

TRANSFORMATION OF SENTENCES (ACTIVE/PASSIVE)

EXPLANATIONS

1.(4) In **Passive Voice**, the structure will be as follows:

Sub. (Ob. of Active) + should + be + V₃

↓ ↓ ↓
Promises should be kept

[(by one) not required]

2. (2) **Active Sent.** in the **Simple Pr.** has the following structure:

Sub. + V₁ + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓
People in Egypt Speak Arabic

In **Passive**, the structure will be as follows:

Sub. (Ob. of Active) + is/am/are + V₃ +

↓ ↓ ↓
Arabic is spoken

Ob. (Sub. of Active)

↓
in Egypt

3.(2) The structure of **Passive Sent.with Mod.** is as follows :

Sub. + Mod. + be + V₃ + by

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
The poor must be looked after by

+ Ob.

↓
society

In **Active**, the structure will be as follows:

Sub. (Ob. of Passive) + Mod. + V₁

↓
Society must look after

Ob. (Sub. of Passive)

↓
the poor

4.(4) The **Passive Sent.with Modals** will have the following structure:

Sub. (Ob. of Active) + Mod. + be + V₃

↓ ↓ ↓
Elders should
be respected
+ by + Ob.

↓
[by + Ob. may be ignored]

5. (1) The **Active structure of Int. Sent.** is as follows
Q.wd + Sub. + V₁ + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓
Can we rely on him?

The **Passive structure** will be as follows:

Q.wd + Sub. (Ob. of Active) + be + V₃

↓ ↓ ↓
Can be relied on?
↓ ↓ ↓
Can he

[by + Ob. may be ignored]

6.(4) The **Passive sent.** of **Int. sent.** → **wh (Q.wd.)** will be as follows :

Q.wd + is/are + Ob₁ + V₃ + Ob₂

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
By whom are you taught English

[who changes to **By whom**]

7.(2) The **Imp.Sent.** in the **Passive Voice** has the following structure:

Let + not + Sub. (Ob. of Active) + be + V₃

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
Let not the poor be insulted.

8.(2) A **Passive Sent.** in the **S.Pr.** has the following structure :

Ob. of the Active (Sub.) + is/am/are + V₃

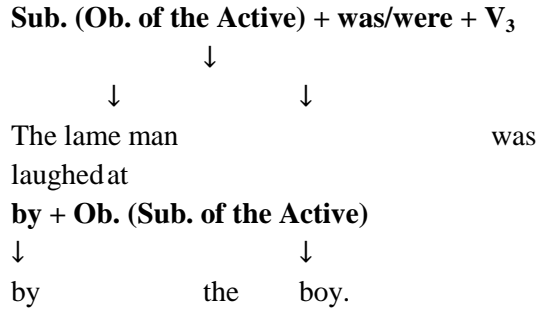
↓ ↓ ↓
I
am interested

by/in + Sub. of the Active (Ob.)

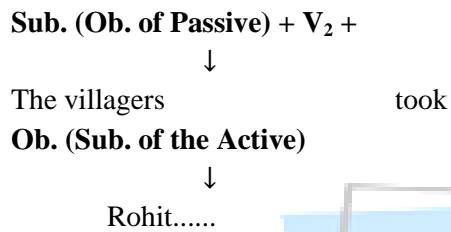
↓ ↓

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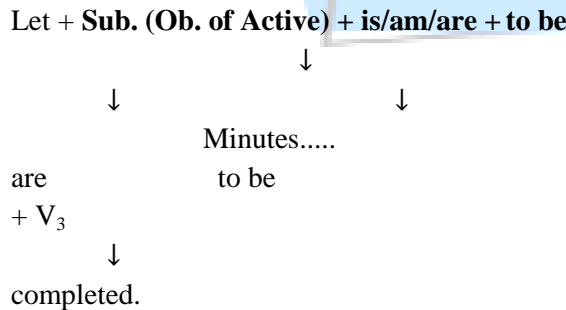
in it.
9.(2) **Passive Sent**, in the **S.Past** has the following structure :



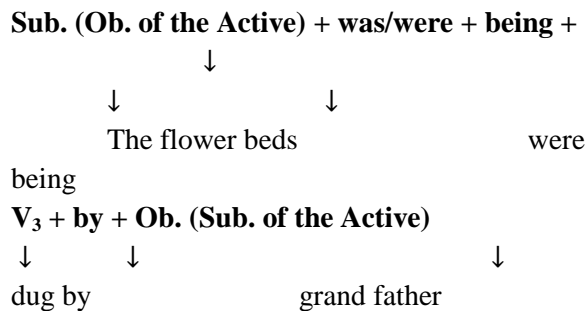
10.(2) **Active Sent**, in the **S.Past** has the following structure :



