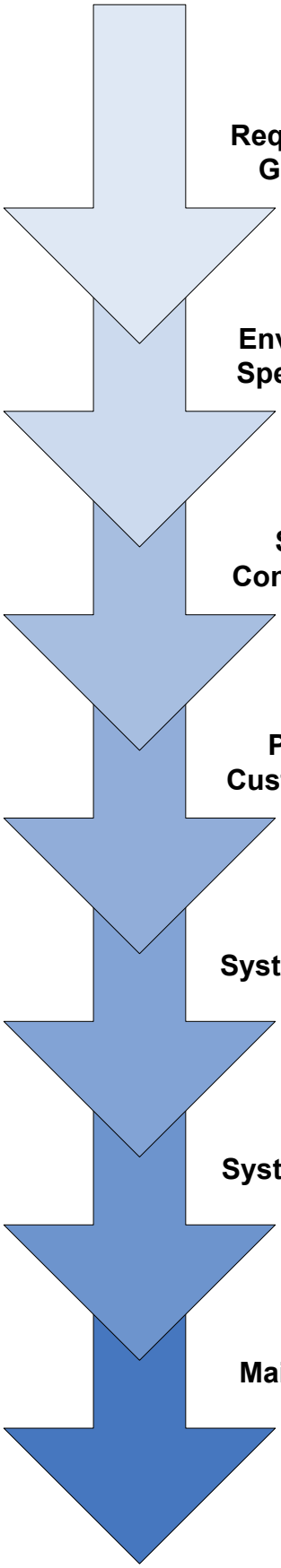
AuCMS Implementation Process



Requirements Gathering

The first step in the implementation process is to undertake a requirements gathering phase. During this phase the site design and any customisation or interactive components will be identified.
Depending on the complexity of the site this usually takes 1 to 2 weeks.

Environment Specification

The hardware and software environment required to run the content management system and the web site systems depends on usage profiling.
Various different environments may be specified to suit requirements.

System Configuration

Configuration of the hardware and software required to support the operation of the AuCMS and the live web site.
Software installation and Operating System hardening usually takes approximately one week.

Platform Customisation

Customisation of the AuCMS platform to support the specific customer requirements. This includes development of custom content types, wizards, workflows and the templates required to run the live web site.
Depending on the complexity of the site and the customisations required this normally takes between 2 and 8 weeks.

System Testing

Comprehensive content, load and security testing of the AuCMS environment and the live web site.
Testing should be phased such that site functionality is tested first, then security, then load. This usually takes between 1 and 2 weeks.

System Rollout

Deployment of the AuCMS content managed system into production. Go live with the new managed web site.
This should take less than 1 week, but depends upon the complexity of the hardware environment.

Maintenance

Ongoing maintenance of the live site templates, custom content and CMS workflows.