



Determine the starting time for each problem.

Answers

- 1) Faye got out of the movie theater at 6:15. If the movie was 1 hour and 50 minutes long, what time did it start?
- 2) George spent 1 hour and 50 minutes looking for his missing cat. If he finally found it at 5:55 what time did it when he originally started looking?
- 3) Rachel went to the town carnival. She ended up staying for 2 hours and 10 minutes. If Rachel left the carnival at 8:55, what time did she originally get there?
- 4) Dave finished jogging at 4:50. If he had been jogging for 3 hours and 50 minutes, what time was it when he started?
- 5) Tiffany spent 2 hours and 30 minutes practicing for music. If she stopped practicing at 8:45 what time was it when she started?
- 6) Tom was invited to a birthday party that ended at 4:45. If it lasted 1 hour and 40 minutes what time did the party start?
- 7) Jerry spent 1 hour working on homework. If it was 6:35 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 8) Mike spent 2 hours and 45 minutes outside cleaning up his yard. If it was 6:15 when he finished, what time did Mike start cleaning his yard?
- 9) The school football game ended at 4:10. If the game lasted 1 hour and 40 minutes, what time did it start?
- 10) Gwen spent 1 hour cleaning her room. If it was 6:00 when she finished, what time was it when she started?

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- 7) Jerry spent 1 hour working on homework. If it was 6:35 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 8) Mike spent 2 hours and 45 minutes outside cleaning up his yard. If it was 6:15 when he finished, what time did Mike start cleaning his yard?
- 9) The school football game ended at 4:10. If the game lasted 1 hour and 40 minutes, what time did it start?
- 10) Gwen spent 1 hour cleaning her room. If it was 6:00 when she finished, what time was it when she started?

**Answers**

1. 4:25
2. 4:05
3. 6:45
4. 1:00
5. 6:15
6. 3:05
7. 5:35
8. 3:30
9. 2:30
10. 5:00



Determine the starting time for each problem.

4:05	2:30	3:30	4:25	1:00
5:35	6:15	5:00	3:05	6:45

**Answers**

- 1) Faye got out of the movie theater at 6:15. If the movie was 1 hour and 50 minutes long, what time did it start?
- 2) George spent 1 hour and 50 minutes looking for his missing cat. If he finally found it at 5:55 what time did was it when he originally started looking?
- 3) Rachel went to the town carnival. She ended up staying for 2 hours and 10 minutes. If Rachel left the carnival at 8:55, what time did she originally get there?
- 4) Dave finished jogging at 4:50. If he had been jogging for 3 hours and 50 minutes, what time was it when he started?
- 5) Tiffany spent 2 hours and 30 minutes practicing for music. If she stopped practicing at 8:45 what time was it when she started?
- 6) Tom was invited to a birthday party that ended at 4:45. If it lasted 1 hour and 40 minutes what time did the party start?
- 7) Jerry spent 1 hour working on homework. If it was 6:35 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 8) Mike spent 2 hours and 45 minutes outside cleaning up his yard. If it was 6:15 when he finished, what time did Mike start cleaning his yard?
- 9) The school football game ended at 4:10. If the game lasted 1 hour and 40 minutes, what time did it start?
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Determine the starting time for each problem.

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- 1) Paul was invited to a birthday party that ended at 6:45. If it lasted 3 hours and 35 minutes what time did the party start?
- 2) Carol was helping her mom cook dinner. If they finished at 7:55 and had spent 3 hours and 30 minutes cooking, what time did they start?
- 3) Maria got out of the movie theater at 4:45. If the movie was 3 hours and 45 minutes long, what time did it start?
- 4) Will spent 1 hour and 20 minutes working on homework. If it was 3:30 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 5) Kaleb spent 3 hours and 20 minutes playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 4:25, what time did he originally start playing?
- 6) Vanessa spent 2 hours and 55 minutes cleaning her room. If she finished at 6:00, what time did she start cleaning?
- 7) Ned spent 1 hour and 25 minutes outside cleaning up his yard. If it was 6:15 when he finished, what time did Ned start cleaning his yard?
- 8) Billy was reading a book for 3 hours and 50 minutes. If it was 8:00 when he finally finished the book, what time was it when he started reading?
- 9) Emily took a train from her house to the state capitol. The train ride lasted 1 hour and 20 minutes. If Emily arrived at 6:35, what time did her train leave?
- 10) Rachel spent 1 hour and 50 minutes cleaning her room. If it was 3:45 when she finished, what time was it when she started?

