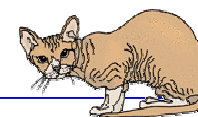


PASSIVE FORM - exercises

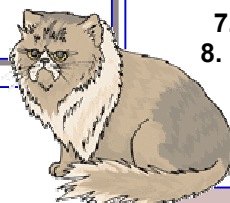


Put **present simple** passive verbs in these sentences.

1. A lot of olive oil _____ (to use) in Greek cooking.
2. Arabic _____ (to write) from right to left.
3. That programme _____ (to watch) by millions of people.
4. Stamps _____ (to sell) in most newsagent's in Britain.
5. I _____ (to pay) on the first of every month.
6. More chocolate _____ (to eat) in the US than in any other country.
7. Our windows _____ (to clean) every month.
8. Spanish _____ (to speak) in Peru.

Put **past simple** passive verbs in these sentences.

1. I _____ (to arrest) by a policeman last month.
2. We couldn't find the station, but we _____ (to help) by a woman who lived nearby.
3. Our passports _____ (to take) by a woman in a uniform. We were quite upset.
4. Nobody _____ (to tell) what was happening at that moment.
5. A man _____ (to catch) trying to burn down this building in December.
6. These keys _____ (to find) in the changing room yesterday.
7. He _____ (to send) to school when he was 5.
8. These books _____ (to leave) in the class the day before.



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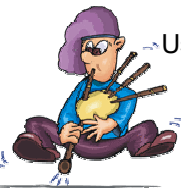
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Change the active sentences into passive sentences.



1. We sell tickets here.
2. Someone invented the steam engine.
3. They helped me.
4. He delivers the mail.
5. Someone stole my bike.
6. She makes breakfast.
7. They speak English in Australia.
8. He filmed those people.



Use the passive form of the **present simple or past simple**.

Use these verbs:

**to build - to check - to hold - to make -
to produce - to repair - to sell - to speak**

1. Scotch whisky _____ in Scotland.
2. The car _____ last week.
3. The Olympic Games _____ every four years.
4. English _____ in many countries.
5. Car speeds _____ by radar.
6. The Channel Tunnel _____ to connect Britain with Europe.
7. Souvenirs _____ at all popular tourist places.
8. The first Volkswagen Beetles _____ in 1937.