

U3BTVEFQU : <@U2JA29EKF> yep found something similar, however how would I do another http request with this delay function?

U3SJEDR96 : So you can do `Time.sleep (100 * millisecond) |> Task.andThen (makeNewRequest)`

U0LPMPL2U : You could have something like:``

subscriptions : Model -> Sub Msg

subscriptions model =

case model.state of

 Polling -> Time.every second (always Poll)

 _ -> Sub.none

...

U3BTVEFQU : <@U0LPMPL2U> yep, just wanted to avoid this :wink:

U0K92QFST : ilias: is it Time.sleep, or Process.sleep?

U3SJEDR96 : somewhat more complete example: `Process.sleep (100 * Time.millisecond) |> Task.andThen (_ -> buildRequest |> Http.toTask) |> Task.attempt GotResponse`

U3SJEDR96 : Process, my bad :slightly_smiling_face:

U0K92QFST : Cool! Just making sure

U641LDZFU : So I can't still can't get unions working...

U641LDZFU : <<https://gist.github.com/allansideas/60658d50f4f6b5ab9738c05f419324a8>>

U641LDZFU : ``Function `unionFn` is expecting the argument to be:

MyThing

But it is:

String``

U641LDZFU : Am I missing something super obvious

U0LPMPL2U : Line 58 `text (unionFn "String")`

U0LPMPL2U : you're passing a string to `unionFn`

U0LPMPL2U : you need to give it a `MyThing`

U0LPMPL2U : in your case, `AString "String"`

U641LDZFU : ahhhhhh

U41NK9BM4 : Maybe it helps to think about `AString` as a constructor which accepts a string as argument and return a `MyThing`

U62R599PU : For me this is just a hobby so I find it very exciting. Luckily I started to move my JS to more of a functional approach so I at least have that to draw on.

U3SJEDR96 : yeah, you need to explicitly tag the values. `AString` is basically a value constructor: `AString : String -> MyThing`

U62R599PU : ;east = least

U641LDZFU : so I can still do records ARecord {id = 1, thing="super"}

U641LDZFU : or do I have to do them in the Arecord 1 "super" style?

U641LDZFU : (I will try now)

U0LPMPL2U : If you're adding onto the `MyThing` type you'll want `ARecord {id = 1, thing="super"}`

U41NK9BM4 : Same here, at least for now I'm writing Elm code for fun

U0LPMPL2U : `Arecord 1 "super` can be used with a `_type alias_` like `type alias Arecord = { id : Int, thing : String }`

U0LPMPL2U : <<http://faq.elm-community.org/#what-is-the-difference-between-type-and-type-alias>>

U641LDZFU : ah perfect!

U0LPMPL2U : with the `_type_`, `ARecord` is wrapping the record. with the `_type alias_` `Arecord` is the record.

U641LDZFU : thank you so much!

U641LDZFU : got it :slightly_smiling_face:

U5DJNFLUD : Opinion time: If you get to the point where you need to split a data model off from `Main`, do you also tend to create an `update` function on your new Model and call that from `Main`?

U23SA861Y : after a few thousand lines of elm, I haven't got that far.

U1P6FFJ64 : <@U5DJNFLUD> yes. You can have a look at this post, with a nice example of a large application to see how to split your code: <<https://dev.to/rtfeldman/tour-of-an-open-source-elm-spa>>

U23SA861Y : I got into alot of trouble thinking that I need new files after a hundred lines or so because of the stigma associated with OO programming

U1P6FFJ64 : About files life and how do they grow, Evan did a nice talk at Elm Europe about this topic, but the video is not published yet. It will be published at some point in this youtube channel:

<<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCT5HLUjjXdqUSUnpbIFNOwQ/videos>>

U5DJNFLUD : Yeah! I've seen the talk

U5DJNFLUD : I like the idea of doing that page-wise

U5DJNFLUD : Pretty nice separation of concerns there

U3BTVEFQU : <@U3SJEDR96> (cc <@U0LPMPL2U> <@U2JA29EKF>) I wasn't able to use your example :confused:
How would you proceed with code like here: <<https://ellie-app.com/3GkfJWm6PM9a1/0>>

U0J1M0F32 : I still try to keep most everything on `Main` unless its very page specific and has the possibility of either growing exponentially or messing with data from another "page" in either naming convention or type.

U23SA861Y : uh oh, seems like ellie is having issues

U3BTVEFQU : it wasn't me!! :wink:

U2JA29EKF : Sorry, won't be able to look tonight.

U3SJEDR96 : ```sendDelayedRequest : (WebData String -> msg) -> Cmd msg
sendDelayedRequest tagger =
 Process.sleep (200 * Time.millisecond)
 |> Task.andThen (_ -> Http.toTask request)
 |> RemoteData.fromTask
 |> Task.perform tagger
....

U48AEBJQ3 : ream88: <<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NbosplYmAT0>>

U23SA861Y : umm, request isn't defined....

U3BTVEFQU : <@U3SJEDR96> ok this does work. However I still don't get it.. do you know any good introduction into cmds vs tasks?

U0F7JPK36 : jonf: something weird happened with aws. looks okay now

U3SJEDR96 : In <@U3BTVEFQU>'s code, it is :wink:

U3BTVEFQU : Btw <@U3SJEDR96> thx!!! :slightly_smiling_face:

U3SJEDR96 : Though this probably makes more sense:

U3SJEDR96 : ```sendDelayedRequest : Time.Time -> Http.Request a -> (WebData a -> msg) -> Cmd msg
sendDelayedRequest delay request tagger =
 Process.sleep delay
 |> Task.andThen (_ -> Http.toTask request)
 |> RemoteData.fromTask
 |> Task.perform tagger
...

U3BTVEFQU : <@U2JA29EKF> no problemo, <@U3SJEDR96> fixed it for me.. However I'm still on the task to understand it properly :wink: