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- \* These are total of 9 sounds
  - 2 at campus
  - 7 at Thoughtworks office at Hyderabad.

## \* At Campus (RGVKT Basar) - 250 students

- ↳ Coding round by cocubes.com (Online assessment)

2 programs - 30 mins → total online

### ↳ Logical Reasoning (Flow chart) Test

offline - a booklet is given we need to solve problems  
in booklet itself

11 Questions - 12 marks [each question carries 1 mark  
except 3rd question 2 marks.]

75 mins

## \* At Thoughtworks office Hyderabad, (14 out of 250) students.

These are a total of seven sounds

- ↳ Ice breaking - It is just an interactive session with employee's over there: People over there are very nice.

### ↳ Long Coding Test = 1:30 mins

2 program statements are given we need to solve 1 question  
with in the time frame of  $1\frac{1}{2}$  hours. We were given laptops  
over there, with full of IDE's, compilers whatever we want. If we

can code the logic in any programming language, they will provide everything for you.

### 3) Pair Programming

One thoughtworker is assigned to each student, students have to code the problem, if at any stage we stuck (or) we cannot proceed further then associate thoughtworkers will help you by troubleshooting.

same program - 30 mins duration.

### 4) Technical Interview - I → 2 hours

In this round they will test your technical skill in depth, ~~if~~ it is 2 hours, for me it took 2 hours.

\* puzzle - how many balls will fit in a room? we need to derive a formulae.

→ Java

→ Algorithms → all sortings in depth, & complexities.

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### 5) TR - II → 1 hour

1 hour round, for me it was totally on C language. but they will ask you for your favorite one, they will ask you from that, but in depth.

C - linked lists, structures, Memory Allocations

### 6) Social & Economical Justice - 3rd pillar of thoughtworker.

It is a general talk with HR, they asked several issues & problems in my village.

### 7) Leadership - with General Manager (GM)

It was just a casual talk, he was very nice, we were talked company, he explained about the company.

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7 at Thoughtworks office hyd

At campus: (CROWKT Basav) - 250 students

1) coding round:

2 programs (30 mins)

2) logical reasoning

flowchart & 11 questions 1 hour 15 mins

At Thoughtworks office:

Icebreaking round:

Interactive session with employees of Thoughtworks

no elimination

logical coding test: (1 hour 30 mins)

2 questions: we have to write code for any one of the  
above two questions

pair programming round: (30 mins)

one Thoughtwork employee come to you, they will check  
your code & They will tell you the mistakes in variable  
name declaration, method names & class names

Technical Round 1:

for (2 hours)

(Operating System)

1) favorite subject

2) one programming language ( JAVA )

## Technical Round - 2 : (1 hour)

- 1) python
- 2) java

## Social & economical Justice Issues: (30mins)

(3rd pillar of thought works)

casual talk with HR's. They will ask simple HR questions

## Leadership Quality Round (30mins)

It is also a interactive session with General manager.

He will ask simple HR questions.

# Thought Works

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- There are totally 9 rounds.  $\rightarrow$  2 will be in campus.  
 $\rightarrow$  7 will be in the office.
- First round was coding round (You have to write two programs and compile them on the online). Cocubes.com, Time 30 mins
- Next round was logical reasoning. It was not exactly logical questions like other papers. It contained flowcharts. (It was like algorithms, you have to predict the op) There were total of 11 questions (time 75 mins) total marks were 12. (one question contained 2 marks).

→ Rounds at office (Hyderabad, Gachibowli)

→ first round was ice breaking game, just an interactive session. They have divided us into groups & given tasks like, find out the favorite place of all employees. It was like treasure hunt game. (Time 30 mins)

→ Second round, 3<sup>rd</sup> was long coding and pair programming (2 hours). Given two problems, ~~you have~~ we had to code any one problem. We can code in any language (I have chosen java). After completing coding one of the employee came and evaluated, he suggested some changes in the code. [Never forget oops concepts if you choose Java]

⇒ Technical Round 1: It went for 1:45 mins. Two persons were there. Asked me about my project first. After that they asked me about the technologies, then drilled me about that technology. Asked me about algorithms.

sorted

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10	20	30	40
11	21	31	41
12	22	32	42
13	23	33	43

→ m x n matrix

to find an element it takes  $O(m \times n)$  by brute force.

Try to reduce it by taking the advantage of sorted horizontally and vertically.

Asked me to design: if a room contains a switch and bulb, when you switch on the bulb should lit, when you switch off light should go off. (Make sure you have a solid oops concepts for this)

```
class bulb() {  
    private off = true;  
  
    getstate() {  
        return  
    }  
    offLight() {  
        off = true;  
    }  
    onLight() {  
        off = false;  
    }  
}
```

```
class switch() {  
    bulb a; bulb  
    switch(switch a) {  
        this.a = a;  
  
        offSwitch() {  
            a.offLight();  
        }  
        onSwitch() {  
            a.onLight();  
        }  
    }  
}
```

```
class room() {  
    bulb light = new bulb();  
    switch s = new switch(light);  
  
    s.onSwitch();  
    s.offSwitch();  
}
```

After that they have added a fan to room.

⇒ TR-2 It was about 25 mins. Asked me about HTTP protocol, GET, POST methods, computer networks, mobile applications. It went cool.

⇒ Social & Economical Justice: They asked me about my village & problems of my family. And some social issues.  
(45 mins)

- Why 33% Reservation for women.
- What is the need of caste reservation, do you want it or remove it.
- They told about their third pillar (social).

### Leadership Round :-

It was with Hyderabad G.M. He asked me about my hobbies and interests, told about company (25 min)

Guys just crack the TR-1 that's it. You will be in.  
In TR-1, They will give you marker and you have to explain them on the board. They will wait till you answer.  
So wait & <sup>think</sup> before you answer. They will move to next question only if you say you don't know the answer. They will make you to tell answer by giving some tips. **ALL THE BEST**

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There are total of 9 grounds

for 8 at RNUIT campus

for 7 grounds at Thoughtworks

Q. Initially all branch students attempted card aptitude exam

for thoughtworks In that 250 were shortlisted.

Then after for 250 students we have <sup>Simple</sup> coding test

① Simple coding test:- In this only 2 basic programs were given. In this round only 10 students are shortlisted.

② flow-chart (Logictest):- In this we have hard copy of 15 questions booklet. We need have to answer those questions. In this round there is no elimination for us.

③ Ice breaking prize round (Thoughtworks):- This round is only for interacting with the employees of Thoughtworks I enjoyed a lot in this round.

#### 4) Long programming round and pair programming:-

In this round two long questions were given ~~we~~ they have given 1 hour 30 minutes and we have to do answer one question. Then after one of the employee of thoughtworks ~~had~~ had paired ~~with me~~ with me. Then I explained what I have done and he also ~~said~~ asked to change the code and remove the redundant code. If we cooperate and interact well with the employee we can simply reach this round from this round only 8 members shortlisted.

#### 5) Technical round:- This is Q-A round we have interviewed

by 2 people. They ask whatever they want. They will check the everything about your project and your subjects once you crack this round you can almost get into the Thoughtworks.

#### 6) Social and economical justice:- In this round they only check how you response towards your society. What are your views on society. They concentrated on this because they have many projects regarding social issues.

⑦ Technical round 2: In this round they again check how well you are technically and they will just check bafing how good you are. There is no elimination in this round for you.

⑧ Leadership round: In this we interviewed by general manager of Thoughtworks. He just interviewed freely. After this round only 4 members were left.

The 4 members were selected for Thoughtworks.