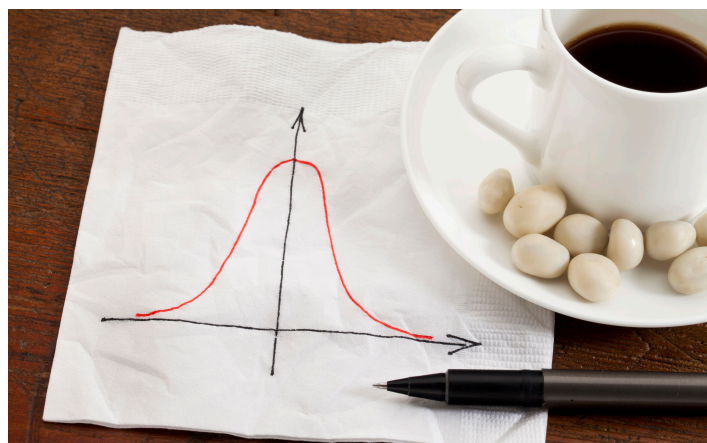
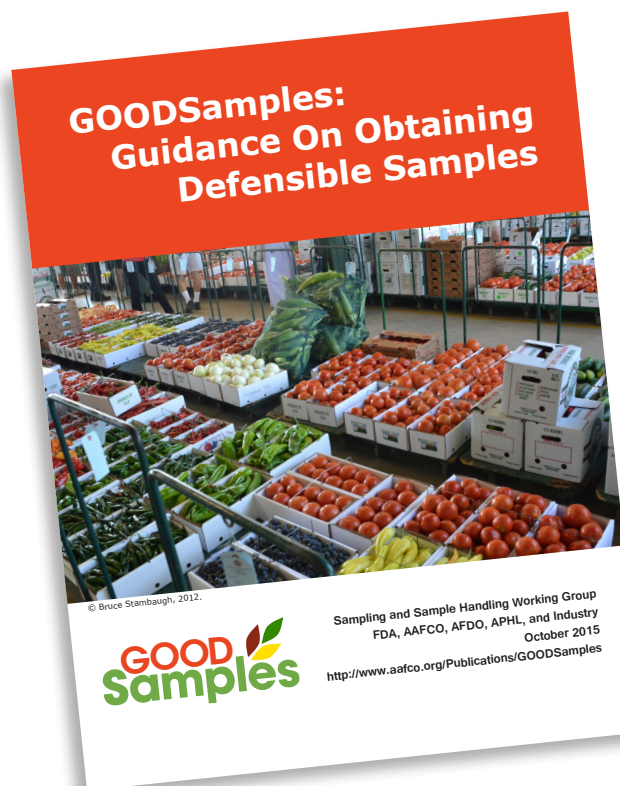


GOOD Samples

Guidance on Obtaining Defensible Samples

Are you learning everything you can from your samples?

*Are your samples GOODSamples?
Improve your data confidence!*



Considerations for sampling procedures include

- determination of the sample quality criteria,
- determination of material properties and application of sampling theory.

The resulting sampling protocol will specify

- minimum mass/volume needed,
- minimum number of increments,
- selection of increment location,
- sample integrity requirements,
- sampling tools and equipment,
- quality control.

GOODSamples leads to defensible measurement data and increased confidence in decisions.

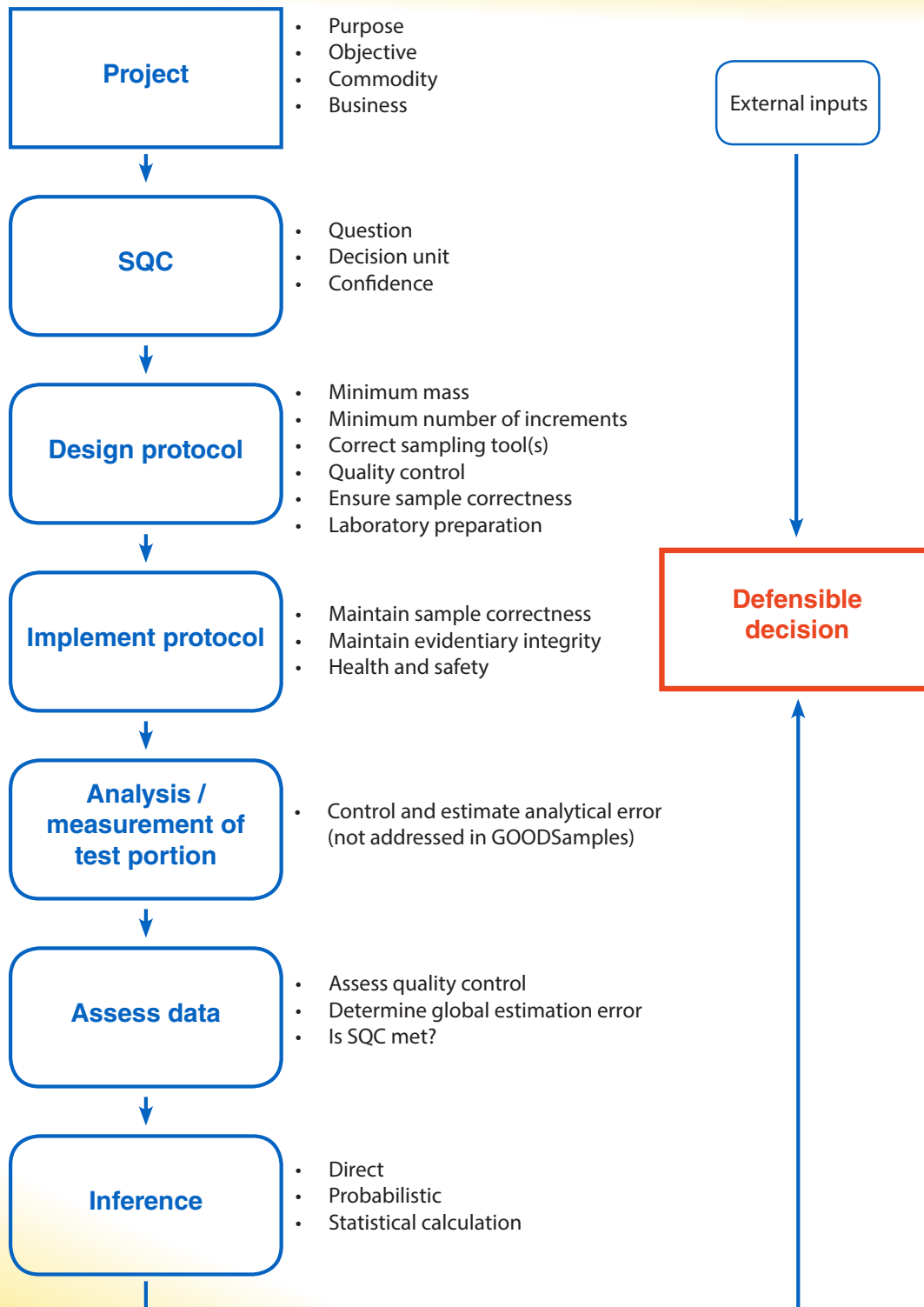
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Flow chart for defensible decisions, an overview of the *GOODSamples* approach.

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