



Cambridge International AS & A Level

HISTORY

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Paper 4 Depth Study

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1 hour 45 minutes



You must answer on the enclosed answer booklet.

You will need: Answer booklet (enclosed)

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **two** questions from **one** section only.
Section A: European option
Section B: American option
Section C: International option
- Follow the instructions on the front cover of the answer booklet. If you need additional answer paper, ask the invigilator for a continuation booklet.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 60.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [].

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Answer **two** questions from **one** section only.

Section A: European history in the interwar years, 1919–41

- 1 Assess how far the Corporate State achieved Mussolini's aims. [30]
- 2 Assess how far Stalin's rise to power by 1928 was due to his role and position within the Communist Party. [30]
- 3 Evaluate the extent to which Nazi industrial and agricultural policies were successful. [30]
- 4 Evaluate the reasons for the changing fortunes of the Liberal Party in Britain in the period 1919–39. [30]

Section B: The USA, 1944–92

- 5 'Consumerism had limited impact on US economic growth in the late 1940s and 1950s.' Discuss this view. [30]
- 6 'Johnson's domestic reforms were highly successful.' Assess this claim. [30]
- 7 Evaluate the role of Reagan's personality in his electoral successes. [30]
- 8 Assess the reasons for the creation of the Marshall Plan. [30]

Section C: International history, 1945–92

- 9 'The Prague Spring brought an end to peaceful co-existence.' Discuss this view in relation to the period 1968–80. [30]
- 10 'Military failure was the main reason why the US withdrew from Vietnam.' Analyse this view. [30]
- 11 Evaluate the extent to which superpower rivalry affected UN involvement in the Congo. [30]
- 12 Evaluate the importance of the Camp David Accords (1978) in stabilising the Middle East. [30]



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