Passive Voice Exercise

Fill in the blanks with an appropriate passive verb form.

1. They submitted a new proposal. / A new proposal ……………………….. by them.

   is submitted
   was submitted
   has submitted

2. She answered my question. / My question ………………………….. by her.

   has answered
   was answered
   has been answered

3. She solved the puzzle. / The puzzle …………………………….. by her.
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has solved
was solved
has been solved

4. Her remarks hurt me. / I .................................. by her remarks.

hurt
was hurt
have been hurt

5. She sells handmade toys. / Handmade toys ............................ by her.

sold
are sold
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6. I have reserved a table for two. / A table for two ________________________ by me.

7. The postal department delivers letters to their respective addresses. / Letters ________________________ to their respective addresses by the postal department.
8. She writes poems. / Poems ................................ by her.

written
are written
are being written

9. They criticized me. / I .............................. by them.

was criticized
have criticized
have been criticized

10. The audience loved the show. / The show .......................... by the audience.

has loved
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was loved

has been loved

11. They appreciated the novelty of the idea. / The novelty of the idea ……………………….. by them.

is appreciated

was appreciated

has been appreciated

12. I fed the dogs. / The dogs ………………………… by me.

have fed

were fed

are fed
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Answers

They submitted a new proposal. / A new proposal was submitted by them.
She answered my question. / My question was answered by her.
She solved the puzzle. / The puzzle was solved by her.
Her remarks hurt me. / I was hurt by her remarks.
She sells handmade toys. / Handmade toys are sold by her.
I have reserved a table for two. / A table for two has been reserved by me.
The postal department delivers letters to their respective addresses. / Letters are delivered to their respective addresses by the postal department.
She writes poems. / Poems are written by her.
They criticized me. / I was criticized by them.
The audience loved the show. / The show was loved by the audience.
They appreciated the novelty of the idea. / The novelty of the idea was appreciated by them.
I fed the dogs. / The dogs were fed by me.