

Notes: Perfect, Pluperfect, and Future Perfect Passives

The perfect, pluperfect, and future perfect passives are two words each:

- 1) 4th principal part of the verb (ending will vary according to gender/number of the subject)
- 2) A form of *esse* (Perfect: *sum, es, est...*, Pluperfect: *eram, erās, erat...*, Future Perfect: *erō, eris, erit...*)

PERFECT PASSIVE: 4th principal part + present tense of *sum, esse*

<u>Masc. Subject</u>	<u>Fem. Subject</u>	<u>Neut. Subject</u>
<i>ductus sum</i>	<i>ducta sum</i>	---
<i>ductus es</i>	<i>ducta es</i>	---
<i>ductus est</i>	<i>ducta est</i>	<i>ductum est</i>
<i>ductī sumus</i>	<i>ductae sumus</i>	---
<i>ductī estis</i>	<i>ductae estis</i>	---
<i>ductī sunt</i>	<i>ductae sunt</i>	<i>ducta sunt</i>

Translations:
 has/have been ___ed
 was/were ___ed

PLUPERFECT PASSIVE: 4th principal part + imperfect tense of *sum, esse*

<u>Masc. Subject</u>	<u>Fem. Subject</u>	<u>Neut. Subject</u>
<i>ductus eram</i>	<i>ducta eram</i>	---
<i>ductus erās</i>	<i>ducta erās</i>	---
<i>ductus erat</i>	<i>ducta erat</i>	<i>ductum erat</i>
<i>ductī erāmus</i>	<i>ductae erāmus</i>	---
<i>ductī erātis</i>	<i>ductae erātis</i>	---
<i>ductī erant</i>	<i>ductae erant</i>	<i>ducta erant</i>

Translation:
 had been ___ed

FUTURE PERFECT PASSIVE: 4th principal part + future tense of *sum esse*

<u>Masc. Subject</u>	<u>Fem. Subject</u>	<u>Neut. Subject</u>
<i>ductus erō</i>	<i>ducta erō</i>	---
<i>ductus eris</i>	<i>ducta eris</i>	---
<i>ductus erit</i>	<i>ducta erit</i>	<i>ductum erit</i>
<i>ductī erimus</i>	<i>ductae erimus</i>	---
<i>ductī eritis</i>	<i>ductae eritis</i>	---
<i>ductī erunt</i>	<i>ductae erunt</i>	<i>ducta erunt</i>

Translation:
 will have been ___ed

Examples:

Amīcī ā Gaiō Cornēliō ad cēnam invitātī erant. (pluperfect passive, masculine plural subject)
Friends had been invited to dinner by Gaius Cornelius.

Porcus ā Pseudolō emptus erat. (pluperfect passive, masculine singular subject)
A pig had been bought by Pseudolus.

Servī in Forum missī sunt. (perfect passive, masculine plural subject)
Slaves were sent into the Forum.

Use the ending of the 4th principal part to help you determine the subject, and use the helping verb to help you determine the tense.