

# HTML Forms

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# Outline

Purpose of HTML forms



How forms work



Form action and method

# HTML forms

## HTML / WWW about sharing data

Markup to share documents

Link to other content



## Creating content is important!

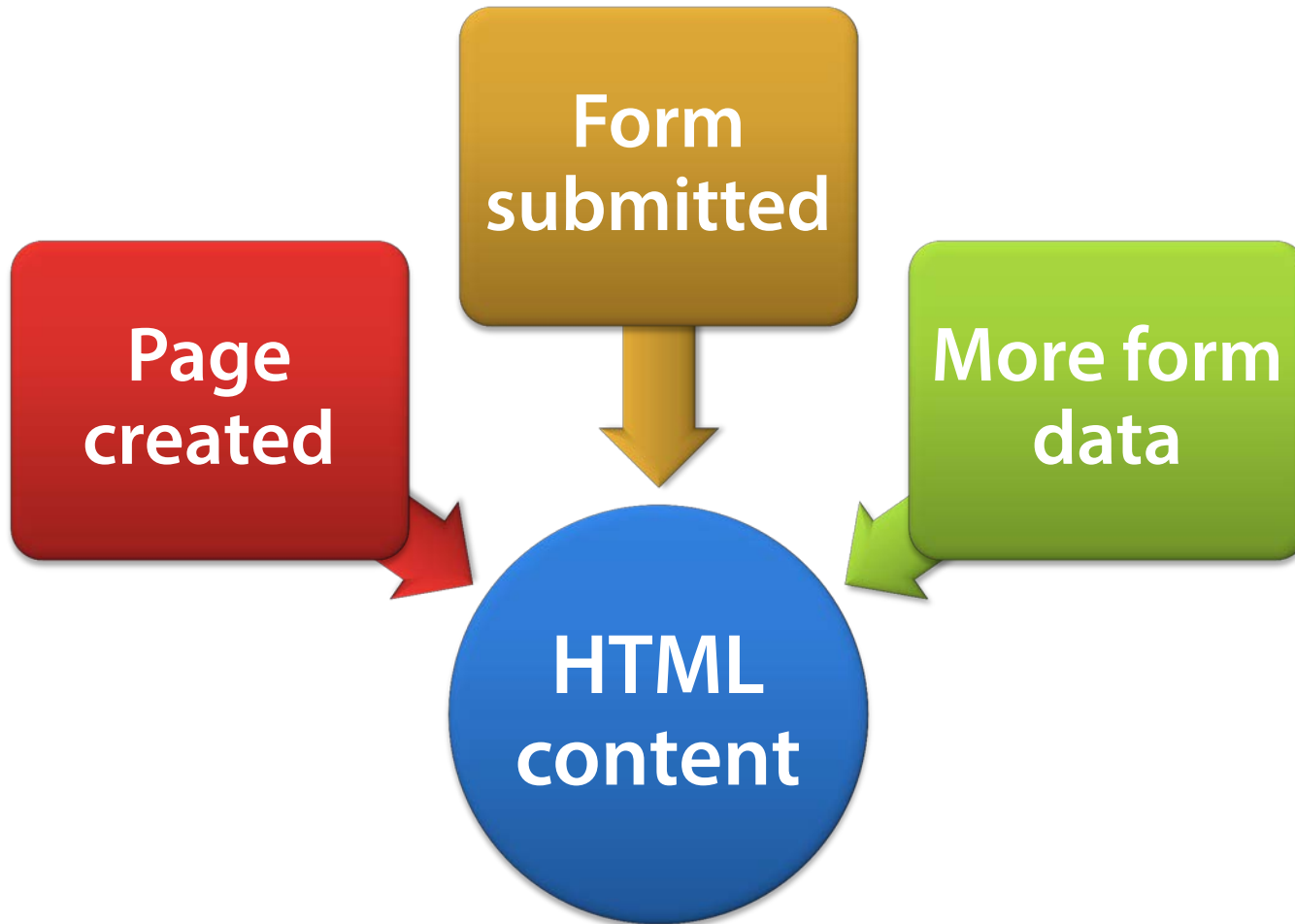
Not everyone creates HTML markup



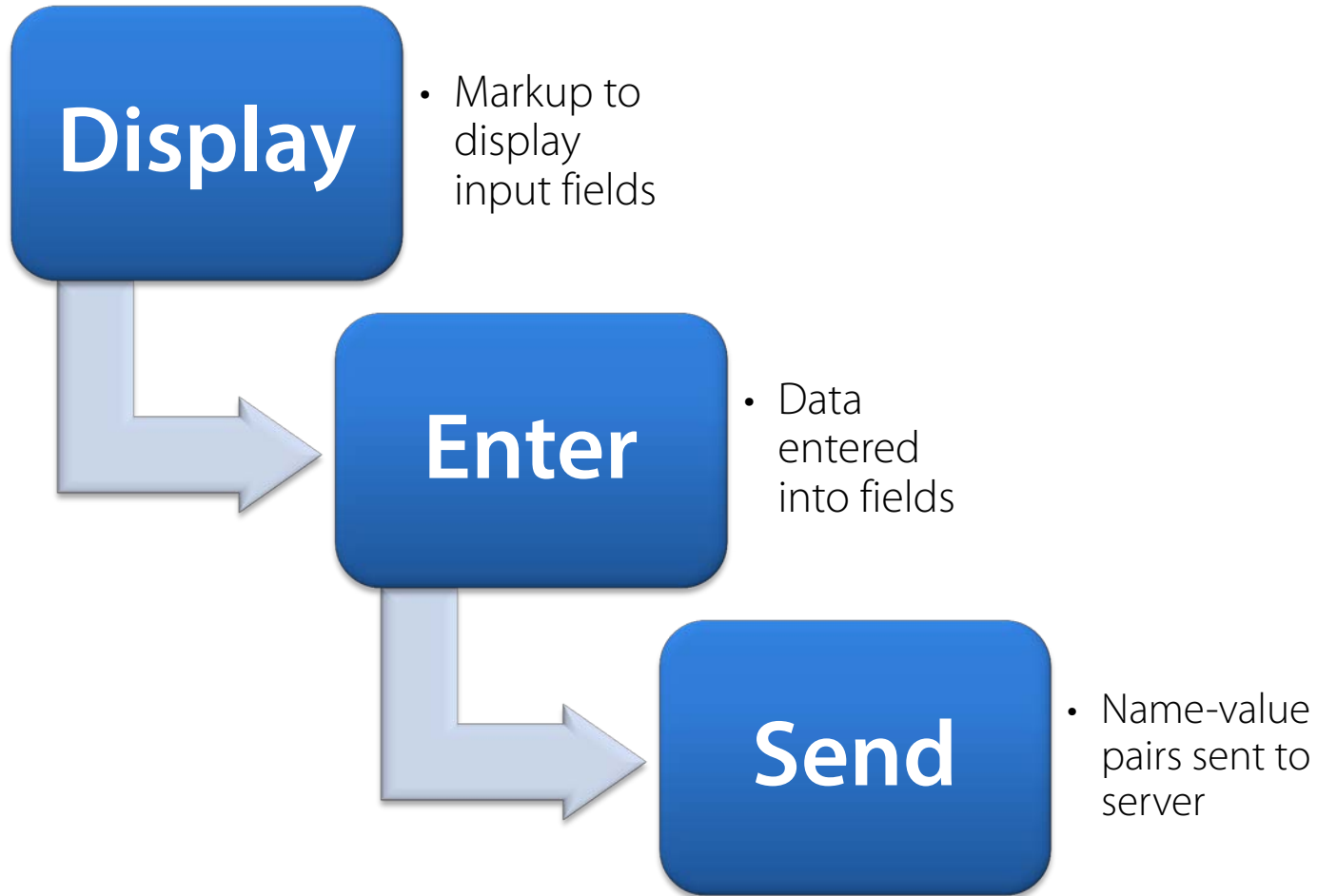
## Forms allow submitting data

Data can be shared in HTML markup

# Forms create content



# Form basics



## Form settings

### Action

- The URI to which data is sent

### Method

- The HTTP method (GET/POST) to use

### Enctype

- How to encode the data

# Summary

- Forms enable sending data to a web server
- Action is the URI of the form handler
- Method and enctype control how values are sent