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Definition of Informal sector in the Philippines

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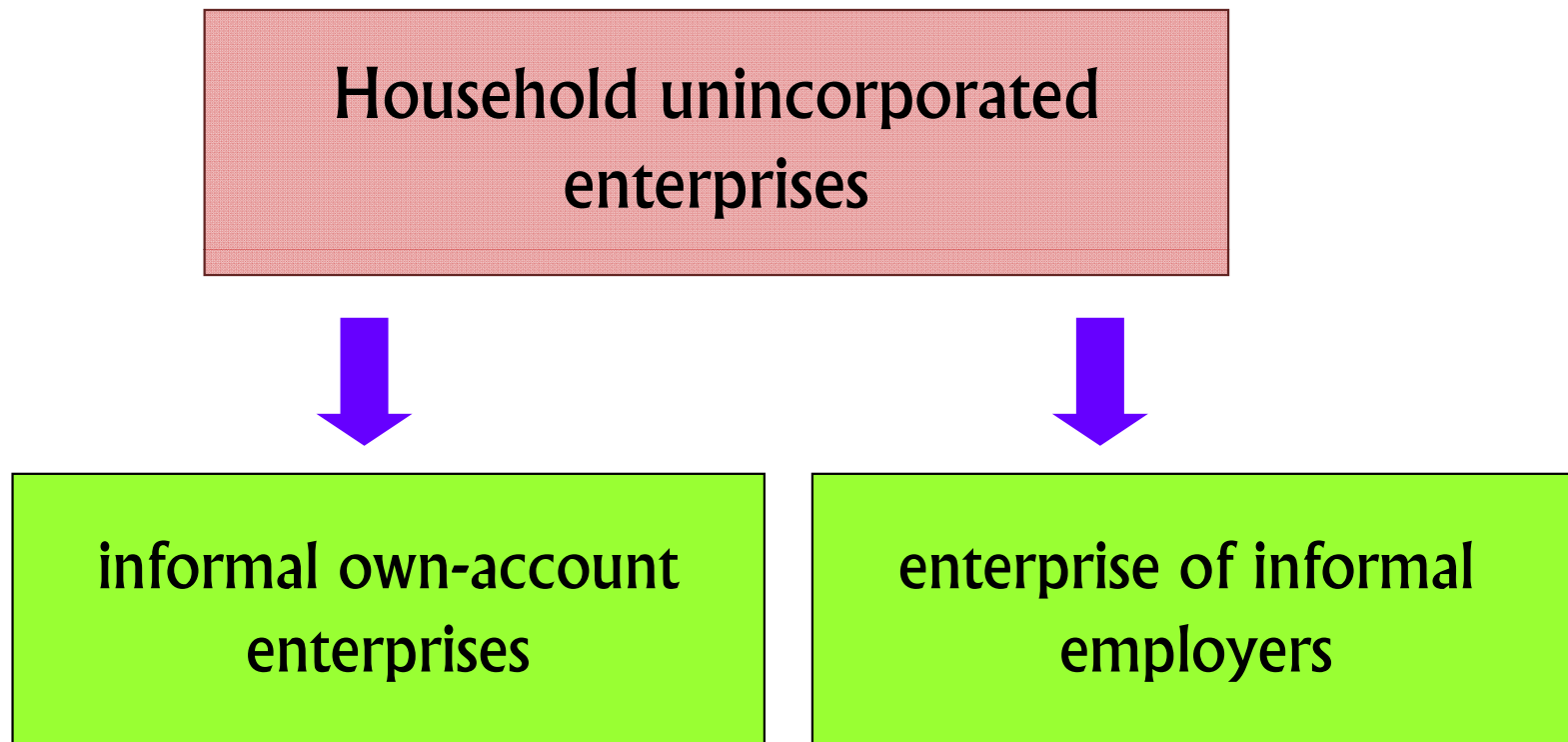
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What is Informal Sector?

Operational Definition:



NSCB Resolution No. 15, series of 2002
(Adoption of an Official Definition on the Informal Sector)



Informal own-account enterprises

- owned and operated by own-account workers
- either alone or in partnership with members of the same or other household
- may employ unpaid family workers as well as occasionally/seasonally hired workers
- do not employ employees on a continuous basis.



Enterprises of informal employers

- owned and operated by own-account workers
- either alone or in partnership with members of the same or other household
- may employ one or more employees on a continuous basis



Excluded from informal sector

- Corporations
- Quasi-corporations
- Units with 10 or more employees
- Corporate farms
- Commercial livestock raising
- Commercial fishing



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