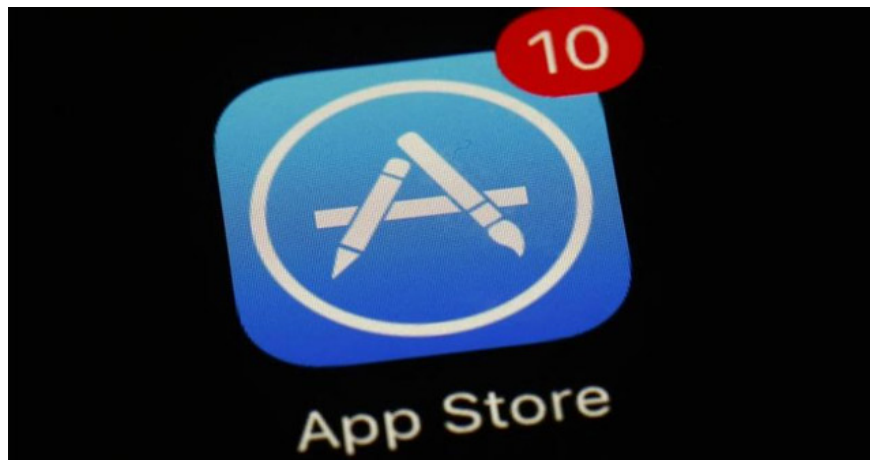


# Apple announced a list of requests to remove applications on the App Store of each country, including Vietnam

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For the first time, Apple unveiled a series of lists that required removal of malicious apps on different App Store's in the second half of 2018. This is part of Apple's new transparency policy announced. biennial.

According to Apple's report, in the last 6 months of 2018, this technology firm has received 80 requests from 11 countries, including Vietnam. Apple has removed a total of 634 applications from the App Store in countries around the world.



In Vietnam, Apple has removed 9 applications. Requests to remove Vietnamese applications relate to unlicensed games and gambling applications.

China is the most reflective country with 56 requests, of which 517 applications have been approved and removed. China's request to remove applications is primarily related to illegal gambling and pornography applications.

Country or Region <sup>1</sup>	# of Legal Violation Takedown Requests Received	# of Apps Specified in the Requests	# of Requests Challenged in Part or Rejected in Full	# of Requests Where App Removed	# of Apps Removed
<b>Asia Pacific</b>					
China mainland <sup>2</sup>	56	626	2	55	517
Vietnam <sup>3</sup>	3	29	3	1	9
<b>Asia Pacific Total</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>655</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>526</b>
<b>Europe, Middle East, India, Africa</b>					
Austria <sup>4</sup>	1	5	0	1	5
Kuwait <sup>5</sup>	1	6	1	1	5
Lebanon <sup>6</sup>	1	1	0	1	1
Netherlands <sup>4</sup>	2	8	0	2	8
Norway <sup>4</sup>	1	37	0	1	37
Russia <sup>4</sup>	10	11	0	9	10
Saudi Arabia <sup>5</sup>	1	25	0	1	25
Switzerland <sup>4</sup>	1	19	0	1	15
Turkey <sup>6</sup>	3	3	1	2	2
<b>Europe, Middle East, India, Africa Total</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>108</b>
<b>Worldwide Total</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>770</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>634</b>

However, Apple only announced the number of requests and the application was removed but not the names of the applications.

One of the most common reasons countries have made applications removed from the App Store is due to illegal gambling. In some countries like Kuwait, Saudi Arabia and Lebanon, applications that violate privacy laws are also required to be removed. Copyright infringement applications will be removed in Switzerland and Turkey.

Recently, Supercell game developer has announced to stop releasing its famous titles like Hay Day, Clash Royale and Clash of Clans . in Vietnam. The reason given by the company is due to some issues of legal regulations.

1. Dangerous application that can "penetrate" women's clothing in seconds has been removed

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