

**Present perfect tense**

**A) Choose the correct form.**

- A: ..... 1 ..... Greg lately?  
B: No, I ..... 2 ..... I ..... 3 ..... to him  
at the airport two weeks ago.  
But I ..... 4 ..... him since then.  
A: Where ..... 5 ..... ?  
B: He ..... 6 ..... to Greece for a holiday.  
A: I ..... 7 ..... Greece three times. I love  
Greece.  
B: Really? My wife and I ..... 8 ..... a week in  
Turkey in 1996, but I ..... 9 ..... Greece.  
By the way, ..... 10 ..... back yet?  
A: Yes, he ..... 11 ..... I ..... 12 ..... him  
yesterday. He ..... 13 ..... extremely  
healthy.
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| 1 A Have you seen | 8 A were spending |
| B Did you see     | B have spent      |
| C Were you seeing | C spent           |
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| 2 A haven't seen | 9 A didn't ever visit |
| B didn't         | B have never been to  |
| C haven't        | C was never in        |
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| 3 A did talk  | 10 A has Greg come |
| B have talked | B has Greg came    |
| C talked      | C did Greg come    |
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| 4 A didn't see | 11 A did   |
| B haven't seen | B has      |
| C saw          | C has come |
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| 5 A did he travel  | 12 A met      |
| B has he travelled | B have met    |
| C did he travelled | C was meeting |
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| 6 A flied   | 13 A was looking |
| B flew      | B has looked     |
| C has flown | C looked         |
- 7 A was in  
B had been to  
C have been to

**B) Rewrite these sentences in the present perfect.**

Example: I went to shops.  
I have gone to shops.

- I didn't do it.  
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We bought the tickets.  
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My girlfriend didn't arrive.  
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The team weren't successful.  
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You threw the cap into water.  
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He didn't deliver the parcel.  
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I cut my finger.  
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