

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

work • complete • write • study • investigate
discuss • test • debate • campaign • test

- 1) The workers _____ the task when the new project started.
- 2) The engineers _____ the machine when it broke down.
- 3) The environmentalists _____ for cleaner air when the new law passed.
- 4) The doctors _____ together when they found the cause of the illness.
- 5) The students _____ essays when the professor gave new instructions.
- 6) The scientists _____ the hypothesis when they found inconsistencies.
- 7) The journalists _____ the case when the police intervened.
- 8) The doctors _____ the patient's condition for days when the diagnosis came.
- 9) The politicians _____ policies when the new bill passed.
- 10) The scientists _____ the ocean for months when they found anomalies.

Answer Sheet (Q8MC3)

Past Perfect Continuous Tense: Advanced Level: Word Bank Quiz 3

- 1) had been completing
- 2) had been testing
- 3) had been campaigning
- 4) had been working
- 5) had been writing
- 6) had been testing
- 7) had been investigating
- 8) had been discussing
- 9) had been debating
- 10) had been studying



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