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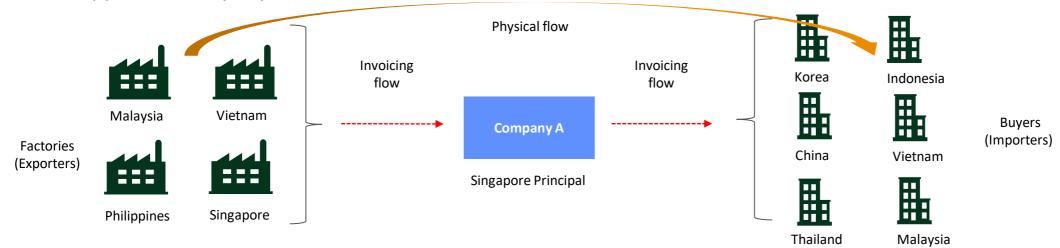


# RCEP – A New Paradigm in Asia's Trading Architecture

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## Case Study 1

### Electrical appliance company



# Free Trade Agreements (FTAs) available – APAC supply point

| Countries/FTAs       | ATIGA    | RCEP     | UK       | EU       | СРТРР    |
|----------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Malaysia <b>Sala</b> | <b>\</b> | >        | ×        | ×        | <b>/</b> |
| Vietnam              | <b>/</b> | <b>/</b> | <b>/</b> | <b>/</b> | <b>/</b> |
| Philippines          | <b>\</b> | >        | X        | ×        | X        |
| Singapore (:         | <b>/</b> | <b>\</b> | <b>/</b> | <b>/</b> | <b>/</b> |

#### FTA - Duty Reduction Opportunities - ATIGA/RCEP/CPTPP comparison

| Import country | HS code                      | MFN Rate | Preferential Rate (Year 1) |             |  |  |  |  |
|----------------|------------------------------|----------|----------------------------|-------------|--|--|--|--|
| Vietnam        | Vacuum Cleaner (8508.11/19)  | 25%      | ATIGA – 0%                 | RCEP – 25%  | CPTPP - 15% (B4)                       |  |  |  |
| *              | Fans (8414.51)               | 30%      | ATIGA – 0%                 | RCEP – 30%  | CPTPP – 23.2% (B4)                     |  |  |  |
| Thailand       | Vacuum Cleaner (8508.11/19)  | 30%      | ATIGA – 0%                 | RCEP – 28%  |  |  |  |  |
|                | Fans (8414.51)               | 20%      | ATIGA – 0%                 | RCEP – 20%  |  |  |  |  |
| Malaysia       | Vacuum Cleaner (8508.11/19)  | 20%      | ATIGA – 0%                 | RCEP – 20%  | CPTPP – 16.6% (B6)                     |  |  |  |
| <b>(*)</b>     | Fans (8414.51)               | 30%      | ATIGA – 0%                 | RCEP – 27%  | CPTPP – 25% (B6)                       |  |  |  |
| Indonesia      | Vacuum Cleaner (8508.11/19)  | 10%      | ATIGA – 0%                 | RCEP - 10%  |  |  |  |  |
|                | Fans (8414.51)               | 10%      | ATIGA -0%                  | RCEP - 10%  |  |  |  |  |
| China          | Vacuum Cleaner (8508.11/19)  | 10%      | ACFTA – 0%                 | RCEP – 0%   |  |  |  |  |
| *3             | Fans <b>(8414.51)</b>        | 8%       | ACFTA – 0%                 | RCEP – 0%   |  |  |  |  |
| Korea          | Vacuum Cleaner ((8508.11/19) | 8%       | AKFTA - 0%                 | RCEP – 7.5% |  |  |  |  |
| # # #          | Fans (8414.51)               | 8%       | AKFTA - 0%                 | RCEP – 0%   | ************************************** |  |  |  |

