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# **The new role of the Business Register within the Integrated System of Registers**

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# Why an integrated system?

- To overcome a stovepipe organization model
- The development of a "multiple" approach in data collection: heterogeneity and variability (also in time) of the sources used for the production of statistical information
- The need for a 'reading' able to interpret the connections between phenomena (economic and social, demand and supply, ... ..)

It results in the need for:

- favouring "process" rather than "thematic" aspects since the deployment of **applications** and **methodologies** are **independent from the specificity** of information and therefore enable a high **generalization**
- identifying a transversality in information: as far as may be possible the integrated system must be thought - in its contents - as the only one supporting more statistical processes.

# What is the Integrated System of Registers (SIR)?

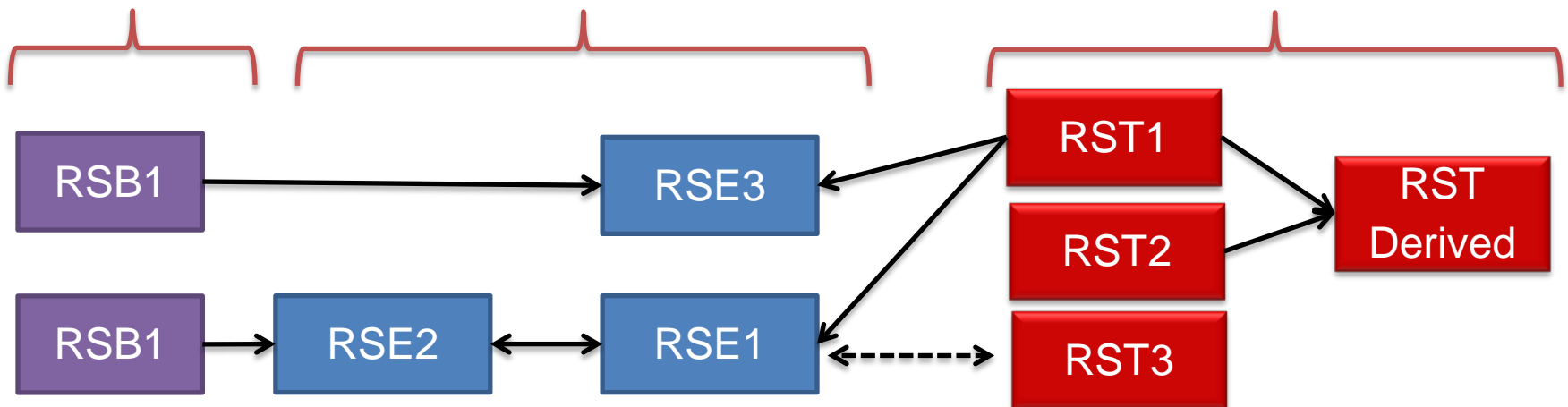
The SIR is a single logical and functional environment to support the consistency of Istat statistical production processes

- consistency in “identification” and “estimation” for the whole integrated system of units and variables (at least some core variables).

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Extended Statistical Registers (RSB)

Thematic Statistical Registers (RSB)

