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By using as many examples as appropriate, analyse the process of de-colonization after World War Two. What were the main consequences of de-colonization for international relations up to the late 1970's?

Compare and contrast the strengths of two of the following as economic powers: Germany, the USA, Japan.

Analyse the evolution of American foreign policy throughout decade of the 1940's.

Read the attached documents carefully and answer the three questions which follow:

1. Explain the main ideas developed in the 4 attached documents and discuss their interconnections.
2. Assess the value and limitations of documents A, C and D for historians studying the Cuban Missile Crisis.
3. By using the documents and your own knowledge assess Kennedy's handling of 'international communism' in relation to the policies pursued by Eisenhower's administration.

Read the attached documents carefully and answer the three questions which follow:

1. Explain the main ideas developed in the 5 attached documents and discuss their interconnections
2. Assess the value and limitations of documents A, C and D for historians studying the history of the USA in the 1960's;
3. By using the documents and your own knowledge assess the view (contained in Document E) that the 1960's was a time when America was bitterly divided.

The 5 following documents relate to the history of The USA during the 1960's

Miami News, 1968

The Economist, May, 1995

From Vietnam by Hugh Higgins, published London, 1975

From John Kennedy's Inauguration Speech, January, 1961