

Active and passive voice exercise

Fill in the blanks with an appropriate passive verb form.

1. The mouse by the cat.

killed
was killed
had killed

2. The tree by the man.

cut down
has cut down
was cut down

3. America by Columbus.

was discovered
has discovered
discovered

4. The boy by the teacher.

praised
has praised
was praised

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5. The man by the dog.

bitten
had bitten
was bitten

6. The horse by the syce every day.

feeds
fed
is fed

7. Kites by the boys.

were been flown
were being flown
being flown

Answers

1. The mouse was killed by the cat.
2. The tree was cut down by the man.
3. America was discovered by Columbus.

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4. The boy was praised by the teacher.
5. The man was bitten by the dog.
6. The horse is fed by the syce every day.
7. Kites were being flown by the boys.