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## Comparison of FTA rules

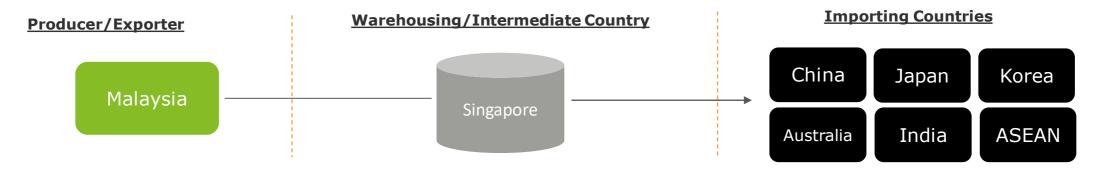
### Free Trade Agreements (FTAs) available – APAC supply point

|                            | ATIGA  | RCEP   | AKFTA   | ACFTA   | СРТРР   |
|----------------------------|--|--|---|---|---|
| Rules of Origin            | <ul><li>Regional Value Content 40%</li><li>Change in Tariff Heading</li></ul>    | <ul><li>Regional Value Content 40%</li><li>Change in Tariff Heading</li></ul>  | <ul><li>Regional Value Content 40%</li><li>Change in Tariff Heading</li></ul> | <ul><li>Regional Value Content 40%</li><li>Change in Tariff Heading</li></ul> | <ul> <li>Change in Tariff Heading</li> <li>RVC not less than 30% (build-up method)</li> <li>RVC not less than 40% (build-down method)</li> </ul>  |
| Third Country<br>Invoicing | • Yes  | • Yes  | • Yes   | • Yes   | Yes [Note: If invoice issued by non-party, origin statement to be issued separately from invoice]   |
| Cumulation                 | <ul><li>Yes</li><li>De minimis rule available</li></ul>                          | <ul><li>Yes</li><li>De minimis rule available</li></ul>  | <ul><li>Yes</li><li>De minimis rule available</li></ul>                       | <ul><li>Yes</li><li>De minimis rule available</li></ul>                       | <ul><li>Yes</li><li>De minimis rule available</li></ul>   |
| CO<br>requirement          | <ul> <li>Form D</li> <li>e-Form D</li> <li>AWSC (registered exporter)</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Certificate of Origin</li> <li>Declaration of Origin by<br/>Approved Exporter</li> <li>Declaration of Origin by<br/>Producer/Exporter (only<br/>selected countries have<br/>gone "live")</li> </ul> | • Form AK   | • Form E  | <ul> <li>No prescribed format</li> <li>Self-certification         [Note: importer certification within 5 years of implementation for Brunei, Malaysia, Mexico, Peru, Vietnam)     </li> </ul> |

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## Case Study 2

### Plastics manufacturer



#### **China - Duty Reduction**

| Classification<br>( <u>6 digit</u> level) | MFN rate | Preferential<br>rates under<br>ACFTA                                    | Preferential rates under RCEP |                         |          |             |          |          |             |             |             |                 |
|---|----------|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------|----------|-------------|----------|----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|
| 3901.10                                   | 6.5%     | For<br>39011000.10:<br>Interim rate in<br>2021 is 3%                    |                               | From Year 1 onwards: U* |          |             |          |          |             |             |             |                 |
| 3901.20                                   | 6.5%     | For 39012000.11<br>and<br>39012000.91:<br>Interim rate in<br>2021 is 3% |                               |                         |          | Fror        | n Year   | 1 onwai  | ds: U*      |             |             |                 |
| 3901.40                                   | 6.5%     | 0%  |                               |                         |          |             | Not a    | pplicabl | e           |             |             |                 |
| 3902.10                                   | 6.5%     | For<br>39021000.10:<br>Interim rate in<br>2021 is 3%                    |                               |                         |          | Fron        | n Year : | 1 onwar  | ds: 0%      |             |             |                 |
| 3902.30                                   | 6.5%     | 0%  |                               |                         |          | Fron        | n Year : | 1 onwar  | ds: 0%      |             |             |                 |
| 3907.20                                   | 6.5%     | For 3907.2010:<br>Interim rate in<br>2021 is 3%                         | From Year 1 onwards: 0%       |                         |          |             |          |          |             |             |             |                 |
| 3907.20.90                                | 6.5%     | Interim rate in 2021 is 3%  | Yr<br>1                       | Yr<br>2                 | Yr<br>3  | <u>Yr</u> 4 | Yr 5     | Yr 6     | <u>Yr</u> 7 | <u>Yr</u> 8 | <u>Yr</u> 9 | <u>Yr</u><br>10 |
|   |          |   | 5.9<br>%                      | 5.2<br>%                | 4.6<br>% | 3.9<br>%    | 3.3<br>% | 2.6<br>% | 2.0<br>%    | 1.3<br>%    | 0.7<br>%    | 0%              |

