

Tenses Exercise

Fill in the blanks with an appropriate verb form.

1. I watch a lot of movies when I was younger.

used to

would

Either could be used here

2. They in the morning.

have arrived

arrived

had arrived

3. She unhappy since her divorce.

was

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has been

is

4. I my uncle when I was in Canada.

visited

have visited

had visited

5. I him instantly.

was recognizing

recognized

have recognized

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6. Somebody the cat in.

let

has let

was let

7. Who the door open?

has left

left

had left

8. I in this town since I was a child.

lived

have lived

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had lived

9. I hiking yesterday.

go

went

have gone

had gone

10. No one him since that fateful day.

see

has seen

saw

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11. The birds and sold.

have caught

were caught

had caught

12. As soon as she finished one project, she
..... working on the next.

was started

has started

started

Answers

I used to / would watch a lot of movies when I was younger.

They arrived in the morning.

She has been unhappy since her divorce.

I visited my uncle when I was in Canada.

I recognized him instantly.

Somebody has let the cat in.

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Who left the door open?

I have lived / have been living in this town since I was a child.

I went hiking yesterday.

No one has seen him since that fateful day.

The birds were caught and sold.

As soon as she finished one project, she started working on the next.