

PAST CONTINUOUS TENSE

Past continuous use for an ongoing action that was happening in the past was always structured by combining the past tense of the verbs be was and war with the present participle form of the main “verb-ing”. It always conveyed that the action doer was specifically in the past.

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Q1: Chooses the sentence correctly, which indicates the past continuous tense.

- A: She sings a song
 - B: He has studied since morning
 - C: They were studying together.
 - D: He is not paying
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Q2: Which sentence uses the past continuous tense?

- A: He will cook food.
 - B: She ate food.
 - C: She was studying since morning.
 - D: He will do that work.
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Q3: Which among them reflects the structure of the continuous tense?

- A: Sub+verb 2 form + object
 - B: Sub + to be, was, or were + ing + obj
 - C: sub + is, am, or are + obj
 - D: Sub+ ing + were+ object
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Q4: Identify the sentence: 'Food was being prepared by mom.'

- A: active voice
 - B: Passive continuous tense
 - C: passive voice
 - D: past continuous tense
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Q5: Fill in the blank: He _____ playing since morning

- A: was
 - B: were
 - C: is
 - D: has
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Q6: They were.....in the rain.

- A: Play
 - B: played
 - C: ate
 - D: Dancing
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Q7: The gardener _____ the flowers.

- A: was watering
 - B: were watering
 - C: were being watered
 - D: is watering
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Q8: They _____ building monuments

- A: is
 - B: were being
 - C: was
 - D: were
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Q9: The trees Shaking in the storm.

- A: were
 - B: was being
 - C: was
 - D: were being
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Q10: Find the correct passive continuous tense.

- A: A cake was being prepared by a sister.
 - B: Television was watched by children.
 - C: he was studying
 - D: She was playing
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Answers

Q1: C - They were studying together.

Q2: C - She was studying since morning.

Q3: B - Sub + to be, was, or were + ing + obj

Q4: B - Passive continuous tense

Q5: A - was

Q6: D - Dancing

Q7: A - was watering

Q8: D - were

Q9: A - were

Q10: A - A cake was being prepared by a sister.