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## Present Perfect Simple

When using the present perfect, we also use the past participle at the same time. It's therefore important to know a number of past participle forms of regular and irregular verbs. First, find the past tense and then the past participle form. The Answer Key at the end of this worksheets range gives all the forms.



<b>Verb</b>	<b>Past Tense</b>	<b>Past Participle</b>
1. need		
2. wait		
3. buy		
4. have		
5. answer		
6. keep		
7. cut		
8. forget		

9. open		
10. become		
11. stay		
12. catch		
13. stop		
14. find		
15. drive		
16. call		
17. do		

18. build		
19. choose		
20. break		
21. hang		
22. live		
23. brush		
24. pass		
25. jump		

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Choose the correct word for each sentence from the grey block and make a present perfect sentence.

help  
eat  
learn  
buy  
go  
cut  
meet  
write  
catch  
sleep  
see  
have  
teach  
do 2x  
take  
tell  
put on  
drive

1. She **has known** Patrick for over 18 years.
2. I \_\_\_\_\_ from my mistakes.
3. He \_\_\_\_\_ voluntary work.
4. She \_\_\_\_\_ the eclipse from her home.
5. I \_\_\_\_\_ my wife in Bangkok.
6. They \_\_\_\_\_ their lunch.
7. We \_\_\_\_\_ for 18 hours after the exhausting party.
8. They \_\_\_\_\_ always \_\_\_\_\_ a 1987 Volkswagen Beetle.
9. I \_\_\_\_\_ some beautiful pictures with my new camera.
10. She \_\_\_\_\_ kindly \_\_\_\_\_ me with my homework.
11. I \_\_\_\_\_ the cake into 10 parts.
12. He \_\_\_\_\_ several letters to his girlfriend about this matter.
13. Maria \_\_\_\_\_ a strong fever.
14. They \_\_\_\_\_ him to stop it, but he still goes on.
15. She \_\_\_\_\_ make-up and is ready to go now.
16. We \_\_\_\_\_ 2 Siamese cats.
17. They \_\_\_\_\_ accidentally \_\_\_\_\_ some rare animals.
18. I \_\_\_\_\_ English at that school for about 16 years.
19. They \_\_\_\_\_ and we don't know where they are now.
20. This printer \_\_\_\_\_ always \_\_\_\_\_ a good job.



Fill the gaps with the correct negative present perfect forms with 'yet'. Use contractions (short forms)

eat  
ask  
change  
try  
return  
finish  
read  
find  
move  
answer  
stop  
arrive  
wash  
go  
count  
decide  
recover  
have

1. The plumber \_\_\_\_\_ repairing the sink yet.
2. They left for Antarctica 2 weeks ago, but they \_\_\_\_\_ yet.
3. That dog started barking an hour ago and it \_\_\_\_\_ yet.
4. I \_\_\_\_\_ yet whether I'll go to college or get a job.
5. The letter has already arrived, but I \_\_\_\_\_ it yet.
6. His schoolbag is here so he \_\_\_\_\_ to school yet.
7. He's getting better, but he \_\_\_\_\_ fully \_\_\_\_\_ yet.
8. She \_\_\_\_\_ her 5 cats to their new cage yet.
9. He promised improvement, but he \_\_\_\_\_ his eating habits yet.
10. I \_\_\_\_\_ lunch yet.
11. Mary will come later because she \_\_\_\_\_ her hair yet.
12. He can play many instruments, but he \_\_\_\_\_ the clarinet yet.
13. I think there are about 30, but I \_\_\_\_\_ them all yet.
14. I \_\_\_\_\_ him 3 times, but he \_\_\_\_\_ me yet.
15. Scientists \_\_\_\_\_ a cure for cancer yet.
16. They \_\_\_\_\_ the leftovers yet.
17. She \_\_\_\_\_ the borrowed book yet.

**Exercise 2.**

Write the correct forms of the verbs in the past and the past participle forms in the columns.



Verb	Past Tense	Past Participle
1. bite		
2. blow		
3. bring		
4. come		
5. cost		
6. draw		
7. drink		
8. eat		

9. fall		
10. feel		
11. fight		
12. fly		
13. get		
14. give		
15. go		
16. grow		
17. hear		

18. hide		
19. hold		
20. know		
21. leave		
22. make		
23. meet		
24. pay		
25. ring		



Use the words to form questions. Give also short answers. Don't forget the question marks!



1. bite, ever, be, snake, a, by, you

*Have you ever been bitten by a snake?*

Answer: *No, I haven't.*

2. they, seen, ever, The Last of the Mohicans?

