SINCE, AGO, DURING or FOR?

Fill in the Gaps using Since, Ago, During or for.

Exercise 1

1. We've been waiting here ___ 4 o'clock !
2. I haven't heard from them ___ two weeks.
3. We've known each other ___ 2003.
4. They've been living in Bath ___ last month.
5. I've had a passion for King Arthur ___ a long time.
6. My father bought a shop there a couple of years ___.
7. I haven't been to Britain ___ I moved to Nancy.
8. I often stay with him ___ the holidays.
9. The bomb exploded ___ the Prime Minister's speech.
10. I've been running ___ twenty minutes.
11. I've had this car ___ a month.
12. They've had this pet ___ May.
13. They left one week ___.
14. They've been away ___ a week.

Exercise 2

Complete the sentences with for or since.

1) Scott has known Henry ___ he arrived in California
2) They've worked together ___ about two months
3) Henry has loved Giant Redwoods ___ he was a child.
4) He' s worked in forests ___ about five years.
5) Hes been interested in Rainforests ___ a long time

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Exercise 3

Fill in the Gaps using Since, Ago, or for.

1. Enzo has been living in London _____ 2011.
2. His parents came to see him last summer and stayed _____ 5 days.
3. Has the post arrived yet? Yes, the postman came 10 minutes _____.
4. Our company was founded 50 years _____ by the Chairman's father.
5. I haven't seen Linda _____ she moved to New York last year.

Exercise 4

Look at the following sentences. Put an X beside the ones that are incorrect and a C beside those that are correct.

1. Scott has been interested in nature since he was a little boy
2. He's bought books about trees for he began to read.
3. He's lived close to the forest for six months.
4. He's explored the forests of the world since he left college.
5. He hasn't been back to a rainforest for he was twenty-two.

Exercise 5

Write the sentences. Use the present perfect with for or since.

1. Henry / be / in Brazil / five days.
2. He / be / in the Amazon rainforest / Tuesday.
3. He / see / lots of animals / he arrived.
4. He / not study / any trees / he got there.

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