

Zet de volgende zinnen in de **passive**. Waar wenselijk geef je aan wie het gedaan heeft (... by...).

- 1 Boys of sixteen to eighteen are to drive this tank.  
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- 2 Somebody had smashed the window with a brick.  
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- 3 When will someone tell her to grow up?  
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- 4 Teenagers are spending far more money on clothes now than they did ten years ago.  
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- 5 Another child stole his marbles and brought them back only when he cried.  
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- 6 A thunder storm wakened me at 4 a.m.  
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- 7 You must supervise children in the park.  
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- 8 My father may have switched off the lights and closed the door.  
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- 9 They distributed the leaflets.  
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- 10 They milk the cows at the farm twice a day.  
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- 11 Members of the public are leaving all sorts of things in trains.  
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- 12 The guards collect them and send them to the Lost Property Office.  
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- 13 They raised the children in France.  
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- 14 They were picking flowers.  
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- 15 Lightning may strike the church.  
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- 16 Anyone with the slightest interest could follow this recipe.  
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- 17 They are going to sound the sirens as a warning to the public.  
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- 18 He wanted them to offer him the job.  
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- 19 We use these plates only at Christmas.  
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- 20 He is going to make a model from matchsticks.  
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Vertaal de volgende zinnen.

1 Het is niet moeilijk te begrijpen waarom hij je verhaal niet gelooft.  
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2 Er zijn vannacht minstens 2.000 cd's gestolen.  
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3 Er wordt aangenomen (to assume) dat hij hierachter zit (to be behind something).  
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4 Ik wil mijn computer volgende week laten repareren.  
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5 Dit moet zo snel mogelijk aan de politie worden gemeld (to report).  
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6 De meeste documenten zijn vorig jaar tijdens de brand verloren gegaan.  
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7 Ik ben bang dat dit niet meer hersteld kan worden.  
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8 Er worden hier volgende week twee nieuwe bioscopen geopend.  
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9 Er is vaak beweerd dat hij in drugs handelt.  
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10 Er wordt nog steeds naar een oplossing gezocht (to look for)  
A solution.....

Vertaal de volgende zinnen en zet de vertaalde zin vervolgens om in de **passive**. (Soms kun je daarbij kiezen uit een paar mogelijkheden.)

- 1 Veel mensen geloven dat Elvis nog in leven is.

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- 2 Ze zeggen dat hij multimiljonair is.

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- 3 Ik heb liever (to prefer) dat je de zaak aan de politie overlaat. (to prefer somebody to do something)

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- 4 Ik verwacht dat je vanavond al je huiswerk doet.

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- 5 Ze dwongen hem om de waarheid te vertellen.

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- 6 Ze besloten om nog even te wachten.

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- 7 Iedereen wist dat hij leraar geweest was.

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- 8 Ik wil dat je alle deuren en ramen controleert voordat je naar huis gaat.

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- 9 Uiteindelijk (eventually) vertelde hij me de waarheid.

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- 10 Zij zorgen momenteel voor (to look after) de baby.

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## Oefening 5 van active naar passive

- 1 Boys of sixteen to eighteen are to drive this tank.  
**This tank is to be driven by boys of sixteen to eighteen.**  
 ‘are to drive’ wordt ‘is to be’ en vervolgens krijg je het voltooid deelwoord ‘driven’.
- 2 Somebody had smashed the window with a brick.  
**The window had been smashed with a brick.**
- 3 When will someone tell her to grow up?  
**When will she be told to grow up?**
- 4 Teenagers are spending far more money on clothes now than they did ten years ago.  
**Far more money is being spent on clothes by teenagers than ten years ago.**
- 5 Another child stole his marbles and brought them back only when he cried.  
**His marbles were stolen by another child and they were only brought back when he cried.**
- 6 A thunder storm wakened me at 4 a.m.  
**I was wakened by a thunder storm at 4 a.m.**
- 7 You must supervise children in the park.  
**Children must be supervised in the park.**
- 8 My father may have switched off the lights and closed the door.  
**The lights may have been switched off and the door may have been closed (by my father).**  
 ‘may have’ + voltooid deelwoord ‘switched’ wordt ‘may have been’ en vervolgens krijg je het voltooid deelwoord ‘switched’.
- 9 They distributed the leaflets.  
**The leaflets were distributed**
- 10 They milk the cows at the farm twice a day.  
**The cows are milked twice a day at the farm.**
- 11 Members of the public are leaving all sorts of things in trains.  
**All sorts of things are being left in trains by members of the public.**  
 Let op: ‘Members of the public leave all sorts of things in trains.’ zou betekenen dat ze dat vaak/altijd doen.  
Deze zin, ‘Members of the public are leaving...’ betekent dat ze dat tegenwoordig doen.
- 12 The guards collect them and send them to the Lost Property Office.  
**They are collected by the guards and (they are) sent to the Lost Property Office.**
- 13 They raised the children in France.  
**The children were raised in France.**
- 14 They were picking flowers.  
**Flowers were being picked.**
- 15 Lightning may strike the church.  
**The church may be struck by lightning.**
- 16 Anyone with the slightest interest could follow this recipe.  
**This recipe could be followed by anyone with the slightest interest.**
- 17 They are going to sound the sirens as a warning to the public.  
**The sirens are going to be sounded as a warning to the public.**  
 ‘are going to’ + infinitief ‘sound’ wordt ‘are going to’ + infinitief ‘be’ en vervolgens krijg je het voltooid deelwoord ‘sounded’.
- 18 He wanted them to offer him the job.  
**He wanted the job to be offered to him.**
- 19 We use these plates only at Christmas.  
**These plates are only used at Christmas.**
- 20 He is going to make a model from matchsticks.  
**A model is going to be made from matchsticks.**

