Webinar on *Exploring digital-trade regulations to promote inclusive and sustainable regional integration in Asia and the Pacific* 

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ESCAP-OECD collaboration on digital trade regulatory analysis

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#### **Outline**

- The ESCAP-OECD Initiative on digital trade regulatory analysis
- UN common framework and index for regional digital trade integration analysis (RDTII)
- Emerging recommendations from the ESCAP-OECD Asia-Pacific Digital Trade Regulatory Review







**Building knowledge base** 



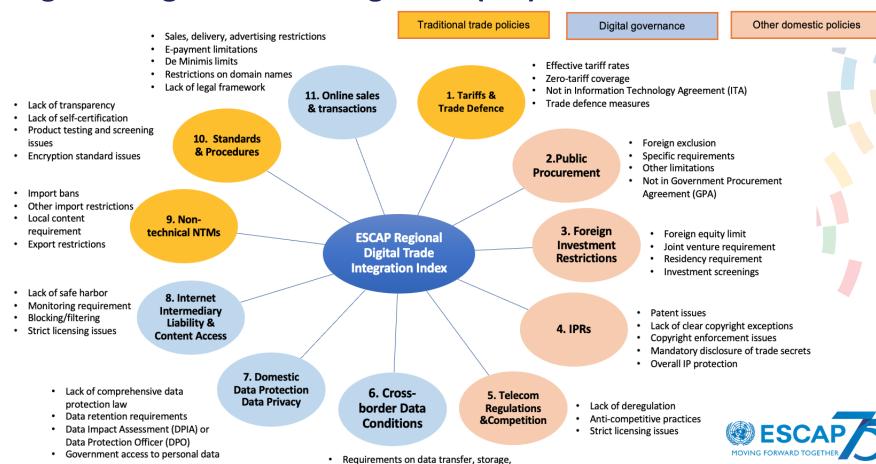
Joint report based on the UN Regional Commissions' Regional Digital Trade Integration Index (RDTII);

and OECD Digital and Computer Services Restrictiveness Indices (DSTRI + CSTRI)





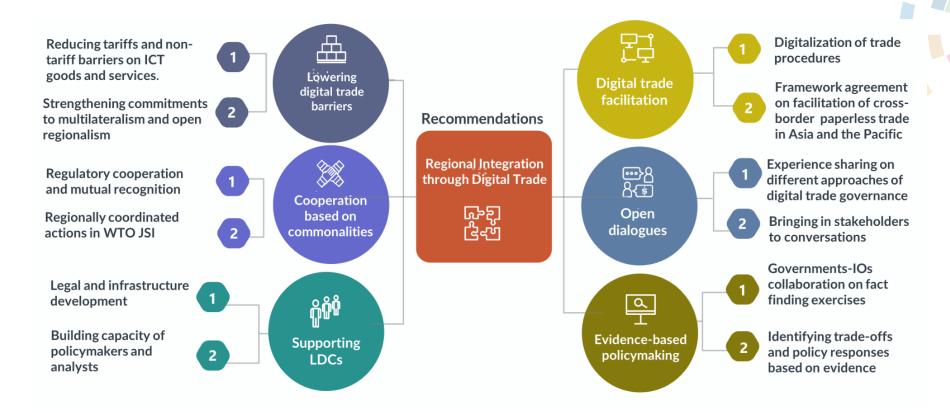
#### **UN Regional Digital Trade Integration (1.0) Framework**



Requirements on consent, evaluation, approval

processing

# Toward regional integration through digital trade in Asia and the Pacific



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### Way forward

- Continued collaboration with OECD and other partners to improve methodology + update and expand dataset
  - UN and other international organizations; Academia
  - Governments
- On-demand capacity building and technical assistance to Member States to develop evidence-based digital trade policy frameworks

