Complete the text below using the appropriate tenses.
Use the verbs in brackets.

Since computers were first introduced to the public in the early 1980's, technology (change) ..... a great deal. The first computers (be) ..... simple machines designed for basic tasks. They (have, not) ..... much memory and they (be, not) ..... very powerful. Early computers were often quite expensive and customers often (pay) ..... thousands of dollars for machines which actually (do) ..... very little. Most computers (be) ..... separate, individual machines used mostly as expensive typewriters or for playing games.