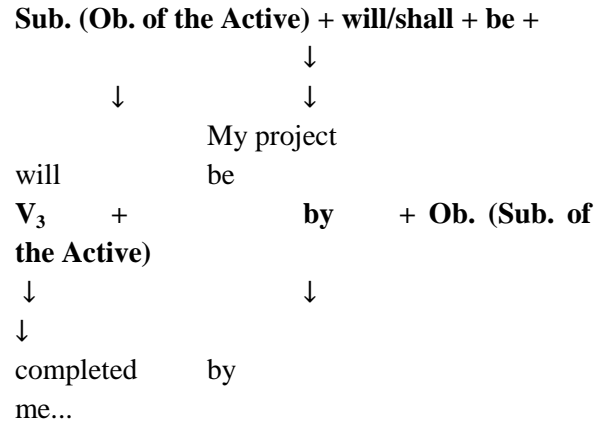
11.(3) **The imperative Sent** In the **Passive Voice** has the following structure:



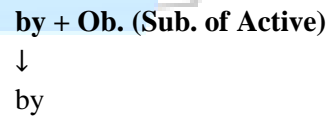
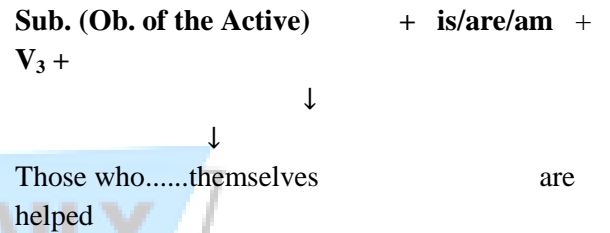
12.(4) **Passive Sent**, in the **Past Cont.** has the following structure:



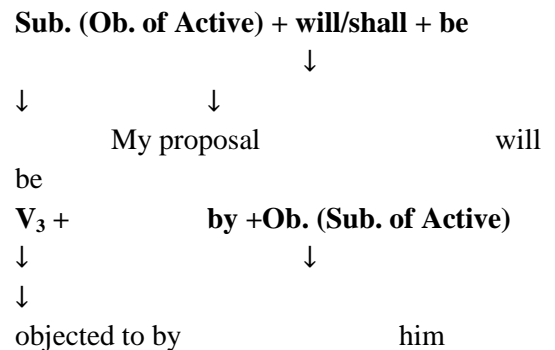
13.(3) **Passive Sent**. In the **S.Fut.** has the following structure:



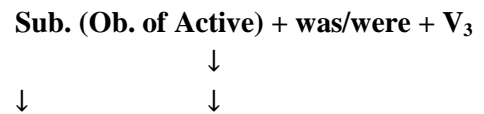
14.(4) **Passive Sent**. in the **S.Pr.** has the following structure :



15.(1) **Passive Sent**. In the **S.Fut.** has the following structure



16.(4) **Passive Sent**, in the **S.Past.** has the following structure



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Angela
was called up
+ by + Ob. (Sub. of Active)
↓ ↓
by father...

17. (1) Passive Sent, Inter. Sent. has the following structure:

Q.wd + was/were + Sub. + V₃ + to

↓ ↓ ↓
Why wasn't the matter brought
to
+ Ob.

↓
my notice?

18. (2) Active Sent., Inter. Sent. has the following structure:

Q.wd + did + Sub + V₁ + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
↓
Why did they refuse him admittance?

19.(4) Passive of people say is it is said Hence, the structure is as follows:

It is said + that +Complete sent.

↓ ↓
↓
It is said that he is a spy.

20.(3) The Imp. Sent in the Passive Voice has the following structure

Let + Sub. (Ob. of Active) + be

↓ ↓
↓
Let the game
be
+ Ob. (Sub. of Active)

↓
finished

21.(1) The structure of Fut. Per., Passive Voice is as follows :

Sub. + will/shall + have + been + V₃ + by

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
The task should have been completed by
+ Obj.

↓
the student.

