

AQA A-level Economics

Subject content

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[The national and international economy](#)

- 9 [The measurement of macroeconomic performance](#)
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Assessments

Paper 1: Markets and market failure	+	Paper 2: National and international economy	+	Paper 3: Economic principles and issues
What's assessed		What's assessed		What's assessed
Content 1 – 8 above		Content 9 – 14 above		All content 1 – 14 above
Assessed		Assessed		Assessed
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • written exam: 2 hours • 80 marks • 33.3% of A-level 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • written exam 2 hours • 80 marks • 33.3% of A-level 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • written exam: 2 hours • 80 marks • 33.3% of A-level
Questions		Questions		Questions
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Section A: data response questions requiring written answers, choice of one from two contexts worth 40 marks • Section B: essay questions requiring written answers, choice of one from three worth 40 marks 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Section A: data response questions requiring written answers, choice of one from two contexts worth 40 marks • Section B: essay questions requiring written answers, choice of one from three worth 40 marks 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Section A: multiple choice questions worth 30 marks • Section B: case study questions requiring written answers, worth 50 marks

All the question papers are compulsory