

Be aware of lock swaps. Protect your business.

What is lock swapping?

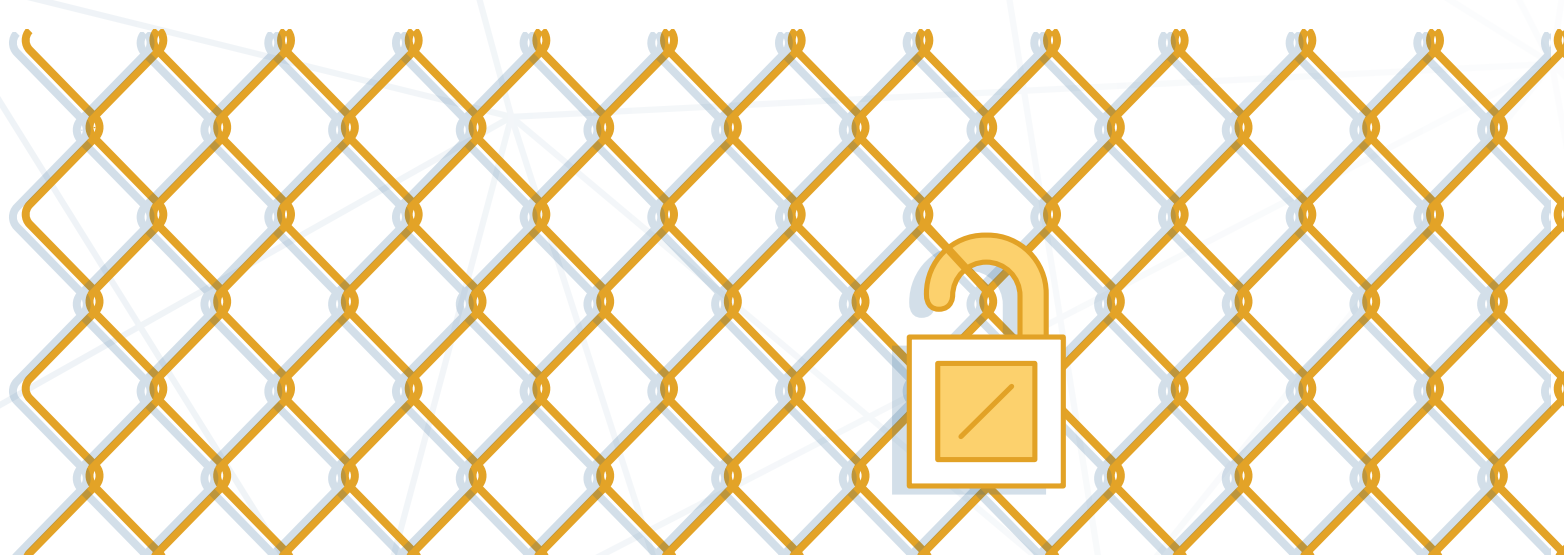
As burglars are becoming more sophisticated, premises security is more important than ever. One technique intruders use to access the property without suspicion is to swap the premise gate's original lock with one that's identical and return later to help themselves to the business' inventory.

How it works

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Unlocking the gate

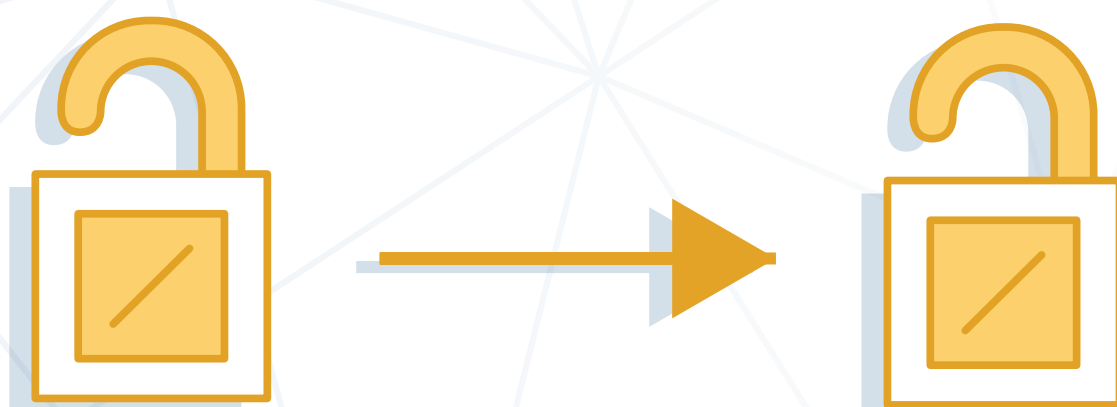
An employee unlocks the gate and leaves the lock hooked on the fence.



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The swap

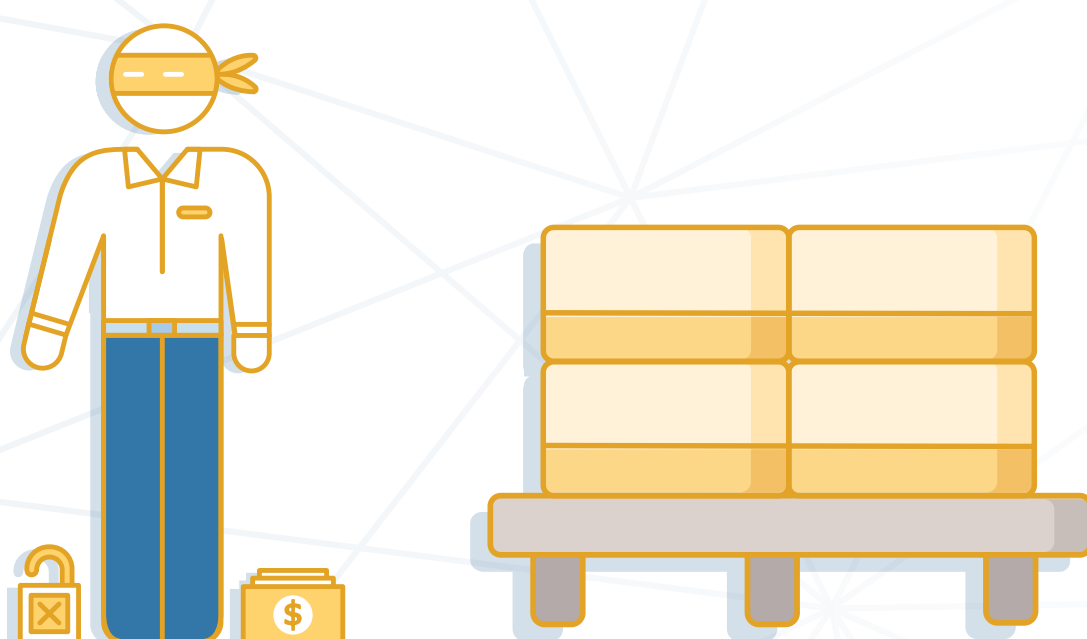
The culprit ensures security isn't present and exchanges the lock with a similar one of their own.



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The theft

When the business locks up for the night, they are using the lock that gives the burglar full access to the property, allowing the burglar to enter at a later time without any suspicion.



Be prepared

- Avoid leaving locks on gates
- Consider installing security cameras and alarm systems throughout your facilities
- Consider hiring a security guard to monitor your entrance

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