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### 19<sup>th</sup> Century Option

**1 Study sources A and B. How far do these sources agree? Explain your answer using details from the sources.**

Level 1 Paraphrases sources, offers no comparison. [1]

Level 2 Finds information in one source that is not in the other. [2]

Level 3 Compares details for agreement or disagreement. [3–4]

Level 4 Compares details for both agreement and disagreement. [5–6]

Level 5 Gives overall message.  
(i.e. blames both North and South). [7]

**2 Study sources C and D. Are you surprised by source D? Explain your answer using details of the sources and your own knowledge.**

Level 1 Unsupported assertions. Writes about the sources. [1]

Level 2 Suggests sources are written at different times. [2]

Level 3 Answer based on everyday empathy from D only.  
e.g. Lincoln was a great man. [3–4]

Level 4 Surprised / not surprised based on content.  
i.e. Compares C and D. [5–6]

Level 5 Cross references to other sources or contextual knowledge to explain why surprised / not surprised by source D. [7–8]

**3 Study sources E and F. How similar are the messages of these two cartoons? Explain your answer using details of the sources and your own knowledge.**

Level 1 Describes sources, no comparison. [1–2]

Level 2 Valid interpretation of one or both sources, no comparison. [3–4]

Level 3 Comparison of valid sub messages. [5–6]

Level 4 Comparison of big message. [7–8]

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**4 Study sources G and H. Is one of these sources more reliable than the other? Explain your answer using details of the sources and your knowledge.**

Level 1 Describes sources / unsupported assertions. [1]

Level 2 Undeveloped provenance. [2–3]

Level 3 Comparison between G and H.

e.g. both reliable as agree Blacks treated badly. [3]

Level 4 Reliability judged by tone / language. [3–4]

Level 5 Cross references to other sources to judge reliability. [5–6]

Level 6 Answers based on purpose of sources – to judge reliability.

e.g. in H they are justifying the legislation. [7–8]

**5 Study source I. Was this cartoon published in the North or the South? Explain your answer using details of the sources and your knowledge.**

Level 1 Describes cartoon. [1]

Level 2 Claims it was from the North. Misinterprets the cartoon. Must be explained. [2–3]

Level 3 Claims it was from the South, must be explained. [4–5]

Level 4 Claims it was from the South based on the purpose of the South.  
(why would the South want to represent events in this way). [6–7]

**6 Study all the sources. How far do these sources provide convincing evidence that the failure of Reconstruction was the fault of the South? Use the sources to explain your answer.**

Level 1 No valid source use. [1–3]

Level 2 Uses sources to support or reject the statement. [4–6]

Level 3 Uses sources to support and reject the statement. [7–10]

Up to two bonus marks for any evaluation of sources  
(no more than one mark per source).

Source use must be by reference to a source by letter, by provenance or by a direct quote. There must be examples from source content.

Use Y in the margin for each source in support of the statement and N for each rejection of the statement.

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### 20<sup>th</sup> Century Option

**1 Study sources A and B. How far do these sources agree? Explain your answer using details of the sources.**

Level 1 Paraphrases sources, offers no comparison. [1]

Level 2 Finds information that is in one source but not in the other. [2]

Level 3 Compares details for agreement or disagreement. [3–4]

Level 4 Compares details for both agreement and disagreement. [5–6]

Level 5 Compares overall message.

Disagree in A all Fascists benefit.  
in B Hitler benefits.

Agree in both sources Fascists benefit. [7]

**2 Study sources C and D. Does source D make you surprised by C? Explain your answer using details of the source and your knowledge.**

Level 1 Writes about sources, fails to address the question. [1]

Level 2 Undeveloped provenance.

e.g. one Spanish / one British, therefore they see it differently. Also different times, therefore not surprised. [2]

Level 3 Expresses surprise based on comparison of content.

e.g. say different things therefore surprised. [3–4]

Level 4 Ignores D and uses contextual knowledge to explain whether surprised or not by C. [4–5]

Level 5 States not surprised because of time of sources. States things may have changed, uses source content but no contextual knowledge. [5–6]

Level 6 Uses context of sources to produce explanation of why surprised / not surprised.  
NB: must use C and D together. [7]

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**3 Study source E. How reliable is this source? Explain your answer using the details of the source and your knowledge.**

Level 1 Unsupported assertions. [1]

Level 2 Undeveloped provenance. [2]

Level 3 Either uses language / tone of source to suggest bias.  
Or explains internal contradictions in E. [3–4]

Level 4 Cross reference to check E to support whether it is reliable or not reliable. [5]

Level 5 Cross reference to check E to support whether it is reliable and not reliable. [6–7]

Level 6 Uses overall impression to argue E is not reliable.  
e.g. It is a Nationalist message, it presents Spain as strong and not weak. [8]

**4 Study sources F and G. Must one of these sources be wrong? Explain your answer using details of the sources and your knowledge.**

Level 1 Paraphrases sources, does not answer the question. [1]

Level 2 Answers based on provenance / time. [2–3]

Level 3 Uses differences to suggest one must be wrong. [4–5]

Level 4 Cross references to show how one is right or wrong or both. Based on one source. [6–7]

Level 5 Cross references to show how one is right or wrong or both. Based on both sources. [8]

**5 Study sources H and I. How similar are the messages of these two cartoons? Explain your answer using details of the sources and your knowledge.**

Level 1 Surface description, offers no comparison. [1]

Level 2 Answer based on sensible misinterpretation.  
e.g. British are stupid, they are unaware of what is going on. [2–3]

Level 3 A valid interpretation of one or both cartoons but no comparison. [4–5]

Level 4 Comparison of valid sub-message(s). [6–7]

Level 5 Compares the big message.  
i.e. Britain deluding itself re. domination of Spain by Germany and Italy. [8]

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**6 How far do these sources provide convincing evidence that German intervention in Spain benefited Franco more than Hitler? Use the sources to explain your answer.**

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Level 2 Uses sources to support or reject the statement. [4–6]

Level 3 Uses sources to support and reject the statement. [7–10]

Award up to two bonus marks for any evaluation of sources (no more than one mark per source).

Source use must be reference to a source by letter, by provenance or by a direct quote. There must be examples from source content.

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