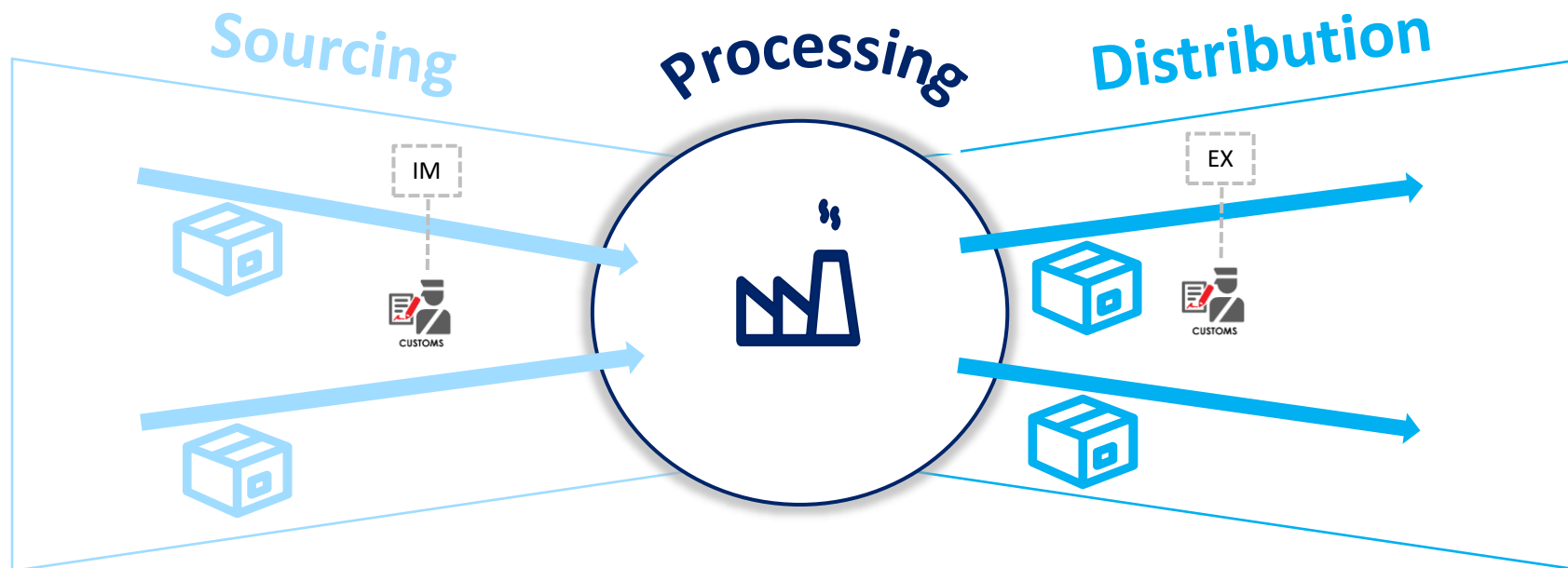


A way forward on Proof of Origin as Concrete
Trade Facilitating Measure
A private sector perspective



Supplier origin data collection



RoO application and origin determination



Origin certification and verification

Data collection



- Automation in the data collection phase (e.g. use of a company portal)
- Cumulation/Accumulation and evidence from suppliers (e.g. imported materials with a specific C/O form cannot qualify for other FTAs)

Application for origin certificates



- Latency between application and issuance of C/Os (national ecosystems upgrade?)
- Documentary evidence required (define a standard?)

Certification



- Origin certificate, self-certification or a combination
- Retrospective declaration of preferential origin for multiple import shipments (e.g. one consolidated origin statement instead of multiple)
- Certification waiver (e.g. low value goods)

Main pitfalls

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