



General Certificate of Education  
Advanced Subsidiary Examination  
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## History

## HIS1N

### Unit 1N Totalitarian Ideology in Theory and in Practice, c1848–c1941

Wednesday 14 May 2014 1.30 pm to 2.45 pm

**For this paper you must have:**

- an AQA 12-page answer book.

#### Time allowed

- 1 hour 15 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 HIS1N.
- Answer **two** questions.  
Answer **both** parts of each question chosen.

#### Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 72.
- You will be marked on your ability to:
  - use good English
  - organise information clearly
  - use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.
- In answering the questions you must use your own knowledge and understanding of the period. In particular you should:
  - refer to relevant historical information
  - show an understanding of change and continuity
  - show a knowledge of historical interpretations.

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Answer **two** questions.

Each question has **two** parts. Answer **both** parts of each question chosen.

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**Question 1**

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 Explain why the USSR was intolerant of diversity in the 1930s. **[12 marks]**

and

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 How far had the Soviet Union become a Marxist state by 1941? **[24 marks]**

**Question 2**

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 Explain why the Race Laws were introduced in Italy in 1938. **[12 marks]**

and

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 How successful was Mussolini in dealing with threats to his dictatorship? **[24 marks]**

**Question 3**

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 Explain why there was a cult of the Führer in Nazi Germany. **[12 marks]**

and

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 How important was Nazi ideology in Hitler's establishment of power between 1928 and August 1934? **[24 marks]**

**END OF QUESTIONS**