In Active Voice, the structure will be as follows
Sub. (Ob. of Passive) + will/shall + have

↓ ↓
↓ ↓
The students should
have
+ V₃ + Ob. (Sub. of Passive)

↓ ↓
completed the task

22.(3) In Simple Past, Passive Voice, the structure is as follows :

Sub. + was/were +V₃ + by + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
He was caught by
the police

In Active Voice, the structure will be as follows
Sub. (Ob. of Passive) + V₂ + Ob. (Sub of

Passive)

↓ ↓
↓ ↓
The police caught
him

23.(3) The structure of Imp. Sent.. Passive Voice is as follows

Let + Sub. + be + V₃ (by someone)

↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓ ↓
Let the window be opened not
mandatory

In Active Voice, the structure will be as follows:

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Sub. (Ob. of Passive) V₁ + Ob. (Sub. of Passive)

↓
Someone (not required) Open the window
24.(1) Structure of **S.Pr. + Past, Active Voice** is as follows :

Sub + V₁ + that + Sub₂ + V₂ + Ob.
↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
I know Conj. he did
the work

In **Passive Voice**, the structure will be as follows:
That + Sub. (Ob. of Active) + was/were + V₃ +

↓ ↓
↓ ↓
Conj. the work
was done

by + Ob. (Sub₂ of Active) + is/are/am + V₃ + to

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
by is known to him

Ob₂ (Sub₁ of Active)

↓
me

25.(4) Structure of **S. Pr., Active Voice** is as follows:

Sub. + V₁ + Ob

↓ ↓ ↓
Many factors within our nation affect the economy

In **Passive Voice**, the structure will be as follows:
Sub. (Ob. of Active) + is/am/are + V₃ + by +

↓ ↓ ↓

The economy is affected by many factors
Ob. (Sub. of Active)

↓
many factors
26.(4) The structure of **S. Past, Active Voice** is as follows :

Sub. + V₂ + Ob.
↓ ↓ ↓
The child upset the salt...

In **Passive Voice**, the structure will be as follows:
Sub. (Ob. of Active) + was/were + V₃

↓ ↓
↓ ↓
The salt was upset over

everything
+ by + Ob. (Sub. of Active)

↓ ↓
↓ ↓
by the child
27.(1) The structure of **S. Pr., Active Voice** is as follows:

Sub. + V. + Ob.
↓ ↓ ↓

He opens the door
In **Passive Voice**, the structure will be as follows
Sub. (Ob. of Active) + is/am/are + V₃ + by +

↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓ ↓
The door is opened by

Ob. (Sub. of Active)
↓
him

28 (3) The structure of going to (Fut.), Active Voice is as follows :

Sub. + is/are/am + going to + V₁ + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓ ↓

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I am going to bring him....
In Passive Voice, the structure will be as follows:
Sub. (Ob. of Active) + is/are/am + going to + be

↓ ↓

He is going to be brought by me.
+ V₃ + by + Ob. (Sub. of Active)

29.(4) The structure of P.Per., Active Voice is as follows:

Sub. + has/have + V₃ + Ob₁ + Ob₂

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓

he has sent me a present

In Passive Voice, the structure will be as follows:

Sub (Ob₂ of Active) + has/have + been + V₃ + to

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓

A present has been sent to me
+ Ob₁ (Ob₁ of Active) + by + Ob₂ (Sub. of Active)

↓

by me him

30.(3) In **Passive Voice, Simple Pr.**, the structure will be as follows :

Sub. (Ob. of Active) + is/are/am + V₃ + by

↓ ↓ ↓

Children are loved by
+ Ob. (Sub. of Active)

↓

their parents.

31.(3) In **Passive Voice, Put. Per.**, the structure is as follows:

Sub. + will/shall + have + been

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓

The painting would have been stolen (by someone) ...
V₃ + (by + Ob.) (not required)

In **Active Voice**, the structure will be as follows:
Sub. (Ob of Passive) + will/shall + have + V₃

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓

someone would have stolen
+ Ob. (Sub. of Passive)

↓

the painting

32.(3) The structure of **S.Pr.. Passive Voice** will be as follows:

Sub. (Ob. of Active) + is/am/are + V₃

↓ ↓

Veerappan is believed....
(by them)

33.(1) The structure of **S. Past. Passive Voice** will be as follows :

Sub. (Ob. of Active) + was/were + V₃

↓ ↓ ↓

I was completely undone
+ by + Ob. (Sub. of Active)

↓ ↓

by my last venture

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34.(2) The sentence is in **Passive Voice**. In **Active Voice**, the structure will be as follows :

Sub. + are to + V₁ + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓
↓
You are to keep your promises

35.(2) Sent, in the **Past Cont.** have the following structure:

Sub. + was/were + being + V₃

↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓
Many types were being sold
of fish
+ by + Ob.

↓ ↓
by them

In **Active Voice**, the structure will be as follows:

Sub. (Ob. of Passive) + was/were + V-ing

↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓ ↓
They were selling
+ Ob. (Sub. of Passive)

many types of fish at the market.

36.(1) **Passive Sent**, in the **Pr. Per.** has the following structure:

Sub. (Ob. of Active) + has/have + been + V₃

↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓ ↓
More than ten have been
cycled
kilometers

by + Ob. (Sub. of Active)

↓ ↓
by us.

