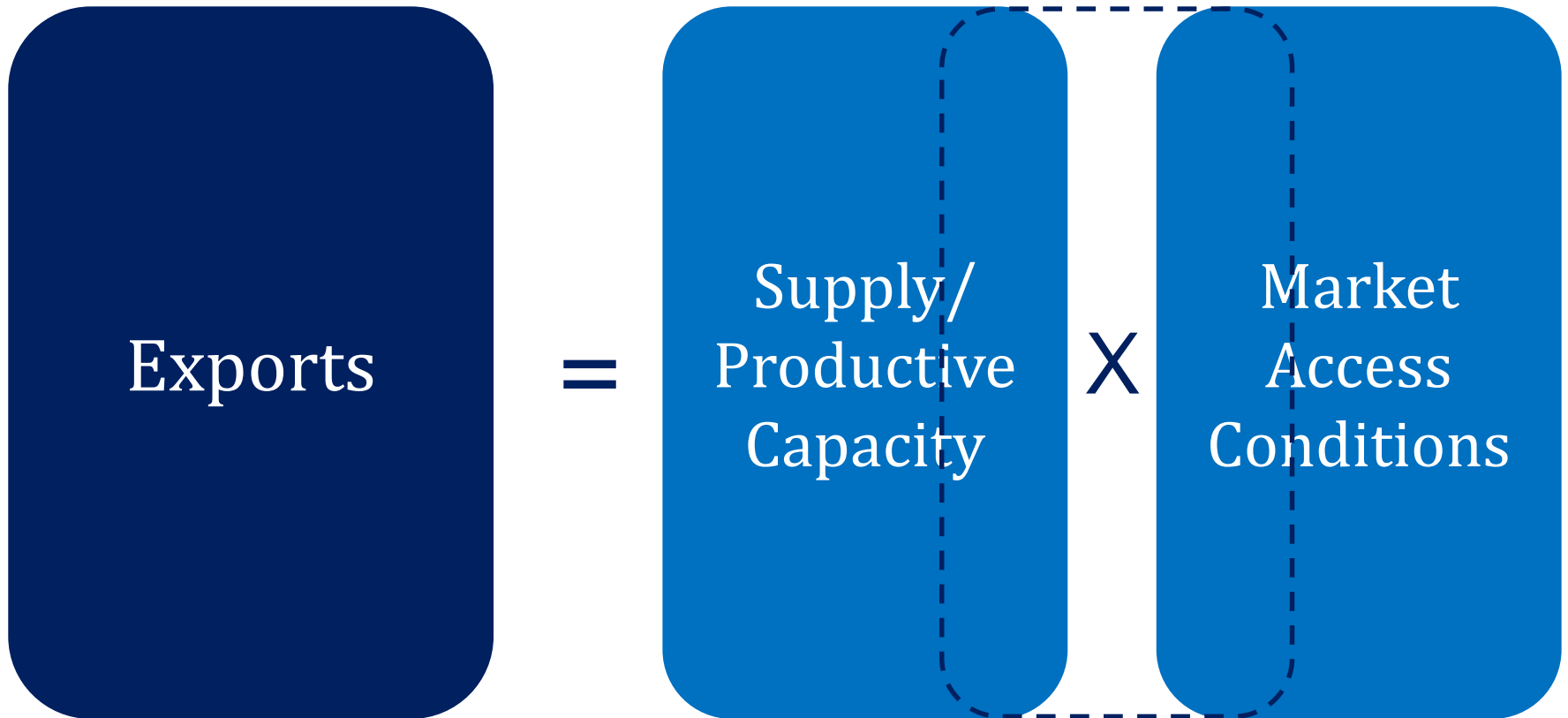


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- Overlap:
 - How easily/readily could the productive capacity adapt to new product requirements?
 - e.g. Public and private standards
 - e.g. Increased level of transformation
 - Access to capital (physical & technological)
 - How easily/readily could the labour force respond to the necessary productive capacity evolution?
 - Institutional functioning of the labour market
 - Employability of formal and informal workers
 - Matching between new and old skills



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- A tractable, flexible and easily implementable integrated Diagnostic Framework is needed
- “Market Access, Trade and Sustainable Development: The Labour Market Channel”
- Clear association between market access and labour market features based on recent conceptual advancements (labour markets are not perfect markets; informality is a salient characteristic)
- Conclusions remain essentially qualitative (not a simulation tool) but retrieved from precise and transparent quantitative indicators (obtained with the use of disaggregated / micro-level information)

