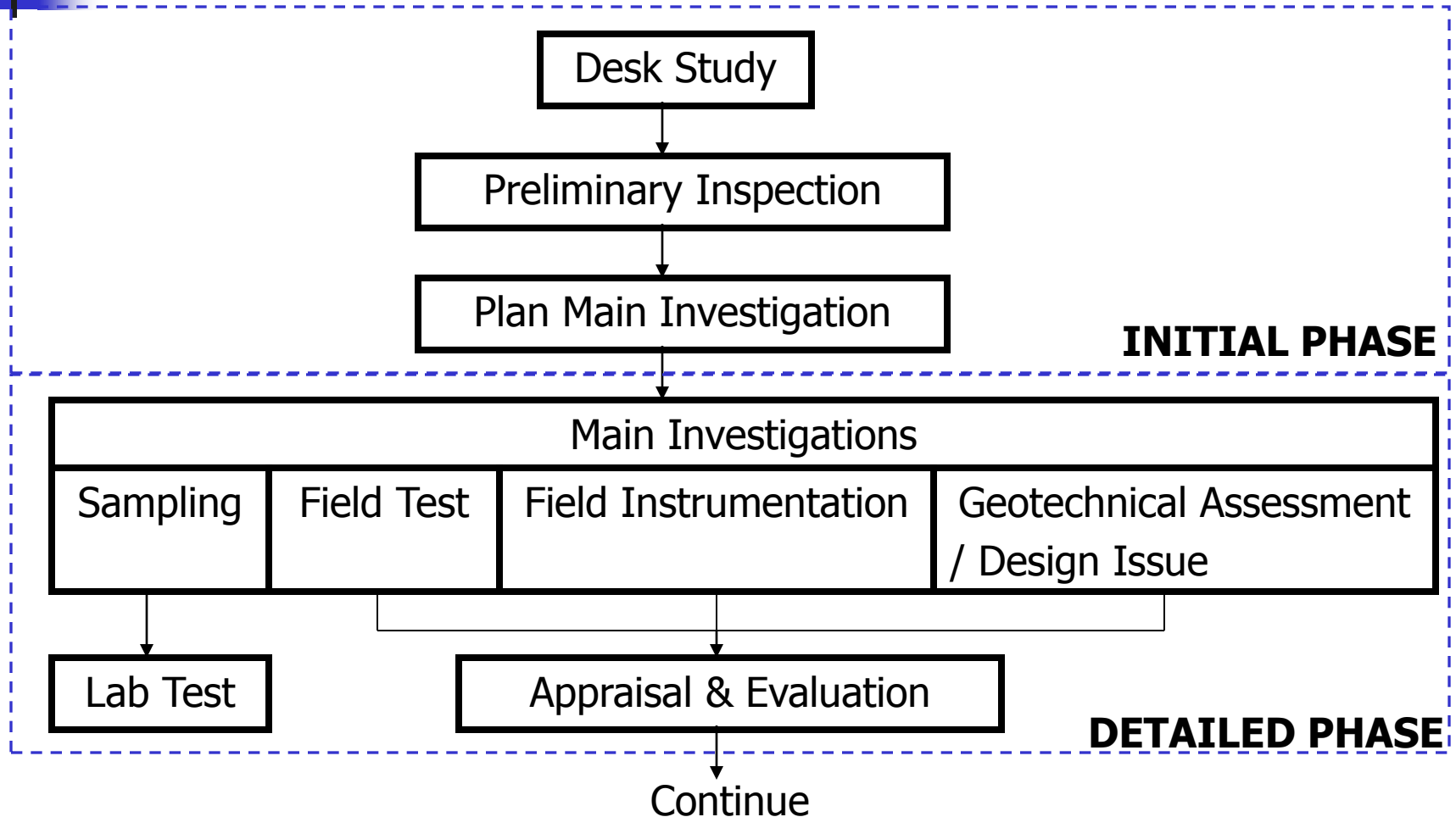


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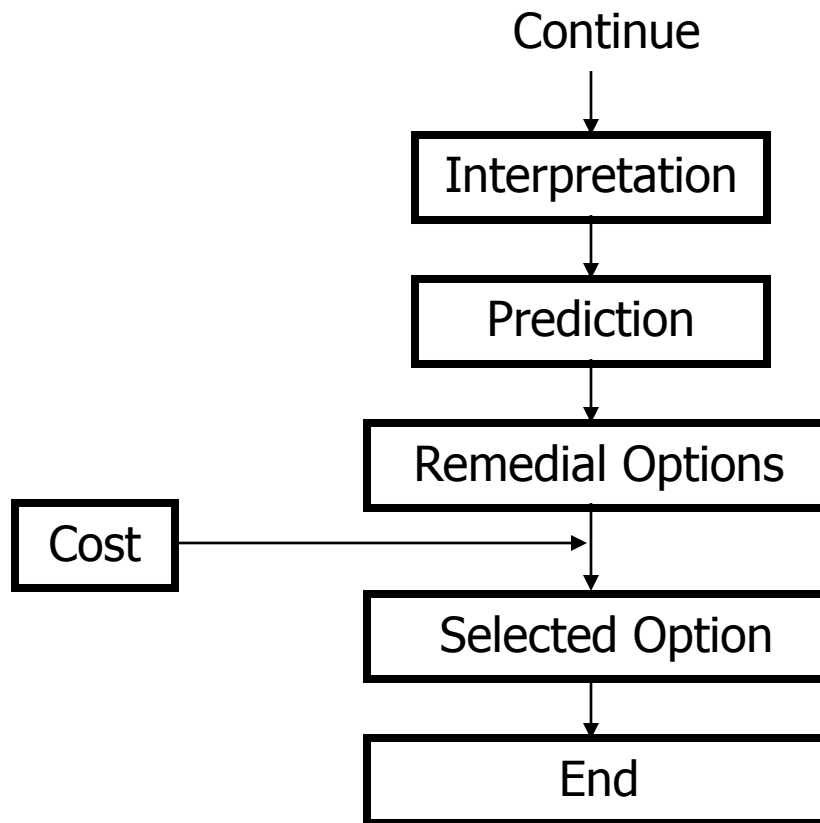
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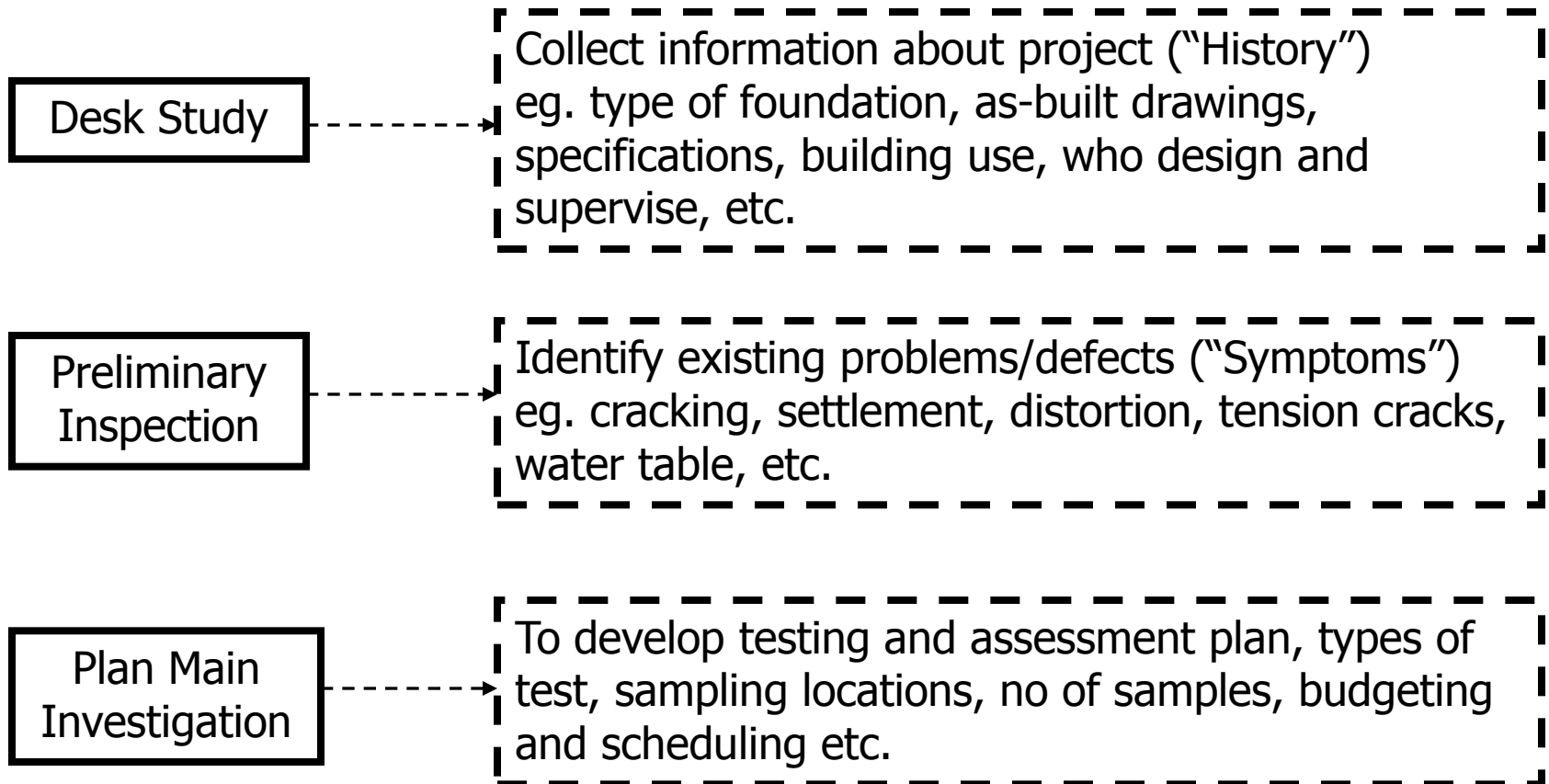
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The Geotechnical Assessment Process

INITIAL PHASE





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DETAILED PHASE

Sampling
and
Testing

Sampling and Testing ("Diagnosis") eg.

- borings, test pits, observation wells, seismic exploration – evaluate soil profile and ground water levels
- soil and foundation load testing – to evaluate load carrying capacity and settlement data of soil
- field instrumentation (piezometers, tiltmeters, inclinometers, settlement markers, etc)

Geotechnical
Assessment

Check for design adequacy ("Diagnosis") eg. to carry out settlement analysis, stability analysis, bearing capacity analysis and design check based on as-built drawings or information from field survey, etc



The Geotechnical Assessment Process

INITIAL PHASE

Interpretation
of Results

Identify CAUSE of problem/defects
eg. design inadequacy, construction errors,
maintanance, etc

Prediction

eg. Existing geotechnical capacity,
rate of settlement, etc

Remedial
Options

The Proposal ("Treatment")
eg. rehabilitate, repair, strengthening, re-build
or "do-nothing"