# **C**3-21

## The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.



## Passive Voice Present Simple to BE + V3/V+ed

I am asked He is asked She is asked It is asked You are asked They are asked I am broken He is broken She is broken It is broken You are broken They are broken

### **Simple Present**

#### <u>Active:</u>

Rita writes a letter. *Passive:* A letter is written by Rita.

**Passive Voice** Past Simple to BE + V3/V+ed I was asked I was broken He was asked He was broken She was asked She was broken It was asked It was broken You were asked You were broken They were asked They were broken

### **Simple Past**



# Rita wrote a letter. <u>Passive:</u>

A letter was written by Rita.

# Complete the sentences with the present or past simple passive of the verb in brackets.

- How many newspapers (print) in Britain every day?
- German (speak) in Germany, Austria, and part of Switzerland.
- The royal wedding (watch) by millions of people in 2011.
- Nowadays, a lot of computers (make) in Korea.
- The Harry Potter films (not direct) by Steven Spielberg.
- How much (paper / recycle) in Poland each year?
- In the UK, alcohol (not sell) to anyone under 18. It's against the law.

### Fill in the present or past tense.

- 1. He (offer) a new job last week.
- 2. This novel (write) by Hemingway.
- 3. Flies (catch) by spiders.
- 4. All the trees (cut) down yesterday.
- 5. We (tell) to go home now.
- 6. Their purse (steal) yesterday night in the disco.
- 7. He (throw) out of the bar a week ago.
- 8. Pigs (use) to find truffles.
- 9. The old theatre (reopen) last Friday.
- 0. She (ask) about the accident by the police yesterday.
- 1. Eggs (throw) at him last month in Bristol.
- 2. Mice (catch) by cats.
- 3. I (often / ask) for her address.