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**HISTORY–HI1**

**PERIOD STUDY 7**

**UNIT 1**

**ASPECTS OF THE HISTORY OF  
EUROPE, c. 1815-1917**

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(45 minutes)

**ADDITIONAL MATERIALS**

In addition to this examination paper, you will need an 8 page answer book.

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Answer **one** question.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

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

The time you spend on a question should be in proportion to the marks available.

**You are reminded that marking will take into account the quality of written communication used in your answers.**

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*Answer one question.*

**1. The nature of autocratic rule and European relations, 1815-1848.**

- (a) Explain why European countries remained under autocratic rule between 1815-1830. [24]
- (b) To what extent was the Vienna Settlement mainly responsible for shaping European relations between 1815-1848? [36]

**2. Italian unification, 1815-1871.**

- (a) Explain why the Papacy was a barrier to Italian unity between 1848-1871. [24]
- (b) To what extent was Cavour mainly responsible for Italian unification between 1815-1871? [36]

**3. German unification, 1815-1871.**

- (a) Explain why there was Austro-Prussian rivalry after 1848. [24]
- (b) To what extent was Prussian economic power mainly responsible for German unification between 1815-1871? [36]