- 1 Het is niet moeilijk te begrijpen waarom hij je verhaal niet gelooft.  
**It's not difficult to understand why he doesn't believe your story** (par. 3.10)
- 2 Er zijn vannacht minstens 2.000 cd's gestolen.  
**At least 2000 CDs were stolen last night.** (par 3.7)  
'last night' = 'toen', dus verleden tijd (**simple past**)
- 3 Er wordt aangenomen (to assume) dat hij hierachter zit (to be behind something).  
**It is assumed that he is behind this.** (par. 3.6)  
of: **He is assumed to be behind all this.**
- 4 Ik wil mijn computer volgende week laten repareren.  
**I want to have my computer repaired next week.** (par 3.4 - onderaan)
- 5 Dit moet zo snel mogelijk aan de politie worden gemeld (to report).  
**This must / This has to be reported to the police as soon as possible.** (par. 3.2.1)
- 6 De meeste documenten zijn vorig jaar tijdens de brand verloren gegaan.  
**Most (of the) documents were lost during the fire last year.**  
'last year' = 'toen', dus verleden tijd (**simple past**)
- 7 Ik ben bang dat dit niet meer hersteld kan worden.  
**I am afraid this cannot be repaired / corrected / mended.**
- 8 Er worden hier volgende week twee nieuwe bioscopen geopend.  
**Two new cinemas will be opened (are being opened / are to be opened) here next week.** (par. 3.7)  
Kijk eens goed naar de verschillende mogelijkheden om 'toekomst' uit te drukken in het Engels.
- 9 Er is vaak beweerd dat hij in drugs handelt.  
**It has often been claimed that he deals in drugs.** (par 3.6)  
Niet: 'it is often claimed'; dat betekent *Er wordt vaak beweerd*.  
They claim this. -> This is claimed. *Dit wordt beweerd.*  
They have claimed this. -> This has been claimed. *Dit is beweerd.*
- 10 Er wordt nog steeds naar een oplossing gezocht (to look for)  
**A solution is still being looked for.**  
Ze zijn daar mee bezig, dus tegenwoordige ingvorm (**present continuous**).

## Oefening 7 passive - varia

Vertaal de volgende zinnen en zet de vertaalde zin vervolgens om in de **passive**. (Soms kun je daarbij kiezen uit een paar mogelijkheden.)

- 1 Veel mensen geloven dat Elvis nog in leven is.  
**Many people believe (that) Elvis is still alive.**  
**Elvis is still believed to be alive (by many people)**  
**It is believed (by many people) that Elvis is still alive.** (par 3.6)
- 2 Ze zeggen dat hij multimiljonair is.  
**They say (that) he is a multimillionaire.**  
**He is said to be a multimillionaire.**  
**It is said that he is a multimillionaire.** (par. 3.6)  
Let op: *Hij is multimiljonair*. He is a multimillionaire.
- 3 Ik heb liever dat je de zaak aan de politie overlaat.  
**I (would) prefer you to leave the case to the police.**  
**I would prefer the case to be left to the police.** (par. 3.4)  
'to leave' wordt 'to be' en vervolgens krijg je het voltooid deelwoord 'left'
- 4 Ik verwacht dat je vanavond al je huiswerk doet.  
**I expect you to do all your homework tonight (this evening).**  
**I expect all your homework to be done tonight (this evening).** (par. 3.4)
- 5 Ze dwongen hem om de waarheid te vertellen.  
**They forced him to tell the truth.**  
**He was forced to tell the truth.** (par. 3.4)

- 6 Ze besloten om nog even te wachten.  
**They decided to wait for some time (to wait a while).**  
**It was decided to wait for some time.**
- 7 Iedereen wist dat hij leraar geweest was.  
**Everybody knew (that) he had been a teacher.**  
**He was known to have been a teacher.**  
**It was known (by / to everybody) that he had been a teacher. (par 3.6)**  
Let op: *Hij is leraar* = He is a teacher.
- 8 Ik wil dat je alle deuren en ramen controleert voordat je naar huis gaat.  
**I want you to check all the doors and windows before you go home (before going home).**  
**I want all the doors and windows to be checked before you go home. (par. 3.4)**
- 9 Uiteindelijk (eventually) vertelde hij me de waarheid.  
**Eventually he told me the truth.**  
**Eventually I was told the truth.**  
**Eventually the truth was told to me.**
- 10 Zij zorgen momenteel voor (to look after) de baby.  
**They are looking after the baby at the moment.**  
**The baby is being looked after (by them) at the moment.**  
Zij doen dat momenteel, dus gebruik je tegenwoordige ingvorm (**present continuous**).