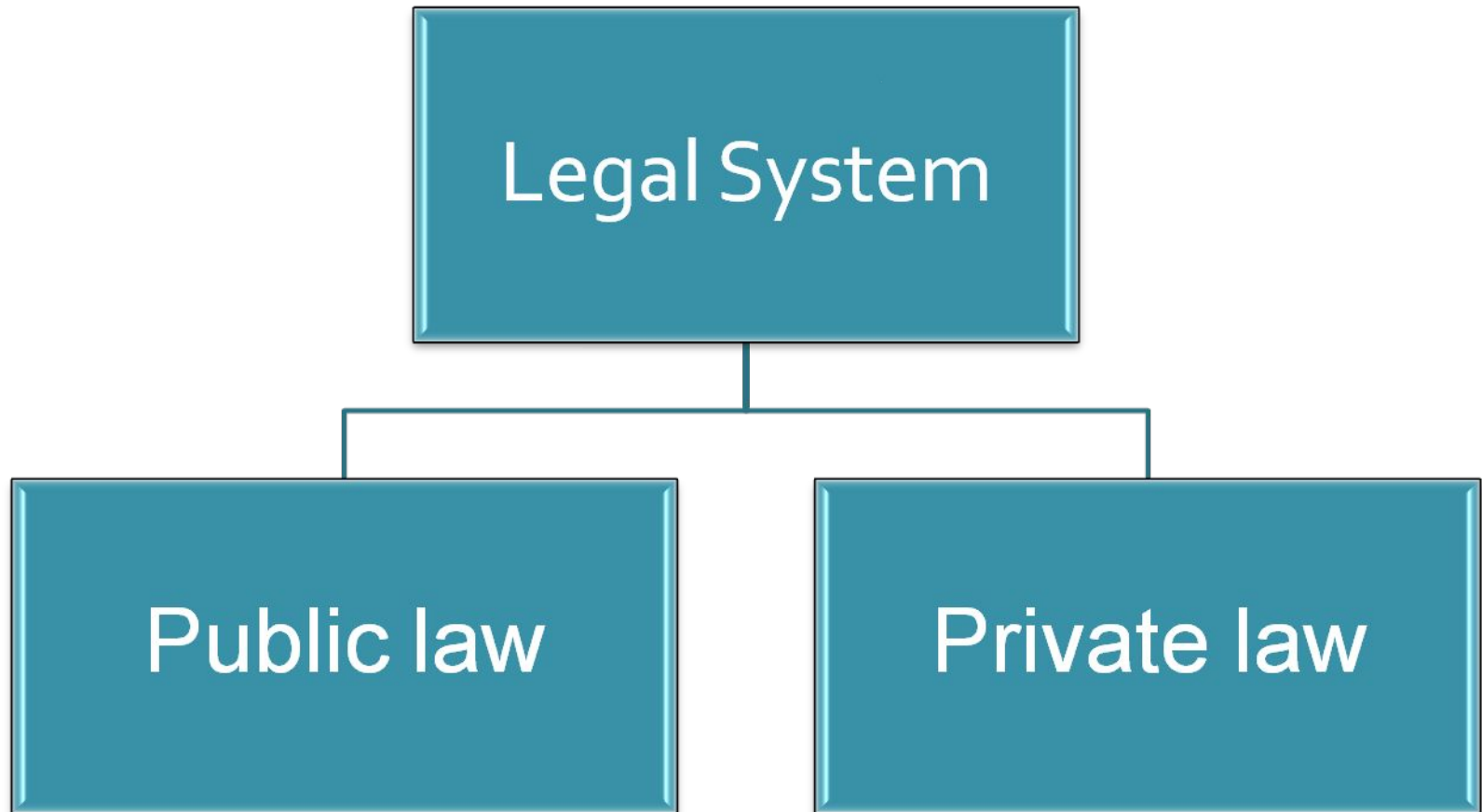


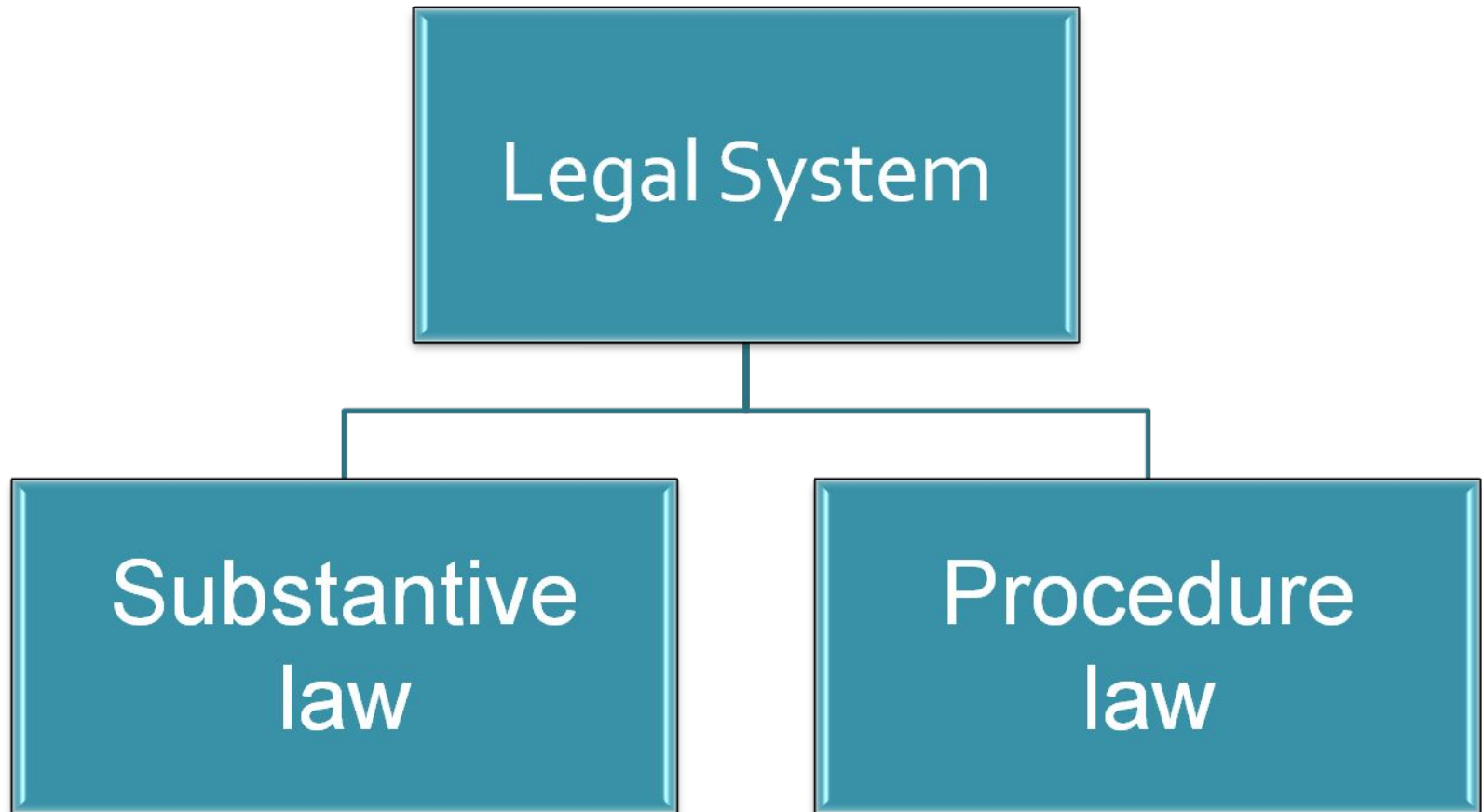


# **The Russian Legal System**

# Law branches



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# Sources of law

- Lawful custom
- Legal precedent
- Regulatory treaty
- Regulatory legal act (RLA)

