

Choose the option that fits Past Perfect Continuous Tense and completes the sentence correctly.

- 1) The committee _____ the proposal for weeks when they made a final decision.
A) had been discussing B) had been discuss C) had been discussed D) had been discusses
- 2) The company _____ to the new market conditions for several years before seeing any results.
A) had been adapts B) had been adapt C) had been adapted D) had been adapting
- 3) The company _____ new software for months when the project was finally completed.
A) had been develops B) had been developing C) had been develop D) had been developed
- 4) The doctor _____ the patient's condition for hours when the nurse provided an update.
A) had been monitor B) had been monitoring C) had been monitored D) had been monitors
- 5) The police _____ for the suspect all night when they finally found him.
A) had been searched B) had been searching C) had been searches D) had been search
- 6) The museum _____ rare artifacts for several years before it was renovated.
A) had been displays B) had been display C) had been displayed D) had been displaying
- 7) I _____ about moving to a new city for a while before I made the decision.
A) had been thought B) had been thinks C) had been think D) had been thinking
- 8) The workers _____ the building when it started to rain.
A) had been paints B) had been painting C) had been paint D) had been painted
- 9) The children _____ for their friends to arrive when the storm began.
A) had been waits B) had been wait C) had been waited D) had been waiting
- 10) The weather _____ rapidly throughout the day, leaving everyone unprepared.
A) had been changes B) had been changed C) had been changing D) had been change
- 11) The software company _____ a new app for months when they released its beta version.
A) had been develop B) had been developed C) had been developing D) had been develops
- 12) The researchers _____ the data for months before they concluded their study.
A) had been analyzes B) had been analyzing C) had been analyzed D) had been analyze
- 13) Several students _____ for the final exams for weeks.
A) had been prepare B) had been prepared C) had been prepares D) had been preparing
- 14) The gardeners _____ flowers when the storm arrived.
A) had been plant B) had been plants C) had been planting D) had been planted
- 15) The scientists _____ climate change for years when they published their findings.
A) had been researching B) had been research C) had been researches D) had been researched

Answer Sheet (Q8CCP3)

Past Perfect Continuous Tense: Affirmative Sentences: Advanced Level: Multiple Choice Quiz 3

- 1) A) had been discussing
- 2) D) had been adapting
- 3) B) had been developing
- 4) B) had been monitoring
- 5) B) had been searching
- 6) D) had been displaying
- 7) D) had been thinking
- 8) B) had been painting
- 9) D) had been waiting
- 10) C) had been changing
- 11) C) had been developing
- 12) B) had been analyzing
- 13) D) had been preparing
- 14) C) had been planting
- 15) A) had been researching



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