

PASSIVE VOICE

В английском, как и в русском языке, существует **активный залог** (*Active Voice*) и **страдательный** (или **пассивный**) залог (*Passive Voice*).

Употребление пассивного залога.

1. Когда само по себе **действие важнее, чем его исполнитель**, и говорящий хочет указать именно на действие. Например:

A courier delivers mail every day. – Курьер доставляет почту каждый день. (Active Voice)

The mail is delivered every day. – Почту доставляют каждый день. (Passive Voice)

2. Пассивный залог используют, если **исполнитель действия неизвестен, неважен или понятен из контекста**:

These clothes are made in Italy. – Эта одежда изготавливается в Италии.

The new laws will be discussed tomorrow. – Новые законы будут обсуждаться завтра.

Passive: be + V₃

		example
Present simple	am / is / are + V ₃	<i>is written</i>
Present continuous	am / is / are being + V ₃	<i>are being written</i>
Past simple	was / were + V ₃	<i>were written</i>
Past continuous	was / were being + V ₃	<i>was being written</i>
Future simple	will be + V ₃	<i>will be written</i>
Present perfect	have / has been + V ₃	<i>has been written</i>
Past perfect	had been + V ₃	<i>had been written</i>
Future perfect	will have been + V ₃	<i>will have been written</i>
Modals + infinitive	should / can / ... + be + V ₃	<i>can be written</i>
Modals + perfect infinitive	should / can / ... + have been + V ₃	<i>should have been written</i>

	ДЕЙСТВИТЕЛЬНЫЙ ЗАЛОГ	СТРАДАТЕЛЬНЫЙ ЗАЛОГ
Present Simple	<i>Ben plants a tree.</i>	<i>A tree is planted by Ben.</i>
Present Continuous	<i>Ben is planting a tree.</i>	<i>A tree is being planted by Ben.</i>
Past Simple	<i>Ben planted a tree.</i>	<i>A tree was planted by Ben.</i>
Past Continuous	<i>Ben was planting a tree.</i>	<i>A tree was being planted by Ben.</i>
Present Perfect	<i>Ben has planted a tree.</i>	<i>A tree has been planted by Ben.</i>
Past Perfect	<i>Ben had planted a tree.</i>	<i>A tree had been planted by Ben.</i>
Future Simple	<i>Ben will plant a tree.</i>	<i>A tree will be planted by Ben.</i>
Infinitive	<i>Ben has to plant a tree.</i>	<i>A tree has to be planted by Ben.</i>
Modal Verbs	<i>Ben might plant a tree.</i>	<i>A tree might be planted by Ben.</i>

to be + Participle II

TENSE		ACTIVE	PASSIVE	NOTE: <i>the action is done to the subject</i>
Indefinite	Present	ask(s)	am is are asked	He asks / He is asked <i>Он спрашивает/ Его спрашивают</i>
	Past	asked	was were asked	
	Future	will ask	will be asked	
Continuous	Present	am is are asking	am is are being asked	He is asking / He is being asked <i>Он сейчас спрашивает/ Его сейчас спрашивают</i>
	Past	was were asking	was were being asked	
	Future	will be asking	–	
Perfect	Present	have has asked	have has been asked	He has asked / He has been asked <i>Он уже спросил/ Его уже спросили</i>
	Past	had asked	had been asked	
	Future	will have asked	will have been asked	

MODAL VERBS

can/could
may/might
must/have to
should/would
needn't

be done
have been done