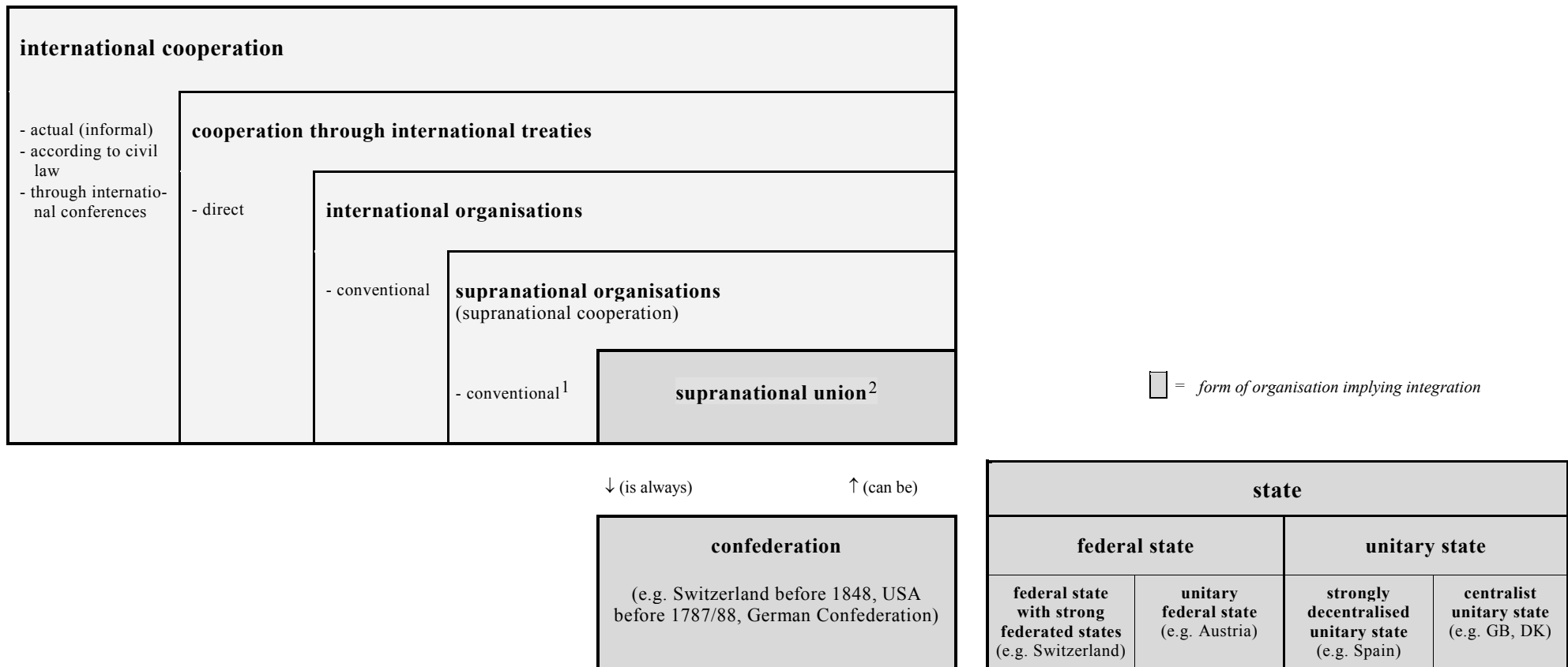


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Diagram 1

Forms of international cooperation, supranational cooperation and integration



¹ E.g. the European Communities at the beginning, river commissions.

² Until now only the European Union; other proposed classifications: "Staatenverbund" ("compound of states"), "Staaten- und Verfassungsverbund", state without sovereignty.