

# 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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have sold

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

has been reserved

have been reserved

had been reserved

7. The postal department delivers letters to their respective addresses. / Letters ..... to their respective addresses by the postal department.

delivered

are delivered

are being delivered

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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.