

Past simple passive: exercise 5

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Make questions in the past simple passive to complete the interview.

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A: There was a storm on the coast last night.

B:? (anything | damage)

A: Yes. Some trees fell on cars.

B: How many cars? (crush)

A: More than twenty.

B:? (the cars | completely | destroy)

A: Not all of them. But two or three cars were ruined.

B: And what about buildings? too? (they | devastate)

A: Not really. Just some windows were smashed and roof tiles were torn off. But the harbour was hit hard by the winds.

B: What happened?? (any boats | wreck)

A: Yes, they were. Two of them were drifted on rocks and completely destroyed.

B: What about the other boats?? (they | blow away)

A: Some of them were driven miles away from the shore.

B: during the storm? (anybody | kill)

A: I don't think so.

B: And? (many people | injure)

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Key with answers

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B: Were the cars completely destroyed?

A: Not all of them. But two or three cars were ruined.

B: And what about buildings? Were they devastated too?

A: Not really. Just some windows were smashed and roof tiles were torn off. But the harbour was hit hard by the winds.

B: What happened? Were any boats wrecked?

A: Yes, they were. Two of them were drifted on rocks and completely destroyed.

B: What about the other boats? Were they blown away?

A: Some of them were driven miles away from the shore.

B: Was anybody killed during the storm?

A: I don't think so.

B: And were many people injured?

A: There were some injuries, but nothing serious as far as I know.