UNIT 9 EXERCISES

1 Complete the sentences with the words in brackets and the Past Perfect.

1 Antonio was annoyed with himself because he ’d left his mobile phone at home (leave / his mobile phone / home).

2 The little girl was crying. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (lose / her teddy).

3 Jack and Pete spent the night celebrating because they \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (finish / all their exams).

4 Gemma felt nervous as she waited in the departure lounge. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (never / fly / before).

5 Holly’s husband was angry with her because she \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (forget / his birthday).

6 Darius felt sick. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (eat / too much chocolate).

7 Laura looked beautiful. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (just / have / a new haircut).

2 Choose the best option.

Rob (1) *returned / had returned* home from work at 3.30 p.m. He (2) *felt / had felt* terrible. He (3) *had / had had* an awful day. His wife, Sheila, (4) *brought / had brought* him a cup of tea and asked him what (5) *was / had been* wrong. He (6) *told / had told* her that at the office that morning everyone was panicking. His boss, Martin, (7) *had received / received* an email from Head Office – the news (8) *wasn’t / hadn’t been* good. The email said that the company was having financial problems and needed to cut 200 jobs – that (9) *meant / had meant* that half of the staff would have to go. Martin then admitted that he (10) *knew / had known* about this news for a few weeks, but he (11) *hadn’t told / didn’t tell* anyone. All the staff (12) *were / had been* angry and upset. Martin said that they could all go home early. Rob (13) *hadn’t been* / *didn’t go* home straight away – he went for a drink with his colleagues so that they could talk about the news. Everyone was worried because they knew there (14) *weren’t / hadn’t been* many other jobs around. After a few drinks, Rob caught the train home and (15) *told / had told* Sheila the bad news.

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Exercise 1

2 ’d (= had) lost her teddy

3 ’d finished all their exams

4 ’d never flown before

5 ’d forgotten his birthday

6 ’d eaten too much chocolate

7 ’d just had a new haircut

Exercise 2

2 felt 15 told

3 had had

4 brought

5 was

6 told

7 had received

8 wasn’t

9 meant

10 had known

11 hadn’t told

12 were

13 didn’t go

14 weren’t

3 Choose the correct answer.

1 We were really surprised when he arrived unexpectedly.

a) until    b) when    c) as soon as

2 The jacket was really expensive \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I bought it anyway.

a) so    b) but    c) because

3 I’m really hungry! Let’s go for dinner \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the film finishes.

a) as    b) as soon as    c) until

4 Don’t eat that chocolate now. Wait \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ after lunch!

a) until    b) before    c) when

5 I’m very busy, but I’ll go shopping \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I have time.

a) until    b) when    c) before

6 Could you phone your parents \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ dinner? You won’t have time after.

a) before    b) after    c) until

7 Oh no! I forgot to feed the cat! I’ll do it \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ we get home.

a) as    b) until    c) when

8 We’re staying in a hotel \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ our new house is built.

a) until    b) when    c) before

9 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the manager was away, we still had the meeting.

a) But    b) So    c) Although

4 Complete the sentences with *so*, *such*, *so much*, or *so many*.

1 That’s such a fantastic suit. You look so smart.

2 That film was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ bad! I’ve never seen \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ an awful film.

3 I’ve got \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ work to do. I won’t finish it by this evening.

4 You’ve worked \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hard all week. You deserve a break.

5 It was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a great party that no one wanted to leave!

6 There were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ people in town it took ages to do the shopping.

7 It was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a nice day that we decided to go to the beach.

8 I’m looking forward to my holiday \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

9 Some people have \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ money they don’t know what to do with it!

10 That book was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ interesting I couldn’t put it down.

Exercise 3

2 b

3 b

4 a

5 b

6 a

7 c

8 a

9 c

Exercise 4

2 so, such 10 so

3 so much

4 so

5 such

6 so many

7 such

8 so much

9 so much

1. While I .was driving...................(drive), I .had................... (have) an accident.
2. Kate ...had................. (have) dinner and then she ........did............ (do) her homework.
3. The thieves ....were hiding................ (hide) in the kitchen when the police....came................ (come) in.
4. Sam .....planned............... (plan) a party and then he .....phoned............... (phone) his friends.
5. While we ...were cleaning................. (clean) the house, we .....broke............... (break) some glasses.
6. Alan ..was looking .................. (look) out of the window when he ....saw................ (see) a UFO.

**3. JOIN SENTENCES and use one verb in PAST PERFECT:**

1.Mum finally came home. We started to make the dinner. (SO)

………**Mum finally had come SO we started to make the dinner.……………......**

2.She felt homesick. She wasn’t away from home for long. (ALTHOUGH)

……… **She felt homesick ALTHOUGH she hadn’t been away from home for long**……………

3.I just finished my HW. My friend came. (WHEN)

……… **I had just finished WHEN my friend came**………