SINCE, AGO, DURING or FOR?

Fill in the Gaps using Since, Ago, During or for.

Exercise 1

1. I haven't been to a circus ___ I was 10 years old. It was ___ the Christmas Holidays.
2. I bought a house 15 years ___. ___ the last 10 years I came here every summer. Four years ____ I retired. ___ then I have lived here all year long.
3. I had been living in Paris ____ September when my young neighbour knocked at my door. She hadn't seen her cat ___ the last three days. I can hear her Cat meowing ___ the night, but I can't see him she said.
4. Dinosaurs evolved from other reptiles ___ the Triassic period over 230 million years ___. They have lived ___ more than 160 million years when a disaster happened.

Exercise 2

1. I'm going to get my hair cut ___ the summer holidays.
2. I'm going on holiday ___ two weeks.
3. I've been studying English ___ four years.
4. I've been studying Japanese ___ 2009.
5. I slept ___ the film.
6. I slept ___ seven hours last night.
7. I've known Sarah ___ last September.

Exercise 3

1. I've known Sarah ___ a long time
2. I got a phone call ___ the meeting.
3. Ive lived here ___ 5 years now.
4. She's studied English ___ she was at school.
5. I told him to get ready 1o minutes ___.
6. Your friend has worked for the company ___ since last summer.
7. She used to sing in a choir ten years ___.
8. Frank and Charles have played baseball ___ many years.
9. They have played tennis ___1999.
10. It rained ___ hours last night.

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Exercise 4

1. I'm so tired! I've been working at the computer ___ 3 hours.
2. She Knew it ___ last month.
3. They have been married ___ 2000.
4. The children have watched TV ___ a long while.
5. She has spoken this language at least five years.
6. ___ New Year's Eve she hasn't smoked any cigarette.
7. I was born ___ a thunderstorm.
8. I saw 3 films ___ the flight to Poland.
9. I haven't seen Andrew ___ yesterday.

Exercise 5

Fill in the Gaps using Since, Ago, or for.

1. The new trainee is going to stay _____ two months.

2. My husband is going to take me to Rome _____ a long week-end

3. Paul has been demonstrating the new product _____ 9 o'clock this morning.

4. Six months _____ they requested our price list and I have had no news _____ then.

5. Hi there! I haven't seen you _____ ages!

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