



Presentation on Past Continuous

What Past Continuous?

- 0 Время **Past Continuous** указывает на процесс, длившийся в определенный момент или период в прошлом. В отличие от времени Past Simple, этот момент в прошлом должен быть назван прямо (например, yesterday at 5 o'clock, when you called, when rain started) или быть очевидным из контекста.
- 0 When you called I **was taking** a shower.
Когда ты позвонил, я принимал душ.
Charlie and me **were** already **driving** home
when the engine suddenly stopped.
Мы с Чарли уже ехали домой, как вдруг заглох мотор.

Find in the text

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Expand the brackets, using verbs in the form of Past Continuous

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- o 2. Robert (to talk) to some of the other guests on the terrace when Hardy came.
- o 3. Michael (to look) at his watch.
- o 4. All night long the stars (to glitter).
- o 5. Lizzie (to eat) and didn't raise her head.
- o 6. He drank some of the wine and ate several chunks of bread while he (to wait) for his dinner to come up.
- o 7. The family (to prepare) for the party.
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Answer

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