



**General Certificate of Education
Advanced Subsidiary/Advanced**

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**HISTORY – HI1
UNIT 1
PERIOD STUDY 5
ASPECTS OF THE HISTORY OF
EUROPE, c. 1490-1621**

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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 Ottoman Empire and the threat to Europe, 1492-1571.

- (a) Explain why France signed an alliance with the Ottoman Turks. [24]
- (b) To what extent was Suleiman the Magnificent's expansion into Eastern Europe the most important factor in the Ottoman Empire's threat to Europe? [36]

2. Martin Luther and the German Reformation, 1517-1555.

- (a) Explain why some princes supported Martin Luther. [24]
- (b) To what extent was Luther's attitude to the Catholic Church the main factor in the development of the German Reformation? [36]

3. The growth and spread of Protestantism in the sixteenth century.

- (a) Explain why Zwingli received support in Switzerland. [24]
- (b) To what extent were Zwingli's political ideas the most important factor in the spread of Protestantism in the sixteenth century? [36]