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## UNIT 48

# How long does it take...?



How long **does it take** by plane  
from New York to Washington?

**It takes** an hour.



## UNIT 48

# How long does it take...?

**How long does it take to** do something?

How long	does did will	it take to...?
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## UNIT 48

# How long does it take...?

How long does it take to do something?

It	takes took will take		a week a long time three hours	to...
	doesn't didn't won't	take	long	



## UNIT 48

# How long does it take...?

**How long does it take to** do something?

How long **does it take to cross**  
the Atlantic by ship?



## UNIT 48

# How long does it take...?

How long does it take to do something?

It takes a long time to learn a language.



## UNIT 48

# How long does it take...?



It **took me** three days **to read** it.



## UNIT 48

# How long does it take...?

How long does it take you to do something?

How long will it take me to learn to drive?

It will take me an hour to cook dinner.







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### Exercises 48.3

Write questions with **How long did it take...?**

1

Jane found a job.

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### Exercises 48.3

Write questions with **How long did it take...?**

2

I walked to the station.

\_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_?



### Exercises 48.3

Write questions with **How long did it take...?**

3

Tom painted the bathroom.

\_\_\_\_\_?





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