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Choose the correct answer.

1 By 2008, Katie six countries in Europe.
A had already been visiting C already visited
B was already visiting D had already visited

2 The children were cold. They in the snow all afternoon.
A had played B had been playing C were playing D played

3 This time last week, I an exam.
A sat B had sat C had been sitting D was sitting

4 Lucy was gardening Adam was painting the kitchen.
A when B as soon as C after D while

5 Paul an expensive mountain bike last year.
A was buying B had bought C bought D had been buying

6 He tennis every day during the summer holidays.
A is playing B had played C had been playing D played

7 While Matthew was fixing the window, he off the ladder.
A fell B was falling C had fallen D had been falling

8 It was a chilly evening. A strong wind and clouds were covering the sky.
A was blowing B blew C had blown D had been blowing

9 They for three hours before they found the house.
A have walked B had been walking C walked D are walking

10 By the time they arrived at the beach, it to rain.
A was starting B started C had started D had been starting