

TENSE

PAST PERFECT CONTINUOUS TENSE:

1. It shows the action had been partly completed or perfected but still continuing.

It is formed as:

2. Subject + Had been + First Form Of Verb + Ing

Example:

I had been doing my home - work for an hour.

It is used as:

3. Action had continued for a certain time previous to the point of past time named.

Example:

- 1. It had been raining heavily since noon.
- 2. She had been waiting for the train for 3 hours.
- 3. The farmer's son had been dugging the field to get the treasure.
- 4. I had been doing my homework for an hour.
- 5. We had been solving this sum for an hour.