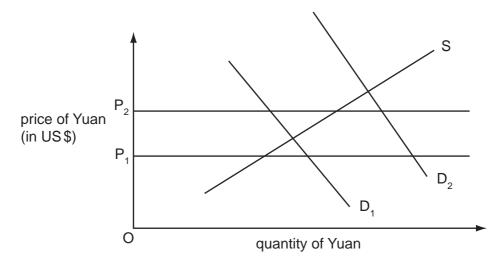
28 Assume the Chinese monetary authorities are committed to maintaining the exchange rate of China's currency the Yuan against the US\$ between  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  on the diagram.



What might they do if demand changed from  $D_1$  to  $D_2$ ?

- A Impose controls on Chinese investment overseas.
- **B** Increase interest rates.
- **C** Sell US\$ out of foreign exchange reserves.
- **D** Sell Yuan on the foreign exchange markets.
- 29 In 2008 the Chinese government was under pressure from other countries to reduce its current account surplus on its balance of payments.

Which combination of Chinese measures would help to reduce China's current account surplus?

|   | Chinese rate of tariffs | Chinese subsidies to the country's exporters |
|---|-------------------------|--|
| Α | decrease                | decrease                                     |
| В | decrease                | increase                                     |
| С | increase                | decrease                                     |
| D | increase                | increase                                     |

- **30** What is the central problem for an economy?
  - **A** to achieve maximum growth in production
  - **B** to allocate resources between alternative uses