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- 1) Paul was invited to a birthday party that ended at 6:45. If it lasted 3 hours and 35 minutes what time did the party start?
- 2) Carol was helping her mom cook dinner. If they finished at 7:55 and had spent 3 hours and 30 minutes cooking, what time did they start?
- 3) Maria got out of the movie theater at 4:45. If the movie was 3 hours and 45 minutes long, what time did it start?
- 4) Will spent 1 hour and 20 minutes working on homework. If it was 3:30 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 5) Kaleb spent 3 hours and 20 minutes playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 4:25, what time did he originally start playing?
- 6) Vanessa spent 2 hours and 55 minutes cleaning her room. If she finished at 6:00, what time did she start cleaning?
- 7) Ned spent 1 hour and 25 minutes outside cleaning up his yard. If it was 6:15 when he finished, what time did Ned start cleaning his yard?
- 8) Billy was reading a book for 3 hours and 50 minutes. If it was 8:00 when he finally finished the book, what time was it when he started reading?
- 9) Emily took a train from her house to the state capitol. The train ride lasted 1 hour and 20 minutes. If Emily arrived at 6:35, what time did her train leave?
- 10) Rachel spent 1 hour and 50 minutes cleaning her room. If it was 3:45 when she finished, what time was it when she started?

**Answers**

1. 3:10
2. 4:25
3. 1:00
4. 2:10
5. 1:05
6. 3:05
7. 4:50
8. 4:10
9. 5:15
10. 1:55



Determine the starting time for each problem.

**Answers**

3:10	4:50	1:55	3:05	2:10
5:15	1:00	4:25	1:05	4:10

1) Paul was invited to a birthday party that ended at 6:45. If it lasted 3 hours and 35 minutes what time did the party start?

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2) Carol was helping her mom cook dinner. If they finished at 7:55 and had spent 3 hours and 30 minutes cooking, what time did they start?

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3) Maria got out of the movie theater at 4:45. If the movie was 3 hours and 45 minutes long, what time did it start?

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4) Will spent 1 hour and 20 minutes working on homework. If it was 3:30 when he finished, what time was it when he started?

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5) Kaleb spent 3 hours and 20 minutes playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 4:25, what time did he originally start playing?

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6) Vanessa spent 2 hours and 55 minutes cleaning her room. If she finished at 6:00, what time did she start cleaning?

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7) Ned spent 1 hour and 25 minutes outside cleaning up his yard. If it was 6:15 when he finished, what time did Ned start cleaning his yard?

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8) Billy was reading a book for 3 hours and 50 minutes. If it was 8:00 when he finally finished the book, what time was it when he started reading?

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9) Emily took a train from her house to the state capitol. The train ride lasted 1 hour and 20 minutes. If Emily arrived at 6:35, what time did her train leave?

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10) Rachel spent 1 hour and 50 minutes cleaning her room. If it was 3:45 when she finished, what time was it when she started?

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Determine the starting time for each problem.

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- 1) John spent 1 hour and 15 minutes outside cleaning up his yard. If it was 7:15 when he finished, what time did John start cleaning his yard?
- 2) Olivia went to the town carnival. She ended up staying for 2 hours and 45 minutes. If Olivia left the carnival at 6:20, what time did she originally get there?
- 3) Billy finished jogging at 4:30. If he had been jogging for 2 hours and 10 minutes, what time was it when he started?
- 4) Frank spent 3 hours and 25 minutes working on homework. If it was 8:05 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 5) Cody was reading a book for 2 hours and 20 minutes. If it was 8:10 when he finally finished the book, what time was it when he started reading?
- 6) Haley took a train from her house to the state capitol. The train ride lasted 2 hours and 40 minutes. If Haley arrived at 3:40, what time did her train leave?
- 7) Maria spent 3 hours and 50 minutes cleaning her room. If it was 9:00 when she finished, what time was it when she started?
- 8) Vanessa was helping her mom cook dinner. If they finished at 6:10 and had spent 2 hours and 35 minutes cooking, what time did they start?
- 9) Will's father spent 2 hours and 50 minutes working on his truck. If it was 5:10 when he stopped working, what time was it when he originally started?
- 10) Tom was invited to a birthday party that ended at 6:55. If it lasted 2 hours and 35 minutes what time did the party start?

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- 1) John spent 1 hour and 15 minutes outside cleaning up his yard. If it was 7:15 when he finished, what time did John start cleaning his yard?
- 2) Olivia went to the town carnival. She ended up staying for 2 hours and 45 minutes. If Olivia left the carnival at 6:20, what time did she originally get there?
- 3) Billy finished jogging at 4:30. If he had been jogging for 2 hours and 10 minutes, what time was it when he started?
- 4) Frank spent 3 hours and 25 minutes working on homework. If it was 8:05 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 5) Cody was reading a book for 2 hours and 20 minutes. If it was 8:10 when he finally finished the book, what time was it when he started reading?
- 6) Haley took a train from her house to the state capitol. The train ride lasted 2 hours and 40 minutes. If Haley arrived at 3:40, what time did her train leave?
- 7) Maria spent 3 hours and 50 minutes cleaning her room. If it was 9:00 when she finished, what time was it when she started?
- 8) Vanessa was helping her mom cook dinner. If they finished at 6:10 and had spent 2 hours and 35 minutes cooking, what time did they start?
- 9) Will's father spent 2 hours and 50 minutes working on his truck. If it was 5:10 when he stopped working, what time was it when he originally started?
- 10) Tom was invited to a birthday party that ended at 6:55. If it lasted 2 hours and 35 minutes what time did the party start?

