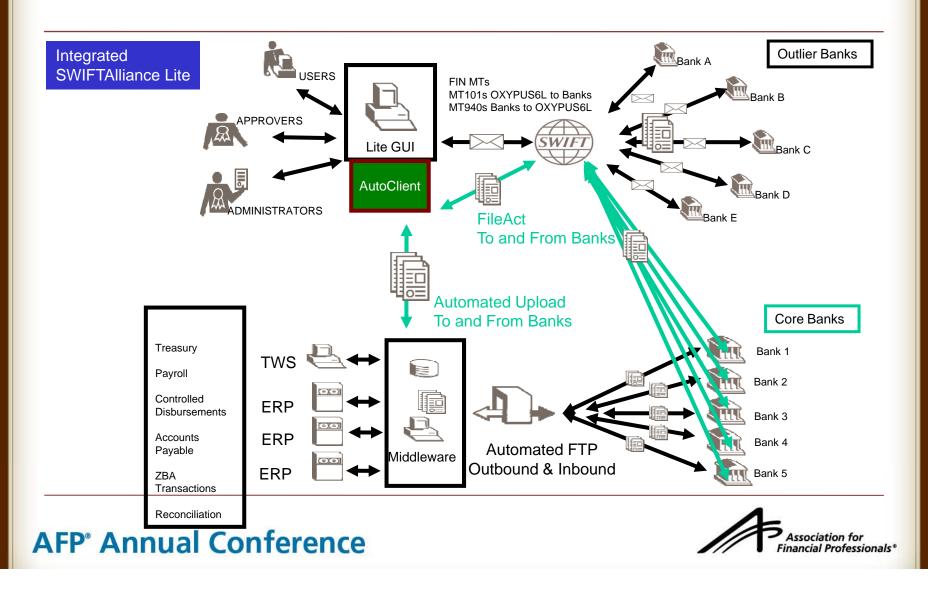




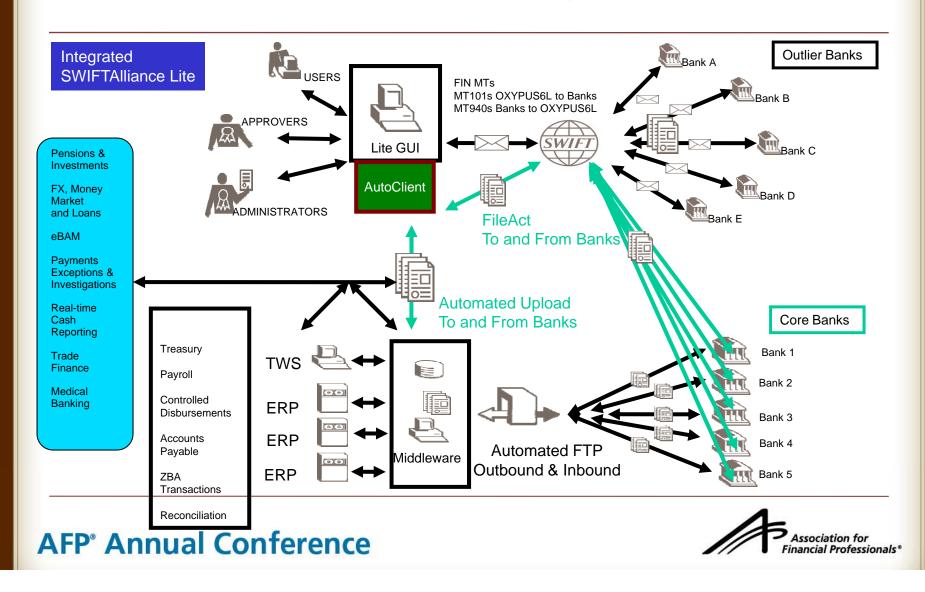
Alliance Lite in an integrated environment Manual file transfer via AutoClient & FileAct



Alliance Lite in an integrated environment Automated File Transfer via AutoClient & FileAct



Alliance Lite in an integrated environment Other potential processes for integration with SWIFT



Cash and Banking Systems at Oxy

- 130 US bank accounts concentrated in 2 main banks
- 160 International bank accounts in 24 countries with regional concentrations
- Multiple interfaces from ERP's to Banks for EFT payments
- Multiple bank on-line transaction systems
- Multiple interfaces from Treasury Workstation to bank on-line systems
- Several local Int'l banks with one-off systems
- Joint venture and non-operated assets



System Concerns & Challenges

- Time and effort requirement issues
- IT resource availability
- Increased exposure due to number of entry points
- Flexibility to add banks acquired via mergers and acquisitions
- Consolidate and simplify
- Position for the future



Project Background

- SWIFT identified as potential connectivity solution
- Joined SWIFT as a SCORE member
- Obtained company BEI
- Reviewed options for access to SWIFT
- Elected to subscribe to SWIFT Alliance Lite
 - Meet EFT needs of outlier banks (MT101)
 - Import balances and transaction data (MT940)
 - Familiarize company with SWIFT capabilities
- Ordered SWIFT Alliance Lite on line



Alliance Lite Functions and Capabilities

- Internet browser-based interface
- Secure Public Key Infrastructure (PKI)
- Supports multiple FIN Message Types (MT) including
 - MT 940 balance and transaction info
 - MT 101 transaction request
- Supports FileAct messages up to 100KB
- AutoClient allows automated send & receive
- Inbox/outbox function acts as a status dashboard
- Testing environment built into Lite



Alliance LITE Implementation

- On line ordering
- Thin client installation, administrators & users
- Selected banks for initial setup
- Send RMA messages to target banks
- Contact bank through regular treasury contacts
- Identify Bank SWIFT implementation team
- Begin dialog with SWIFT Team
- Define bank implementation requirements



Bank On boarding Requirements

- SCORE Service Level Agreement with each bank
- Transfer implementation forms
- Balance and transaction information forms
- Specific bank BIC to use for transfers
- Special field requirements
- Testing between bank and Lite test systems



Project Benefits

- Single channel for multiple banks
- Secure Internet access using UBS memory stick
- Low cost access to SWIFT
- Limited technology resources required
- Reduces need to add bank systems
- Reduces host to host interfaces
- Elimination of faxed wire requests
- Transaction templates eliminate rejects
- Built-in BICPlusIBAN Directory



Challenges & Lessons Learned

- Thin client conflict with bank system token
- Operating systems supported
- Connecting with proper people at banks
- Different on boarding requirements for each bank
- Different field requirements by bank
- Third party expertise very beneficial
- Time consuming process to implement



Standards – the lesson of the railroads

Standards represent a significant investment



Validation helps



Consider backward compatibility



Engineers will find a better standard



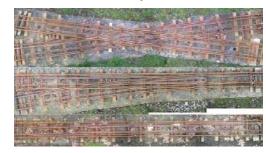
Watch for mushrooming in nascent technologies

1.000 m
1.067 m
1.435 m
1.520 m
1.600 m
1.668 m
1.750 m

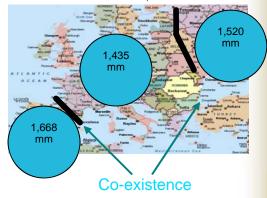
Co-existence is possible...



... but is inherently messy



Coexistence tends to work between domains, but not within







Lite will accommodate and insulate you from SWIFT standards in both a manual & integrated modes



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Q & A



