PostCSS transforms extended syntaxes and features into modern, browser-friendly CSS. This guide will show you how to get started with Gatsby and PostCSS.

## **Installing and configuring PostCSS**

This guide assumes that you have a Gatsby project set up. If you need to set up a project, head to the <u>quick start</u> <u>quide</u>, then come back.

1. Install the Gatsby plugin gatsby-plugin-postcss.

```
npm install postcss gatsby-plugin-postcss
```

2. Include the plugin in your gatsby-config.js file.

```
plugins: [`gatsby-plugin-postcss`],
```

Note: If you need to pass options to PostCSS use the plugins options; see postcss-loader for all available options.

3. Write your stylesheets using PostCSS ( .css files) and require or import them as normal.

```
@custom-media --med (width <= 50rem);

@media (--med) {
    a {
        &:hover {
            color: color-mod(black alpha(54%));
        }
    }
}</pre>
```

```
import "./styles.css"
```

## With CSS modules

To use CSS modules, prepend .module to the extension. For example: App.css -> App.module.css . Any file with the module extension will use CSS modules.

## **PostCSS plugins**

If you would prefer to add additional postprocessing to your PostCSS output you can specify plugins in the plugin options:

```
},
1,
```

Alternatively, you can use <code>postcss.config.js</code> to specify your particular PostCSS configuration:

```
const postcssPresetEnv = require(`postcss-preset-env`)

module.exports = () => ({
  plugins: [
    postcssPresetEnv({
      stage: 0,
    }),
    ],
})
```

## Other resources

• Introduction to PostCSS