**Answers**

1. 6:00
2. 3:35
3. 2:20
4. 4:40
5. 5:50
6. 1:00
7. 5:10
8. 3:35
9. 2:20
10. 4:20





Determine the starting time for each problem.

3:35	2:20	2:20	5:50	5:10
6:00	4:20	1:00	4:40	3:35

**Answers**

- John spent 1 hour and 15 minutes outside cleaning up his yard. If it was 7:15 when he finished, what time did John start cleaning his yard?
- Olivia went to the town carnival. She ended up staying for 2 hours and 45 minutes. If Olivia left the carnival at 6:20, what time did she originally get there?
- Billy finished jogging at 4:30. If he had been jogging for 2 hours and 10 minutes, what time was it when he started?
- Frank spent 3 hours and 25 minutes working on homework. If it was 8:05 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- Cody was reading a book for 2 hours and 20 minutes. If it was 8:10 when he finally finished the book, what time was it when he started reading?
- Haley took a train from her house to the state capitol. The train ride lasted 2 hours and 40 minutes. If Haley arrived at 3:40, what time did her train leave?
- Maria spent 3 hours and 50 minutes cleaning her room. If it was 9:00 when she finished, what time was it when she started?
- Vanessa was helping her mom cook dinner. If they finished at 6:10 and had spent 2 hours and 35 minutes cooking, what time did they start?
- Will's father spent 2 hours and 50 minutes working on his truck. If it was 5:10 when he stopped working, what time was it when he originally started?
- Tom was invited to a birthday party that ended at 6:55. If it lasted 2 hours and 35 minutes what time did the party start?

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- 1) Kaleb spent 3 hours and 35 minutes looking for his missing cat. If he finally found it at 6:55 what time did was it when he originally started looking?
- 2) Victor took a nap for 3 hours. If he woke up at 7:50, what time was it when he started his nap?
- 3) Janet spent 1 hour and 35 minutes cleaning her room. If it was 2:45 when she finished, what time was it when she started?
- 4) George was invited to a birthday party that ended at 2:20. If it lasted 1 hour and 10 minutes what time did the party start?
- 5) Adam spent 3 hours and 25 minutes playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 8:35, what time did he originally start playing?
- 6) Edward spent 1 hour and 50 minutes working on homework. If it was 2:55 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 7) Cody's father spent 1 hour and 5 minutes working on his truck. If it was 5:10 when he stopped working, what time was it when he originally started?
- 8) Maria went to the town carnival. She ended up staying for 3 hours and 15 minutes. If Maria left the carnival at 8:25, what time did she originally get there?
- 9) Ned spent 3 hours and 55 minutes outside cleaning up his yard. If it was 10:45 when he finished, what time did Ned start cleaning his yard?
- 10) Bianca's parents got back from shopping at 8:00. If they had been gone for 3 hours and 20 minutes, what time did they originally leave?

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- 4) George was invited to a birthday party that ended at 2:20. If it lasted 1 hour and 10 minutes what time did the party start?
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- 7) Cody's father spent 1 hour and 5 minutes working on his truck. If it was 5:10 when he stopped working, what time was it when he originally started?
- 8) Maria went to the town carnival. She ended up staying for 3 hours and 15 minutes. If Maria left the carnival at 8:25, what time did she originally get there?
- 9) Ned spent 3 hours and 55 minutes outside cleaning up his yard. If it was 10:45 when he finished, what time did Ned start cleaning his yard?
- 10) Bianca's parents got back from shopping at 8:00. If they had been gone for 3 hours and 20 minutes, what time did they originally leave?

**Answers**

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3. **1:10**
4. **1:10**
5. **5:10**
6. **1:05**
7. **4:05**
8. **5:10**
9. **6:50**
10. **4:40**



Determine the starting time for each problem.

