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Additional Materials: Answer Booklet/Paper

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An answer booklet is provided inside this question paper. You should follow the instructions on the front cover of the answer booklet. If you need additional answer paper ask the invigilator for a continuation booklet.

Answer **one** question from your chosen Depth Study.

The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.

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Answer **one** question from your chosen Depth Study.

DEPTH STUDY A: THE FIRST WORLD WAR, 1914–1918

1 How important was the 'race to the sea' in the development of the trench system on the Western Front? Explain your answer. [40]

2 How significant were domestic problems in Germany as a reason for the Armistice in 1918? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY B: GERMANY, 1918–1945

3 How significant was the invasion of the Ruhr as a cause of instability in Weimar Germany to 1923? Explain your answer. [40]

4 How important was the fear of communism as a reason for Nazi success by 1933? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY C: RUSSIA, 1905–1941

5 How significant were the events of Bloody Sunday as a cause of the weakness of the Tsarist regime before 1914? Explain your answer. [40]

6 How important were the actions of Nicholas II as a cause of the March Revolution of 1917? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY D: THE USA, 1919–1941

7 How significant were mass-produced goods in changing the lives of women in the 1920s? Explain your answer. [40]

8 How important was the Second New Deal in dealing with the effects of the Depression? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY E: CHINA, c.1930–c.1990

9 How significant was the Second World War as a reason for the downfall of the Nationalist government? Explain your answer. [40]

10 How important was the death of Mao to communism in China? Explain your answer. [40]

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DEPTH STUDY F: SOUTH AFRICA, c.1940–c.1994

11 How important were the weaknesses of the United Party in the result of the 1948 election? Explain your answer. [40]

12 How significant were the Soweto riots in increasing opposition to white minority rule? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY G: ISRAELIS AND PALESTINIANS SINCE 1945

13 How important were the experiences of Jews during the Second World War as a reason for the Israeli victory in 1949? Explain your answer.

[40]

14 How significant was the Suez Canal as a cause of war between Israel and Egypt? Explain your answer. [40]

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