Answer: Yes, \_\_\_\_\_

3. that, terrible, you, know, always, truth

Yes, \_\_\_\_\_

4. win, a big prize, the lottery, ever, in, she

Answer: No, \_\_\_\_\_

5. ever, window, while playing, break, a, football, he

Yes, \_\_\_\_\_

6. shopping, go, she

No, \_\_\_\_\_

7. strange, noise, ever, hear, such a, terrifying, you

Yes, \_\_\_\_\_

8. sympathy, they, ever, for, whalers, have

Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.

9. it, eat, ever, sea fish, fresh

No, \_\_\_\_\_.

10. ever, somebody, know, blind, is, who, you

Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.

11. mistake, like, ever, make, you, this, a

No, \_\_\_\_\_.

12. you, be, exam, for, late, an, ever

Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.

13. talk to, famous, a, you, artist, ever

No, \_\_\_\_\_.



## Present Perfect or Past Simple?



1. Noraly \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) a lot of flowers yesterday.  
She \_\_\_\_\_ (buy, never) so many different kinds of flowers.
2. They \_\_\_\_\_ (catch) Fritzzy stealing things in a factory three days ago. He \_\_\_\_\_ (be) in jail since then.
3. They \_\_\_\_\_ (give, not) him any more money because they already \_\_\_\_\_ (give) him 5000 baht last Sunday.
4. We \_\_\_\_\_ (cross) the Sahara last Christmas.
5. He \_\_\_\_\_ (travel, never) without binoculars.
6. I \_\_\_\_\_ (teach) 3 girls between January and March. I \_\_\_\_\_ (teach, not) any boys yet.
7. They \_\_\_\_\_ (decided, not) yet where to go on holidays. They often \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to the Bahamas in the past.
8. A lot of accidents \_\_\_\_\_ (happen) at that intersection between 2014 and 2016. There \_\_\_\_\_ (happen, not) any accidents since they \_\_\_\_\_ (install) traffic lights.
9. My previous tutor \_\_\_\_\_ (be) Mr. Johnson. Ms. Frederics is my new tutor. I \_\_\_\_\_ (be) in her class for 6 months now.
10. \_\_\_\_\_ (you, ever, see) the Phantom of the Opera? Yes, I \_\_\_\_\_ (see) it on my last birthday.
11. They \_\_\_\_\_ (go) for a walk on that fatal day. Nobody \_\_\_\_\_ (see) them since then.
12. Maria \_\_\_\_\_ (like, not) any t-shirts. She \_\_\_\_\_ (change) her mind after she \_\_\_\_\_ (see) this one last summer.
13. This area \_\_\_\_\_ (be) peaceful since the end of World War 2. However, everything \_\_\_\_\_ (change) in 2014.



Form correct sentences in the Present Perfect.



1. He, his office. leave, already

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2. already, arrive, yet, Chris, is, but, Nicky, here, not

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3. essay, still, finish, Maria. not, her

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4. meet, him, have, before, you, ?

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5. eaten, already, both of you, ?

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6. still, not, understand, they, what, about, this, is

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7. read, Robinson Crusoe, already you, ?

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8. tell, who, are, not, you, still, me, you

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9. not, room, she, yet, clean, her

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10. question, answer, not, still, he, my

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11. I, paid, the rent, still, not, for my apartment.

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12. not, yet, mind, I, make up, my

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already, yet, or still



1. Peter hasn't written the letter \_\_\_\_\_.
2. I have \_\_\_\_\_ read today's newspaper, but couldn't find the advertisement.
3. You \_\_\_\_\_ haven't told me what your telephone number is.
4. Have you \_\_\_\_\_ carried the boxes up to the attic?
5. Ann hasn't seen her friend's injuries \_\_\_\_\_.
6. Phillip wasn't aware that his girlfriend had \_\_\_\_\_ gone home.
7. He hasn't given me the report for this month \_\_\_\_\_.
8. I \_\_\_\_\_ haven't met anyone I'd want to spend the rest of my life with.
9. We moved into this house last month, but we \_\_\_\_\_ haven't settled down.
10. The committee has not made a decision \_\_\_\_\_.
11. Jack \_\_\_\_\_ hasn't quite learned the rules of the game.
12. Rita told me that she wouldn't be late, but she \_\_\_\_\_ hasn't shown up.
13. What makes you think we haven't done that \_\_\_\_\_?
14. When Mary reached the bus stop, the bus had \_\_\_\_\_ left.
15. I \_\_\_\_\_ haven't thanked you for the other day. I really appreciate it.
16. People have \_\_\_\_\_ promised a lot of money for this project.
17. We haven't been able to solve the problem \_\_\_\_\_.



