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## Past Perfect or Past Perfect Progressive?

**Past Perfect:** It expresses an action that is completed before another action in the past.

Example: Tony had finished the porridge before Lily came home.

**Past Perfect Progressive:** It refers to an action that started in the past and continued to another time in the past.

Example: Alice had been talking to her friends daily before she lost her phone.

Complete each sentence using the past perfect progressive tense form.

1) We \_\_\_\_\_ lunch. (manage)

2) Ryan \_\_\_\_\_ that he was unwell.

3) Luckily we \_\_\_\_\_ in the rain. (take)

4) Dan \_\_\_\_\_ laptop. (watch)

5) The team \_\_\_\_\_ champions. (win)

6) It \_\_\_\_\_ hard for seven hours before it subsided at around 5 o'clock. (rain)

7) The officer \_\_\_\_\_ a case for three months in California before he was moved to Michigan. (investigate)

8) During 1990s, I \_\_\_\_\_ to London twice to watch international cricket matches. (be)

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