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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 poor intelligence as a reason for the huge losses in the Battle of the Somme? Explain your answer. [40]

2 How significant was the Treaty of Brest-Litovsk to the outcome of the First World War? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY B: GERMANY, 1918–1945

3 How significant were violence and intimidation in allowing Hitler to control Germany by 1934? Explain your answer. [40]

4 How important were policies towards the workers to the popularity of the Nazi regime by 1939? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY C: RUSSIA, 1905–1941

5 How significant were the social and economic effects of the war in allowing the Bolsheviks to increase their popularity? Explain your answer. [40]

6 How important was national security as a reason for Stalin's economic policies? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY D: THE USA, 1919–1941

7 How important was confidence in the economy as a cause of prosperity in the 1920s? Explain your answer. [40]

8 How significant was political opposition in weakening the impact of the New Deal? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY E: CHINA, c.1930–c.1990

9 How important were improvements in women's lives in the social changes brought about by the Chinese Communist Party? Explain your answer. [40]

10 How significant to China's international relations was the spreading of communist ideas? Explain your answer. [40]

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

11 How significant was segregation in education as a feature of apartheid? Explain your answer. [40]

12 How important was the policy of 'Total Strategy' as a reason for the growing opposition in the 1980s to white minority rule? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY G: ISRAELIS AND PALESTINIANS SINCE 1945

13 How important were the conditions in the Palestinian refugee camps as a reason for the development of Palestinian nationalism? Explain your answer. [40]

14 How significant was Hamas as a cause of the breakdown of the peace process between Israelis and Palestinians? Explain your answer. [40]

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