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USE OF 'BE' FORM VERBS IN PAST TENSE

A verb in past tense refers to past time.

1. 'Was' is singular verb form used with 'I', 'He', 'She' and 'It' in the past tense.
2. 'Were' is plural verb used with 'We', 'You' and 'They' in the past tense.

Tick (✓) the correct word to fill in the space provided.

1) The weather was hot and we _____ thirsty. [was/were]



2) Your birthday _____ celebrated yesterday. [was/were]



3) The old man _____ sick last night. [was/were]



4) Beryl and I _____ in Cindy's home in the forenoon. [was/were]



5) She _____ reading a book. [was/were]

