Dylan Noaker(me)

U0450023

Jesse (partner)

noaker(My Repository’s name)

My experience:

I’ve always had mixed experiences with pair programming. When pair programming has worked well, I knew exactly what my partner was capable of and how dedicated they were. Jesse seemed to be a fairly effective programmer, but it made me grind my teeth to watch him struggle with the IDE. However, he was far better at writing *correct* code than I was. Unfortunately, this led to several stalls and arguments where ideas that I tried wouldn’t work with our code base. We ended up writing ugly, long hard coded stuff and we tested *last* for some reason.

Despite all of the arguing and frustration, Jesse somehow kept himself collected while my frustration kept me from understanding and solving the problem. Once again, I cannot say that I am satisfied with the result of roughly 16 hours of work. I did not have a good experience.

That said, it’s not Jesse’s fault. I just can’t seem to make myself comfortable working with others.