

Fill In The Blanks using **Simple Past Tense** or **Past Perfect Tense** .

- 1) The researchers \_\_\_\_\_ (**not / collect**) enough data before the study was published.
- 2) Several musicians \_\_\_\_\_ (**rehearse**) for hours before the concert started.
- 3) The children \_\_\_\_\_ (**finish**) their lunch before the game.
- 4) Several competitors \_\_\_\_\_ (**finish**) the race despite bad weather.
- 5) A number of scholars \_\_\_\_\_ (**debate**) the issue long before the final consensus was reached.
- 6) Several workers \_\_\_\_\_ (**not / arrive**) before the inspection.
- 7) The workers \_\_\_\_\_ (**finish**) their work when the supervisor arrived.
- 8) The workers \_\_\_\_\_ (**not / finish**) the project when the client visited.
- 9) Several volunteers \_\_\_\_\_ (**help**) set up the venue before the guests arrived.
- 10) A team of researchers \_\_\_\_\_ (**study**) the samples before publishing the results.
- 11) The engineers \_\_\_\_\_ (**not / complete**) the project before the budget was cut.
- 12) The law firm \_\_\_\_\_ (**win**) an important case last month.
- 13) Several tourists \_\_\_\_\_ (**visit**) the museum yesterday.
- 14) The logistics department \_\_\_\_\_ (**implement**) a new system last quarter.
- 15) A couple of engineers \_\_\_\_\_ (**test**) the machine before the launch.
- 16) A group of athletes \_\_\_\_\_ (**train**) for months before the championship.
- 17) The guests \_\_\_\_\_ (**arrive**) just before the event began.
- 18) The researchers \_\_\_\_\_ (**analyze**) the data before the conference.
- 19) The workers \_\_\_\_\_ (**not / arrive**) before the meeting started.
- 20) The manager \_\_\_\_\_ (**review**) the proposal before the meeting started.
- 21) The developers \_\_\_\_\_ (**resolve**) the issue before the software release.
- 22) The teachers \_\_\_\_\_ (**finish**) grading the exams before the break started.
- 23) A group of students \_\_\_\_\_ (**complete**) the project before the deadline.
- 24) The bookstore \_\_\_\_\_ (**close**) at 9 p.m. yesterday.
- 25) The IT department \_\_\_\_\_ (**fix**) the network issue last night.

# Answer Sheet (C5FC5)

## Simple Past Tense or Past Perfect Tense: Advanced Level: Fill In The Blanks Quiz 5

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- 1) hadn't collected
- 2) had rehearsed
- 3) finished
- 4) finished
- 5) had debated
- 6) didn't arrive
- 7) finished
- 8) didn't finish
- 9) had helped
- 10) studied
- 11) hadn't completed
- 12) won
- 13) visited
- 14) implemented
- 15) tested
- 16) trained
- 17) had arrived
- 18) analyzed
- 19) hadn't arrived
- 20) had reviewed
- 21) resolved
- 22) had finished
- 23) completed
- 24) closed
- 25) fixed



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