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# TENSE

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# Tenses



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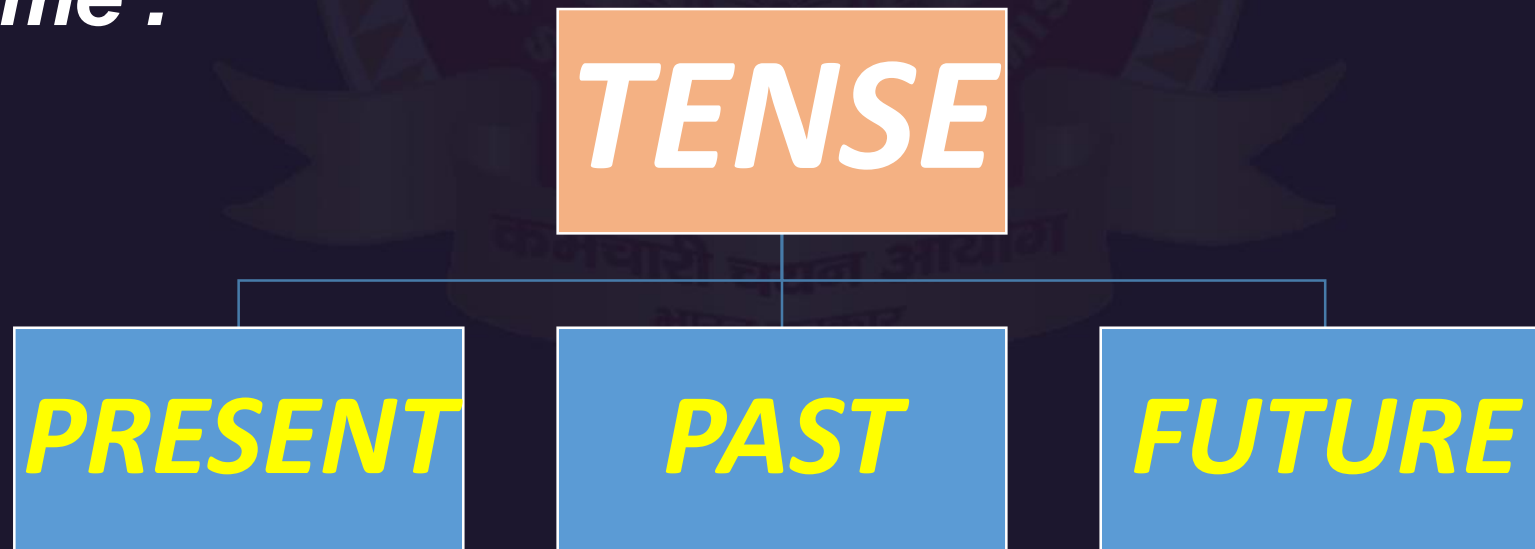
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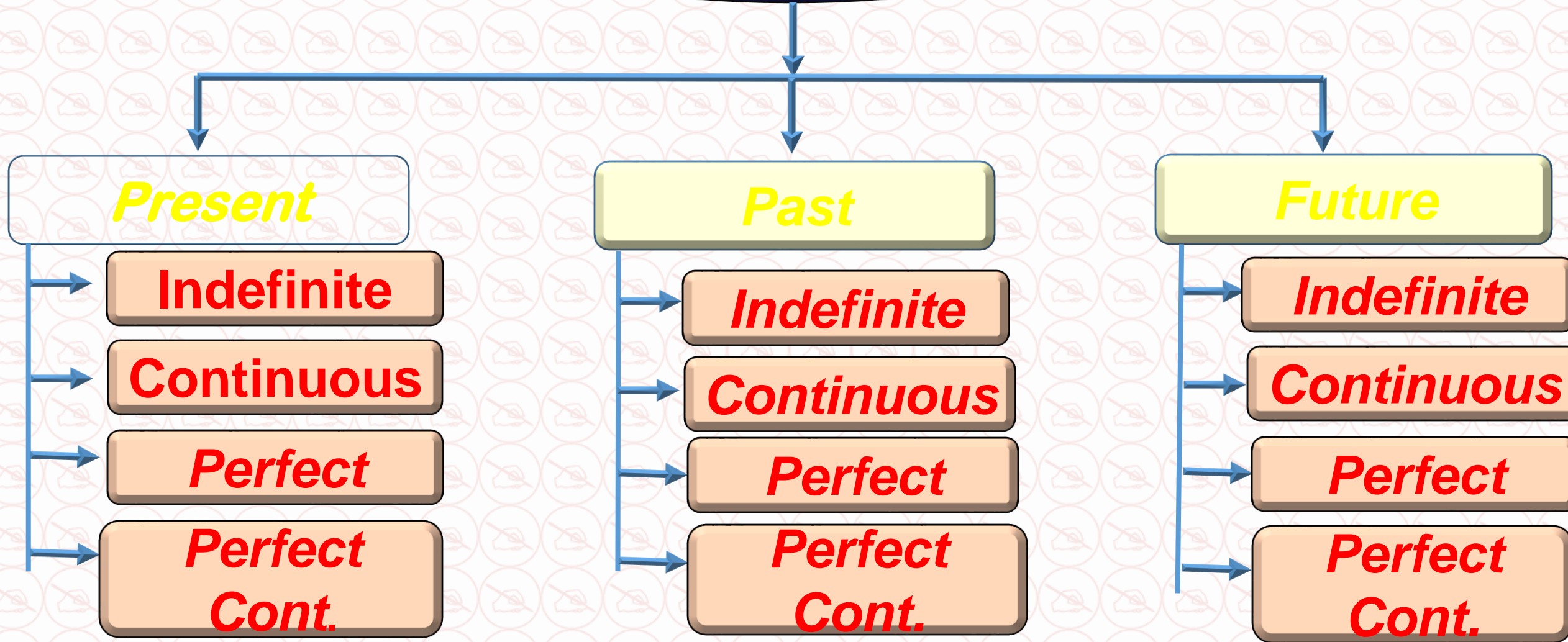
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*‘Tense’ originates from a Latin word **‘tempus’** which means Time, Tense can be understood as that form of the verb that indicates time .*



