



# 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 [ ].

This document has **4** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.

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

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

- 1 'Maintaining good relations with the Catholic Church was the main reason for Mussolini's popular support.' Assess this view. [30]
- 2 Assess how far the economic conditions of workers improved in the Soviet Union in the period 1928–41. [30]
- 3 'Reducing unemployment was the main aim of Nazi economic policy.' Discuss this view. [30]
- 4 Evaluate the reasons why the Labour Party was able to form two governments in the period 1919–31. [30]

**Section B: The USA, 1944–92**

- 5 'The 1950s were a period of limited change for women.' Discuss this view. [30]
- 6 Assess the effectiveness of Carter's domestic policies. [30]
- 7 Assess the reasons for the persistence of the budget deficit in the 1980s and early 1990s. [30]
- 8 Evaluate the significance of the Cuban Missile Crisis for US foreign policy. [30]

**Section C: International history, 1945–92**

- 9 Evaluate the extent to which the Berlin Crisis of 1958–61 led to increased tension between the United States and the Soviet Union. [30]
- 10 Evaluate the consequences of the United States' failure in Vietnam. [30]
- 11 Assess the extent to which nationalist movements contributed to African nations gaining their independence. [30]
- 12 'Israel did not benefit from the Suez Crisis.' Assess this view. [30]

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