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# Plastic Cards Statistics Project for Capturing Tourism Statistics

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## ***Objective:***

*Aim to capture Tourism activities internally and externally*

## ***Process:***

*Technical documents and system are ready for transactions related to POS and NON-UAE Switch (ATMs).*

## ***How:***

Information will be collected from both the issuers and acquirers of cards for cross checking purposes.

*The MCC (merchant code) will provide the country and activity details.*

*We will have the capacity to collect data which belongs to Global Innovation index*

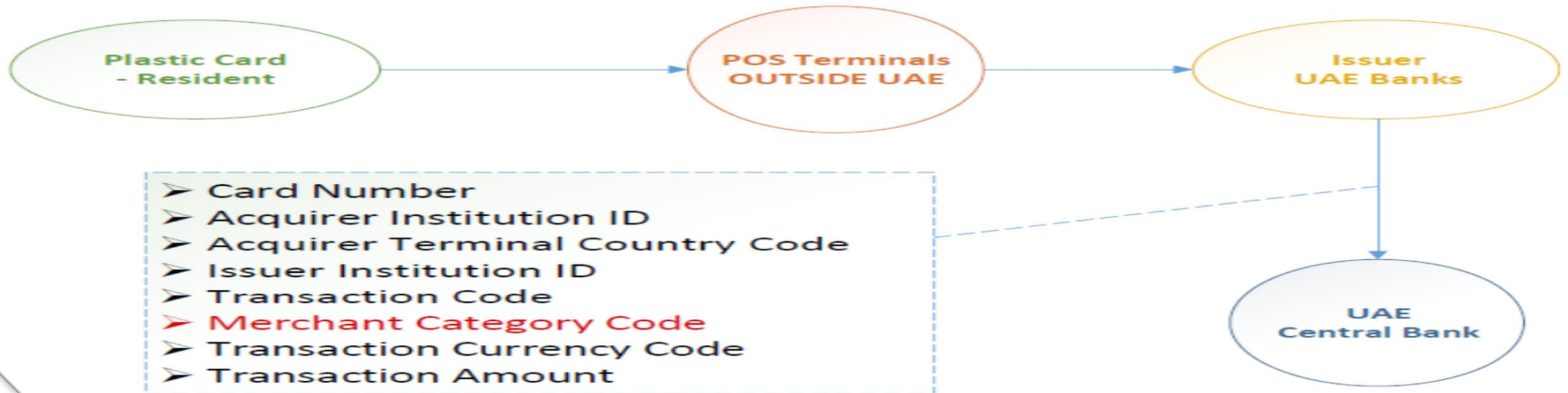
## The Plastic Card Statistics



### 1. Resident Plastic Card Transactions outside the UAE

#### 1.A POS Transactions

##### Cards used outside UAE by Resident -POS Transaction

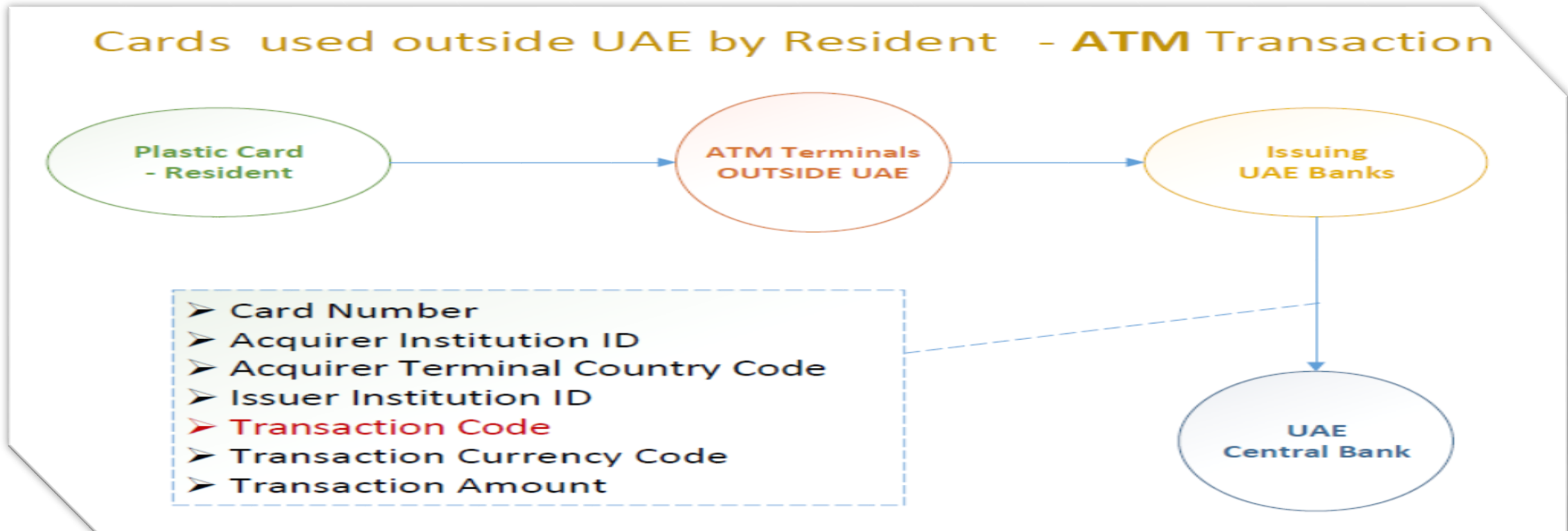


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### 1. Resident Plastic Card Transactions outside the UAE