4:50	3:20	1:10	5:10	6:50
5:10	4:40	1:10	1:05	4:05

**Answers**

- Kaleb spent 3 hours and 35 minutes looking for his missing cat. If he finally found it at 6:55 what time did was it when he originally started looking?
- Victor took a nap for 3 hours. If he woke up at 7:50, what time was it when he started his nap?
- Janet spent 1 hour and 35 minutes cleaning her room. If it was 2:45 when she finished, what time was it when she started?
- George was invited to a birthday party that ended at 2:20. If it lasted 1 hour and 10 minutes what time did the party start?
- Adam spent 3 hours and 25 minutes playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 8:35, what time did he originally start playing?
- Edward spent 1 hour and 50 minutes working on homework. If it was 2:55 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- Cody's father spent 1 hour and 5 minutes working on his truck. If it was 5:10 when he stopped working, what time was it when he originally started?
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- 1) Dave spent 2 hours playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 5:55, what time did he originally start playing?
- 2) Rachel took a train from her house to the state capitol. The train ride lasted 1 hour and 45 minutes. If Rachel arrived at 7:50, what time did her train leave?
- 3) It takes 3 hours and 15 minutes to get from Nancy's house to her aunt's house. If she arrives at her aunt's house at 5:30 what time did Nancy leave her house?
- 4) Paige spent 1 hour and 20 minutes cleaning her room. If she finished at 2:55, what time did she start cleaning?
- 5) Tom was invited to a birthday party that ended at 8:50. If it lasted 3 hours and 50 minutes what time did the party start?
- 6) Mike took a nap for 1 hour and 55 minutes. If he woke up at 3:00, what time was it when he started his nap?
- 7) Maria spent 2 hours and 10 minutes practicing for music. If she stopped practicing at 3:15 what time was it when she started?
- 8) Haley spent 2 hours and 5 minutes cleaning her room. If it was 9:00 when she finished, what time was it when she started?
- 9) Gwen went to the town carnival. She ended up staying for 1 hour and 10 minutes. If Gwen left the carnival at 5:30, what time did she originally get there?
- 10) Luke finished jogging at 5:55. If he had been jogging for 3 hours and 40 minutes, what time was it when he started?

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- 1) Dave spent 2 hours playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 5:55, what time did he originally start playing?
- 2) Rachel took a train from her house to the state capitol. The train ride lasted 1 hour and 45 minutes. If Rachel arrived at 7:50, what time did her train leave?
- 3) It takes 3 hours and 15 minutes to get from Nancy's house to her aunt's house. If she arrives at her aunt's house at 5:30 what time did Nancy leave her house?
- 4) Paige spent 1 hour and 20 minutes cleaning her room. If she finished at 2:55, what time did she start cleaning?
- 5) Tom was invited to a birthday party that ended at 8:50. If it lasted 3 hours and 50 minutes what time did the party start?
- 6) Mike took a nap for 1 hour and 55 minutes. If he woke up at 3:00, what time was it when he started his nap?
- 7) Maria spent 2 hours and 10 minutes practicing for music. If she stopped practicing at 3:15 what time was it when she started?
- 8) Haley spent 2 hours and 5 minutes cleaning her room. If it was 9:00 when she finished, what time was it when she started?
- 9) Gwen went to the town carnival. She ended up staying for 1 hour and 10 minutes. If Gwen left the carnival at 5:30, what time did she originally get there?
- 10) Luke finished jogging at 5:55. If he had been jogging for 3 hours and 40 minutes, what time was it when he started?

**Answers**

1. 3:55
2. 6:05
3. 2:15
4. 1:35
5. 5:00
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7. 1:05
8. 6:55
9. 4:20
10. 2:15



Determine the starting time for each problem.

6:55	1:35	2:15	3:55	1:05
2:15	6:05	4:20	5:00	1:05

**Answers**

- Dave spent 2 hours playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 5:55, what time did he originally start playing?
- Rachel took a train from her house to the state capitol. The train ride lasted 1 hour and 45 minutes. If Rachel arrived at 7:50, what time did her train leave?
- It takes 3 hours and 15 minutes to get from Nancy's house to her aunt's house. If she arrives at her aunt's house at 5:30 what time did Nancy leave her house?
- Paige spent 1 hour and 20 minutes cleaning her room. If she finished at 2:55, what time did she start cleaning?
- Tom was invited to a birthday party that ended at 8:50. If it lasted 3 hours and 50 minutes what time did the party start?
- Mike took a nap for 1 hour and 55 minutes. If he woke up at 3:00, what time was it when he started his nap?
- Maria spent 2 hours and 10 minutes practicing for music. If she stopped practicing at 3:15 what time was it when she started?
- Haley spent 2 hours and 5 minutes cleaning her room. If it was 9:00 when she finished, what time was it when she started?
- Gwen went to the town carnival. She ended up staying for 1 hour and 10 minutes. If Gwen left the carnival at 5:30, what time did she originally get there?
- Luke finished jogging at 5:55. If he had been jogging for 3 hours and 40 minutes, what time was it when he started?

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Determine the starting time for each problem.

