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“Was” or “Were” To be Verbs Worksheet

“Was” or “Were” are the past tenses of the verb “to be.”

Directions: Read each sentence below and circle “was” or “were” to complete each sentence correctly.

Example A: I (was / were) going to tell you, but I forgot.

Answer: was

1. We (was / were) traveling late at night.
2. He (was / were) the most reliable player on the team.
3. She (was / were) jogging around the block.
4. Could you tell that they (was / were) nervous?
5. We (was / were) not afraid of the scary movie.
6. I (was / were) impressed with the big crowd turnout.
7. You could tell that they (was / were) prepared well for the game.
8. They (was / were) walking to the movies after school.
9. Can you tell that they (was / were) frantic?
10. Jason (was / were) wearing his jersey to the big game.
11. Chris and Mark (was / were) going out to eat for dinner.
12. Did you know that he (was / were) coming to the house?
13. The men (was / were) working on the roof.
14. Sarah, John and Michael (was / were) talking to each other.
15. I (was / were) looking at the stars at night.