# ***Tense***





# IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE

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## PRESENT PERFECT

Subject + have/ has + V3+ Object

**1. Use present perfect to show a task recently completed.**

- He has just completed his work.*
- I have known him for three years.*

**2. Use present perfect if you are not clear about the time of completion of the task.**

- Have you ever been to Nagpur?*
- I have never known him to disobey his parents.*





## **IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE**

*3. The present perfect should not be used with adverbs of past time. In such cases simple past should be used.*

*He completed his assignment last week.*

*4. Yet, always, never, already, today, often, several times, lately, recently, so far, ever etc. should be used in present perfect.*

- Have you not completed the work so far?*
- I have not seen her today.*



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## IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE

### PRESENT PERFECT CONTINUOUS

**Subject + Has / Have + Been + V1(ing) + Since / For + Object**

**1. If you want to express an action that started in the past tense and is still continuing, use present perfect continuous .**

***They have been doing the job since last year.***



## **IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE**

***2. Some verbs should be used in the present perfect form, even though they have been functioning as present perfect cont.***

***I have known him for a long time.***



# PAST TENSE

**Indefinite**

**Subject + V2 + Object**

**Continuous**

**Subject + was/ were+ V1(ing) +  
Object**

**Perfect**

**Subject + had+ V3 + Object**

**Perfect  
Cont.**

**Subject + had+ Been + V1(ing) +  
Since / For + Object**



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**IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE**

**SIMPLE PAST ( PAST INDEFINITE )**

**Subject + + V2 + Object**

**1. To indicate actions committed in the past.**

**We went to Nagpur last month.**

**2. For habits in past.**

**I visited Nainital every year.**

**3. After the expression "It is time"** .

**It is time we started giving attention to saving for the future.**



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## IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE

4 . We use simple past in **PLURAL FORM** to indicate an unreal situation by using words like: wish, if, as if, and as though.

- I wish I am a king. (wrong)*
- I wish I were a king. (correct)*
- If I was the captain I would choose to bat first. (wrong)*
- If I were the captain I would choose to bat first. (correct)*



## IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE

5. After the expression 'It is time + subject', to imply it is late .

- It is time you should start working hard. (wrong)
- It is time you started working hard. (correct)

6. After would rather + subject to indicate preference .

- Shall I help him ? I would rather if you don't. (wrong)
- Shall I help him ? I would rather if you didn't. (correct)



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## IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE

### PAST CONTINUOUS

Subject + was /were + V1(ing) + Object

1. In past a work was being done when somebody spotted .

*When I visited her, she was cooking meal.*

2. To indicate compulsive habits .

*He was always abusing others .*



## **IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE**

**3. To denote two tasks occurring together .**

***While I was reading, Mohan was watching television .***



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## IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE

### PAST PERFECT

Subject + had + V3 + Object

**1. To describe an action that got over before a given time in the past .**

- He learned how to drive a car even before he was eighteen years old. (wrong)*
- He had learnt how to drive a car even before he was eighteen years old. (correct)*



## IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE

**2. If two actions take place in the past (connected with before/after) the former must be formed using the past perfect tense .**

- He completed his homework before I reached his home. (wrong)**
- He had completed his homework before I reached his home. (correct)**





# IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE



## PAST PERFECT CONTINUOUS

**Subject + Had + Been + V1(ing) + Since / For + Object**

**To describe an action that began prior to a certain point in the past and continued up to that particular point.**

- Amitabh had acted for more than twenty five years when S.R.K. entered Bollywood. (wrong)**
- Amitabh had been acting for more than twenty five years when S.R.K. entered Bollywood. (correct)**



# ***FUTURE TENSE***

***Indefinite***

***Subject + will /shall +V1 + Object***

***Continuous***

***Subject + will /shall + V1(ing) +  
Object***

***Perfect***

***Subject + will /shall + Have + V3 +  
Object***

***Perfect  
Cont.***

***Subject + will /shall + Have + Been  
+ V1(ing) + From / For + Object***



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# IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE

## SIMPLE FUTURE ( FUTURE INDEFINITE )

*Subject + Will/Shall + V1 + Object*

1. 'Shall' is used for 1<sup>st</sup> , 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> person to show and 'will' for 1<sup>st</sup> , 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> person to show .

We shall have our dinner at nine.



## **IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE**

**2. 'Shall' and 'will' should not be used to express the following:**  
**In traditional phrases to express a wish.**

**God bless you.**



## IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE

*3. Future Indefinite tense can also be represented in the following manner without using will / shall.*

- The movie is about to start.*
- The movie releases on the 5<sup>th</sup>.*
- We are playing for victory this evening.*
- Kr. Vishwas is to file his nomination from Amethi.*
- She is to get married tomorrow.*



## IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE

### **FUTURE CONTINUOUS**

**Subject + will /shall + be + V1(ing) + Object**

**1. To express an action going on in the future .**

***When I reach there he will be shooting for the last scene.***

**2. To express events in the future .**

***He will be staying here for the entire weekend.***



# IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE

## FUTURE PERFECT

*Subject + Will / Shall + Have + V3 + Object*

*1. When two actions are connected with 'before' and 'after'.*

- The patient will die before the doctor arrives. (wrong)*
- The patient will have died before the doctor arrives. (correct)*





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# IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE



## **FUTURE PERFECT CONTINUOUS**

*Subject + Will / Shall + Have + Been + V(ing) + For/From + Time*

**1. Actions which will began in future and remain continuous in it for a long time .**

- In November, I will have been working at my company for three years.***
- At five o'clock, I will have been waiting for thirty minutes.***



## IMPORTANT CONCEPTS OF TENSE

**2. Non action verbs like to be, to seem, or to know are not suited to the future perfect continuous tense. Instead, these verbs take the future perfect tense .**

- On Thursday, I will have been knowing you for a week. (Incorrect)*
- On Thursday, I will have known you for a week. (correct)*
- I will have been reading forty-five books by Christmas. (Incorrect)*
- I will have read forty-five books by Christmas. (correct)*



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**QUESTIONS BASED ON TENSE**

- 1. Whenever / you are coming here , / she brings / a lot of sweets for me . / No error.**
- 2. This is turned / out to be / one of our /most successful projects. / No error.**
- 3. He is given me / a lot of documents / to read before / the presentation tomorrow. / No error.**
- 4. Since the trip home / was expensive / they did not went home / during the holidays. / No error.ss**



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**QUESTIONS BASED ON TENSE**

- 5. As she is late / for work yesterday she decided / to skip breakfast and / leave for office./ No error.**
- 6. As soon as the CEO entered the office, the / union leaders approached him/ and report the matter to him. / No error.**
- 7. The college / is running a computer course / since 2007. / No error.**
- 8. Did he tell you / why he hasn't / come yesterday ? / No error.**
- 9. Last night I dream / I was a Sheikh on the 169<sup>th</sup> floor / of Burj Khalifa / No error .**



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**QUESTIONS BASED ON TENSE**

**10. I came to / know that / his father has died / three days ago. / No Error**

**11. When you will find / out a solution / to this problem, / you will be awarded a prize. / No Error.**

**12. Before the alarm had stopped / ringing / Nisha had telephoned / the police. / No Error .**

**13. This is / the first time / that I see such / an interesting movie. / No Errors**





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**QUESTIONS BASED ON TENSE**

**14. Whenever he is coming / here, he brings / many / gifts for me. / No Error**

**15. Now-a-days / he teaches English / because the teacher of English. / has gone for a month's leave. / No Error.**

**16. 'It is high time /you are starting /this business' / said Ram to Mahesh. / No Error**



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**QUESTIONS BASED ON TENSE**

- 17. A misogynist is / a person who is hating woman / but a philogynist is a person / who loves woman . / No Error**
- 18. Before the alarm / had stopped ringing / Veena had pulled up / the shade . / No Error.**
- 19. All the flowers / in his garden will /surely die before / the rains will fall . / No Error**
- 20. I have been / working for this / organisation for / the last ten years . / No Error**
- 21. The Teacher said / to us that we / should stay / at home if it rains . / No Error**



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