# Sources of law



Regulatory legal act

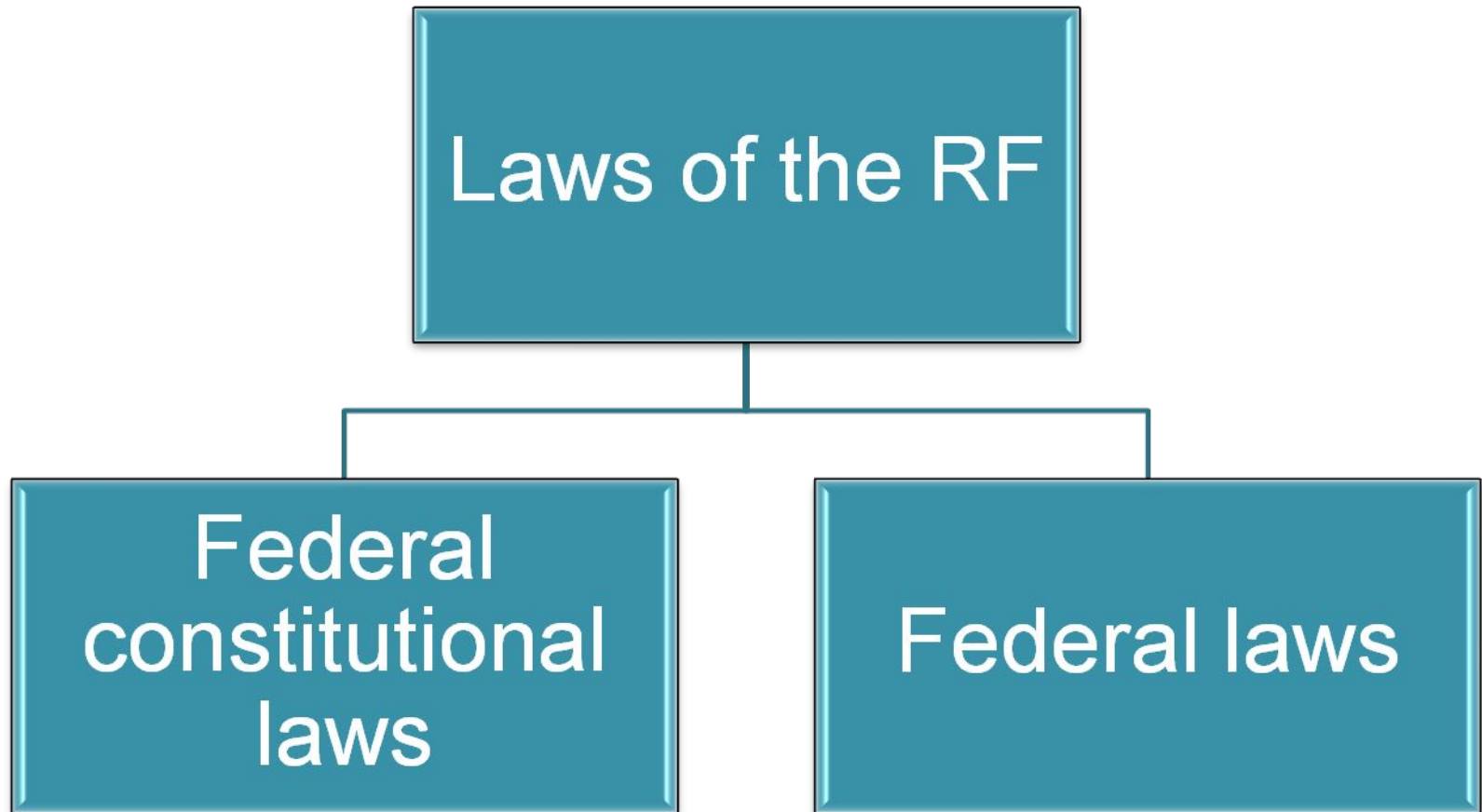


Legal precedent

# Sources of law in Russia

- International law
- Regulatory legal acts
- Constitution of the RF
- Laws
  - federal laws
  - legal acts of the subjects of the RF

# Sources of law in Russia



# Sources of law in Russia

- Decrees of the President of the RF
- RLA acts of the heads of the subjects
- Acts of the Government of the RF
- RLA of federal bodies of the executive power
- RLA of bodies of the executive power of subjects



# Law lacuna

## Analogy of law

- application of a law provision, regulating similar relations

## Analogy of legislation

- application of the general principles of the legislation

# Conflict of laws

- Interpretation
- Adoption of a new RLA
- Abolishing (amending) the RLA
- Application of justice



# Resolve the conflict

Contradiction of provisions of the Civil  
Code and the Federal law “On joint stock  
companies”



# Resolve the conflict

A conflict between a Federal Constitutional  
Law and a Federal Law



# Resolve the conflict

Discrepancies between regulatory legal acts  
issued by one body, but on different dates



# Resolve the conflict

An ordinance of the Ministry of Economic  
Affairs of the Russian Federation  
contradicts an act of the Government of  
the Russian Federation



# ARBITRATION COURTS

1. Disputes considered (jurisdiction)
2. Hierarchy of arbitration courts