



GCE A level

1234/08

HISTORY – HY4

UNIT 4

PERIOD STUDY 8

Aspects of the History of Europe, c. 1878-1989

P.M. WEDNESDAY, 15 January 2014

1 hour 40 minutes

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

In addition to this examination paper, you will need a 12 page answer book.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Use black ink or black ball-point pen.

Answer **two** questions, **one** from **Section A** and **one** from **Section B**.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

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

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

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Answer two questions, one from Section A and one from Section B.

SECTION A

Answer one question.

1. International relations, c. 1918-1945

To what extent were the weaknesses of the League of Nations mainly responsible for the failure to maintain collective security in Europe between 1919-1939? [40]

2. International relations, c. 1945-1989

To what extent was the search for economic co-operation the main development in international relations in the period 1945-1989? [40]

SECTION B

Answer one question.

1. Germany, c. 1878-1989

To what extent did the impact of territorial changes have the greatest influence on the development of Germany throughout the period 1878-1989? [40]

2. Russia, c. 1881-1989

To what extent was the impact of war the most significant influence on the development of Russia throughout the period 1881-1989? [40]

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