

2007

HISTORY

FOURTH PAPER

(History of Modern Europe, 1871-1919)

Full Marks: 80

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions

1. Answer the following in one sentence 1×8=8
- a) Name the treaty that concluded the Franco-Prussian War of 1870-71.
 - b) Under whose leadership was the Provisional Government of National Defence in France formed in 1870?
 - c) Who was the French Foreign Minister during the War scare of 1875?
 - d) Who succeeded Bismarck as the Chancellor of Germany?
 - e) Who was the first Prime Minister of Italy after her unification?
 - f) Mention the main objective of the *Dreikaiserbund*
 - g) Who was the President of the Congress of Berlin?
 - h) Name the Peace Treaty imposed on Hungary following the First World War.
2. Match the following: 1×4=4
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| (a) Zemstro | (i) France |
| (b) Emile Zola | (ii) Russia |
| (c) Ausgleich | (iii) Serbia |
| (d) Black Hand | (iv) Austria-Hungary |
3. Write short notes on any four: 5×4=20
- (a) Panama Scandal
 - (b) Czar Liberator
 - (c) Socialism in Germany
 - (d) First Moroccan Crisis
 - (e) Bakunin
 - (f) Bosnian Crisis of 1908
4. Answer in detail (any three): 16×3=48
- a) Analyse the causes of the Paris Commune. What were its effects?
 - b) How far was the Third French Republic successful in solving its internal problems? Discuss.
 - c) Account for the Austro-Russian rivalry in the Balkans and examine its repercussions.
 - d) Do you agree that the foreign policy of Kaiser William II resulted in the isolation of Germany after 1890? Give reasons for your answer.