

PRACTICE: PAST SIMPLE, PAST CONTINUOUS, AND USED TO.

PART 1: THE PAST SIMPLE

1. Order the words to create coherent sentences in the simple past tense regarding endangered animals.

1. you / see / the endangered species

2. They did not have a giant trunk.

3. was / exotic / that / avian / very

4. Were those animals harmless?

PART 2: THE PAST CONTINUOUS

1. Each sentence contains an error. Identify the error and write the correct form on the line.

The giant elephant was using its tusk to locate water.

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2. *Was the bird flying when it lost its feathers?*

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The poisonous snake was not slithering quickly; it was resting.

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4. *I saw a protected species while hiking.*

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PART 3: USED TO

Translate the following sentences into Spanish or English using 'used to' to talk about past habits.

She once owned a large dog with an elongated tail.

2. We typically did not encounter exotic animals in this jungle.

3. Did the bird once possess shiny feathers before it faced danger?