Multiple choice. Attention there are also vocabulary spelling mistakes.

1. Miranda \_\_\_\_\_ her left leg. 2. They \_\_\_\_\_ in Boston since 2014.

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|--------------------------|----------------|
| A. hasn't broken         | A. lived       |
| B. has yet broken        | B. didn't live |
| C. hasn't already broken | C. have lived  |

3. He \_\_\_\_\_ writing. 4. They \_\_\_\_\_ paid anything.

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|------------------------|-----------------|
| A. has already stopped | A. didn't       |
| B. has still stopped   | B. still didn't |
| C. has yet stopped     | C. haven't      |

5. \_\_\_\_\_ a van? 6. Which one \_\_\_\_\_?

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|--------------------------|--------------------|
| A. Have you ever driven  | A. have you chosed |
| B. have you ever driven  | B. have you chosen |
| C. Did you already drive | C. did you chose   |

7. They \_\_\_\_\_ yet. 8. Chris \_\_\_\_\_ by a mad dog.

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|---------------------|--------------------|
| A. haven't answered | A. has been bitten |
| B. didn't answer    | B. were bitten     |
| C. have answered    | C. was biten       |

9. The prisoner \_\_\_\_\_ hostage. 10. I \_\_\_\_\_ a teacher for many years.

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|------------------|------------------|
| A. has been held | A. have yet been |
| B. held          | B. have been     |
| C. was yet held  | C. was           |

11. I \_\_\_\_\_ alcohol. 12. I \_\_\_\_\_ guilty.

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|------------------------|---------------------|
| A. have always drinken | A. has never feeled |
| B. have always drank   | B. have never fell  |
| C. have never drunk    | C. have never felt  |

13. I \_\_\_\_\_ I am needed. 14. Clara \_\_\_\_\_ to the bank.

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|------------------------|----------------|
| A. have heard that     | A. hasn't went |
| B. don't heard that    | B. hasn't go   |
| C. have heard yet that | C. has gone    |

15. I \_\_\_\_\_ you something. 16. We \_\_\_\_\_ since World War 2.

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|-------------------|-------------------|
| A. haven't brung  | A. haven't meeted |
| B. have brought   | B. weren't meeted |
| C. didn't brought | C. haven't met    |

Use the word 'drink' in the correct form in each sentence. Attention not all sentences are in the present perfect tense!

1. Everybody should \_\_\_\_\_ 2 liters of water per day.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ (ever, you) coconut milk?
3. \_\_\_\_\_ (they, not) alcohol since that horrible accident.
4. Stop now! You \_\_\_\_\_ already \_\_\_\_\_ too much!
5. Mother, why am I not allowed to \_\_\_\_\_ it?
6. He always \_\_\_\_\_ (present simple) chocolate milk.
7. He \_\_\_\_\_ coffee for 12 years and then suddenly \_\_\_\_\_ (stop).
8. I \_\_\_\_\_ too much yesterday.
9. Never \_\_\_\_\_ anything without knowing what it is.
10. He \_\_\_\_\_ never \_\_\_\_\_ so much coke.
11. What are you \_\_\_\_\_ ?
12. \_\_\_\_\_ too much can bring troubles.

Give the past and the past participle forms of next verbs.

	past	past participle
buy	_____	_____
keep	_____	_____
cut	_____	_____
forget	_____	_____
become	_____	_____
stay	_____	_____
stop	_____	_____
drive	_____	_____
break	_____	_____
live	_____	_____
choose	_____	_____
bring	_____	_____
eat	_____	_____
feel	_____	_____
give	_____	_____

Fill the gaps with the correct negative present perfect forms with 'yet'. Use contractions (short forms)

1. She \_\_\_\_\_ (feed) her hamster yet.
2. The students \_\_\_\_\_ (do) their homework yet.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ (you decide) yet?
4. Karl \_\_\_\_\_ (not, clean) his motorbike yet.
5. She \_\_\_\_\_ (brush) her hair yet.
6. He said he would go, but he \_\_\_\_\_ (leave) yet.
7. I \_\_\_\_\_ (visit) Musee d'Orsay yet.
8. It \_\_\_\_\_ (eat) its pet food yet.
9. He looks old, but he \_\_\_\_\_ (reach) 30 yet.

Use 'for' or 'since'.