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- 1) Victor spent 3 hours and 45 minutes playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 10:10, what time did he originally start playing?
- 2) The school football game ended at 4:20. If the game lasted 1 hour, what time did it start?
- 3) Oliver spent 1 hour and 20 minutes outside cleaning up his yard. If it was 2:50 when he finished, what time did Oliver start cleaning his yard?
- 4) Maria finished watching TV at 6:25. If she had been watching it for 2 hours and 15 minutes, what time was it when she started?
- 5) Janet got out of the movie theater at 7:05. If the movie was 2 hours and 15 minutes long, what time did it start?
- 6) Amy spent 2 hours and 55 minutes cleaning her room. If she finished at 5:40, what time did she start cleaning?
- 7) Sam finished jogging at 7:40. If he had been jogging for 1 hour and 30 minutes, what time was it when he started?
- 8) Carol took a train from her house to the state capitol. The train ride lasted 1 hour and 15 minutes. If Carol arrived at 8:05, what time did her train leave?
- 9) Billy took a nap for 3 hours and 25 minutes. If he woke up at 5:25, what time was it when he started his nap?
- 10) Will spent 1 hour and 40 minutes looking for his missing cat. If he finally found it at 5:15 what time did was it when he originally started looking?

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- 1) Victor spent 3 hours and 45 minutes playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 10:10, what time did he originally start playing?
- 2) The school football game ended at 4:20. If the game lasted 1 hour, what time did it start?
- 3) Oliver spent 1 hour and 20 minutes outside cleaning up his yard. If it was 2:50 when he finished, what time did Oliver start cleaning his yard?
- 4) Maria finished watching TV at 6:25. If she had been watching it for 2 hours and 15 minutes, what time was it when she started?
- 5) Janet got out of the movie theater at 7:05. If the movie was 2 hours and 15 minutes long, what time did it start?
- 6) Amy spent 2 hours and 55 minutes cleaning her room. If she finished at 5:40, what time did she start cleaning?
- 7) Sam finished jogging at 7:40. If he had been jogging for 1 hour and 30 minutes, what time was it when he started?
- 8) Carol took a train from her house to the state capitol. The train ride lasted 1 hour and 15 minutes. If Carol arrived at 8:05, what time did her train leave?
- 9) Billy took a nap for 3 hours and 25 minutes. If he woke up at 5:25, what time was it when he started his nap?
- 10) Will spent 1 hour and 40 minutes looking for his missing cat. If he finally found it at 5:15 what time did was it when he originally started looking?

Answers

1. 6:25
2. 3:20
3. 1:30
4. 4:10
5. 4:50
6. 2:45
7. 6:10
8. 6:50
9. 2:00
10. 3:35



Determine the starting time for each problem.

2:45	3:20	2:00	6:10	6:50
3:35	1:30	4:10	6:25	4:50

**Answers**

- 1) Victor spent 3 hours and 45 minutes playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 10:10, what time did he originally start playing?
- 2) The school football game ended at 4:20. If the game lasted 1 hour, what time did it start?
- 3) Oliver spent 1 hour and 20 minutes outside cleaning up his yard. If it was 2:50 when he finished, what time did Oliver start cleaning his yard?
- 4) Maria finished watching TV at 6:25. If she had been watching it for 2 hours and 15 minutes, what time was it when she started?
- 5) Janet got out of the movie theater at 7:05. If the movie was 2 hours and 15 minutes long, what time did it start?
- 6) Amy spent 2 hours and 55 minutes cleaning her room. If she finished at 5:40, what time did she start cleaning?
- 7) Sam finished jogging at 7:40. If he had been jogging for 1 hour and 30 minutes, what time was it when he started?
- 8) Carol took a train from her house to the state capitol. The train ride lasted 1 hour and 15 minutes. If Carol arrived at 8:05, what time did her train leave?
- 9) Billy took a nap for 3 hours and 25 minutes. If he woke up at 5:25, what time was it when he started his nap?
- 10) Will spent 1 hour and 40 minutes looking for his missing cat. If he finally found it at 5:15 what time did was it when he originally started looking?

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Determine the starting time for each problem.

Answers

- 1) Sarah finished watching TV at 7:40. If she had been watching it for 3 hours, what time was it when she started?
- 2) Ned was reading a book for 3 hours and 5 minutes. If it was 4:10 when he finally finished the book, what time was it when he started reading?
- 3) Mike spent 3 hours and 20 minutes playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 8:30, what time did he originally start playing?
- 4) Emily took a train from her house to the state capitol. The train ride lasted 1 hour. If Emily arrived at 2:55, what time did her train leave?
- 5) Robin went to the town carnival. She ended up staying for 3 hours and 50 minutes. If Robin left the carnival at 5:10, what time did she originally get there?
- 6) Frank spent 3 hours working on homework. If it was 9:15 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 7) Maria spent 3 hours and 25 minutes cleaning her room. If it was 5:05 when she finished, what time was it when she started?
- 8) Amy was helping her mom cook dinner. If they finished at 7:10 and had spent 1 hour and 50 minutes cooking, what time did they start?
- 9) Paul's father spent 3 hours and 15 minutes working on his truck. If it was 5:35 when he stopped working, what time was it when he originally started?
- 10) Haley spent 3 hours cleaning her room. If she finished at 5:50, what time did she start cleaning?

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Determine the starting time for each problem.

