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Edexcel GCE
History
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Unit 1
Option B: Power, Belief and Conflict in Early Modern Europe

Tuesday 13 January 2009 – Afternoon
Time: 1 hour 20 minutes

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

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

B1 – Luther, Lutheranism and the German Reformation, 1517–55
EITHER
1. How far was the German Reformation caused by hostility towards the Papacy within the German states?
   (Total for Question 1 = 30 marks)

OR
2. How far was support from the Princes responsible for the spread of Lutheranism within Germany in the years 1517–55?
   (Total for Question 2 = 30 marks)

B2 – Meeting the Challenge? The Catholic Reformation, c1540–1600
EITHER
3. How significant was the Council of Trent in reviving the fortunes of the Catholic Church in the years 1545–1600?
   (Total for Question 3 = 30 marks)

OR
4. How important was the part played by the Catholic rulers of Europe in the struggle against Protestantism in the years to 1600?
   (Total for Question 4 = 30 marks)

B3 – The Revolt of the Netherlands, 1559–1609
EITHER
5. How far was poor leadership responsible for Philip II's failure to crush the Dutch revolts by the end of 1576?
   (Total for Question 5 = 30 marks)

OR
6. How significant was the intervention of France and England in securing the independence of the United Provinces by 1609?
   (Total for Question 6 = 30 marks)
### B4 – The European Witchcraze, c1580–c1650

**EITHER**

7. How far was the European witchcraze of c1580–c1650 motivated by fear of women?

(Total for Question 7 = 30 marks)

**OR**

8. Why did the persecution of witches vary in intensity from one region to another?

(Total for Question 8 = 30 marks)

### B5 – Conflict and Conquest in Ireland, 1598–1692

**EITHER**

9. How far did the plantations of the period c1603–c1640 strengthen English control of Ireland?

(Total for Question 9 = 30 marks)

**OR**

10. How accurate is it to say that the restored monarchy totally failed to solve the problems of Ireland in the years 1660–88?

(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 say that strong leadership was responsible for the success of Habsburg forces in Europe in the years 1618–30?

(Total for Question 11 = 30 marks)

**OR**

12. How far was the involvement of France responsible for prolonging the Thirty Years War 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 was the nature of the Restoration Settlement influenced by a desire for stability?

(Total for Question 13 = 30 marks)

**OR**

14. How far were the mistakes of the Whigs in the years 1678–83 responsible for the failure to exclude the Duke of York from the throne?

(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 indicate your new question with a cross.

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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 indicate your new question with a cross.

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