

# Past perfect simple and continuous

## Exercise 4

### Key with answers.

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Why did Sam have a headache?

Because he had been repairing his computer all night.

Why did you miss the plane?

Because I had gone to a wrong departure lounge.

Why were you so sleepy in the morning?

Because I had taken too many pills.

Why didn't you call me earlier?

Because I had been trying to get Jill on the phone.

Why wasn't Liz sunburnt in the afternoon?

Because she had not been taking a sunbath all day.

Why did the teacher shout?

Because he had lost his temper.

Why didn't you eat anything?

Because I had not bought any food.

Why did you get lost?

Because we had forgotten the map.

Why did you stop to have a rest?

Because I had already been driving for hours.

Why didn't you help him?

Because he had not asked me.