

# Cambridge International AS & A Level

HISTORY 9489/41

Paper 4 Depth Study

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1 hour 45 minutes

You must answer on the enclosed answer booklet.

You will need: Answer booklet (enclosed)

#### **INSTRUCTIONS**

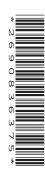
Answer two questions from one section only.

Section A: European option Section B: American option Section C: International option

• 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 60.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [].



### Answer two questions from one section only.

# Section A: European history in the interwar years, 1919-41

1 Assess the extent to which Mussolini's regime received popular support. [30] 2 'It was the failings of Stalin's rivals that best explain his rise to power by 1929.' Discuss this view. [30] 3 'Terror was the most important factor in maintaining Nazi control of Germany in the period 1933-39.' Discuss. [30] 4 Evaluate the extent to which social welfare policies improved the lives of the British people in the period 1919-39. [30] Section B: The USA, 1944-92 5 Analyse how far Eisenhower's domestic policies met the needs of the American people. [30] 6 'The 'imperial presidency' no longer existed in the 1970s.' Evaluate this claim. [30] 7 'Economic policy in the 1980s had only a limited effect on living standards.' Discuss. [30] 8 'Changing policies towards Vietnam between 1963 and 1979 are best explained by shifts in US public opinion.' Discuss this view. [30]

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## Section C: International history, 1945–92

9	'Khrushchev's policy of peaceful coexistence had little effect on US-Soviet relations.' Evanthis view.	aluate [30]
10	Assess the impact of the Vietnam War on Sino-US relations during the Cold War.	[30]
11	Evaluate the nature and extent of UN peacekeeping in Africa.	[30]
12	'Golda Meir mismanaged the Arab-Israeli conflict.' Discuss this view.	[30]

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