1. Harry hasn't shaved \_\_\_\_\_ Friday.
2. I haven't been the same \_\_\_\_\_ you left.
3. She hasn't had a cold \_\_\_\_\_ she was fifteen.
4. They haven't been there \_\_\_\_\_ a while.
5. The power has been off \_\_\_\_\_ yesterday morning.
6. I have known Jim \_\_\_\_\_ we were children.
7. They have been here \_\_\_\_\_ three hours.
8. I have been in love with you \_\_\_\_\_ kindergarten.
9. It has been alone \_\_\_\_\_ a long time.
10. She listened to music \_\_\_\_\_ hours.

Write 'already', 'yet' or 'still'.

1. Petra thought that John had \_\_\_\_\_ gone home.
2. Has he come \_\_\_\_\_?
3. My brother \_\_\_\_\_ depends on our parents for his living expenses.
4. The wound hasn't healed \_\_\_\_\_.
5. There is \_\_\_\_\_ serious hatred against black people.
6. I have \_\_\_\_\_ tried doing that three times.
7. I haven't been to Paris \_\_\_\_\_.
8. The police \_\_\_\_\_ can't point out who committed the crime.
9. He promised to come, but hasn't turned up \_\_\_\_\_.
10. I thought you have \_\_\_\_\_ made a decision.
11. I owe to my doctor that I'm \_\_\_\_\_ alive.
12. I hear you have \_\_\_\_\_ contacted the parents.
13. I don't know \_\_\_\_\_, but I'll find out soon enough.
14. We have discussed this \_\_\_\_\_ many times.

Give the past and the past participle forms of next verbs.

	past	past participle
need	_____	_____
live	_____	_____
catch	_____	_____
find	_____	_____
have	_____	_____
drive	_____	_____
open	_____	_____
buy	_____	_____
build	_____	_____
answer	_____	_____
call	_____	_____
break	_____	_____
wait	_____	_____
do	_____	_____
cut	_____	_____

'Yet' is a 'signal word' or 'time marker'

Write all the present perfect 'signal words' (time markers) you know.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_
7. \_\_\_\_\_
8. \_\_\_\_\_
9. \_\_\_\_\_
10. \_\_\_\_\_

Present Perfect or Past Simple.

1. Why \_\_\_\_\_ (be) you late yesterday?
2. They \_\_\_\_\_ (caught, not) any whales since last year.
3. I \_\_\_\_\_ (not, painted, still) my garage.
4. Lee \_\_\_\_\_ (finish, already) his homework.
5. Nobody \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to school on that sad morning.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ (ever, you, be) to Yosemite National Park?
7. He \_\_\_\_\_ (call) me this morning, but I \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (not, answer) him yet.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ (you, already, moved) those stones?

**A mix of all Present Perfect forms.**

1. (keep, tropical fish, my father, never)

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2. (doctor, Anita, ?, become, a)

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3. (school books, not, their, pick up, yet, ?, who)

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4. possible, as, I, wait, long, as

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5. me, wanted, Suzan, I, give, already, everything

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6. drawer, they, the, lose, keys

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7. arrive, just, luggage, my

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8. umbrella, take, my, someone

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9. snow, since, it, 9 o'clock, morning, this

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10. be, beautiful, watch, old, steal, my

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11. see, results, the, I, just

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12. it, whole, eat, ?, the, fish

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13. meet, most, ever, I, woman, see, just, the, beautiful, I

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Page 1.

Verb	Past Tense	Past Participle
1. need	needed	needed
2. wait	waited	waited
3. buy	bought	bought
4. have	had	had
5. answer	answered	answered
6. keep	kept	kept
7. cut	cut	cut
8. forget	forgot	forgotten

9. open	opened	opened
10. become	became	become
11. stay	stayed	stayed
12. catch	caught	caught
13. stop	stopped	stopped
14. find	found	found
15. drive	drove	driven
16. call	called	called
17. do	did	done

18. build	built	built
19. choose	chose	chosen
20. break	broke	broken
21. hang	hung	hung
22. live	lived	lived
23. brush	brushed	brushed
24. pass	passed	passed
25. jump	jumped	jumped

Page 2.

2 have learned 3 has done 4 has seen 5 have met 6 have eaten 7 have slept 8 have driven 9 have, taken 10 has, helped 11 have cut 12 has written 13 has had 14 have asked 15 has put on 16 have bought 17 have, caught 18 have taught 19 have gone 20 has, done

Page 3.

1 hasn't finished 2 haven't arrived 3 hasn't stopped 4 haven't decided 5 haven't read 6 hasn't gone 7 hasn't recovered 8 hasn't moved 9 hasn't changed 10 haven't eaten 11 hasn't washed 12 hasn't tried 13 haven't counted 14 hasn't answered 15 haven't found 16 haven't eaten 17 hasn't returned

Page 4.

