

U4872964V : <@U62UFEG4D> you don't have to make intermediate tuples though, you should be able to apply your function directly``

```
points =  
  List.map2 Geometry.Point  
    (arrayX |> Array.toList)  
    (arrayY |> Array.toList)  
...
```

U62UFEG4D : oh wow!

U62UFEG4D : makes totally sense, thank a lot <@U4872964V>!

U4872964V : but now you got to learn uncurry so it's all good :slightly_smiling_face:

U62UFEG4D : exactly hehe!

U0FP80EKB : Don't need to pipeline (personal style, though)``

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    (Array.toList arrayY)  
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U4872964V : yes, that's personal style, I sort of like the "actual" argument being first so that it's visible

U0FP80EKB : Definitely

U5AEH3L05 : Okay, this seems like this should be straightforward: `event.target.value` gives me a float value encoded as a string, so `value : "100"`. How do I decode that into a float?

U5AEH3L05 : If I do that as `Json.Decode.float`, it chokes because of the quotation marks

U5AEH3L05 : My current best approach is `` on "input" <| Json.map tagger <|

```
  Json.andThen  
    (value ->  
      case String.toFloat value of  
        Ok float ->  
          Json.succeed float  
  
        Err err ->  
          Json.fail err  
    )  
  targetValue  
...
```

U236M9FH9 : Decode as a string & use `String.toFloat` with `andThen`, with `fail` as the error case & `succeed` with the success case

U5AEH3L05 : Which seems wildly verbose

U5AEH3L05 : Haha, good timing lysergia :slightly_smiling_face:

U236M9FH9 : You can use `fromResult` from `json-extra`:

<<http://package.elm-lang.org/packages/elm-community/json-extra/2.3.0/Json-Decode-Extra#fromResult>>

U5AEH3L05 : Oh neat, that's certainly terser

U5AEH3L05 : It also looks like parseFloat would work as well

U236M9FH9 : Ah yep, just scrolled down a little :stuck_out_tongue:

U5AEH3L05 : works a charm! thanks <@U236M9FH9>

U30J8RTKJ : Lets say I have a function that accepts 3 arguments, is there a way to partially apply only second argument?

U153UK3FA : <@U30J8RTKJ> the most readable version is to just wrap it in an anonymous function

U153UK3FA : eg `x y -> yourFunction x 5 y`

U153UK3FA : by convention function args are ordered so that this is a rare thing to need to do

U0CLDU8UB : In the case of the second argument, you could also use flip: `(flip yourFunction) 5` switches the first and the second argument around and then applies `5`.

U0CLDU8UB : But I do agree that the anonymous function is much more readable.

U4872964V : Another option still is to make a helper function with the arguments reversed. If you name stuff well, then this is a very good option.

U4872964V : If it's your own function, maybe changing the order of arguments in the original function is a way to go too.

U2DF486HL : Hello, I need to submit a form, but its action is an external POST url. do i need my own Msg and send the Http.request or is there simple way to just call form.submit() ?

examples?

U4872964V : <@U2DF486HL> do you want to be redirected to the POST response page or do you want to still be in your Elm app?

U2DF486HL : <@U4872964V> exactly, it redirects to the new POST response page..

U4872964V : I usually keep track of the fields in my model, and have no `form` element at all, but if you have a `form` element you need to stop propagation of the "submit" event by doing something like``

```
[ onWithOptions
  "submit"
  { stopPropagation = True, preventDefault = True }
  (Json.Decode.succeed YourSubmitMessage)
]
```

Then the form will instead send `YourSubmitMessage` to your update function, from which you can then issue the post request.

U4872964V : something like this: <<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/36387409/how-to-submit-a-form-in-elm>>

U4872964V : (the last answer there)

U4872964V : If you don't have a `form` element, you just bind your message to the `onClick` event on the submit button

U2DF486HL : I saw this link before but I thought that it would not help to solve my issue.. because i've to send the form data to the external url, and just that, redirect to its page

U4872964V : oh, you want to redirect?

U2DF486HL : send the form data to the external action url, and move to there site..

U4872964V : then you can just use a normal html form, no need for anything else

U2DF486HL : i usually did (without elm) with just a submit button and the action attrb with its link

U2DF486HL : <@U4872964V> and in the OnSubmit? Right now I have some thing like this: Html.form

```
[ id "theForm"
, action "<http://external.url/submit>"
, method "POST"
, onSubmit ConfirmPayment
]
```

but ConfirmPayment is Msg with no modifications in my Model