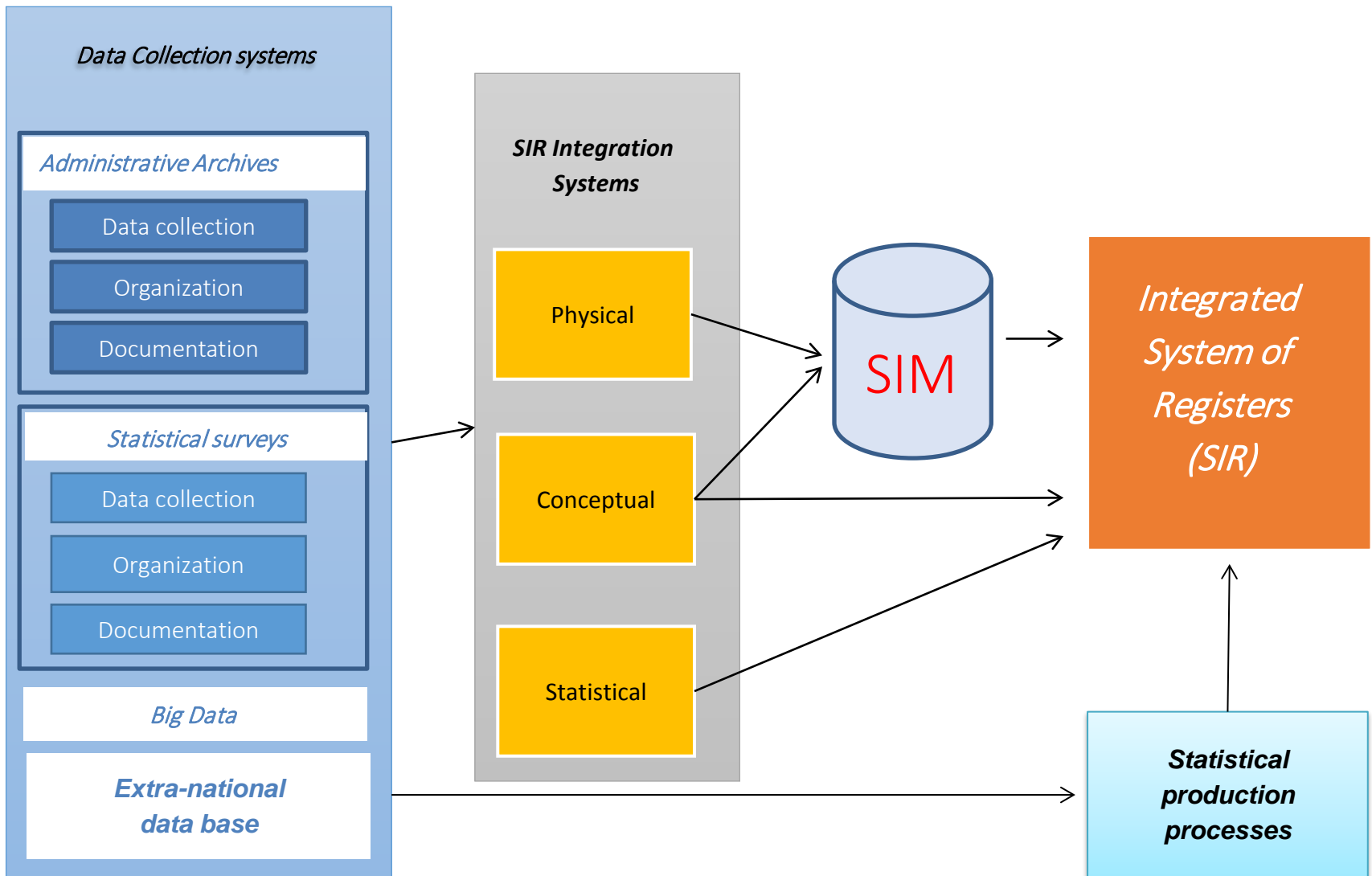


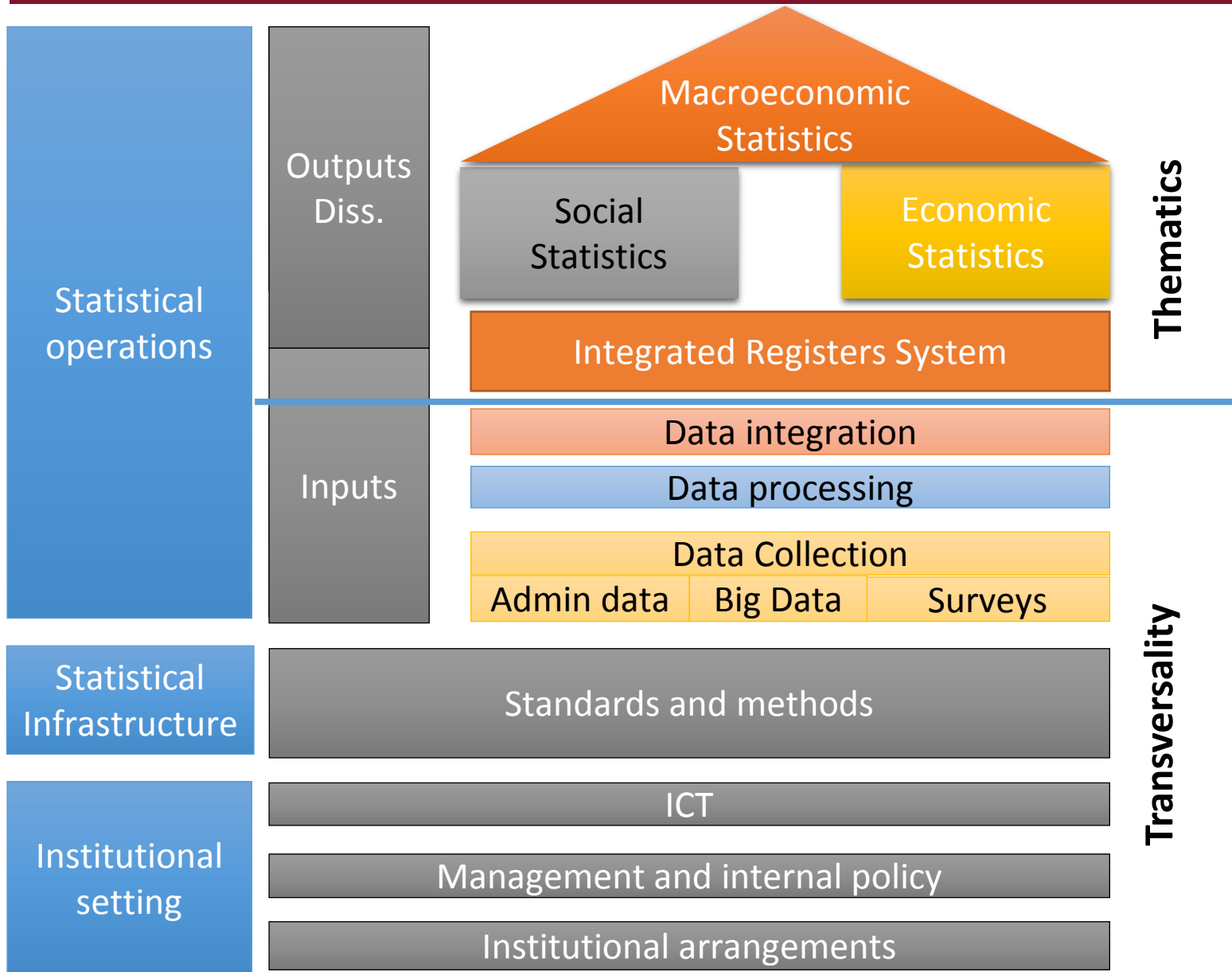
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