#### Japan - Duty Reduction

| Classification<br>( <u>6 digit</u> level) | MFN rate<br>(as of 2021)  | Preferential<br>rates under MY-<br>JP (MJEPA)<br>(as of 2021) | Preferential<br>rates under<br>AJFTA<br>(as of<br>2021) | Preferential rates<br>under RCEP<br>(Year 1)                                     |
|---|---|---|---|--|
| 3901.10                                   | 3901.10.021: 6.5% (Temporary(*): 0%)<br>3901.10.029: 6.5%<br>3901.10.061: 6.5% (Temporary: 0%)<br>3901.10.069: 6.5%<br>3901.10.091: 2.8% (Temporary: 0%)<br>3901.10.099: 2.8% | 0%  | 0%  | 0%   |
| 3901.20                                   | 3901.20.011: 6.5% (Temporary: 0%) 3901.20.019: 6.5% 3901.20.091: 6.5% (Temporary: 0%) 3901.20.099: 6.5%   | 0%  | 0%  | 0%   |
| 3901.40                                   | 3901.40.011: 2.8% (Temporary: 0%) 3901.40.019: 2.8% 3901.40.091: 2.8% (Temporary: 0%) 3901.40.099: 2.8%   | 0%  | 0%  | 3901.40.011: 0%<br>3901.40.019: 0%<br>3901.40.091: 2.6% *<br>3901.40.099: 2.6% * |
| 3902.10                                   | 6.5%  | 0%  | 0%  | 0%   |
| 3902.30                                   | 2.8%  | 0%  | 0%  | 0%   |
| 3907.20                                   | 3907.20.100: 0%<br>3907.20.910: 2.8%<br>3907.20.990: 2.8%   | 0%  | 0%  | 0%   |

### <u> Australia - Duty Reduction</u>

| Classificati<br>on ( <u>6 digit</u><br>level) | MFN<br>rate | Preferential<br>rates under<br>MY-AU<br>(MAFTA) | Preferential<br>rates under<br>AANZFTA<br>(as of<br>2020) |                 | Pre            | ferential rat    | es under RCE      | P               |              |
|---|-------------|---|---|-----------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|-----------------|--------------|
| 3901.10                                       | 5%          | 0%  | 0%  | <u>Yr</u> 1- 10 | <u>Yr</u> 11-1 | 2 <u>Yr</u> 13-1 | 5 <u>Yr</u> 16-17 | <u>Yr</u> 18-19 | <u>Yr</u> 20 |
|   |             |   |   | 5%              | 4%             | 3%               | 2%                | 1%              | 0%           |
| 3901.20                                       | 5%          | 0%  | 0%  | <u>Yr</u> 1- 10 | <u>Yr</u> 11-1 | 2 <u>Yr</u> 13-1 | 5 <u>Yr</u> 16-17 | <u>Yr</u> 18-19 | <u>Yr</u> 20 |
|   |             |   |   | 5%              | 4%             | 3%               | 2%                | 1%              | 0%           |
| 3901.40                                       | 5%          | Not in<br>schedule of<br>tariff<br>commitments  | Not in<br>schedule of<br>tariff<br>commitments            |                 | Not in         | schedule of t    | ariff commitm     | ents            |              |
| 3902.10                                       | 5%          | 0%  | 0%  | <u>Yr</u> 1- 10 | <u>Yr</u> 11-1 | 2 <u>Yr</u> 13-1 | 5 <u>Yr</u> 16-17 | <u>Yr</u> 18-19 | <u>Yr</u> 20 |
|   |             |   |   | 5%              | 4%             | 3%               | 2%                | 1%              | 0%           |
| 3902.30                                       | 5%          | 0%  | 0%  | <u>Yr</u> 1-2   |                | <u>Yr</u> 3-4    | <u>Yr</u> 5-6     | Ϋ́τ             | 7            |
|   |             |   |   | 4%              |                | 3%               | 2%                | 09              | %            |
| 3907.20                                       | 5%          | 0%  | 0%  | <u>Yr</u> 1- 10 | <u>Yr</u> 11-1 | 2 <u>Yr</u> 13-1 | 5 <u>Yr</u> 16-17 | <u>Yr</u> 18-19 | <u>Yr</u> 20 |
|   |             |   |   | 5%              | 4%             | 3%               | 2%                | 1%              | 0%           |

