

Select the correct verb and fill the sentences with the correct Past Perfect Continuous Tense form.

compete • prepare • draft • plan • analyze
develop • test • investigate • design • collaborate

- 1) The journalists _____ the scandal for weeks when the breakthrough came.
- 2) The engineers _____ new software for months before the release.
- 3) The architects _____ the building for years before construction began.
- 4) The athletes _____ for the race when the event was postponed.
- 5) The researchers _____ hypotheses when the results were revealed.
- 6) The athletes _____ for months when the championship started.
- 7) The economists _____ market data before the crisis occurred.
- 8) The travelers _____ their itinerary when they received flight cancellations.
- 9) The lawyers _____ the contract when new regulations were introduced.
- 10) The team _____ on the project before the deadline.

Answer Sheet (Q8MC10)

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- 1) had been investigating
- 2) had been developing
- 3) had been designing
- 4) had been preparing
- 5) had been testing
- 6) had been competing
- 7) had been analyzing
- 8) had been planning
- 9) had been drafting
- 10) had been collaborating



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