

Was / Were - Be - Simple Past

A man and a woman talk about a test
Beginner English - Sound Grammar
 A1 Lesson 22 Conversation 3



Part 1: Listen to the conversation and answer the questions.

1	How was the test?	2	How many problems were there?	3	How was the woman's score?
a	Easy	a	10	a	It was really bad.
b	Hard	b	20	b	She doesn't know.
c	A little hard	c	30	c	Not bad, not great.

Part 2: Complete the blanks with the missing word. Use the first as a clue

Man: How was t_____ test?	1	
Woman: It was r_____ hard.	2	
Man: How l_____ was it?	3	
Woman: There were a_____ 20 problems.	4	
Man: Yeah? What was y_____ score?	5	
Woman: Let's just say, it wasn't great, but i_____ wasn't bad either.	6	

Part 3: Match the questions with the answers.

1	How was your last test?		There were about 30 problems.
2	How long was it?		I got a good score.
3	How many problems were there?		It was about Multiplication.
4	What was the test about?		It was easy.
5	How was your score?		It was 2 hours.

Part 4: Now it is your turn! What are your answers to these questions? Discuss with a partner.

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Answer Key

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