



Cambridge IGCSE™

HISTORY

Paper 4 Alternative to Coursework

0470/42

February/March 2025

1 hour

You must answer on the enclosed answer booklet.

You will need: Answer booklet (enclosed)

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **one** question from your chosen Depth study.
- Follow the instructions on the front cover of the answer booklet. If you need additional answer paper, ask the invigilator for a continuation booklet.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 40.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [].

This document has **4** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.



Answer **one** question.

Depth study A: The First World War, 1914–18

- 1 (a) Write an account of the Arab Revolt. [15]
- (b) Discuss the importance of Lawrence of Arabia. [25]
- 2 (a) Write an account of the problems faced by British civilians because of the war. [15]
- (b) Discuss the importance of the Defence of the Realm Act. [25]

Depth study B: Germany, 1918–45

- 3 (a) Write an account of economic developments in Weimar Germany between 1923 and 1929. [15]
- (b) Discuss the importance of the Dawes Plan (1924) and the Young Plan (1929) for Germany. [25]
- 4 (a) Write an account of the actions taken by the Nazis to persecute minorities in Germany. [15]
- (b) Discuss the impact of Nazi antisemitism. [25]

Depth study C: Russia, 1905–41

- 5 (a) Write an account of the events that led to the announcement of the October Manifesto. [15]
- (b) Discuss the impact of Stolypin on Russia. [25]
- 6 (a) Write an account of the Bolshevik seizure of power in November 1917. [15]
- (b) Discuss the importance of the Kornilov Affair. [25]

Depth study D: The United States, 1919–41

- 7 (a) Write an account of the development of the Ku Klux Klan in the 1920s. [15]
- (b) Discuss the impact of segregation on the USA in the 1920s. [25]
- 8 (a) Write an account of the measures taken by Roosevelt to help farmers. [15]
- (b) Discuss the impact of the alphabet agencies. [25]

Depth study E: The Second World War in Europe and the Asia–Pacific, 1939–c.1945

- 9 (a) Write an account of the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor. [15]
- (b) Discuss the importance of the Japanese conquests of Malaya and Singapore in the war in the Asia–Pacific. [25]
- 10 (a) Write an account of the Allied occupation of Japan. [15]
- (b) Discuss the importance of war crimes trials in Germany and Japan. [25]

BLANK PAGE

Permission to reproduce items where third-party owned material protected by copyright is included has been sought and cleared where possible. Every reasonable effort has been made by the publisher (UCLES) to trace copyright holders, but if any items requiring clearance have unwittingly been included, the publisher will be pleased to make amends at the earliest possible opportunity.

To avoid the issue of disclosure of answer-related information to candidates, all copyright acknowledgements are reproduced online in the Cambridge Assessment International Education Copyright Acknowledgements Booklet. This is produced for each series of examinations and is freely available to download at www.cambridgeinternational.org after the live examination series.

Cambridge Assessment International Education is part of Cambridge Assessment. Cambridge Assessment is the brand name of the University of Cambridge Local Examinations Syndicate (UCLES), which is a department of the University of Cambridge.