

Past Continuous

- 1) **Κάτι που έγινε παλιά και είχε διάρκεια/ it happened in the past and had duration**
I was watching a movie at the time of the earthquake!
- 2) **ταυτόχρονες πράξεις/ actions happening at the same time**
I was listening to music home, while I was cleaning the house
- 3) **πράξη που γινόταν σε Past Continuous και διακόπηκε από μία άλλη σε Past Simple/ an action in progress interrupted by another one**
I was taking a shower when the phone rang.

Time expressions:

while: ενώ , **when:** όταν, **all day:** όλη την ημέρα

Spelling rules:

☺ + was/were + ρήμα

1. όταν το ρήμα τελειώνει σε **-e**, βγάζουμε το **-e** για να βάλουμε **-ing**
write → writing
2. όταν το ρήμα τελειώνει σε **σύμφωνο + φωνήεν + σύμφωνο**, διπλασιάζουμε το τελευταίο σύμφωνο για να βάλουμε **-ing**
stop → stopping

Affirmative

I **was** playing
You were playing
He **was** playing
She **was** playing
It **was** playing
We were playing
You were playing
They were playing

Question

Was I playing?
Were you playing?
Was he playing?
Was she playing?
Was it playing?
Were we playing?
Were you playing?
Were they playing?

Negative

I **was** not playing
You were not playing
He **was** not playing
She **was** not playing
It **was** not playing
We were not playing
You were not playing
They were not playing

was not → **wasn't**

were not → **weren't**