

# The `form` attribute

This attribute is useful for putting input fields outside the form itself. The `form` attribute of an external input field must share the same value as the `id` of the form the field belongs to. This is useful when using `<fieldset>` elements for making the page/form layout easier.



## TYPICAL USE

Try this [interactive example in JS Bin](#), or try it directly in your browser:

Enter your name (field outside the form):

Choose option

Free registering ☐ Premium ☐

Source code:

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<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<body>
  <label for="yourName">Enter your name:</label>
  <input type="text" id="yourName" name="yourName" form="form1"/>
  <p>
    <form id="form1" action="sumit.php" method="post">
      <fieldset>
        <legend>Choose option</legend>
        <label for="free">Free registering</label>
```

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<input type="checkbox" id="free"/>  
<label for="premium">Premium</label>  
<input type="checkbox" id="premium"/>
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<button type="submit">Send form</button>
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</fieldset>
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</form>
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</body>
```

```
21. </html>
```

Line 5 and 7 shows the `form` attribute. Make sure that its value matches the `id` of the form!