



ADVANCED SUBSIDIARY GCE MUSIC

Introduction to Historical Study in Music

G353



Candidates answer on the Question Paper and on the Insert.

OCR Supplied Materials:

- Insert (G353/I) (inserted)
- CD recording

Other Materials Required:

- Playback facilities with headphones for each individual candidate

**Friday 28 May 2010
Morning**

Duration: 1 hour 45 minutes
(plus 15 min preparation)



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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name clearly in capital letters, your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the boxes above.
- You will be allowed **15 minutes' preparation time** at the start of the examination. During this time you may listen to the CD and look at the Question Paper and the Insert, but you may not write.
- Write your answer in the space provided on the Question Paper or on the Insert.
- At the end of the examination, fasten the separate Insert securely to the Question Paper.
- Any suitable CD equipment may be used, including personal stereo players of good quality with both fast forward and reverse scan facilities: these should be fitted with fresh batteries if they cannot be powered from the mains electricity supply.

SECTION A [30 marks]: Answer **all** the questions on either Extract 1A (Questions **1** to **9**)
or Extract 1B (Questions **10** to **18**)

SECTION B [40 marks]: Answer **all** the questions in this section (Questions **19** to **28**)

SECTION C [20 marks]: Answer **one** question from this section (Questions **29** to **31**)

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- The total number of marks for this paper is **90**.
- You will be awarded marks for the quality of written communication in Section C.
- This document consists of **12** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.

FOR EXAMINER'S USE	
Section A	
Section B	
Section C	
TOTAL	

Section A

Section A consists of two recorded extracts. Scores for both extracts are provided in the Insert.

Answer all the Questions on **either** Extract 1A (Questions **1 to 9**) **or** Extract 1B (Questions **10 to 19**).

Extract 1A

This extract is part of a movement from a string quartet by Haydn. The recording consists of **two** passages: **Passage 1i** and **Passage 1ii**.

Passage 1i (Bar 0² to bar 20) [◎ track 2]

- 1 The following chords are used in the section from bar 2 to bar 4: [4]

- **I^b** (A/C#)
- **I^c** (A/E)
- **IV** (D)
- **V^b** (E/G#)

On the score indicate where these chords occur by writing in the boxes provided.

- 2 **On the score** complete the bass line played by the 'cello from bar 5² to the end of bar 7. The rhythm of this passage is indicated above the stave. [5]

- 3 Explain briefly the harmony from bar 7² to bar 8².

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 [3]

- 4 The extract modulates during the course of bars 1–8². Name the new key at bar 8 and state its relationship to the tonic key of the passage. [2]

<i>Key</i>	<i>Relationship</i>

- 5 What melodic device is heard in the 1st violin line from bar 12 to bar 14? (*Tick one box*) [1]

Augmentation

Inversion

Sequence

Ostinato

- 6 On the score complete the melody played by the 1st violin from bar 14² to bar 16¹. The rhythm of this passage is indicated above the stave. [4]

Passage 1ii (Bar 21 to bar 40) [◎ track 3]

- 7 What harmonic device is heard in the 'cello from bar 33 to bar 37¹?

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[2]

- 8 Describe how the music of this passage differs from that of **Passage 1i**.

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[6]

- 9 Compare the final cadence of **Passage 1ii** with that of **Passage 1i**, pointing out musical similarities and differences.

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[3]

Extract 1B

This extract consists of **three** passages (**Passage 1i**, **Passage 1ii** and **Passage 1iii**) from Andy Price's music for the BBC television series *Robin Hood*.

Passage 1i (Bar 1 to bar 25) [◎ track 4]

- 10 Describe briefly the overall structure of the theme in **Passage 1i**.

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[3]

- 11 On the score, circle **two** notes of the printed melody of **Passage 1i** that are ornamented in the recorded performance. [2]

- 12 In what ways does the music of the section from bar 9 to bar 17 contrast with the rest of **Passage 1i**?

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[4]

- 13 On the score, write the rhythm played by the cymbals from bar 22 to the end of bar 25 on the single-line stave provided. [3]

Passage 1ii (Bar 26 to bar 44²) [◎ track 5]

14 The following chords are used in the section from bar 27 to bar 31:

[4]

- E^b
- E^b/G
- Fm
- A^b

On the score indicate where these chords occur by writing in the boxes provided.

15 What device is heard in the bass in bars 32 to 33? (*Tick one box*)

[1]

Inversion

Imitation

Ostinato

Pedal

16 **On the score** complete the melody played by the 1st violins from bar 34 to bar 39². The rhythm of this passage is indicated above the stave.

[4]

17 Describe briefly the **harmony** of the final cadence of **Passage 1ii** (bar 41 to bar 44²).

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[3]

Passage 1iii (Bar 45 to bar 56) [◎ track 6]

- 18 In what ways does **Passage 1iii** make use of melodic material from **Passage 1i**?

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[6]

Section B

Answer **all** the Questions in this section (Questions **19** to **28**).

Extract 2

The Insert contains a full score of **Extract 2** which is taken from the first movement of Schubert's *Symphony no.8 in b ("Unfinished")*, D.759. Two recordings of the extract from **different** performances are provided on the CD: **Extract 2A** [○ track 7] and **Extract 2B** [○ track 8]. No CD timings for these recordings are given in the score.

19 Explain the following terms or signs as they are used in the printed extract:

(a) *pizz. (strings at bar 1):*

..... [1]

(b) > (*woodwind at bar 4*):

..... [1]

(c) I^0 (*oboe and clarinet at bar 29*):

..... [1]

20 Explain the notation of the timpani part from bar 17 to bar 24.

..... [1]

21 On the blank stave below, write the horn parts at bar 27 and bar 28 **at sounding pitch**. [4]

22 Explain the **harmony** of the section from bar 27 to bar 29 (the final three bars of the extract).

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..... [3]

- 23** Compare the two performances of this music and comment on the differences between them. You may refer to aspects such as:

- dynamics
 - articulation
 - the balance between sections of the orchestra
 - the overall sound of each recording.

[8]

- [8]

- 24 (a)** Relate the printed extract to the overall structure of the movement from which it is taken.

[2]

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- (b)** Describe briefly the music that follows this extract.

[4]

[4]

Extract 3 [◎ track 9]

There is no score for **Extract 3**.

This extract is taken from *So What* from *Kind of Blue* performed by the Miles Davis Sextet. The extract is taken from a solo statement.

- 25 (a)** Name the soloist in this extract.

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- (b)** Which **two** of the following performing techniques can be heard in the extract? [2]

Arco

Double stopping

Glissando

Half valving

Muting

Pizzicato

- (c)** Describe briefly the main features of the piano writing in the recorded extract.

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..... [3]

- 26** Describe briefly the music of the **accompaniment**, writing your answers in the boxes below. [5]

Bass	Percussion
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- 27** Describe briefly the music that **immediately** follows the recorded extract.

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[3]

- 28** In what city was this performance recorded?

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[1]

Section C

Answer **one** of the following questions (**29** to **31**).

Write your answer in the space provided.

- 29** Compare and contrast the orchestral forces and their use in any **two** of the prescribed orchestral scores you have studied. **[20]**
- 30** Explain the circumstances that influenced the creation and performance of Miles Davis' *So What*. **[20]**
- 31** Describe some of the ways in which the limitations of early recording technology affected the style and performance of jazz in the early twentieth century. **[20]**

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