# gatsby-remark-graphviz

Processes graphviz ( dot and circo ) code blocks in your markdown files and replaces them with the rendered SVG using viz.js



#### Install

```
npm install gatsby-remark-graphviz
```

Note that you do **not** need graphviz installed on your machine as this project depends on viz.js which is a pure JavaScript port of graphviz.

### How to use

Then, add dot code blocks to your markdown. E.g.

```
'``dot
digraph graphname {
    a -> b;
    b -> c;
    a -> c;
}
...
```

Which will be rendered using viz.js and the output html will replace the code block with the actual SVG.



Custom attributes can be passed to the rendered SVG:

```
```dot id="my-id" class="my-class"
digraph graphname {
```

```
a -> b;
b -> c;
a -> c;
}
```

By default, the following inline style is applied to all rendered SVGs in order to make them responsive:

```
max-width: 100%;
height: auto;
```

This can be overwritten by using the custom attributes feature:

```
'``dot style=""
digraph graphname {
    a -> b;
    b -> c;
    a -> c;
}
...
```

## **Caveats**

In your gatsby-config.js, make sure you place this plugin before other remark plugins that modify code blocks (like prism).

## **Alternatives**

If you want a broader range of drawing options, checkout <u>gatsby-remark-draw</u>. It provides SvgBobRus, Graphviz, and Mermaid, but note that you must have these already installed on your system

If you're simply looking for a normal (not Gatsby) remark plugin for graphviz, see <u>remark-graphviz</u> which inspired this plugin.