

Plugin title naming conventions

There are five standard plugin naming conventions for Gatsby:

- **gatsby-source-*** — a source plugin loads data from a given source (e.g. WordPress, MongoDB, the file system). Use this plugin type if you are connecting a new source of data to Gatsby.
 - Example: [gatsby-source-contentful](#)
 - Docs: [creating a source plugin](#)
- **gatsby-transformer-*** — a transformer plugin converts data from one format (e.g. CSV, YAML) to a JavaScript object. Use this naming convention if your plugin will be transforming data from one format to another.
 - Example: [gatsby-transformer-yaml](#)
 - Docs: [creating a transformer plugin](#)
- **gatsby-[plugin-name]-*** — if a plugin is a plugin for another plugin 😊, it should be prefixed with the name of the plugin it extends (e.g. if it adds emoji to the output of `gatsby-transformer-remark`, call it `gatsby-remark-add-emoji`). Use this naming convention whenever your plugin will be included as a plugin in the `options` object of another plugin.
 - Example: [gatsby-remark-images](#)
 - Docs: [creating a remark plugin](#)
- **gatsby-theme-*** — this naming convention is used for [Gatsby themes](#), which are a type of plugin. This naming convention is used for plugins that own a section, a page, or part of a page on a site or expose files and components for [shadowing](#).
 - Example: [gatsby-theme-blog](#)
 - Docs: [creating a theme](#)
- **gatsby-plugin-*** — this is the most general plugin type. Use this naming convention if your plugin doesn't meet the requirements of any other plugin types.
 - Example: [gatsby-plugin-sharp](#)