

## Worksheet A

Circle the correct option in each case.

1. A: I called him yesterday, but he didn't answer the phone.  
B: He **must have been** / was busy. He always answers his phone.
2. A: Yesterday after the long journey, I couldn't find my keys, and called a locksmith to open the door.  
B: What a pity! You *may have* / **must have gotten** very tired.
3. It was Jake's off day yesterday. You *could have* / **couldn't have** found him in his office.
4. He *may not have* / **may have** come by train. It took him a long time to come here.
5. A: A woman opened the door for me. She was probably his wife.  
B: He was not married. She **can't have** / *mustn't have* been his wife.



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## Worksheet B

Complete the second sentence so that it is a deduction of the first sentence, using the word given. Do not change the word given. You must use between two and five words.

1. It was impossible to finish the exam on time as the questions were really hard. **(have)**  
You.....**couldn't/can't have finished the** .....test on time because of the hard questions.
2. I'm sure he made a fortune by selling his secret formula. **(became)**  
He.....**became a rich man** .....after he sold his secret formula.
3. I'm not sure, but I saw your book on Jack's desk. **(forgotten)**  
You .....**might have forgotten your** .....book on Jack's desk.
4. They didn't answer the phone last night. **(been)**  
They.....**might/may/could not have been**.....at home last night.
5. He looks very sad. She probably refused him to go out. **(said)**  
She..... **must have said no**.....his invitation.