37.(2) **Passive Sent**, in the **Pr. Cont.** has the following structure:

Sub. (Ob. of Active) + is/are/am + being

↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓ ↓

The flowers
are being
+ V₃ + by + Ob. (Sub. of Active)

↓ ↓ ↓
trodden on by the lady.

38.(1) **Passive Sent**, in the **S. Past** has the following structure:

Sub. (Ob. of Active) + was/were + V₃ + by

↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓ ↓
The museum was
built by
Ob. (Sub. of Active)

↓
the historical society

39.(3) The **Imp. Sent**, in the **Passive Voice** has the following structure:

Let + Sub. + be + V₃ (by Ob.)

↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓ ↓
Let him be told.... (not required)

In **Active Voice**, the structure will be as follows:

Sub. (Ob. of Passive) + V₁ + Ob. (Sub. of Passive)

↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓ ↓
(not required) tell
him
to do it.

40.(3) **Active Sent**, in the **S. Pr.** has the following structure :

Sub. (Ob. of Passive) + V₁

↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓ ↓
.....somebody sweeps and mops
Ob. (Sub. of Passive)
↓
the room....

Active Voice and Passive Voice Answers with Explanation

41.(4) The structure of **Past Tense. Active Voice** is as follows:

Sub. + V₂ + Ob₁ and + V₂ + Ob₂
 ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
 The Swiss regarded him... and called him...
 The structure in **Passive Voice** will be as follows: **Sub (Ob. of Active) + was/were + V₃ + and**

↓ ↓ ↓
 He was regarded ... and
+ was/were + V₃ + by + Ob. (Sub. of Active)
 ↓ ↓ ↓
 was called... by the Swiss.

42.(3) Structure of **Simple Present Tense, passive Voice** is as follows :

Sub. + is/am/are + V₃ + to + Ob.
 ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
 That too many... is known to all

The structure In **Active Voice** will be as follows:
Sub. + V₁ + that + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
 All know that too many cooks....

43.(3) Structure of **Past Tense. Active Voice. Interrogative Sentence** is as follows:

Q.wd. + Sub. + V₁ + Ob.
 ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
 Did he plan an excursion.....?

In **Passive Voice**, the structure will be as follows: [The primary **Aux. V. (do, does, did)** do not appear in the Passive form.]

was/were + Sub. + V₃ + by
 ↓ ↓ ↓
 was an excursion... planned by
Ob. (Agent)?
 ↓
 him?

44.(4) Structure of **Past Tense Active Voice** is as follows

Sub + V₂ + Ob. + to be
 ↓ ↓ ↓
 The judge ordered the murderer to be
V₃

↓ ↓ ↓
 hanged.
 In **Passive Voice** the structure will be as follows
Sub. + was/were + V₃ + by + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
 It was ordered by the judge
to + V₁ + Ob₂
 ↓ ↓ ↓
 to hang the murderer

45.(3) The structure of an **Imperative Sentence (request)** will be as follows

Sub. + are requested + to + V₁ + Ob.
 ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
 You are requested to offer your remarks

46.(2) Structure of **Pr. Cont. Tense Active Voice** is as follows

Sub. + is/are/am + V-ing + Ob.
 ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
 Ratan is performing an experiment

In **Passive**, the structure will be as follows
Sub. + is/are/am + being + V₃

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↓ ↓

An experiment is being
performed
by + Ob₁
↓ ↓
by Ratan

47.(2) Structure of **Simple Future Tense. Passive Voice** is as follows:

Sub. + will/shall + be + V₃ by + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓
↓
I shall be
obliged....

In **Active**, the structure will be as follows:

Sub. + will/shall + V₁ + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓
Circumstance will oblige me to
go

48. (2) Structure of **Past T. Active Voice, Interrogative Sent.** is as follows:

Q. wd + V₂ + Ob

↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓ ↓
who gave you ...?

In **Passive** the structure will be as follows:

Q. wd + was/were + Sub. + V₃

↓ ↓
↓ ↓
By whom were you
given....?

[who changes to **by whom** in the **Passive**.]

49.(3) Structure of **Simple Past Tense Active Voice** was follows:

Sub. + Aux. + V₁ + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
I didn't speak even

In **Passive** the structure will be as follows:

Sub. + was/were + not + V₃ + by +

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓

Even a single was not spoken by
word
Ob.
↓
me in the meeting

50.(2) Structure of **Simple Future Tense. Active Voice** is as follows:

Sub. + will/shall + V₁ + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
we shall write a novel.