- 1) Sarah finished watching TV at 7:40. If she had been watching it for 3 hours, what time was it when she started?
- 2) Ned was reading a book for 3 hours and 5 minutes. If it was 4:10 when he finally finished the book, what time was it when he started reading?
- 3) Mike spent 3 hours and 20 minutes playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 8:30, what time did he originally start playing?
- 4) Emily took a train from her house to the state capitol. The train ride lasted 1 hour. If Emily arrived at 2:55, what time did her train leave?
- 5) Robin went to the town carnival. She ended up staying for 3 hours and 50 minutes. If Robin left the carnival at 5:10, what time did she originally get there?
- 6) Frank spent 3 hours working on homework. If it was 9:15 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 7) Maria spent 3 hours and 25 minutes cleaning her room. If it was 5:05 when she finished, what time was it when she started?
- 8) Amy was helping her mom cook dinner. If they finished at 7:10 and had spent 1 hour and 50 minutes cooking, what time did they start?
- 9) Paul's father spent 3 hours and 15 minutes working on his truck. If it was 5:35 when he stopped working, what time was it when he originally started?
- 10) Haley spent 3 hours cleaning her room. If she finished at 5:50, what time did she start cleaning?

**Answers**

1. 4:40
2. 1:05
3. 5:10
4. 1:55
5. 1:20
6. 6:15
7. 1:40
8. 5:20
9. 2:20
10. 2:50



Determine the starting time for each problem.

5:10	2:50	1:55	5:20	6:15
1:05	2:20	1:20	1:40	4:40

**Answers**

- 1) Sarah finished watching TV at 7:40. If she had been watching it for 3 hours, what time was it when she started?
- 2) Ned was reading a book for 3 hours and 5 minutes. If it was 4:10 when he finally finished the book, what time was it when he started reading?
- 3) Mike spent 3 hours and 20 minutes playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 8:30, what time did he originally start playing?
- 4) Emily took a train from her house to the state capitol. The train ride lasted 1 hour. If Emily arrived at 2:55, what time did her train leave?
- 5) Robin went to the town carnival. She ended up staying for 3 hours and 50 minutes. If Robin left the carnival at 5:10, what time did she originally get there?
- 6) Frank spent 3 hours working on homework. If it was 9:15 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 7) Maria spent 3 hours and 25 minutes cleaning her room. If it was 5:05 when she finished, what time was it when she started?
- 8) Amy was helping her mom cook dinner. If they finished at 7:10 and had spent 1 hour and 50 minutes cooking, what time did they start?
- 9) Paul's father spent 3 hours and 15 minutes working on his truck. If it was 5:35 when he stopped working, what time was it when he originally started?
- 10) Haley spent 3 hours cleaning her room. If she finished at 5:50, what time did she start cleaning?

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Determine the starting time for each problem.

Answers

- 1) Dave spent 3 hours playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 6:40, what time did he originally start playing?
- 2) Edward was reading a book for 1 hour and 55 minutes. If it was 8:15 when he finally finished the book, what time was it when he started reading?
- 3) Faye spent 2 hours and 20 minutes cleaning her room. If she finished at 8:50, what time did she start cleaning?
- 4) The school football game ended at 10:05. If the game lasted 3 hours and 35 minutes, what time did it start?
- 5) Mike spent 1 hour and 20 minutes working on homework. If it was 8:00 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 6) Cody finished jogging at 3:45. If he had been jogging for 1 hour and 25 minutes, what time was it when he started?
- 7) Robin finished watching TV at 8:05. If she had been watching it for 1 hour and 15 minutes, what time was it when she started?
- 8) Billy took a nap for 1 hour and 45 minutes. If he woke up at 6:10, what time was it when he started his nap?
- 9) Haley spent 3 hours and 20 minutes practicing for music. If she stopped practicing at 9:10 what time was it when she started?
- 10) John spent 1 hour looking for his missing cat. If he finally found it at 4:45 what time did was it when he originally started looking?

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Determine the starting time for each problem.

- 1) Dave spent 3 hours playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 6:40, what time did he originally start playing?
- 2) Edward was reading a book for 1 hour and 55 minutes. If it was 8:15 when he finally finished the book, what time was it when he started reading?
- 3) Faye spent 2 hours and 20 minutes cleaning her room. If she finished at 8:50, what time did she start cleaning?
- 4) The school football game ended at 10:05. If the game lasted 3 hours and 35 minutes, what time did it start?
- 5) Mike spent 1 hour and 20 minutes working on homework. If it was 8:00 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 6) Cody finished jogging at 3:45. If he had been jogging for 1 hour and 25 minutes, what time was it when he started?
- 7) Robin finished watching TV at 8:05. If she had been watching it for 1 hour and 15 minutes, what time was it when she started?
- 8) Billy took a nap for 1 hour and 45 minutes. If he woke up at 6:10, what time was it when he started his nap?
- 9) Haley spent 3 hours and 20 minutes practicing for music. If she stopped practicing at 9:10 what time was it when she started?
- 10) John spent 1 hour looking for his missing cat. If he finally found it at 4:45 what time did was it when he originally started looking?