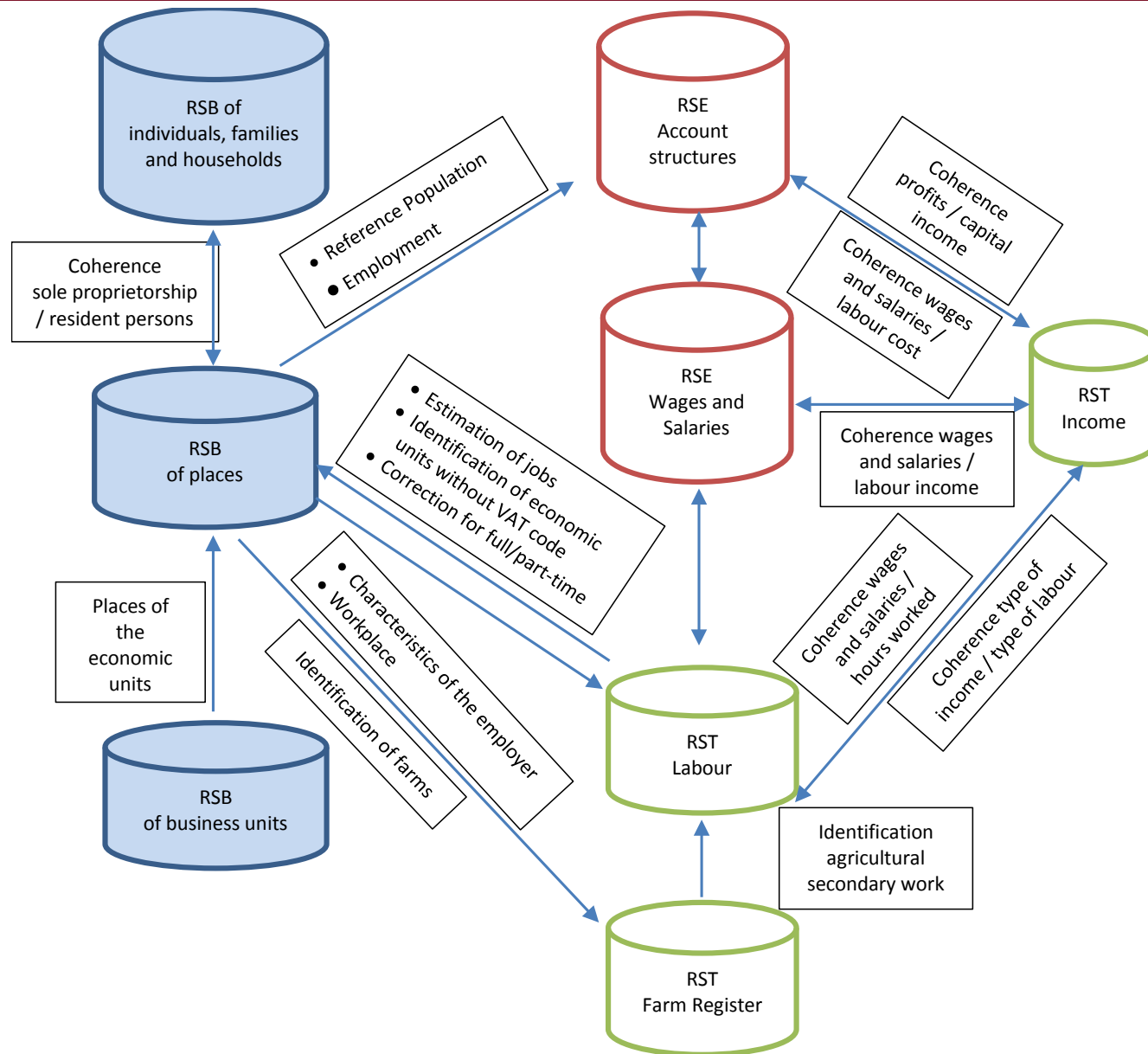
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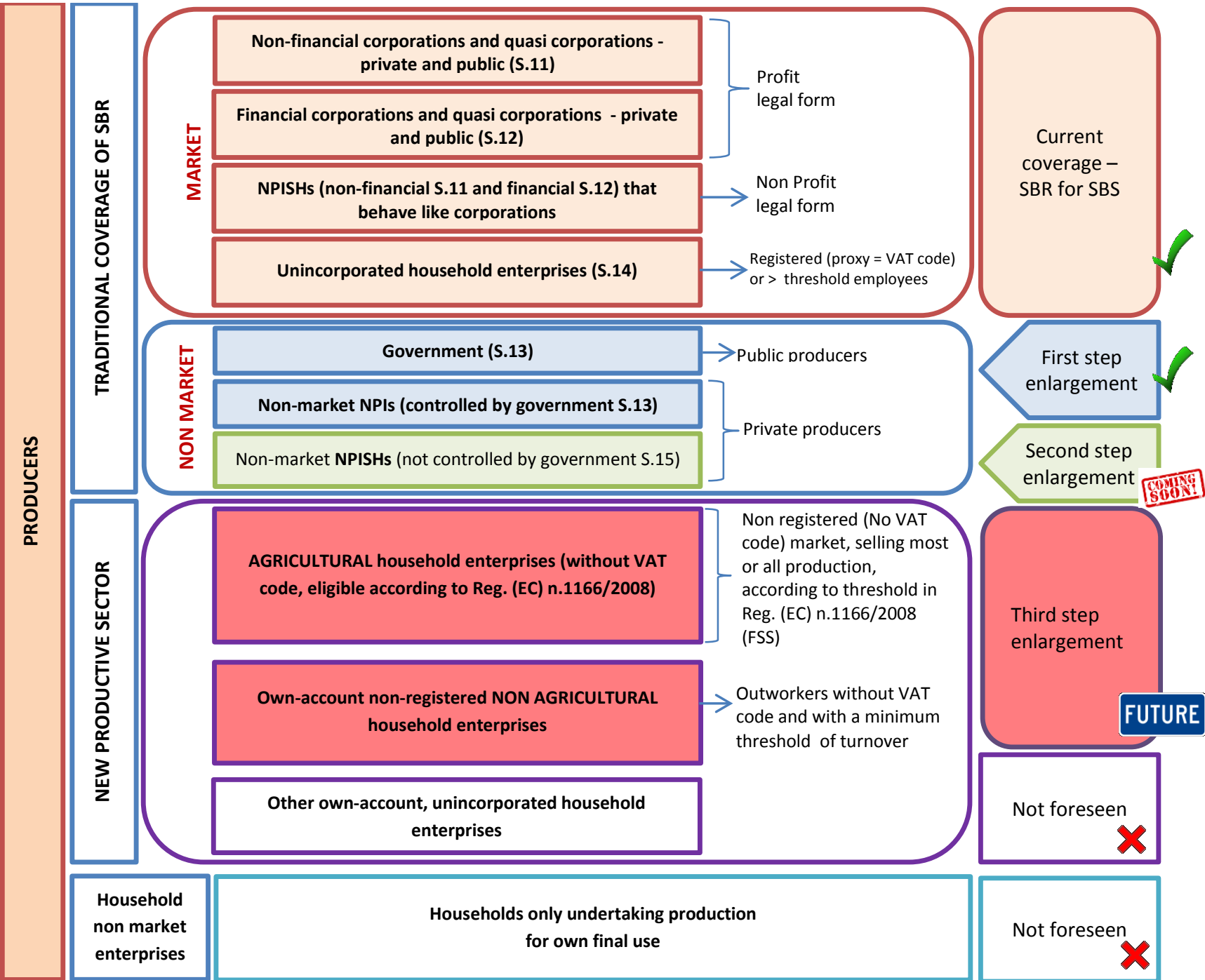
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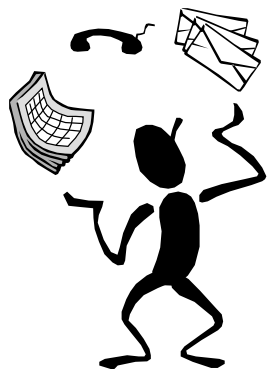






# Thanks!

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