

# PASSIVE VOICE

## Simple Past



Simple past	Active voice	Passive voice
was/were + past participle	My father <b>drove</b> a bus everyday	A bus <b>was driven</b> by my father everyday
wasn't/weren't + past participle	My father <b>didn't drive</b> a bus everyday	A bus <b>wasn't driven</b> by my father everyday

### A. Unscramble the sentence.

- written / by / Shakespeare / Hamlet / was  
\_\_\_\_\_
- the cake / by / baked / was / mom / my / yesterday  
\_\_\_\_\_
- by / repaired / mechanic / was / the car / the  
\_\_\_\_\_
- on / was / the project / by / finished / time / the / team  
\_\_\_\_\_
- sent / was / by / the letter / Sarah / yesterday  
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### B. Complete the sentences.

- Nine symphonies \_\_\_\_\_ (compose) by Beethoven.
- Spiderman \_\_\_\_\_ (play) by many actors.
- The tests \_\_\_\_\_ (correct) last week.
- Those houses \_\_\_\_\_ (build) in 1922.
- My stolen car \_\_\_\_\_ (find) by the police.

### C. Rewrite the following sentences into passive voice

- Columbus discovered America.  
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- Someone took my umbrella this morning.  
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- The Chinese invented ice cream.  
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- My mum didn't wash the dishes yesterday.  
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- Argentina didn't produce cars.  
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