

- 21** The table gives figures for household spending in the UK economy between 2008 and 2010.

	nominal household consumption spending (£ million)	real household consumption spending (£ million)
2008	878 024	878 024
2009	858 242	846 961
2010	900 204	855 302

What can be concluded from the figures?

- A** All households bought more goods and services in 2010 than in 2008.
 - B** Households saved more in 2008 than in 2010.
 - C** Living standards were lower in 2009 than 2010.
 - D** The rate of inflation was higher in 2010 than in 2009.
- 22** The table shows trade in goods and services for a selection of countries in 2005 and 2014.

	trade in goods and services (US\$ millions)			
	2005		2014	
	exports	imports	exports	imports
Argentina	46 892	34 797	82 026	79 194
Brazil	133 055	96 611	264 063	318 799
Ecuador	11 480	11 851	28 935	30 215
Mexico	230 369	245 100	418 952	433 977

What can be concluded about the balances of trade in goods and services from the table?

- A** Argentina had a larger surplus in 2014 than in 2005.
- B** Brazil had a surplus in 2005 and a deficit in 2014.
- C** Ecuador had a deficit in 2005 and a surplus in 2014.
- D** Mexico had a larger deficit in 2005 than in 2014.