### **Korea - Duty Reduction**

| Classification<br>( <u>6 digit</u><br>level) | MFN<br>rate | Preferential<br>rates under<br>AKFTA |          |             |             | Prefe       | rential ra   | tes unde  | er RCEP |              |             |                  |
|--|-------------|--------------------------------------|----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|---------|--------------|-------------|------------------|
| 3901.10                                      | 6.5%        | 5%                                   | Yr 2     | Yr 4        | <u>Yr</u> 6 | Xr 8        | Yr 10        | Yr 12     | Yr 14   | Yr 16        | Yr 18       | <u>Yr</u><br>20+ |
|  |             |                                      | 6.2%     | 5.9%        | 5.5%        | 5.2%        | 4.9%         | 4.6%      | 4.2%    | 3.9%         | 3.6%        | 3.3%             |
| 3901.20                                      |             |                                      |          |             |             |             |              |           |         |              |             |                  |
| 3901.20.10.00                                | 6.5%        | 5%                                   | Yr 2     | <u>Yr</u> 4 | Yr 6        | Yr 8        | Yr 10        | Yr 12     | Yr 14   | Yr 16        | Yr 18       | Yr<br>20+        |
|  |             |                                      | 6.2%     | 5.9%        | 5.5%        | 5.2%        | 4.9%         | 4.6%      | 4.2%    | 3.9%         | 3.6%        | 3.3%             |
| 3901.20.90.00                                | 6.5%        | 5%                                   | Yr 2     | Yr 4        | Yr 6        | Yr 8        | Yr 10        | Yr 12     | Yr 14   | <u>Yr</u> 15 |             |                  |
|  |             |                                      | 5.6%     | 4.8%        | 3.9%        | 3.0%        | 2.2%         | 1.3%      | 0.4%    | 0%           |             |                  |
| 3901.40                                      | 6.5%        | 5%                                   | No infor | mation ir   | the tarif   | f commit    | ments sch    | nedule ta | ble.    |              |             |                  |
|  |             |                                      |          |             |             |             |              |           |         |              |             |                  |
| 3902.10                                      | 6.5%        | 5%                                   | Yr 2     | Yr 4        | Yr 6        | <u>Yr</u> 8 | <u>Yr</u> 10 | Yr 12     | Yr 14   | Yr 16        | Yr 18       | Yr<br>20+        |
|  |             |                                      | 5.9%     | 5.2%        | 4.6%        | 3.9%        | 3.3%         | 2.6%      | 2.0%    | 1.3%         | 0.7%        | 0%               |
| 3902.30                                      | 6.5%        | 0%                                   | Yr 1     | Yr 2        | Yr 3        | Yr 4        | Yr 5         | Yr 6      | Yr 7    | Yr 8         | <u>Yr</u> 9 | <u>Yr</u> 10     |
|  |             |                                      | 5.9%     | 5.2%        | 4.6%        | 3.9%        | 3.3%         | 2.6%      | 2.0%    | 1.3%         | 0.7%        | 0%               |
| 3907.20                                      | 6.5%        | 0%                                   | Yr 1     | Yr 2        | <u>Yr</u> 3 | Yr 4        | Yr 5         | Yr 6      | Yr 7    | Yr 8         | <u>Yr</u> 9 | <u>Yr</u> 10     |
|  |             |                                      | 5.9%     | 5.2%        | 4.6%        | 3.9%        | 3.3%         | 2.6%      | 2.0%    | 1.3%         | 0.7%        | 0%               |
| 3907.20.20.00                                | 6.5%        | 5%                                   | From Ye  | ar 1 onw    | ards: U*    |             |              |           |         |              |             |                  |
|  |             |                                      |          |             |             |             |              |           |         |              |             |                  |

