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**Pearson Edexcel**  
**Level 3 GCE**

# **Economics B**

**Advanced**

**PAPER 3: The economic environment and  
business**

**Monday 5 June 2023 – Morning**

**Time: 2 hours**

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# **Investigating the Economic Environment and Business**

## **Context**

**This year the context is MARKETS or THE MARKET at the local, regional, national and global level.**

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## **Research**

**To prepare for this year's context, you should research:**

- **market forces and the different types and characteristics of markets**
- **how individuals and firms respond to changing market conditions**
- **market structure and the impact on economic agents**
- **market power and market regulation**
- **market failure and market intervention.**

**You CANNOT take any of your research or investigation data carried out as part of the pre-release into the examination.**