Instructions
• Use black ink or ball-point pen.
• Fill in the boxes at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
• Answer TWO questions: ONE question on each of the TWO topics for which you have been prepared. You may only answer ONE question on each topic.
• Answer the questions in the spaces provided
  – there may be more space than you need.

Information
• The total mark for this paper is 60.
• The marks for each question are shown in brackets
  – use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.
• The quality of your written communication will be assessed in all your responses
  – you should take particular care with your spelling, punctuation and grammar, as well as the clarity of expression.

Advice
• Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
• Keep an eye on the time.
• Check your answers if you have time at the end.

Turn over
6HI01/B – Power, Belief and Conflict in Early Modern Europe

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You must start the answer to your first question on page 4. You must start the answer to your second question on page 12.

B1 – Luther, Lutheranism and the German Reformation, 1517–55

EITHER

1 How accurate is it to say that resentment of Papal authority in Germany was the main cause of the German Reformation in the years to 1521?

(Total for Question 1 = 30 marks)

OR

2 To what extent was the appeal of Luther's ideas among ordinary people responsible for the spread of Lutheranism in the years 1521–55?

(Total for Question 2 = 30 marks)

B2 – Meeting the Challenge? The Catholic Reformation, c1540–1600

EITHER

3 To what extent had the Catholic Church reformed itself by 1563?

(Total for Question 3 = 30 marks)

OR

4 How successful was the Catholic counter-attack on Protestantism in the years to 1600?

(Total for Question 4 = 30 marks)

B3 – The Revolt of the Netherlands, 1559–1609

EITHER

5 To what extent was the growth of Calvinism within the Netherlands the main reason for the Dutch revolts against Spanish rule?

(Total for Question 5 = 30 marks)

OR

6 Why were the Dutch able to challenge Spanish rule so successfully in the years 1572–1609?

(Total for Question 6 = 30 marks)
B4 – The European Witchcraze, c1580–c1650

EITHER

7 How far do you agree that the most important reason for the European witchcraze was a growing fear of the power of women?  
(Total for Question 7 = 30 marks)

OR

8 To what extent was the impact of wars and civil conflicts the most important reason for the varying intensity of the European witchcraze?  
(Total for Question 8 = 30 marks)

B5 – Conflict and Conquest in Ireland, 1598–1692

EITHER

9 How accurate is it to say that Tyrone’s leadership was the most important reason for the failure of his rebellion against the English?  
(Total for Question 9 = 30 marks)

OR

10 To what extent were disputes over land ownership responsible for the outbreak of the Confederate War in 1641?  
(Total for Question 10 = 30 marks)

B6 – The Thirty Years War and its Impact on Continental Europe, 1618–60

EITHER

11 How accurate is it to describe the Bohemian rebellion of 1618 as the trigger rather than the fundamental cause of the Thirty Years War?  
(Total for Question 11 = 30 marks)

OR

12 How far do you agree that the intervention of Gustavus Adolphus was the decisive factor in preventing Habsburg victory in the years 1630–48?  
(Total for Question 12 = 30 marks)

B7 – Crown, Conflict and Revolution in England, 1660–89

EITHER

13 To what extent did the Restoration Settlement provide England with an effective system of government?  
(Total for Question 13 = 30 marks)

OR

14 To what extent were Charles II’s political skills responsible for his defeat of the Whigs in the years 1678–83?  
(Total for Question 14 = 30 marks)
Put a cross in the box indicating the FIRST question you have chosen to answer ✗. If you change your mind, put a line through the box ✗ and then put a cross in another box ✗.

Chosen Question Number:

Question 1  ✗  Question 2  ✗  Question 3  ✗
Question 4  ✗  Question 5  ✗  Question 6  ✗
Question 7  ✗  Question 8  ✗  Question 9  ✗
Question 10  ✗  Question 11  ✗  Question 12  ✗
Question 13  ✗  Question 14  ✗

(This page is for your first answer.)
Put a cross in the box indicating the SECOND question you have chosen to answer ✗. Your second question choice must be on a different topic to your first question choice. If you change your mind, put a line through the box ✗ and then put a cross in another box ✗.

Chosen Question Number:

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(This page is for your second answer.)