

Formula gramatical. ¿Cómo formulo las oraciones en voz Pasiva?

Se forma la voz PASIVA con el verbo auxiliar "to be" y el participio pasado del verbo.

Es decir: Sujeto + verbo auxiliar (to be) + participio pasado (última columna de las listas de los verbos irregulares y regulares)

El verbo "to be" lo puedo usar en presente (is/are) o en pasado (was/were), de acuerdo al tiempo que esté necesitando en la oración.

Ejemplo:

Voz activa: *Graham Bell invented the telephone. (Past simple tense)*

Voz pasiva: *The telephone WAS invented by Bell.*

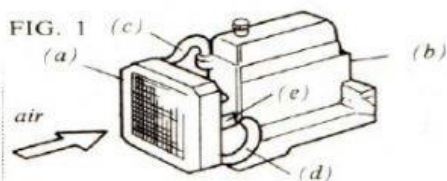
PASSIVE FOR PROCESS (VOZ PASIVA PARA PROCESOS)

En esta clase utilizaremos la Voz Pasiva para describir cómo se hacen, se usan o se fabrican las cosas en determinados procesos o procedimientos.

Activity 1

Read the text and find all the passive voice forms.

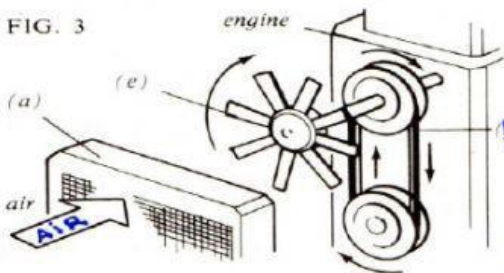
A car cooling system



Here are the stages:

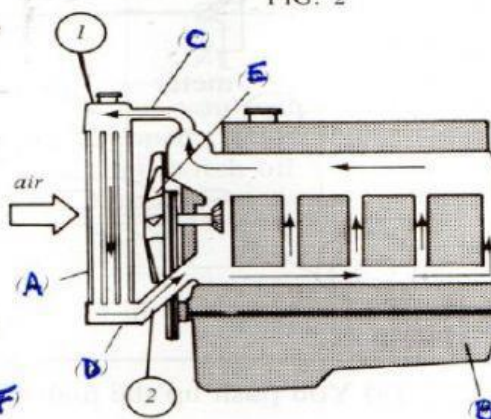
- 1 Water flows around the engine. The engine is cooled and the water is heated.
- 2 The hot water enters the radiator through the top hose.
- 3 It flows down through the radiator. Here it is cooled by air.
- 4 The cool water leaves the radiator through the bottom hose.
- 5 The water is pumped around the engine again.

FIG. 3



Most car engines are cooled by water. The water flows around the engine and then passes through the radiator. It then passes through the water pump and around the engine again.

FIG. 2



Look at FIG. 3. Air is pulled through the radiator by a fan. This fan is turned by a belt, which is driven by the engine.

Example:

Most car engines "are cooled" by water

Activity 2:

Read the text again and write the names of the objects (a- f) in the diagram.
(los nombres de los objetos están en el texto)

Example: a) radiator

Activity 3:

Answer the questions about the text

- 1- Look at Figure 2. Is water hot or cold at point 1? Why?
- 2- What makes the water hot?
- 3- What pumps the water round the engine?
- 4- What thing pulls air through the radiator?
- 5- What drives the belt?
- 6- Give three examples where you can find any **cooling system**.

Activity 4:

Complete these sentences using passive voice forms

(formula: is / are + Past participle verb)

- 1- Cooling systems (employ) in automobiles, industrial plant machinery, nuclear reactors, and many other types of machinery.
 - 2- Air or a liquid (usually water)(use) in cooling machines.
 - 3- Liquid (move) through a continuous loop in the cooling system by a pump.
 - 4- A fan (attach) to a rotating element to create a current of cooling air through the housing.
 - 5- In an automobile, so much energy (release) that air cooling is inadequate, and a water cooling system(require).
 - 6- To prevent freezing, an antifreeze solution (add).
 - 7- To raise the boiling point of the solution, the cooling system(pressurize).
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