1. Look at the question. Do the replies sound natural: yes (Y) or no (N)?

‘Are the windows still dirty?’

1. ‘No, I’ve cleaned them.’

* Y
* N

1. ‘No, they’ve been cleaned.’

* Y
* N

1. ‘No, they’ve been cleaned by me.’

* Y
* N

1. Would these sentences be natural in an academic article: yes (Y) or no (N)?
2. **People have written** too many books about the Second World War.

* Y
* N

1. Too many books **have been written** about the Second World War.

* Y
* N

1. **I have not yet analysed** the results of the experiment.

* Y
* N

1. The results of the experiment **have not yet been analysed** .

* Y
* N

1. Can these verb forms be used in English: yes (Y) or no (N)?
2. to have been invited

* Y
* N

1. being watched

* Y
* N

1. having been told

* Y
* N

1. having be spoken to

* Y
* N

1. being looked at

* Y
* N

1. Are the passive forms right (R) or wrong (W)?
2. Lunch **is prepared** now. It’s nearly ready.

* R
* W

1. Lunch **is being prepared** now. It’s nearly ready.

* R
* W

1. Lunch **is preparing** now. It’s nearly ready.

* R
* W

1. Are the passive forms right (R) or wrong (W)?
2. James **is promoted** by the company.

* R
* W

1. James **has promoted** by the company.

* R
* W

1. James **has been promoted** by the company.

* R
* W

1. Right (R) or wrong (W)?
2. **We were questioning** by the police for several hours.

* R
* W

1. **We were put** in the police cells overnight.

* R
* W

1. In the morning, **we have released .**

* R
* W

1. Change the sentences into passive sentences with the same meaning.

EXAMPLE: She gave her sister the car.→ Her sister was given the car.

1. The bank sent me the wrong forms.

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1. We pay them a lot of money for doing very little.

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1. They will never tell us the real truth.

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1. Right (R) or wrong (W)?
2. I was told **to wait** outside the station at six o’clock.

* R
* W

1. I was told **to be waiting** outside the station at six o’clock.

* R
* W

1. She is expected **to be released** today.

* R
* W

1. He is thought **to have escaped** last night.

* R
* W

1. Somebody has paid for your meal in a restaurant. Which passive sentence is right?

* Has been paid for your meal.
* Your meal has been paid.
* Your meal has been paid for.