Fill in the gaps using Present Simple or Past Simple:

1. In 1996, he _____ (start) his own company.
2. She _____ (run) 5km every Sunday.
3. He _____ (not / think) he _____ (be) so bad yesterday.
4. _____ you usually _____ (eat) olives?
5. He _____ (not / like) cats as a child, but now he absolutely _____ (love) them.
6. - _____ she _____ (pay) for the meal last time? – No, she _____.
7. Last weekend, he _____ (say) he _____ (be) okay.
8. I _____ (sell) five cars last week, but this week I can _____ (sell) only three.