

# Passive with prepositions

Organize these sentences to form the passive voice.

factories are due to oceans polluted being

have been highways lots of as a result of forests deforested

activity being through habitats extincted human are

because of been pollution respiratory caused air diseases have

## Choose the correct passive sentence.

Factories have produced and dumped an excessive amount of waste in the oceans.

An excessive amount of waste has been produced and dumped in the oceans.

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We are facing a shortage of resources such as food and water.

A shortage of resources such as food and water is faced by us.

A shortage of resources such as food and water is being faced by us.

The release of harmful gases has cause climate change because of industries.

Climate change has being caused by the release of harmful gases because of industries.

Climate change has been caused by the release of harmful gases because of industries.

## Passive voice

Write the correct verb to complete the passive voice.

1. A cup of tea *is being drunk* (*is drinking*) by Sheila.
2. The car \_\_\_\_\_ (*is washing*) by my father.
3. The bill \_\_\_\_\_ (*has paid*) by Kerrie.
4. The cows \_\_\_\_\_ (*is milking*) by farmer Joe.
5. Five miles \_\_\_\_\_ (*have cycled*) by us.
6. Is the party \_\_\_\_\_ (*is preparing*) by her?
7. The gift \_\_\_\_\_ (*have opened*) by me.
8. A tie \_\_\_\_\_ (*is not wearing*) by him.

Write the correct passive voice sentence. Don't use *by*.

She is calling the office.      The office is being called ~~by her~~.

- They have not read the book.

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- I am writing a poem.

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- You have agreed to this issue.

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- Is she watering the flowers?

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- Has she phoned him?

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- People have caused some disasters.

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- A few cities are using a recycling system.

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