

# Imperfect

*want to do it / was/were doing*

-er	-era
-aba	-ía
-abas	-ías
-aba	-ía
-ábamos	-ábamos
-aban	-ían

Special  
Consideration:

- ir regular
- descriptions, feelings, emotions in the past
- actions in the past
- how you were, what you were like in the past

ser (to be)
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eras
era
éramos
eran

ir (to go)
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ir (to go)
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## ing

*Consideramos que está mucho mejor a Juan.*  
(We were walking home when we saw Juan.)

## Time

*Érase las ocho. (It was 8 o'clock.)*

## Weather

*Estaba frío. (It was snowy.)*

## Age

*Tenía ocho años. (I was eight years old.)*

## Simultaneous Actions

*Hablaba y escuchaba música. (I was talking and listening.)*

## Background Descriptions

*Mi vestido era azul. (My dress was blue.)*

## Used to / habitual

*Iba a la escuela cada día. (I went to school every day.)*

## Mental activities

*Me gustaba leer. (I liked to read.)*

## Physical states during times

*Juan estaba enfermo. (Juan was feeling sick.)*