

Pearson Edexcel GCSE (9–1)

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Morning (Time: 1 hour 20 minutes)

Paper Reference **1HI0/31**

History

Paper 3: Modern depth study

Option 31: Weimar and Nazi Germany, 1918–39

Sources/Interpretations Booklet

Do not return this booklet with the question paper.

Source B: Photograph of a woman in 1923 during the Hyperinflation Crisis putting banknotes into a stove to keep her house warm



Source C: From a German newspaper, *Deutsche Zeitung*, 28 June 1919

Vengeance! German nation! Today in the Hall of Mirrors [Versailles] the disgraceful treaty is being signed. Do not forget it. The German people will, with un-ending work, press forward to reconquer the place among nations which it is entitled. Those who signed this treaty will never be forgiven and are traitors to the German nation. Vengeance will come for the shame of 1919.

Interpretation 1: From *The Treaty of Versailles*, by Catherine Anne Cline, published in 1988

The Treaty of Versailles was one of the least wise and irresponsible acts that the politicians at the time could have committed. Its impact was wide and significant. The Treaty of Versailles was a key contributor to German economic and political instability. It weakened the Weimar Republic from the very beginning and provided many Germans with a reason to despise it and aim to bring about its end.

Interpretation 2: From *Mastering the Modern World*, by Norman Lowe, published in 1982

The financial disaster that was the Hyperinflation crisis had major effects on German society. German workers were badly hit and their wages struggled to keep up with inflation. The middle classes had their life savings wiped out and began to turn towards extremists like the Nazis. To many, the crisis proved that the Weimar Republic could not protect Germany. To extremists who wished for the destruction of the Weimar Republic, it was the perfect example of the failure, incompetency and weakness of the government.

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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 **all** questions in Sections A and B.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
– *there may be more space than you need.*

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 52.
- 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 marks available for spelling, punctuation, grammar and use of specialist terminology are clearly indicated.

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

SECTION A

Answer both questions.

Study Source A below and then answer Question 1.

Source A: Comments made by Hitler as a prisoner in 1924 after the Munich Putsch. He was speaking to a fellow Nazi prisoner

When I resume active work, it will be necessary to follow a new policy. Instead of working to achieve power by armed conspiracy, we shall have to hold our noses and enter the Reichstag (parliament) against the Catholic and Communist members. If out-voting them takes longer than out-shooting them, at least the results will be guaranteed by their own constitution. Sooner or later, we shall have a majority in the Reichstag.

- 1 Give two things you can infer from Source A about Nazi goals and policies between 1924-1928, after the Munich Putsch.

Complete the table below to explain your answer.

<p>(i) What I can infer:</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>Details in the source that tell me this:</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p>
<p>(ii) What I can infer:</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>Details in the source that tell me this:</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p>

(Total for Question 1 = 4 marks)





