

# Simple Modelling Tools for Trade Policy Analysis

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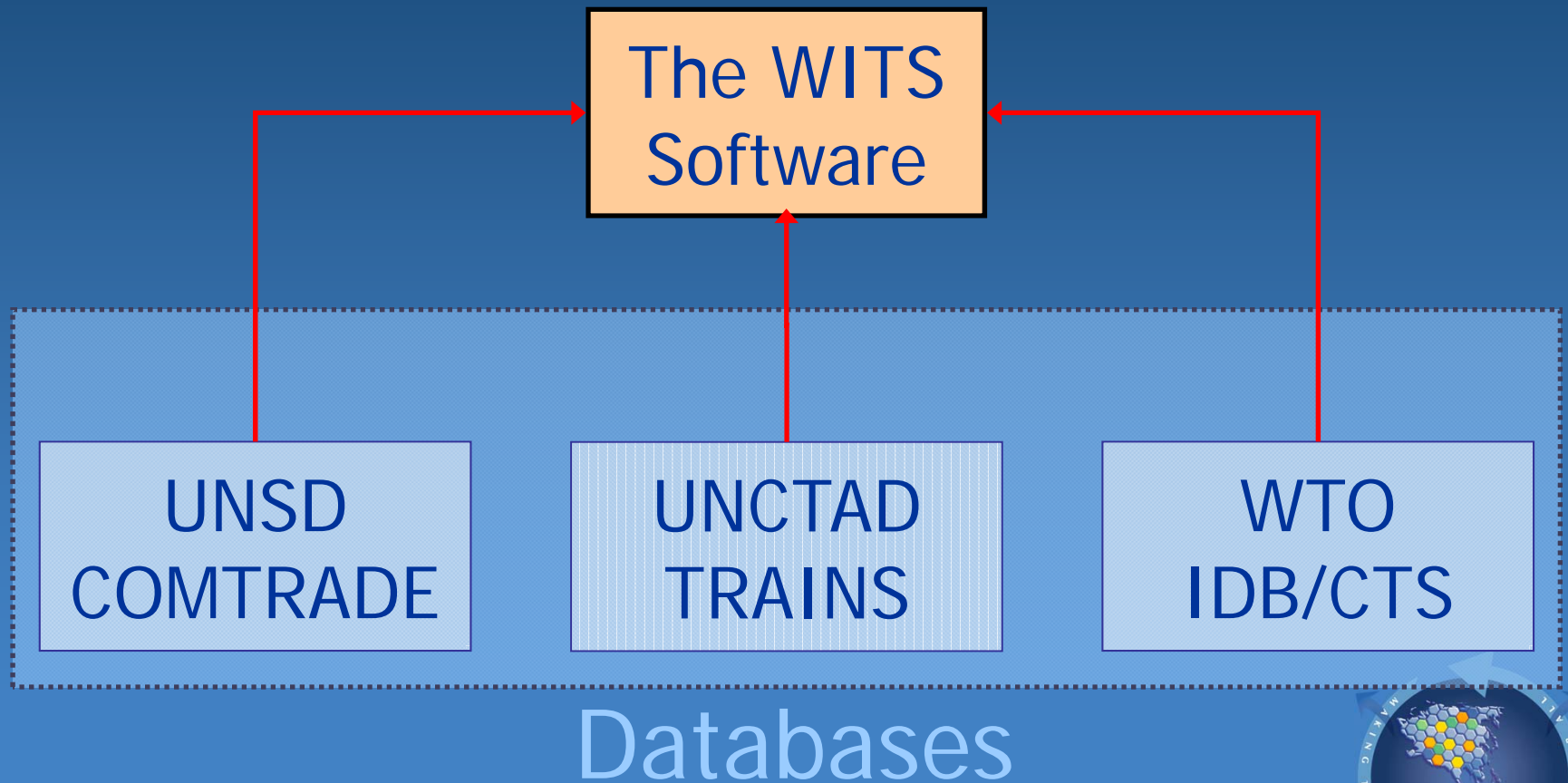
# Outline

- What is WITS and How to Access
- Quick search
- Advanced search
- SMART Simulations on tariff formulation and tariff cuts



# What is WITS?

WITS is a software, not a database,  
but it sits on databases.

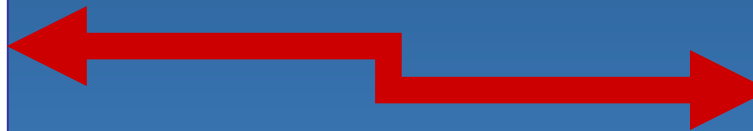


# The WITS Technology

WITS is client-server based



Connected  
via Internet



The WITS **Server**  
WB – HQ

The WITS **Client**  
Your computer

Hosts the Databases

No data



# What is WITS?

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The WITS software is both :

- A **gateway** to trade and protection statistics
- An **analytical tool** :
  - Data extraction and analysis
  - Tariff change simulations



# Getting Access to WITS

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A 2 step process:

1. Registration is required for first time users
2. Connect to WITS server through Internet

For all information and registration,  
visit WITS website at:  
<http://wits.worldbank.org>



# Databases of WITS

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- TRAINS (**UNCTAD**)
- COMTRADE (**UN Statistics Division**)
- Integrated Database (**IDB-WTO**)
- Consolidated Tariff Schedule (**CTS-WTO**)



# Databases of WITS

## TRADE

Rev 1: 1962 –

Rev 2: 1972 –

Rev 3: 1988 –

Rev 4: 2007 –

versions of HS (1988/92, 1996,  
and 2007)

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