

# YouTube Transcript API Attribute Error

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The provided text indicates a specific technical error encountered during an attempt to extract a YouTube transcript. The error message, "type object 'YouTubeTranscriptApi' has no attribute 'list\_transcripts'", signifies a programming issue where the code is attempting to invoke a method or access an attribute named `list\_transcripts` on an object or class identified as `YouTubeTranscriptApi`, but this particular method or attribute does not exist within its definition. This type of error commonly arises from several scenarios: an outdated or incompatible version of the `youtube-transcript-api` library where `list\_transcripts` might have been renamed, removed, or not yet implemented; a typographical error in the method call within the script; or incorrect usage of the library, such as attempting to use a non-existent public interface method or mismanaging class-instance methods. Essentially, the error points to a fundamental mismatch between the called function and the capabilities of the `YouTubeTranscriptApi` object or class as defined in the current environment.