#### 1.B ATM Transactions



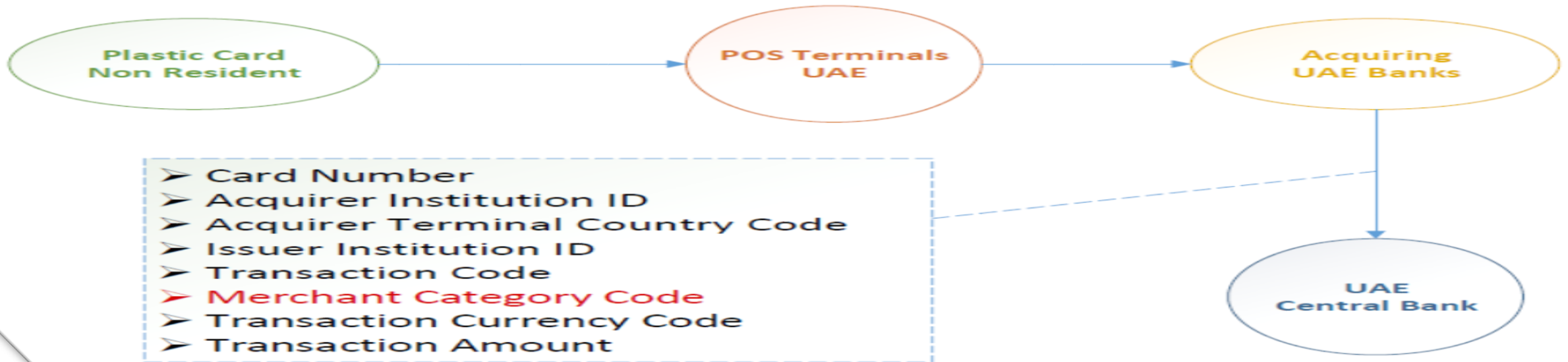
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## 2. Non Resident Plastic Card Transactions in UAE

### 2.A POS Transactions

#### Cards used in UAE by Non Resident -POS Transaction



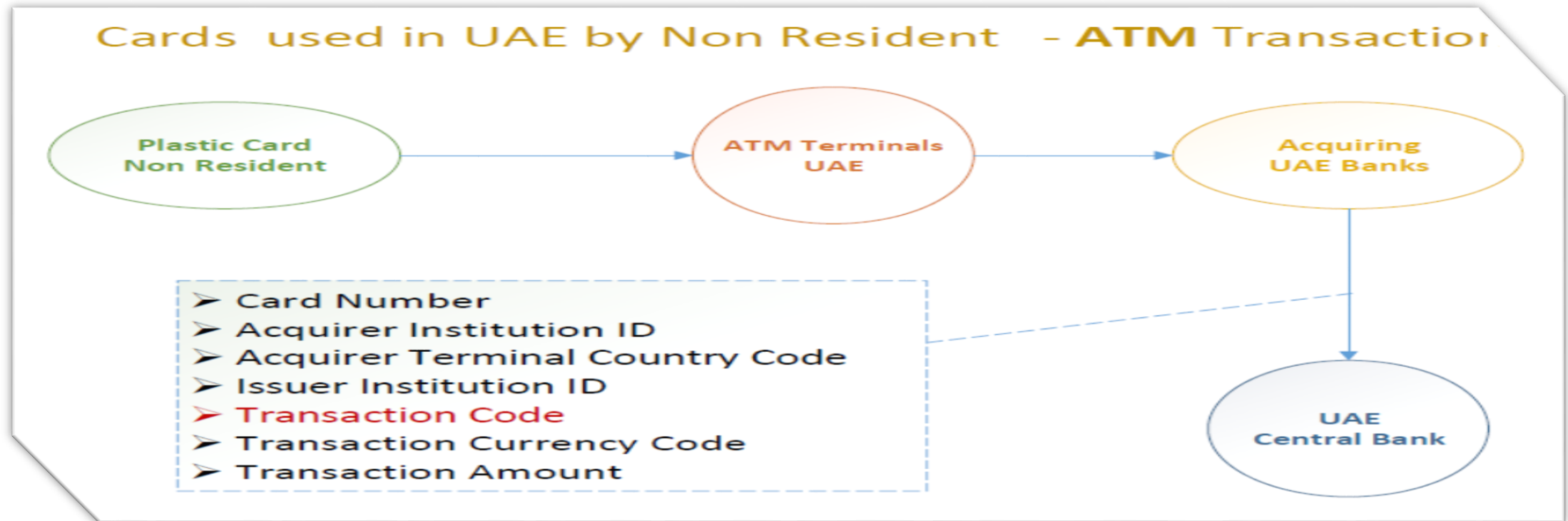


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## 2. Non Resident Plastic Card Transactions in UAE

### 2.B ATM Transactions



# Currency Notes (CASH)

- Sales of Foreign Currency
- Purchases of Foreign Currency
- The (Sales / Purchases) of Foreign Currency should be classified by currency