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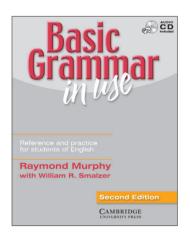
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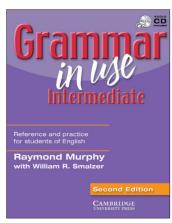
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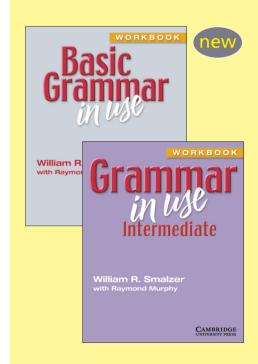
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Exercises

Was/were

10.1 Where were these people at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon? Where were you?

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at in bed 2. Elena and Pablo

6. And you? I

on at

10.2 Write am/is/are (present) or was/were (past).

nice, but yesterday it 22, so she /s 1. Last year she was 2. Today the weather

23 now.

very cold.

very tired last night. you at 11 o'clock last Friday morning? very expensive. hungry. Can I have something to eat? 6. Don't buy those shoes. They 4. I feel fine this morning, but I

here ten minutes ago." the children?" "I don't know. They it expensive? 7. I like your new jacket.

8. "Where

10.3 Write was/wasn't or were/weren't.

1. We weren't happy with the hotel. Our room was very small, and it wasn't very clean. sick. He's better now. at work last week because he

closed. They're open today. there, but John Kate and John at the party?" "Kate 5. "Where are my keys?" "I don't know. They they're not there now." a holiday, so the banks 3. Yesterday

on the table, but

you?

at home last night. Where

10.4 Write questions. Use the words in parentheses () in the correct order + was/were.

(late / you / this morning / why?) Why were you

The traffic was bad. No, it was easy.

(last week / where / Beth and Bill?)

(hard / your exam?)

They were on vacation. Because you were late.

(angry / you / yesterday / why?)

(nice / the weather / last week?)

Yes, it was beautiful.

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Sample Unit see back cover for answers

Now Arturo is at work. At midnight last night he wasn't at work. The weather was nice last week, He was asleep. He was in bed. They weren't here last Sunday. Where was Beth yesterday? You were late yesterday. I was tired last night. "Were Amy and Matt at the party?" "No, they weren't." No, we/you/they weren't. I/he/she/it wasn't. We were hungry after the trip, but we weren't tired. The hotel was comfortable, but it wasn't expensive. Was the weather nice when you were on vacation? "Was Scott at work yesterday?" "Yes, he was." I? he? she? Those shoes are nice. Were they expensive? When I was a child, I was afraid of dogs. Ouestion ■ Last year Amy was 22, so she's 23 now. were "Were you late?" "No, I wasn't." Why were you late this morning? Amlislare Units 1-2 I was doing Unit 13 (weren't) were not (wasn't) The weather is nice today. was not ■ They aren't here. (now) am/is (present) → was (past) Where is Beth? (now) are (present) → were (past) we/you/they were. I/he/she/it was. Negative You are late. (now) I am tired. (now) he we you Short answers were was ast nig Positive you Ħ, we Yes, he 20 ⋖ m

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UNIT Present Continuous (I am doing)

Study this example situation:

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Ann is in her car. She is on her way to work. She is driving to work. This means: she is driving now, at the time of Am/is/are -ing is the present continuous: speaking. The action is not finished.

doing, etc. driving working he/she/it is (= he's, etc.) we/you/they are (= we're, etc.) I am $(= \Gamma m)$



I am doing something = I'm in the middle of doing something; I've started doing it and I haven't finished yet. Often the action is happening at the time of speaking:

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- "Where's Lauren?" "She's taking a bath." (not She takes a bath) Please don't make so much noise. I'm working. (not I work)
 - Let's go out now. It isn't raining anymore. (not It doesn't rain)
- (at a party) Hello, Lisa. Are you enjoying the party? (not Do you enjoy)
 - I'm tired. I'm going to bed now. Good night!

But the action is not necessarily happening at the time of speaking. For example:

Tom and Ann are talking. Tom says:



I'm reading an interesting book at the moment. I'll lend it to you when I've finished it.

Tom is not reading the book at the time of speaking. He means that he has started it but has not finished it yet. He is in the middle of reading it.

Here are some more examples:

- Maria wants to work in Italy, so she is studying Italian. (but perhaps she isn't studying Italian exactly at the time of speaking) Some friends of mine **are building** their own house.

We use the present continuous when we talk about things happening in a period around now

- We use the present continuous when we talk about changes happening now or around now:
 - The population of the world is rising very fast. (not rises
- Is your English getting better? (not Does your English get better?)

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Exercises

1.1 Complete the sentences using one of the following verbs in the correct form.

| come get nappen 100k make start stay try work | working hard today." "Yes, I have a lot to do." | for (| dark. Should I turn on the light? | 4. They don't have anywhere to live at the moment. They | with friends until they find a place. | . "Ann! Let's go!" "OK, I | 6. Do you have an umbrella? It to rain. | a lot of noise. Could you please be quieter? | to concentrate. | 8 Why are all these neonle here? What |
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1.2 Use the words in parentheses to complete the questions.

| this week?" "No, he's on vacation." (Brad / work) | at me like that? What's the matter? (you / look) | y is a student at the university." "Is she? What ?" (she / study) | to the radio, or can I turn it off? (anybody / listen) |
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| " Is Brad w | Why | "Jenny is a st | |
| 1. | 2. | 3. | 4. |

1.3 Put the verb into the correct form. Sometimes you need the negative (I'm not doing, etc.).

better? (it / get)

5. How is your English?

| | Good night! | (rain) anymore. | She(have) | | (eat) lunch. | (study) German. | (speak) to |
|-------------|---|-----------------|---|---|---------------------------------------|--|---|
| | 1. I'm tired. I im going (go) to bed now. Good night! | isn't raining | 3. Laura phoned me last night. She's on vacation in France. She | a great time and doesn't want to come back. | I want to lose weight, so this week I | Angela has just started evening classes. She | 6. I think Dave and Amy had an argument. They |
| dame, see / | 1. Fm | 2. We | 3. Lau | a ge | 4. I w | 5. Ans | 6. I th |

1.4 Read this conversation between Brian and Sarah. Put the verbs into the correct form. (op / noa) Sarah: Brian! I haven't seen you in ages. What (1) are you doing

these days?

each other.

| Brian: I (2) (train) to be a police officer. | Sarah: Really? What's it like? (3) (you / enjoy) it? | Brian: It's all right. How about you? | Sarah: Well, actually, I (4) (not / work) right now. | (try) to find a jo | - |
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| Brian: | Sarah: | Brian: | Sarah: | | |

(help) me. (paint) my apartment. (you / do) it alone? Sarah: No, some friends of mine (8)

retty busy.

Complete the sentences using one of these verbs: change fall get increase rise You don't have to use all the verbs, and you can use a verb more than once. 1.5

| The population of the world _is rising Robert is still sick, but he The world The world Things nev The cost of living Eve The economic situation is already very bad, and it | very fast. | better slowly. | Things never stay the same. | . Every year things are more expensive. | bad, and it worse. |
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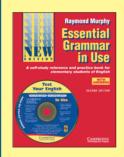
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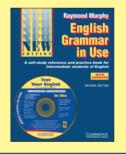
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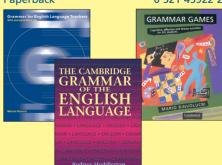
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- 2. is; was
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- 8. are: were

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- 2. wasn't (was not) was
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- 8. are helping

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