



General Certificate of Education  
Advanced Level Examination

## History

## HIS3H

Unit 3H Monarchies and Republics in France, 1815–1875

Specimen paper for examinations in June 2010 onwards

This question paper uses the [new numbering system](#) and [new AQA answer book](#)

**For this paper you must have:**

- an AQA 12-page answer book

**Time allowed**

- 1 hour 30 minutes

**Instructions**

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Write the information required on the front of your answer book. The **Examining Body** for this paper is AQA. The **Paper Reference** is HIS3H.
- Answer **two** questions.
- In answering the questions you must use your own knowledge and understanding of the period.

**Information**

- The maximum mark for this paper is 90.
- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- You will be marked on your ability to:
  - use good English
  - organise information clearly
  - use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.

**Advice**

- You are advised to spend about 45 minutes on each question.

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Answer **two** questions.

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**Question 1**

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How far was the failure to establish a successful republican regime in France between 1815 and creation of the Third Republic in 1870 due to the strength of conservatism in France? *(45 marks)*

**Question 2**

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To what extent were the governments of France successful in their foreign policy aims in the years 1814 to 1831? *(45 marks)*

**Question 3**

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‘Napoleon III’s attempts to reform the Second Empire (1852–1870) were a genuine attempt to liberalise the government of France.’  
To what extent do you agree with this view? *(45 marks)*

**END OF QUESTIONS**