



PAST TENSES

Past Simple: глагол + ed


Past Simple используется, когда:

- действие произошло в указанное время в прошлом.
He sold his car two weeks ago. (Когда? Две недели назад.)
- говорим о состоянии/привычках в прошлом.
When he was young, he lived in a small flat.
- действия в прошлом следовали одно за другим.
She put on her coat, took her bag and left the house.
- действие было в прошлом и больше не повторится.
I once spoke to Princess Diana. (Я ее больше не увижу; она умерла.)

Обстоятельства времени с Past Simple:

yesterday, last week / month / year /
Monday, etc., ago, how long ago, just
now, then, when, in 2000, etc.

Structure

⊕  + Verb2

He read this book last month.

⊖  + didn't + Verb1

They didn't go to Spain 3 years ago.

⊙ Did+  +Verb1?

Did you translate English songs last lesson?

Мы используем Past Continuous, когда:

- указан момент в прошлом, когда происходило действие.

At 8 o'clock last night she was watching TV.

- два и более действий в прошлом происходили одновременно (одновременные действия).

At 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon Ben was doing his homework while his dad was cooking dinner.

- говорим о действии, прерванном другим действием. Мы используем Past Continuous для прерванного действия и Past Simple для прервавшего действия.

Linda was watching TV when the phone rang.

- описываем обстановку, на фоне которой произошли события рассказа.

We were walking in the woods. It was raining hard

Обстоятельства времени:

while, when, as, etc.

Structure

⊕  + was/were + Verb(-ing)

I was having lunch at one o'clock yesterday.

⊖  + wasn't/weren't + Verb(-ing)

I wasn't reading when the telephone rang

⊙ Was/Were +  + Verb(-ing)?

Was he listening to the radio when you left?

Мы используем **Past Perfect**, когда:

- действие в прошлом произошло до другого действия в прошлом/до определенного времени в прошлом.

She **had already left** when I got home. She **had arrived** by 8 o'clock.

- действие закончилось в прошлом, и результаты его были также видны в прошлом.

He was happy. He **had won** the race.

- нужен эквивалент в прошедшем времени для **Present Perfect**.

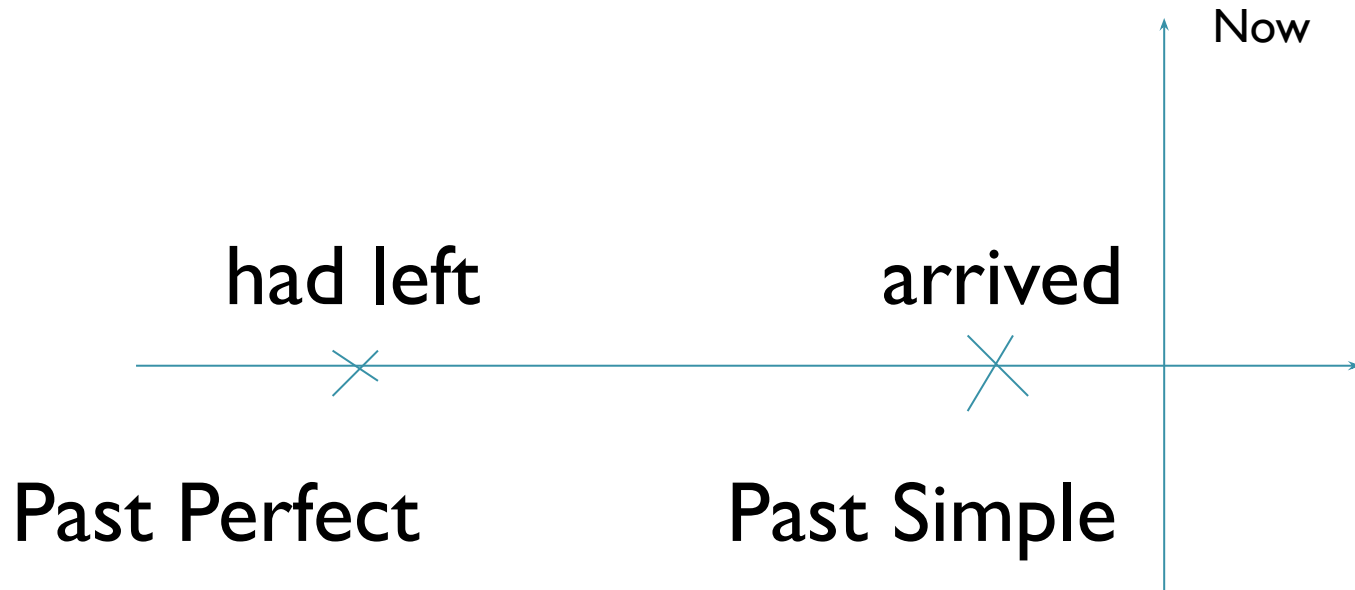
She **isn't** in her office. She **has already left**, (до настоящего времени)

She **wasn't** in her office. She **had already left**. (до прошедшего времени)

Обстоятельства времени с **Past Perfect**

before, after, just, yet, already, for, since, ever, never, by, by the time, etc.

