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Extra Grammar Exercises**(Unit 4, page 41)****LESSON 1 The past continuous****1 Complete the statements and questions with the past continuous.**

1. My daughter _____ *was driving* / *drive* her car yesterday at 4:00.
2. I _____ *walk* to work when I saw the accident.
3. Who _____ *talk* on the phone when I came home?
4. Traffic was awful this morning. Everyone _____ *speed* !
5. They _____ *leave* the house when the phone started ringing.
6. The clients at the rental agency _____ *complain* about the quality of the cars they got.
7. The accident occurred because a car _____ *weave* through traffic.
8. Why _____ *your girlfriend / shop* at the mall when online shopping is so much easier?

2 Circle the correct verb form to complete the sentences.

1. I (tailgated / was tailgating) when the car in front of me suddenly (stopped / was stopping).
2. John (cooked / was cooking) dinner when his children (arrived / were arriving).
3. Larissa (didn't pay / wasn't paying) attention while she (drove / was driving).
4. They (washed / were washing) the car when the headlights (broke / were breaking).
5. My son (texted / was texting) his boss when the storm (started / was starting).