

Present perfect simple and continuous

Exercise 7. Complete the lines with one of the options. _____

Paul has gone

Paul has been going

- out with Charlene for a couple of months.
 - to Paris for a few days.
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What have you been doing?

What have you done?

- Your face is so red.
 - Have you called him?
-

I've typed

I've been typing

- three letters since you came home.
 - letters since you came home.
-

How long

How many times

- have you been trying to contact me?
 - have you tried to contact me?
-

Someone has eaten our toasts.

Someone has been eating our toasts.

- There is only one toast left.
 - They are all gone.
-

We have visited England

We have been visiting England

- six times.
 - for six years.
-

Why is the table in such a mess?

Have something to eat. Here you are.

- I've been making a salad.
 - I've made a salad.
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Answer key

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