

# PAST PERFECT CONTINUOUS

## POSITIVE

### [ Exercise 2 ]

Write sentences from the words in brackets.  
Use the **Past Perfect Continuous**.

**Example:**

They were cold.  
(They / ski / for 3 hours)

**Answer:**

**They had been skiing for 3 hours.**

1. Andrew was tired when he got home.

(He / drive / for 5 hours)

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2. When we saw James, he looked upset.

(He / try to find his wallet / since morning)

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3. When I got home, Amelia was relaxed.

(She / read her favorite book / since I left)

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4. I was rather annoyed.

(I / wait for Emma / for an hour)

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5. We were stressed.

(We / solve the task / since afternoon)

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6. Emily had a headache.

(She / work on her computer / for hours)

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7. The children were happy.

(They / play in the yard / since morning)

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8. Matthew got a new job.

(He / search for a new job / since May)

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9. Dinner was ready.

(We / cook / since 4 pm)

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10. I finished my essay.

(I / write my essay / since Monday)

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## ANSWERS

1. He had been driving for 5 hours.
2. He had been trying to find his wallet since morning.
3. She had been reading her favorite book since I left.
4. I had been waiting for Emma for an hour.
5. We had been solving the task since afternoon.
6. She had been working on her computer for hours.
7. They had been playing in the yard since morning.
8. He had been searching for a new job since May.
9. We had been cooking since 4 pm.
10. I had been writing my essay since Monday.