

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

- 1) The rain \_\_\_\_\_ for several hours before the sun came out.  
A) had been falls      B) had been falling      C) had fell      D) had been fall
- 2) Our team \_\_\_\_\_ for the championship all month before the competition started.  
A) had been train      B) had been training      C) had been trains      D) had trained
- 3) My friends \_\_\_\_\_ their vacation for months before they booked the flights.  
A) had been plan      B) had planned      C) had been planning      D) had been plans
- 4) The police \_\_\_\_\_ the area for hours when they discovered new evidence.  
A) had searched      B) had been search      C) had been searches      D) had been searching
- 5) The rain \_\_\_\_\_ for days when the river finally overflowed.  
A) had been falls      B) had fallen      C) had been falling      D) had been fall
- 6) The reporter \_\_\_\_\_ famous celebrities.  
A) hadn't been interview      B) hadn't been interviews      C) hadn't been interviewed      D) hadn't been interviewing
- 7) The customers \_\_\_\_\_ about the service before.  
A) hadn't been complained      B) hadn't been complains      C) hadn't been complaining      D) hadn't been complain
- 8) The fish \_\_\_\_\_ near the shore before pollution increased.  
A) hadn't been swimming      B) hadn't been swims      C) hadn't been swim      D) hadn't been swum
- 9) The scientist \_\_\_\_\_ new elements.  
A) hadn't been discovered      B) hadn't been discover      C) hadn't been discovers      D) hadn't been discovering
- 10) Our mother \_\_\_\_\_ spicy food before she traveled abroad.  
A) hadn't been cooked      B) hadn't been cooking      C) hadn't been cook      D) hadn't been cooks
- 11) \_\_\_\_\_ many customers \_\_\_\_\_ food before the restaurant closed?  
A) had / been ordered      B) had / been ordering      C) had / been orders      D) had / been order
- 12) \_\_\_\_\_ most of the visitors \_\_\_\_\_ the art exhibition before the gallery closed?  
A) had / been saw      B) had / been seen      C) had / been see      D) had / been seeing
- 13) \_\_\_\_\_ the athletes \_\_\_\_\_ in the tournament before the finals?  
A) had / been competes      B) had / been competed      C) had / been compete      D) had / been competing
- 14) What \_\_\_\_\_ the animals \_\_\_\_\_ before being fed this morning?  
A) had / been eating      B) had / been eats      C) had / been eaten      D) had / been eat
- 15) When \_\_\_\_\_ your colleagues \_\_\_\_\_ the report last week?  
A) had / been finishing      B) had / been finish      C) had / been finishes      D) had / been finished

# Answer Sheet (Q8CBA10)

## Past Perfect Continuous Tense: All Sentence Types: Intermediate Level: Multiple Choice Quiz 10

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- 1) B) had been falling
- 2) B) had been training
- 3) C) had been planning
- 4) D) had been searching
- 5) C) had been falling
- 6) D) hadn't been interviewing
- 7) C) hadn't been complaining
- 8) A) hadn't been swimming
- 9) D) hadn't been discovering
- 10) B) hadn't been cooking
- 11) B) had / been ordering
- 12) D) had / been seeing
- 13) D) had / been competing
- 14) A) had / been eating
- 15) A) had / been finishing



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