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A Level History A

Y213/01 The French Revolution and the rule of Napoleon 1774–1815

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 **4** pages.

ADVICE
- Read each question carefully before you start your answer.

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Answer Question 1 **or** Question 2.

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(a) Which of the following was of greater importance in the decline and fall of Napoleon?

(i) The war against Britain

(ii) The campaigns of 1813–1815

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

(b)* Assess the reasons for the establishment of the Thermidorian regime. **[20]**

2

(a) Which of the following reforms during Napoleon's consulate had the greater impact on France?

(i) Constitutional changes

(ii) Legal changes

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

(b)* Napoleon's rule in France brought little benefit to its people after 1807.

How far do you agree? **[20]**

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