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**Edexcel GCE**

# History

**Advanced Subsidiary**

**Unit 1**

**Option D: A World Divided: Communism and Democracy in the Twentieth Century**

Tuesday 14 May 2013 – Morning

**Time: 1 hour 20 minutes**

Paper Reference

**6HI01/D**

**You do not need any other materials.**

Total Marks

## 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.

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## 6HI01/D – A World Divided: Communism and Democracy in the Twentieth Century

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.

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

### D1 – Crises, Tensions and Political Divisions in China, 1900–49

#### EITHER

- 1 How accurate is it to say that China's financial crisis in the years from 1900 was the most important reason for the fall of the Qing dynasty in 1911–12?

(Total for Question 1 = 30 marks)

#### OR

- 2 Why were the Nationalists (GMD) and the Chinese Communist Party (CCP) able to work together in the years before 1927, but not in the years 1927–35?

(Total for Question 2 = 30 marks)

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### D2 – Mao's China, 1949–76

#### EITHER

- 3 How far was Chinese industry transformed in the years 1949–62?

(Total for Question 3 = 30 marks)

#### OR

- 4 How accurate is it to say that the most important result of the Cultural Revolution was the defeat of Mao's rivals?

(Total for Question 4 = 30 marks)

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### D3 – Russia in Revolution, 1881–1924: From Autocracy to Dictatorship

#### EITHER

- 5 To what extent were Russian industry and agriculture transformed in the years 1881–1914?

(Total for Question 5 = 30 marks)

#### OR

- 6 How far do you agree that Russia's continued involvement in the First World War was the main reason for the fall of the Provisional Government?

(Total for Question 6 = 30 marks)

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#### **D4 – Stalin’s Russia, 1924–53**

**EITHER**

**7** Why was Stalin able to defeat his political rivals so easily in the years 1924–29?

**(Total for Question 7 = 30 marks)**

**OR**

**8** How successful were Stalin’s industrial policies in developing the Russian economy in the years 1928–41?

**(Total for Question 8 = 30 marks)**

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#### **D5 – Pursuing Life and Liberty: Equality in the USA, 1945–68**

**EITHER**

**9** How far were the Federal Government and the Supreme Court responsible for changing the status of African Americans in the years 1945–68?

**(Total for Question 9 = 30 marks)**

**OR**

**10** To what extent did the aims and methods of Martin Luther King differ from those of Black Power activists?

**(Total for Question 10 = 30 marks)**

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#### **D6 – Ideology, Conflict and Retreat: the USA in Asia, 1950–73**

**EITHER**

**11** How successful was US involvement in the Korean War (1950–53)?

**(Total for Question 11 = 30 marks)**

**OR**

**12** How accurate is it to say that the USA withdrew from the Vietnam War mainly because the human and financial costs were too high?

**(Total for Question 12 = 30 marks)**

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#### **D7 – Politics, Presidency and Society in the USA, 1968–2001**

**EITHER**

**13** Why did Democratic Party candidates win only three presidential elections in the years 1968–2001?

**(Total for Question 13 = 30 marks)**

**OR**

**14** To what extent was the growth of a ‘protest culture’ the main influence on developments in popular culture in the years 1968–2001?

**(Total for Question 14 = 30 marks)**

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