



General Certificate of Education
Advanced Level Examination
June 2015

History

HIS3H

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

Monday 8 June 2015 9.00 am to 10.30 am

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 **Paper Reference** is HIS3H.
- Answer **two** questions.
- In answering the questions you must use your own knowledge and understanding of the period.

Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 90.
- 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.

Answer **two** questions.

- 0 1** 'The weaknesses of the monarchy in the years 1815 to 1848 were caused by the personal failings of the monarchs.'
Assess the validity of this view. **[45 marks]**
- 0 2** 'The Second Empire was so easily established in 1852 because of the personal qualities of Louis Napoleon.'
Assess the validity of this view. **[45 marks]**
- 0 3** 'By 1869–1870, Napoleon III had successfully established a Liberal Empire.'
Assess the validity of this view. **[45 marks]**

END OF QUESTIONS