She had left when he arrived.



Structure

+  +had+Verb3

He had read this book before he sold it.

-  +hadn`t+Verb3

They hadn`t been to Spain when they went to there.

? Had+  +Verb3?

Had you translated English songs until you finished school?

Мы используем **Past Perfect**

Continuous, когда:

- действие началось, длилось и закончилось до другого действия в прошлом или до определенного времени в прошлом.

She had been working as a clerk for 10 years before resigned.

- действие длилось в прошлом, и результаты его были также видны в прошлом.

He was happy. He had won the race.

- нужен эквивалент в прошедшем времени для **Present Perfect**.

She isn't in her office. She has already left, (до настоящего времени)

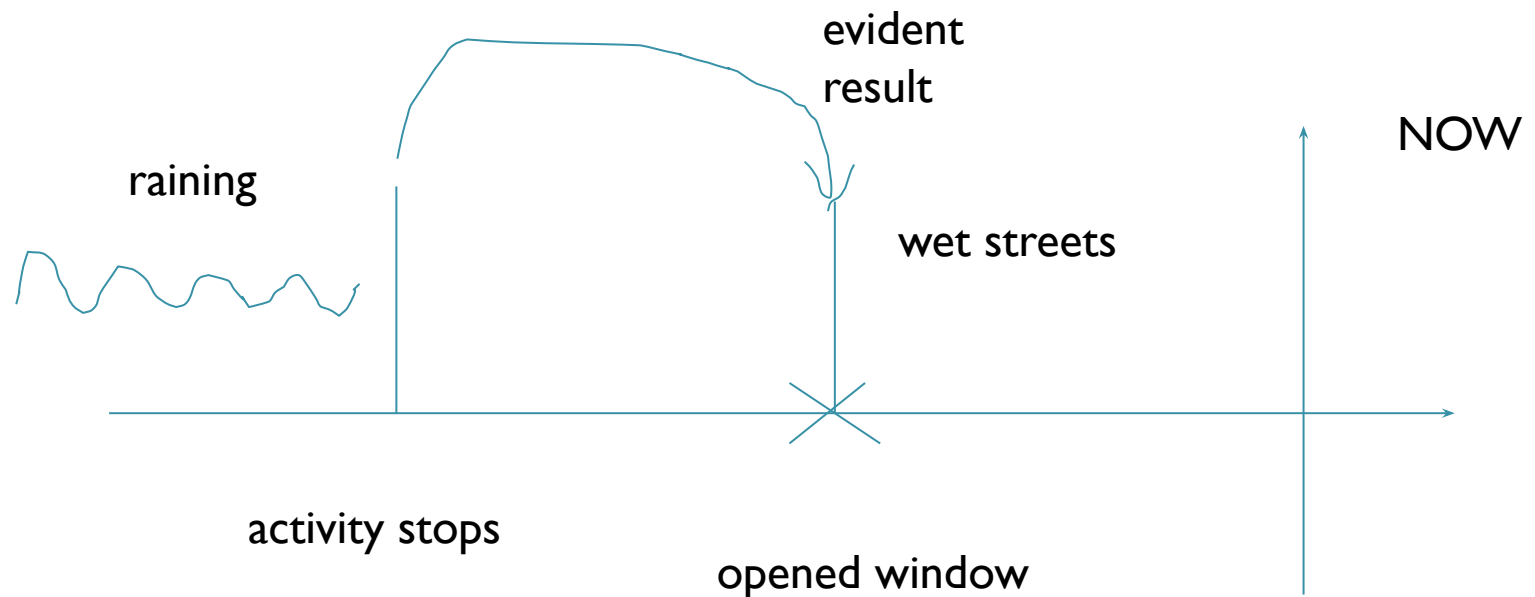
She wasn't in her office. She had already left, (до прошедшего времени)

Обстоятельства времени с **Past Perfect Continuous**
for, since

They had been swimming in the water for two hours when they were rescued



I opened the window and saw the streets were wet. It had been raining.



Structure

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+had+been+Verb(-ing)

He had been reading this book for 2 hours before he went out.

(-)



+hadn't+been+Verb(-ing)

They hadn't been playing tennis since 2005 before they played again.

(?)



Had+ +been+Verb(-ing)?

Had you been translating English songs for 3 days before you sent them to the producer?