

The Evolution of Technology

Choose the correct option to complete the sentences using the **passive voice**.

Questions

1. Nowadays, millions of emails _____ every second around the world.

A. are sent

B. were sent

C. have been sent

2. The first electronic computer _____ by J. Presper Eckert and John Mauchly in 1945.

A. is built

B. was built

C. will be built

3. Experts believe that in the next decade, more advanced robots _____ to perform complex surgeries.

A. are created

B. have been created

C. will be created

4. Since the beginning of the 21st century, many incredible apps _____ to improve our daily lives.

A. are developed

B. have been developed

C. were developed

5. In some modern factories, cars _____ entirely by automated machines without human help.

A. are assembled

B. was assembled

C. will be assembled

6. Last year, a new security law _____ by the government to protect internet users.

A. is passed

B. was passed

C. has been passed

7. It is predicted that the moon _____ by tourists before the end of this century.

A. will be visited

B. is visited

C. has been visited

8. Look! The broken software _____ by the IT department finally.

A. was fixed

B. will be fixed

C. has been fixed

The Mystery of Stonehenge

Read the text below and choose the correct word or phrase for each space.

Stonehenge is one of the most famous prehistoric monuments in the world. Although its origin is still a mystery, many things (1) _____ about its construction over the years. It (2) _____ that the massive stones were transported from very far away.

In the past, it (3) _____ by some experts that the site was a druid temple. However, recent discoveries suggest it was a burial ground. Since the 20th century, the site (4) _____ by millions of tourists, and it (5) _____ as a World Heritage site by UNESCO in 1986.

Because of the weather, some of the stones are eroding. In the near future, a new project (6) _____ to protect the area from further damage. It is certain that Stonehenge (7) _____ by scientists for many more years to come.

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| 1. | A. are discovered | B. have been discovered | C. will be discovered |
| 2. | A. is believed | B. was believe | C. has been believe |
| 3. | A. is thought | B. was thought | C. will be thought |
| 4. | A. has been visited | B. was visited | C. are visited |
| 5. | A. is recognized | B. was recognized | C. will be recognized |
| 6. | A. is started | B. has been started | C. will be started |
| 7. | A. was studied | B. will be studied | C. is studied |