Verb	Past Tense	Past Participle
1. bite	bit	bitten
2. blow	blew	blown
3. bring	brought	brought
4. come	came	come
5. cost	cost	cost
6. draw	drew	drawn
7. drink	drank	drunk
8. eat	ate	eaten

9. fall	fell	fallen
10. feel	felt	felt
11. fight	fought	fought
12. fly	flew	flown
13. get	got	gotten
14. give	gave	given
15. go	went	gone
16. grow	grew	grown
17. hear	heard	heard

18. hide	hid	hidden
19. hold	held	held
20. know	knew	known
21. leave	left	left
22. make	made	made
23. meet	met	met
24. pay	paid	paid
25. ring	rang	rung

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- 2 Have they ever seen The Last of the Mohicans? Yes, they have.
- 3 Have you always known that terrible truth? Yes, I have.
- 4 Has she ever won a big prize in the lottery? No, she hasn't.
- 5 Has he ever broken a window while playing football? Yes, he has.
- 6 Has she gone shopping? No, she hasn't.
7. Have you ever heard such a terrifying, strange noise? Yes, I have.
8. Have they ever had sympathy for whalers? Yes, they have.
9. Has it ever eaten fresh sea fish? No, it hasn't.
10. Have you ever known somebody who is blind? Yes, I have.
11. Have you ever made a mistake like this? No, I haven't.
12. Have you ever been late for an exam? Yes, I have.
13. Have you ever talked to a famous artist? No, I haven't.

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1. bought, has never bought 2 caught, has been 3 haven't given, gave 4 crossed 5 has never travelled 6 taught, haven't taught 7 haven't decided, went 8 happened, hasn't happened, have installed 9 was, have been 10 have you ever seen, saw 11 went has seen 12 didn't like, changed, saw 13 has been, changed

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- 1 He has already left his office.
2. Chris is already here, but Nicky hasn't arrived yet.
3. Maria still hasn't finished her essay.
4. Have you met him before?
5. Have both of you already eaten?
6. They still haven't understood what this is about.
7. Have you already read Robinson Crusoe?
8. You still haven't told me who you are.
9. She hasn't cleaned her room yet.
10. He still hasn't answered my question.

11. I still haven't paid the rent of my apartment.

12. I haven't made up my mind yet.

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1 yet 2 already 3 still 4 already 5 yet 6 already 7 yet 8 still 9 still 10 yet 11 still 12 still  
13 yet 14 already 15 still 16 already 17 yet

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1 A 2 C 3 A 4 C 5 B 6 B 7 A 8 A 9 A 10 B 11 C 12 C 13 A 14 C 15 B 16 C

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1 drink 2 Have you ever drunk 3 haven't drunk 4. have, drunk 5 drink 6 drinks 7 has  
drunk, stopped 8 drank 9 drink 10 has never drunk 11 drinking 12 drinking

bought bought kept kept cut cut forgot forgotten became become stayed stayed  
stopped stopped drove driven broke broken lived lived chose chosen brought  
brought ate eaten felt felt gave given

1 hasn't fed 2 haven't done 3 haven't you decided 4 hasn't cleaned 5 hasn't  
brushed 6 hasn't left 7 haven't visited 8 hasn't eaten 9 hasn't reached

1 since 2 since 3 since 4 for 5 since 6 since 7 for 8 since 9 for 10 for

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1 already 2 yet 3 still 4 yet 5 still 6 already 7 yet 8 still 9 yet 10 already 11 still 12  
already 13 yet 14 already

needed, needed lived lived caught caught found found had had drove driven  
opened opened bought bought answered answered called called broke broken  
waited waited did done cut cut

yet, already, ever, never, still, for, since, just, recently, so far

1 were 2 haven't caught 3 still haven't painted 4 has already finished 5 went 6 have  
you ever 7 called, haven't answered 8 have you already moved

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1. My father has never kept tropical fish.

2. Has Anita become a doctor?

3. Who hasn't picked up his school books yet?

4. I have waited as long as possible.



5. Suzan has already given me everything I wanted.
6. They have lost the drawer key.
7. My luggage has just arrived.
8. Someone has taken my umbrella.
9. It has snowed since 9 o'clock this morning.
10. My beautiful old watch has been stolen.
11. I have just seen the results.
12. Has it eaten the whole fish?
13. I have just met the most beautiful woman I've ever seen.