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EXERCISE 39**TENSES AND CONCORD**

Choose the most suitable answer and write its number in the brackets.

1 The concert _____ longer than expected.
 (1) lasted (2) lasting (3) last (4) are lasting ()

2 This _____ a beautiful island. Many tourists like to come here.
 (1) is (2) are (3) was (4) were ()

3 Each of the girls _____ her hair when she goes to school.
 (1) tie (2) ties (3) have tied (4) are tying ()

4 The turtle _____ its eggs in the sand until they hatch.
 (1) bury (2) buries (3) buried (4) are burying ()

5 Thomas _____ the yo-yo since he was a child.
 (1) had played (3) is playing
 (2) was playing (4) has been playing ()

6 The organizers _____ the winners of the lucky draw last week.
 (1) announce (3) announces
 (2) announced (4) is announcing ()

7 Sue _____ in her room. Please wake her up.
 (1) sleeps (3) is sleeping
 (2) slept (4) was sleeping ()

8 The doctor _____ me. I have to collect my medicine now.
 (1) examines (3) will examine
 (2) has examined (4) is examining ()

9 Jill _____ her dinner a few hours ago.
 (1) finished (3) finishes
 (2) has finished (4) is finishing ()

10 Jack _____ football in the house when he accidentally _____ his mother's favourite vase.
 (1) was playing ... broke (3) plays ... broke
 (2) is playing ... broke (4) was playing ... was breaking ()