

# Workflow - Quick prototyping script for creating rich html and pdfs from markdown documents

**Workflow** is a small script for generating nice-looking web pages and pdf documents from markdown using a [CSS switcher](#). This means that creating a webpage or pdf is simply a matter of writing some content in markdown and choosing a CSS template, which can drastically reduce the amount of time required to put documentation online.

## Requirements

- [ruby](#) and the [kramdown](#) gem
- [wkhtmltopdf](#)

## Usage

Given a plain markdown document, Workflow by default will create an html file with an embedded switcher, allowing you to cycle interactively through a list of CSS templates to see which one works best with your document. You can try this by [cloning or downloading the project](#) and running the following command on this readme file from within the project directory:

```
./workflow.rb README.md
```

Once you have decided on a CSS template, just run workflow.rb again with the `-s` option to generate a permanent file with your chosen CSS included:

```
./workflow.rb -s simple README.md
```

Use the `-p` option to create a PDF using your selected CSS template:

```
./workflow.rb -ps siimple README.md
```

You can view an [online demo](#) or [download a pdf](#) which is the result of running the above commands.

## Related projects

- [dropin-minimal-css](#), on which this script is based
- [asciidocctor-skins](#), for a similar idea but with asciidoctor

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