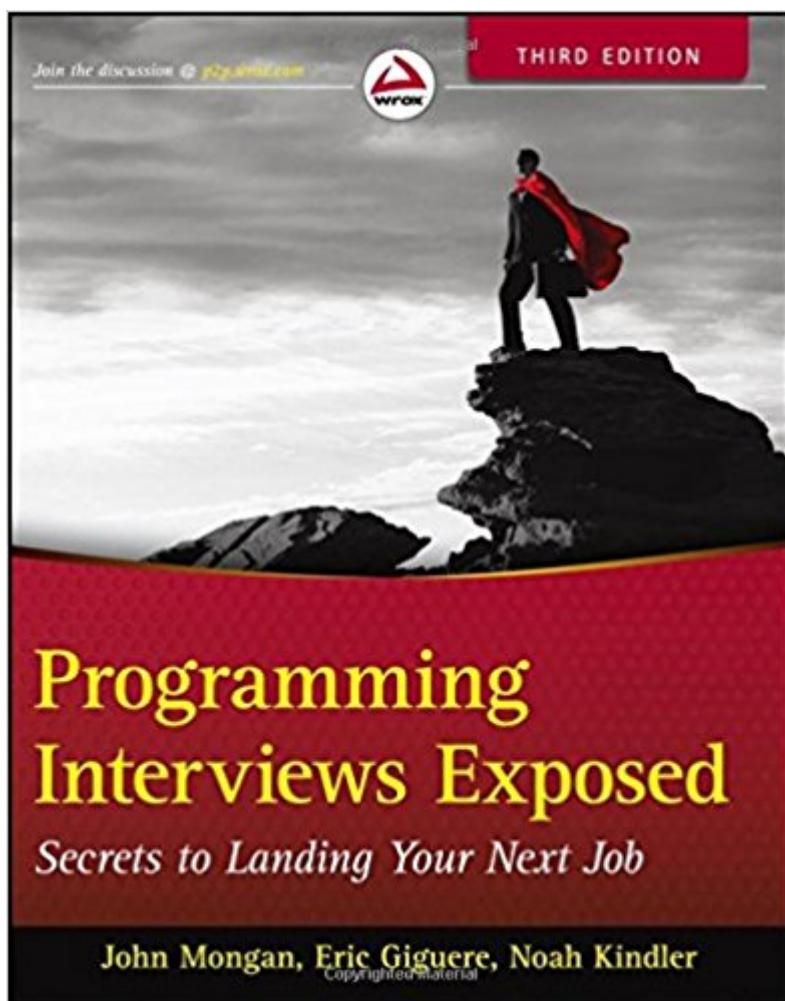


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i liked the questions and explanations more in this than in Cracking the Coding Interview. Definitely a little on the easy side but I got an exact question from this in an interview once

This is an intro book you must go through it before approaching more extensive books like

"Cracking the Coding Interview" by McDowell.

Great review on fundamentals. It doesn't have many sample interview questions. But if there are any you do not understand in here, you know which algorithms/datastructures you should probably brush up on in case they are needed in interviews. I don't think this has anything on hashing and hashtables. It seems to have everything else I remember from algorithms/datastructure courses I once took.

Read this a few times in the past to keep my mind sharp when it comes to programming and algorithms. I believe this is one of the standard books to review when it comes to "programming interview prep". I found the chapters on Linked Lists (ch 4), Graphs (ch 5), Strings (ch 6) and Recursion (ch 7) to be the most useful. The explanations provided in the book was good, but I wouldn't use it as a pure substitute for learning data structures. I prefer textbooks for that. The exercises however, are the meat of this book. Each of the questions presented are very practical and are pretty close to what you would be asked in an interview. I'd say if you want to really prepare for your typical programming interview, definitely pick this books up. It's also pretty useful for a quick read for a review of data structures and basic algorithmic concepts if you find that you were very comfortable with theoretical CS in the past and just want to brush up in a practical sense. Highly recommended buy. I have already read this book 3 or 4 times already in the past 6 years or so. :)

I bought this book after finishing (or giving up on) all the problems in Cracking the Coding Interview. This is not more of the same. The problems here are much easier and fewer and often duplicates. The bulk of this book consists of overly detailed explanations of the problems and more than a review of basic comp sci concepts. If somehow you're going to be appearing for a technical interview and are just starting to program, this may be helpful (though there still aren't enough problems). Or maybe you found the solutions in Cracking to be too brief. There are very few problems that really twist your brain up and make you scratch your head for a while like the kind you'll actually get from companies. For those see Cracking or CareerCup.com. I'd love more suggestions for better questions.

Extremely helpful to anyone studying for Computer Science interviews. It covers a lot of the topics

in-depth, unlike Cracking the Coding Interview which assumes you have a strong understanding of everything talked about in the book, which really helps in understanding what is going on.

Excellent resource. Opened my eyes after having not had to interview for 15 years, this really broke it down for me. Highly recommend this as one of the things you can do to assist in getting through any software engineering job interview.

Other than the missing pages, the book is okay. I prefer Cracking the Coding Interview, 6th edition, over this book. I feel like this book doesn't prepare you as well for the real interview scenarios.

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