**Answers**

1. 3:40
2. 6:20
3. 6:30
4. 6:30
5. 6:40
6. 2:20
7. 6:50
8. 4:25
9. 5:50
10. 3:45



Determine the starting time for each problem.

3:45	3:40	2:20	6:20	4:25
5:50	6:50	6:30	6:40	6:30

**Answers**

- 1) Dave spent 3 hours playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 6:40, what time did he originally start playing?
- 2) Edward was reading a book for 1 hour and 55 minutes. If it was 8:15 when he finally finished the book, what time was it when he started reading?
- 3) Faye spent 2 hours and 20 minutes cleaning her room. If she finished at 8:50, what time did she start cleaning?
- 4) The school football game ended at 10:05. If the game lasted 3 hours and 35 minutes, what time did it start?
- 5) Mike spent 1 hour and 20 minutes working on homework. If it was 8:00 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 6) Cody finished jogging at 3:45. If he had been jogging for 1 hour and 25 minutes, what time was it when he started?
- 7) Robin finished watching TV at 8:05. If she had been watching it for 1 hour and 15 minutes, what time was it when she started?
- 8) Billy took a nap for 1 hour and 45 minutes. If he woke up at 6:10, what time was it when he started his nap?
- 9) Haley spent 3 hours and 20 minutes practicing for music. If she stopped practicing at 9:10 what time was it when she started?
- 10) John spent 1 hour looking for his missing cat. If he finally found it at 4:45 what time did was it when he originally started looking?

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Determine the starting time for each problem.

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- 1) Dave's father spent 2 hours and 15 minutes working on his truck. If it was 4:10 when he stopped working, what time was it when he originally started?
- 2) Nancy got out of the movie theater at 5:00. If the movie was 2 hours and 20 minutes long, what time did it start?
- 3) Katie finished watching TV at 7:35. If she had been watching it for 1 hour and 35 minutes, what time was it when she started?
- 4) Victor finished jogging at 8:10. If he had been jogging for 2 hours and 15 minutes, what time was it when he started?
- 5) Janet spent 2 hours and 15 minutes practicing for music. If she stopped practicing at 9:00 what time was it when she started?
- 6) The school football game ended at 5:30. If the game lasted 2 hours and 25 minutes, what time did it start?
- 7) Oliver took a nap for 2 hours and 45 minutes. If he woke up at 8:00, what time was it when he started his nap?
- 8) Cody was reading a book for 1 hour and 15 minutes. If it was 4:45 when he finally finished the book, what time was it when he started reading?
- 9) Debby's parents got back from shopping at 5:25. If they had been gone for 3 hours, what time did they originally leave?
- 10) Ned spent 3 hours and 20 minutes playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 4:35, what time did he originally start playing?

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- 1) Dave's father spent 2 hours and 15 minutes working on his truck. If it was 4:10 when he stopped working, what time was it when he originally started?
- 2) Nancy got out of the movie theater at 5:00. If the movie was 2 hours and 20 minutes long, what time did it start?
- 3) Katie finished watching TV at 7:35. If she had been watching it for 1 hour and 35 minutes, what time was it when she started?
- 4) Victor finished jogging at 8:10. If he had been jogging for 2 hours and 15 minutes, what time was it when he started?
- 5) Janet spent 2 hours and 15 minutes practicing for music. If she stopped practicing at 9:00 what time was it when she started?
- 6) The school football game ended at 5:30. If the game lasted 2 hours and 25 minutes, what time did it start?
- 7) Oliver took a nap for 2 hours and 45 minutes. If he woke up at 8:00, what time was it when he started his nap?
- 8) Cody was reading a book for 1 hour and 15 minutes. If it was 4:45 when he finally finished the book, what time was it when he started reading?
- 9) Debby's parents got back from shopping at 5:25. If they had been gone for 3 hours, what time did they originally leave?
- 10) Ned spent 3 hours and 20 minutes playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 4:35, what time did he originally start playing?

**Answers**

1. **1:55**
2. **2:40**
3. **6:00**
4. **5:55**
5. **6:45**
6. **3:05**
7. **5:15**
8. **3:30**
9. **2:25**
10. **1:15**



Determine the starting time for each problem.

