

EXERCISE 31-1 Omissions and Repetitions

In the following sentences, add needed subjects or expletives and delete any repeated subjects, objects, or adverbs. Example:

Nancy is the woman whom I talked to ~~her~~ last week.

- a. Are some cartons of ice cream in the freezer.
 - b. I don't use the subway because am afraid.
 - c. The prime minister she is the most popular leader in my country.
 - d. We tried to get in touch with the same manager whom we spoke to him earlier.
 - e. Recently have been a number of earthquakes in Turkey.
1. We visited an island where several ancient ruins are being excavated there.
 2. In this city is difficult to find a high-paying job.
 3. Foreign tourists sometimes unhappy about the high prices here.
 4. Is a banyan tree in our backyard.
 5. The neighbor whom we trusted he was a thief.