

Special Questions in Reported Speech

1. The journalist asked me what TV was / *is* for me.
2. My brother wanted to know what program I **am watching** / **I was watching** then.
3. Mary asks Pete why he **doesn't want** / **didn't want** to go to the country.
4. She asked children why they **are always quarrelling** / **were always quarrelling**.
5. The child wonders when the sitcom **starts** / **started**.
6. Mother asked her son how he **will explain** / **would explain** his absence.
7. Olga asks Pete when **he see** / **he saw** the film "Ghost".
8. The boy asked his granny how many series of the soap opera she **has watched** / **had watched** that week.
9. John asked how many channels **there are** / **there were** on Belarusian TV.
10. The shop assistant asked Bob what he **can do** / **could do** for him.
11. The pupil asked how long **he may** / **he might** keep books from the library.
12. The doctor asked how **I feel** / **I felt**.