Answers

5:55	2:25	6:45	5:15	1:15
2:40	3:05	3:30	1:55	6:00

- 1) Dave's father spent 2 hours and 15 minutes working on his truck. If it was 4:10 when he stopped working, what time was it when he originally started?
- 2) Nancy got out of the movie theater at 5:00. If the movie was 2 hours and 20 minutes long, what time did it start?
- 3) Katie finished watching TV at 7:35. If she had been watching it for 1 hour and 35 minutes, what time was it when she started?
- 4) Victor finished jogging at 8:10. If he had been jogging for 2 hours and 15 minutes, what time was it when he started?
- 5) Janet spent 2 hours and 15 minutes practicing for music. If she stopped practicing at 9:00 what time was it when she started?
- 6) The school football game ended at 5:30. If the game lasted 2 hours and 25 minutes, what time did it start?
- 7) Oliver took a nap for 2 hours and 45 minutes. If he woke up at 8:00, what time was it when he started his nap?
- 8) Cody was reading a book for 1 hour and 15 minutes. If it was 4:45 when he finally finished the book, what time was it when he started reading?
- 9) Debby's parents got back from shopping at 5:25. If they had been gone for 3 hours, what time did they originally leave?
- 10) Ned spent 3 hours and 20 minutes playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 4:35, what time did he originally start playing?

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Determine the starting time for each problem.

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- 1) Faye spent 2 hours and 20 minutes practicing for music. If she stopped practicing at 8:35 what time was it when she started?
- 2) Jerry spent 3 hours and 45 minutes playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 8:00, what time did he originally start playing?
- 3) It takes 2 hours to get from Tiffany's house to her aunt's house. If she arrives at her aunt's house at 6:25 what time did Tiffany leave her house?
- 4) Isabel was helping her mom cook dinner. If they finished at 10:20 and had spent 3 hours and 30 minutes cooking, what time did they start?
- 5) The school football game ended at 10:10. If the game lasted 3 hours and 55 minutes, what time did it start?
- 6) Sam's father spent 1 hour and 30 minutes working on his truck. If it was 6:40 when he stopped working, what time was it when he originally started?
- 7) Amy got out of the movie theater at 6:40. If the movie was 3 hours and 55 minutes long, what time did it start?
- 8) Haley's parents got back from shopping at 5:50. If they had been gone for 3 hours and 30 minutes, what time did they originally leave?
- 9) Luke spent 2 hours and 35 minutes working on homework. If it was 5:45 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 10) Dave was invited to a birthday party that ended at 2:45. If it lasted 1 hour and 40 minutes what time did the party start?

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Determine the starting time for each problem.

- 1) Faye spent 2 hours and 20 minutes practicing for music. If she stopped practicing at 8:35 what time was it when she started?
- 2) Jerry spent 3 hours and 45 minutes playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 8:00, what time did he originally start playing?
- 3) It takes 2 hours to get from Tiffany's house to her aunt's house. If she arrives at her aunt's house at 6:25 what time did Tiffany leave her house?
- 4) Isabel was helping her mom cook dinner. If they finished at 10:20 and had spent 3 hours and 30 minutes cooking, what time did they start?
- 5) The school football game ended at 10:10. If the game lasted 3 hours and 55 minutes, what time did it start?
- 6) Sam's father spent 1 hour and 30 minutes working on his truck. If it was 6:40 when he stopped working, what time was it when he originally started?
- 7) Amy got out of the movie theater at 6:40. If the movie was 3 hours and 55 minutes long, what time did it start?
- 8) Haley's parents got back from shopping at 5:50. If they had been gone for 3 hours and 30 minutes, what time did they originally leave?
- 9) Luke spent 2 hours and 35 minutes working on homework. If it was 5:45 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 10) Dave was invited to a birthday party that ended at 2:45. If it lasted 1 hour and 40 minutes what time did the party start?

**Answers**

1. 6:15
2. 4:15
3. 4:25
4. 6:50
5. 6:15
6. 5:10
7. 2:45
8. 2:20
9. 3:10
10. 1:05



Determine the starting time for each problem.

2:20	5:10	1:05	4:25	6:15
6:50	3:10	2:45	4:15	6:15

**Answers**

- 1) Faye spent 2 hours and 20 minutes practicing for music. If she stopped practicing at 8:35 what time was it when she started?
- 2) Jerry spent 3 hours and 45 minutes playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 8:00, what time did he originally start playing?
- 3) It takes 2 hours to get from Tiffany's house to her aunt's house. If she arrives at her aunt's house at 6:25 what time did Tiffany leave her house?
- 4) Isabel was helping her mom cook dinner. If they finished at 10:20 and had spent 3 hours and 30 minutes cooking, what time did they start?
- 5) The school football game ended at 10:10. If the game lasted 3 hours and 55 minutes, what time did it start?
- 6) Sam's father spent 1 hour and 30 minutes working on his truck. If it was 6:40 when he stopped working, what time was it when he originally started?
- 7) Amy got out of the movie theater at 6:40. If the movie was 3 hours and 55 minutes long, what time did it start?
- 8) Haley's parents got back from shopping at 5:50. If they had been gone for 3 hours and 30 minutes, what time did they originally leave?
- 9) Luke spent 2 hours and 35 minutes working on homework. If it was 5:45 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 10) Dave was invited to a birthday party that ended at 2:45. If it lasted 1 hour and 40 minutes what time did the party start?

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