### Indonesia - Duty Reduction

| Classification<br>( <u>6 digit</u> level) | MFN<br>rate | Preferential<br>rates under<br>ATIGA |                         |              | P           | referen     | tial rates   | s unde | r RCEI   | P            |             |              |
|---|-------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------|----------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| 3901.10                                   | 10%         | 0%                                   |                         |              | From        | Year 1 c    | nwards:      | U (*re | fer to r | note)        |             |              |
| 3901.10.99.10                             | 10%         | 0%                                   | Yr 1                    | Yr 2         | <u>Yr</u> 3 | <u>Yr</u> 4 | Yr 5         | Yr 6   | Yr 7     | <u>Yr</u> 8  | <u>Yr</u> 9 | <u>Yr</u> 10 |
|   |             |                                      | 10%                     | 9%           | 8%          | 7%          | 6%           | 5%     | 4%       | 3%           | 2%          | 0%           |
| 3901.20                                   | 15%         | 0%                                   |                         |              | From        | Year 1 c    | nwards:      | U (*re | fer to r | note)        |             |              |
| 3901.40                                   | 5%          | 0%                                   |                         |              |             |             | 0%           |        |          |              |             |              |
| 3902.10                                   | 10%         | 0%                                   |                         |              | From        | Year 1 c    | nwards:      | U (*re | fer to r | note)        |             |              |
| 3902.30                                   | 5%          | 0%                                   |                         |              | From        | Year 1 c    | nwards:      | U (*re | fer to r | note)        |             |              |
| 3902.30.90                                | 10%         | 5%                                   | <u>Yr</u> 1-9           | <u>Yr</u> 10 | Yr 12       | Yr 14       | <u>Yr</u> 16 | Yr     | 18       | <u>Yr</u> 20 | Yr 22       | Yr 23<br>+   |
|   |             |                                      | 10%                     | 9.9%         | 9.2%        | 8.4%        | 7.7%         | 6.9    | 9% (     | 5.1%         | 5.4%        | 5%           |
| 3907.20                                   | 5%          | 0%                                   | From Year 1 onwards: 0% |              |             |             |              |        |          |              |             |              |
| 3907.20.90                                | 5%          | 0%                                   | Yr 1                    | Yr 3         | Yr 5        | Yr 7        | <u>Yr</u> 9  | Yr     | 11       | <u>Yr</u> 13 | Yr 15 on    | wards        |
|   |             |                                      | 4.6%                    | 4.0%         | 3.3%        | 2.6%        | 2.0%         | 1.     | 3%       | 0.7%         | 0%          | o o          |

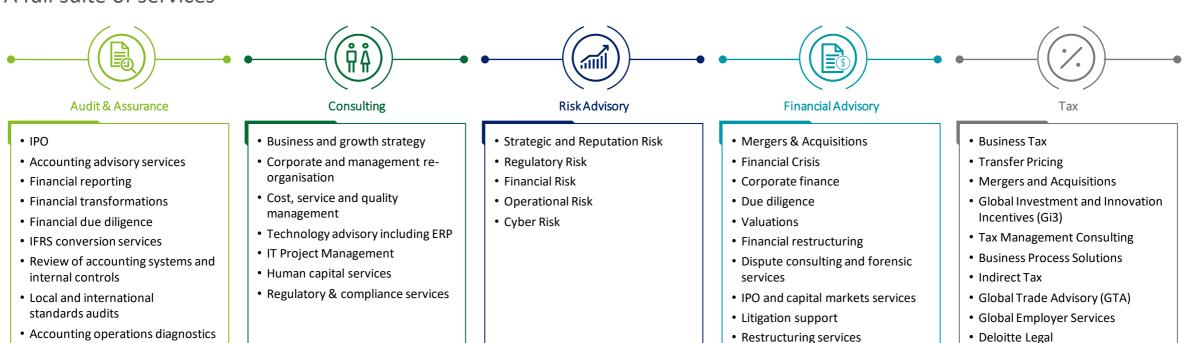
### **India - Duty Reduction**

| Classification<br>( <u>6 digit</u> level) | MFN rate | Preferential rates under MY-IN* | Preferential rates under AIFTA** |
|---|----------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 3901.10                                   | 10%      | 5%                              | 5%                               |
| 3901.20                                   | 10%      | 5%                              | 5%                               |
| 3901.40                                   | 10%      | 5%                              | 5%                               |
| 3902.10                                   | 10%      | 5%                              | 5%                               |
| 3902.30                                   | 10%      | 5%                              | 5%                               |
| 3907.20                                   | 10%      | 0%                              | 0%                               |

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