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Unit 1

Option F: The Expansion and Challenge of Nationalism

Monday 16 January 2012 – Afternoon

Time: 1 hour 20 minutes

Paper Reference

6HI01/F

You do not need any other materials.

Total Marks

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **TWO** questions: **ONE** question on each of the **TWO** topics for which you have been prepared. You may only answer **ONE** question on each topic.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
– *there may be more space than you need.*

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 60.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*
- The quality of your written communication will be assessed in **all** your responses
– *you should take particular care with your spelling, punctuation and grammar, as well as the clarity of expression.*
- **This paper contains a topic entitled From Second Reich to Third Reich: Germany, 1918–45. Centres entering for this option may not study Nazi Germany at A2 and therefore 6HI01/F is a prohibited combination with 6HI03/F.**

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Keep an eye on the time.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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**You must start the answer to your first question on page 4.
You must start the answer to your second question on page 12.**

F1 – The Road to Unification: Italy, c1815–70

EITHER

- 1** Why did Piedmont become, and remain, the driving force towards closer Italian unity in the years 1848–61?

(Total for Question 1 = 30 marks)

OR

- 2** To what extent can Italy be described as completely unified by 1870?

(Total for Question 2 = 30 marks)

F2 – The Unification of Germany, 1848–90

EITHER

- 3** To what extent does economic weakness explain the failure of Austria to maintain its position as the dominant German state by 1866?

(Total for Question 3 = 30 marks)

OR

- 4** To what extent did Bismarck's policies encourage greater German national identity in the years 1871–90?

(Total for Question 4 = 30 marks)

F3 – The Collapse of the Liberal State and the Triumph of Fascism in Italy, 1896–1943

EITHER

- 5** How successful were Giolitti's governments in promoting political stability in Italy in the years 1903–14?

(Total for Question 5 = 30 marks)

OR

- 6** How far do you agree that the consolidation of Fascist power in Italy in the years 1922–29 was mainly due to the use of force and intimidation?

(Total for Question 6 = 30 marks)



F4 – Republicanism, Civil War and Francoism in Spain, 1931–75

EITHER

- 7** To what extent does the election of the Popular Front government explain the outbreak of civil war in 1936?

(Total for Question 7 = 30 marks)

OR

- 8** To what extent was there a change in the attitude of the Catholic Church to Franco's regime in the years 1939–75?

(Total for Question 8 = 30 marks)

F5 – Germany Divided and Reunited, 1945–91

EITHER

- 9** How far do you agree that Willy Brandt was responsible for the improvement in relations between West and East Germany in the years 1969–79?

(Total for Question 9 = 30 marks)

OR

- 10** To what extent was the collapse of communism in East Germany in 1989 due to the refusal of Honecker's government to introduce political reforms?

(Total for Question 10 = 30 marks)

F6 – The Middle East, 1945–2001: The State of Israel and Arab Nationalism

EITHER

- 11** How far were the Israeli victories in the Six Day War responsible for growing instability in the Middle East in the years 1967–79?

(Total for Question 11 = 30 marks)

OR

- 12** How far do you agree that the main reason for the growth of Islamic fundamentalism in the years 1979–2001 was the desire to remove Western influence from the Middle East and the Gulf region?

(Total for Question 12 = 30 marks)

F7 – From Second Reich to Third Reich: Germany, 1918–45

EITHER

- 13** How far do you agree that the most significant challenge to the stability of the Weimar Republic in the years 1919–29 was the threat from the extreme right?

(Total for Question 13 = 30 marks)

OR

- 14** How successful were the Nazis in achieving the aims of their policies towards women in the years 1933–45?

(Total for Question 14 = 30 marks)



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