14 The unemployment rate in an economy may continue to rise even after the economy has recovered from a recession.

Which explanation for this trend is **not** correct?

A Many foreign businesses have moved out of the country.

B The government has abolished the national minimum wage.

C An increase in net migration of low-skilled workers.

D Workers lose skills, making them less employable.

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24 What is **not** a likely feature of a customs union?

A common external tariffs with non-member nations

B elimination of tariffs between member nations

C elimination of quotas between member nations

D shared common currency among member nations

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30 Which criticism of foreign direct investment (FDI) is **least** valid?

A It encourages competition, reduces prices and forces the less efficient domestic firms to leave the market.

B It brings workers from its own country and provides only low paying jobs to low skilled local workers.

C It is usually withdrawn quickly in case of a global crisis, making developing countries more vulnerable to global shocks.

D Its actions often result in environmental degradation, and over exploitation of natural resources.