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**HISTORY**  
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**PAPER 3 – AFRICA**

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2 hours 30 minutes

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- Do not open this examination paper until instructed to do so.
- Answer three questions.

1. Assess the importance of the factors which helped and those which hindered the abolition of the slave trade in West Africa.
2. “A prophet of change who could not achieve his vision.” To what extent do you agree with this assessment of Tewodros II of Ethiopia?
3. To what extent was the emergence of centralized states in Tanzania the result of the Nguni invasions?
4. Compare and contrast the results of the jihads of Usman dan Fodio and Al-Hajj Umar.
5. Assess the strengths and weaknesses of Samori Toure as ruler of the Mandinka Empire.
6. Compare and contrast Shaka and Mosheshwe as nation builders in Southern Africa.
7. “The main reason for the partition of Africa was the economic interests of the European countries.” To what extent do you agree with this statement?
8. Analyse the reasons why Britain signed the Uganda Agreement in 1900 and discuss its impact on Uganda.
9. “Lewanika betrayed his people by collaborating with the British.” To what extent do you agree with this judgment of Lewanika?
10. Analyse the methods used by Mzilikazi to found and maintain the Ndebele kingdom.
11. For what reasons, and with what results, did the British undermine and destroy the Zulu Kingdom between 1879 and 1897?
12. Assess the consequences for South Africa up to 1910 of the South Africa War (1899 to 1902).
13. Evaluate the impact of colonial rule on agriculture in Africa in the colonial period.
14. Analyse the reasons for the rise of African Independent Churches in **three** countries before 1915.

15. Analyse the changing fortunes of Haile Selassie as Emperor of Ethiopia from 1930 to 1974.
  16. Why was independence achieved less peacefully in Kenya than in Tanganyika?
  17. For what reasons did Ghana achieve independence before Nigeria?
  18. In what ways, and for what reasons, did **either** Angola **or** Mozambique achieve independence?
  19. “The events of 1960 were a turning point in the struggle against apartheid in South Africa.” To what extent do you agree with this statement?
  20. Analyse the reasons for political instability in Uganda between 1966 and 1986.
  21. Assess the successes and failures of Banda as ruler of Malawi.
  22. Compare and contrast the causes and results of military intervention in Nigeria and Ghana between 1966 and 1981.
  23. To what extent were United Nations peacekeeping operations in Africa affected by the Cold War?
  24. Assess the achievements of the Economic Community of West African States (ECOWAS) and the South African Development Cooperation Conference (SADCC), between 1975 and 1995.
  25. Analyse the economic and social problems faced by **two** African governments since independence and assess the methods they used to overcome them.
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