PAST CONTINUOUS TENSE – 1–

A. Choose the correct aswer:

1. I first met my boyfriend (when/while) _____I was staying in Washington.
2. (when/while) _____ I was talking to my uncle on phone, my mom came home.
3. We were playing computer games (when/while) _____ the electricity went off.
4. (when/while) _____ Jenny was working, she did not listen to music.
5. (when/while) _____ I was in the countryside, power cuts were very frequent.
6. They texted him (when/while) _____ he was sleeping.
7. Rose was very upset (when/while) _____ things were not going well yesterday.
8. We were having lunch (when/while) _____ my sister was sleeping.
9. He was watching TV (when/while) _____ I was making noodles.
10. We often visited our grandfather (when/while) _____ we were little.

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B. Circle the correct answer:

1. Lisa **saw/ was seeing** the accident when she **was catching/ caught** the bus.
2. What **were you doing/ did you do** when your father called?
3. I **had/ was having dinner** with my family when the alarm **went off/ was going off.**
4. It **rained/ was raining** heavily while we **were driving/ drove** the car.
5. While people were talking to each other, Kevin **read/ was reading** his book.
6. My little brother **was eating/ ate** hamburgers while our mom **was baking/ baked** a chocolate cake.
7. When we **were running/ ran** in the park, Jenny **fell/ was falling** over.
8. **Did you find/ Were you finding** your keys when your dad **called/ was calling** yesterday?
9. Where **was she going/ did she go** when her family **was cleaning/ cleaned** the house yesterday?
10. They **were watching/ watched** a basketball match while their daughter **was playing/ played** the piano last night.

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