

Coding on the Fly



Pitfall 1: Silence



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By the end of this video you will be able to...

- Describe key pitfalls with the TPS coding question

The question

- Convert a String to a number
- Let's watch Huang answer this question



Insert bad Huang video here

Poo Huang!

- Poor Huang. She's not going to get that job.
- At that point, the recruiter would have been wondering how long they needed to keep the interview going, because it's a clear no.

What went wrong

- So what went wrong? She made assumptions, she didn't communicate, she couldn't correct her mistakes and she didn't reason about her code after she finished writing it. We'll take a look at each in detail and discuss strategies for avoiding these issues.

What went wrong

- It's not that she made technical mistakes, but the other aspects that prevented her from recovering from them. We'll take a look at how she, and you, can improve, even in the face of a tough problem that you can't get right away.