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# A Level History A

**Y221/01** Democracy and Dictatorships in Germany 1919–1963

**Tuesday 19 June 2018 – Morning**

**Time allowed: 1 hour**



**You must have:**

- the OCR 12-page Answer Booklet (OCR12 sent with general stationery)

## INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink.
- Choose either Question 1 or Question 2 and answer all parts of the question.
- Write your answers in the Answer Booklet. The question number(s) must be clearly shown.
- Do **not** write in the barcodes.

## INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is **30**.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets [ ].
- Quality of extended responses will be assessed in questions marked with an asterisk (\*).
- This document consists of **2** pages.

Answer **EITHER** all of Question 1 **OR** all of Question 2

1 (a) Which of the following had a greater impact on the German economy in the years 1933–1939?

(i) Nazi policies to reduce unemployment

(ii) Rearmament

Explain your answer with reference to both (i) and (ii). [10]

(b)\* 'Hitler's appointment as Chancellor of Germany in 1933 was due more to the weaknesses of his opponents than Nazi strengths.' How far do you agree? [20]

**OR**

2 (a) Which of the following had a greater impact on German civilians in the years 1939–1945?

(i) The policy of 'Total War'

(ii) Allied bombing

Explain your answer with reference to both (i) and (ii). [10]

(b)\* 'The policies of the government of the German Democratic Republic transformed East German society in the years 1949–1963.' How far do you agree? [20]

**END OF QUESTION PAPER**

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