

# ELTE Contracted auxiliaries quiz 117

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## 1. ELTE Contracted auxiliaries quiz 117

**Which is the auxiliary contracted (in bold)?**

She'**d** never considered how complex the issue might become.

- (A) had
- (B) would
- (C) did

**2.** I'**d** appreciate it if you could clarify your position.

- (A) had
- (B) would
- (C) did

**3.** He'**d** already left by the time we arrived.

- (A) had
- (B) would
- (C) did

**4.** They'**d** prefer to postpone the meeting until next week.

- (A) had
- (B) would
- (C) did

**5.** She'**s** been working on the project for months.

- (A) is
- (B) has
- (C) does

**6.** You'd better review the data before presenting your findings.

- (A) had
- (B) would
- (C) did

**7.** The solution's not as straightforward as it seems.

- (A) is
- (B) has
- (C) does

**8.** I **could've** explained it better with more time.

- (A) could have
- (B) could had
- (C) could did

**9.** She's got brown eyes.

- (A) is
- (B) was
- (C) has

**10.** He'd have agreed if the proposal had been clearer.

- (A) had
- (B) would
- (C) did

**11.** She's just finished the report and sent it to the manager.

- (A) is
- (B) has
- (C) does

**12.** She's waiting for the bus now.

- (A) has
- (B) was
- (C) is

**13.** I'd never seen such an impressive performance before.

- (A) had
- (B) would
- (C) did

**14.** I'd rather discuss this in private.

- (A) had
- (B) would
- (C) did

**15.** She'd been waiting for over an hour when the train finally arrived.

- (A) had
- (B) would
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She'd never considered how complex the issue might become.

- A had
- B would
- C did

**i** had considered (past perfect)

2. I'd appreciate it if you could clarify your position.

- A had
- B would
- C did

**i** would appreciate

3. He'd already left by the time we arrived.

- A had
- B would
- C did

**i** had already left (auxiliary **had** + past participle)

4. They'd prefer to postpone the meeting until next week.

- A had
- B would
- C did

**i** would prefer

5. She's been working on the project for months.

A is

B has

C does

**i** **has** been working (present perfect continuous: auxiliary **has** + been + verb-ing)

6. You'd better review the data before presenting your findings.

A had

B would

C did

**i** **had** better review (had better + verb)

7. The solution's not as straightforward as it seems.

A is

B has

C does

**i** **is** not as straightforward as...

8. I **could've** explained it better with more time.

A could have

B could had

C could did

**i** could **have** explained (never use 'had' in this structure)

9. She's got brown eyes.

A is

B was

C has

**i** **has** got (expression possession)

10. He'd have agreed if the proposal had been clearer.

- A had
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i **would** have agreed (hypothesis in past)

11. She's just finished the report and sent it to the manager.

- A is
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- C does

i **has** just finished

12. She's waiting for the bus now.

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i **is** waiting (present continuous)

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- A had
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- C did

i **had** never seen

14. I'd rather discuss this in private.

- A had
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i **would** rather discuss (would rather + verb)

15. She'd been waiting for over an hour when the train finally arrived.

- A had
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- C did

**i** had been waiting (past perfect continuous)