In **Passive** the structure will be as follows:

Sub. + will/shall + be + V₃ + by + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
A novel will be written by
us

51. (2) Structure of **Past Per. Tense, Passive Voice** is as follows:

Sub. + had + been + V₃ + by + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
Our vehicle had been stolen... by the
same

burglary team.

In **Active**, the structure will be as follows:

Sub. + had + V₃ + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
↓ ↓
The same had stolen our vehicle
from
burglary
our garage
team

52.(2) Structure of **Simple Pr. Tense Active Voice** is as follows:

Sub. + V₁ + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓

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Sita learns her lessons dally

In **Passive**, the structure will be as follows:

Sub. + **is/am/are** + **V₃** + **by** +

Ob.

↓

Her lessons are learnt by
Sita.

daily

53. (4) In such case, the structure in Passive is as follows

It is time + **for** + **Ob.** + **to be** + **V₃**

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
It is time for the plants to be
watered

54.(4) The structure in **Active Voice Simple Present Tense** is as follows

Sub. + **Verb** + **Ob.**

↓ ↓
These days most of do their....
the students

In **Passive** the structure will be as follows:

Sub. + **is/are/am** + **V₃**

↓ ↓
These days the are done with the
assignments

help of Internet

by + **Ob.**

↓ ↓
by most of the students.

55.(2) Structure of **Simple Past Tense. Active Voice.**

Interrogative Sentence is as follows:

Q.wd. + **V₂** + **Ob.**

↓ ↓ ↓
who tore the curtains ... ?

In **Passive**, the structure will be as follows:

Q.wd. + **was/were** + **Sub.** + **V₃**

↓

↓ ↓
By whom were the curtains torn....?

[Who changes to **by whom** in **Passive**]

56.(2) The **Imperative Sentence** in the **Passive Voice** has the following structure :

Let + **Ob.** + **be** + **V₃**

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
Let the door be shut.

57.(2) Structure of **Past Tense. Active Voice** is as follows:

Sub. + **Modal** + **not** + **V**, + **Ob.**

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
Rajesh could not complete his paper.....

In **Passive**, the structure will be as follows:

Sub. + **Modal** + **not** + **be** + **V₃** + **by**

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
The paper could not be completed by

+ **Ob.**

↓ ↓
Rajesh because....

58.(3) Structure of **Past Tense. Passive Voice** is as follows :

Sub. + **Modal** + **have** + **been** + **V₃**

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
The situation could hardly have been altered
+ **by** + **Ob.**

↓ ↓
by the interference

In **Active**, the structure will be as follows:

Sub. + **Modal** + **have**
+ **V₃**

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
The interference... could hardly have altered

Ob.

↓

the situation.

59.(1) Structure of **Past Per. Tense Active Voice** is as follows

Q.wd. + had + V₃ + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓
↓

who had laughed at you ?

In **Passive**, the structure will be as follows

Q.wd. + had + been + V₃

↓ ↓ ↓
↓

By whom had been laughed at?

[**Who** changes to **By whom** in **Passive**] [When a **Q.wd.** is the **Ob.** of a **Prep.**, the **Prep.**, usually comes at the end of the clause.]

60.(4) Structure of **Simple Present Tense, Active Voice** is as follows:

Sub. + V₁ + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓
We prohibit smoking.

In **Passive**, the structure will be as follows:

Sub. + is/are/am + V₃ + by + Ob.

↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
↓

Smoking is prohibited.

[**by + Ob.** can be left out.]

Note: The places of **Sub.** and **Ob.** in sentence are inter-changed in **Passive**.

Sub. (Active) → Ob. (Passive)

Ob. (Active) → Sub. (Passive)

61.(3) He cannot be trusted by me any more.

62.(1) Let the medicine be taken.

63.(3) **People say** ⇒ It is said (Passive)

64.(2) Has/have + Subject + been + V₃ + by + object

65.(2) Kites were being made by the boys.

66.(2) The computer will not be used by him.

67.(2) Subject + V₂ + Object + infinitive

68.(1) Let + Subject + be + V₃.

69.(4) Subject + must be + V₃ + preposition + by + object

70. (3) You are requested to close the door.

Let the door be closed by you.

71. Subject + V₂ + Object.

72. Let + Subject + be + V₃.

73. You are requested + infinitive + object

74. It is known + that + subject + has been + V₃

75. Can + subject + be + V₃

76. Subject + were + V₃ + object

77. Subject + were + V₃ + by + object

78. Subject + were + V₃

79. Subject + am + V₃ + by + object

80. Subject + was/were + being + V₃ + preposition.

81. Present simple

82. By whom + Verb + Object + V₃

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