



Past Perfect Simple or Continuous 1

Complete the sentences using past perfect simple or past perfect continuous.

1. By the time we got to the theater, the show _____
(begin).
2. She _____ (not/live) in Paris for long when she got a job
in London.
3. _____ (how long/you/know) her before she moved away?
4. I _____ (not/see) that movie before we watched it
together.
5. After he _____ (eat) too much, he felt sick.
6. They _____ (wait) for over an hour for the plane to take
off.
7. Did you know he _____ (pass) the exam with flying
colors?
8. I was surprised they _____ (not/visit) us during their trip.
9. She realized she _____ (forget) her keys at home.
10. _____ (you/talk) to Patty at that time?



Answers

1. By the time we got to the theater, the show **had begun**.
2. She **hadn't been living** in Paris for long when she got a job in London.
3. **How long had you known** her before she moved away?
4. I **hadn't seen** that movie before we watched it together.
5. After he **had eaten** too much, he felt sick.
6. They **had been waiting** for over an hour for the plane to take off.
7. Did you know he **had passed** the exam with flying colors?
8. I was surprised they **hadn't visited** us during their trip.
9. She realized she **had forgotten** her keys at home.
10. **Had you been talking** to Patty at that time?

