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A Level History A

Y219/01 Russia 1894–1941

Time allowed: 1 hour



You must have:

- the OCR 12-page Answer Booklet

INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink.
- Write your answer to each question in the Answer Booklet. The question numbers must be clearly shown.
- Fill in the boxes on the front of the Answer Booklet.
- Choose **one** question and answer **all** the parts of that question.

INFORMATION

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

ADVICE

- Read each question carefully before you start your answer.

Answer Question 1 **or** Question 2.

1 (a) Which of the following had greater impact on Russian society in the 1930s?

- (i) Stalin's policies for agriculture
- (ii) Stalin's policies for industrialisation

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

(b)* Assess the impact of the First World War on Russia between 1914 and the end of 1916. [20]

OR

2 (a) Which of the following were more successful in their opposition to the Tsar between 1900 and 1906?

- (i) Liberals
- (ii) Marxists

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

(b)* Assess the reasons for Stalin's rise to power between 1924 and 1929. [20]

END OF QUESTION PAPER

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