



## What is ISO 27001:2005 Information Security Management System?

Information security is of ever-growing importance as information risks such as hacks, cyber-attacks, data leaks or theft are increasing. ISO 27001 is an Information Security Management System (ISMS) that will demonstrate to customers that your Organisation is implementing best practice information-security processes. An ISMS ensures that information in all its forms is secure, centrally managed and protected, thereby increasing your Organisations resilience to information risks.

Let us help you to implement ISO 27001 to protect the confidentiality, integrity and availability of your data, making you stand out as an industry leader.



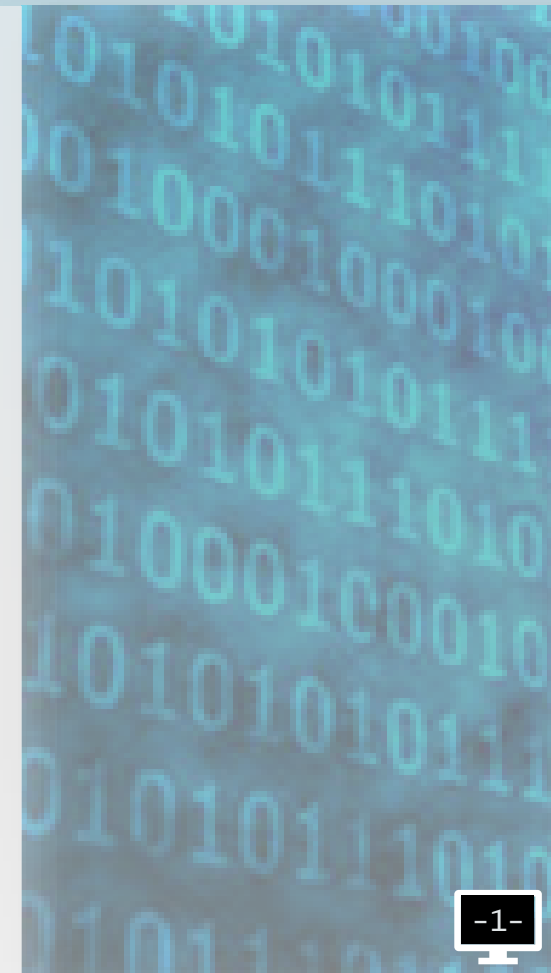
## How does an Information Security Management System apply to my Organisation?

Every Organisation deals with sensible data such as client, supplier or internal information. Defensive technology that protects your Organisation from information risks is often only put in place after an immediate threat has been encountered. An Information Security Management System helps to identify potential risks on a regular basis and makes sure that processes to minimise these are put in place. It will also help your Organisation to protect information of all forms within your company which will foster customer trust and open new markets.

## What are the Benefits of implementing an Information Security Management System?

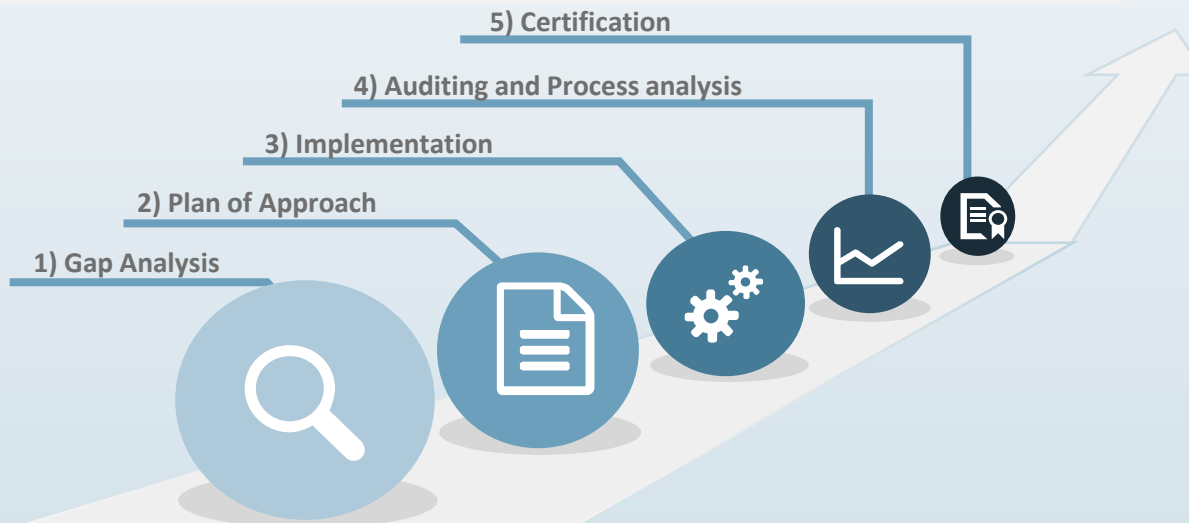
The implementation of an Information Security Management System (ISMS) will enable you to identify information security risks through ought your Organisation and help to find ways to either minimise or eliminate these. The implementation of an ISMS will have the following flow-on effects:

-  **Future fit your company**
-  **Protect and enhance the reputation of your Organisation**
-  **Demonstrate compliance with legislative and regulatory requirement**
-  **Tangible cost reduction by streamlining information security processes**
-  **Increase leadership involvement and employee engagement**
-  **Reduce the risks of information loss**
-  **Continuously improve your information security**



## Do I need to Certify my Information Security Management System?

ISO certification is optional. However, most Organisations decide to receive ISO 27001:2013 accreditation to demonstrate to customers and stakeholders that sensitive information is protected according to best-practice. The certification process consists of a third-party auditor reviewing the successful implementation of the ISMS. The auditor will provide certification if the Organisation can demonstrate compliance with ISO requirements.



## What is the Implementation process of ISO 27001?

The first step is the conduction of a gap analysis to identify existing information risks within your Organisation. According to our findings, Kaizen Consulting will then develop an Information Security System (ISMS) that suits your organisation by integrating existing processes and plans with ISO requirements. After the identification of threats and the establishment of procedures to eliminate these, each process of the ISMS must be communicated to staff at all levels of your Organisation. Internal audits will ensure that control and management mechanisms are in place, allowing for the ongoing success and continuous improvement of your ISMS. Lastly, you can get your ISMS certified to verify that your Organisation is operating to the highest information security standards.

## How can a Consultant help?

Implementing an Information Security Management System yourself often turns out to be inefficient and time-consuming. Using a Consultant ensures that your Organisation is getting the most of your ISMS and Standards are implemented on budget, on time.

Kaizen Consulting has a proven track record of working with diverse industries and businesses.

Contact us today to hear how our team of specialised experts can help your Organisation with the implementation of ISO 27001.

## At Kaizen we offer:

