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**MATHEMATICS**

**9709/32**

Paper 3 Pure Mathematics 3

**February/March 2020**

**1 hour 50 minutes**

You must answer on the question paper.

You will need: List of formulae (MF19)

### INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **all** questions.
- Use a black or dark blue pen. You may use an HB pencil for any diagrams or graphs.
- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes at the top of the page.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided.
- Do **not** use an erasable pen or correction fluid.
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- If additional space is needed, you should use the lined page at the end of this booklet; the question number or numbers must be clearly shown.
- You should use a calculator where appropriate.
- You must show all necessary working clearly; no marks will be given for unsupported answers from a calculator.
- Give non-exact numerical answers correct to 3 significant figures, or 1 decimal place for angles in degrees, unless a different level of accuracy is specified in the question.

### INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 75.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [ ].

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1 (a) Sketch the graph of  $y = |x - 2|$ .

[1]

(b) Solve the inequality  $|x - 2| < 3x - 4$ .

[3]

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- 3 (a) By sketching a suitable pair of graphs, show that the equation  $\sec x = 2 - \frac{1}{2}x$  has exactly one root in the interval  $0 \leq x < \frac{1}{2}\pi$ . [2]

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- (b) Verify by calculation that this root lies between 0.8 and 1. [2]

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- (c) Use the iterative formula  $x_{n+1} = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{4-x_n}\right)$  to determine the root correct to 2 decimal places. Give the result of each iteration to 4 decimal places. [3]

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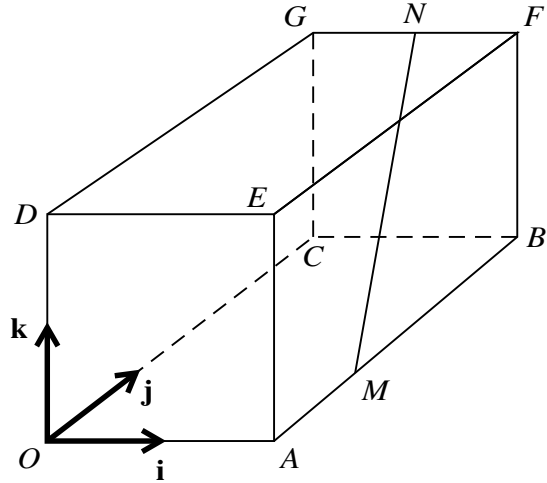












In the diagram,  $OABCDEFG$  is a cuboid in which  $OA = 2$  units,  $OC = 3$  units and  $OD = 2$  units. Unit vectors  $\mathbf{i}$ ,  $\mathbf{j}$  and  $\mathbf{k}$  are parallel to  $OA$ ,  $OC$  and  $OD$  respectively. The point  $M$  on  $AB$  is such that  $MB = 2AM$ . The midpoint of  $FG$  is  $N$ .

- (a) Express the vectors  $\overrightarrow{OM}$  and  $\overrightarrow{MN}$  in terms of  $\mathbf{i}$ ,  $\mathbf{j}$  and  $\mathbf{k}$ . [3]

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- (b) Find a vector equation for the line through  $M$  and  $N$ . [2]

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- (b) (i) On an Argand diagram, sketch the locus of points representing complex numbers  $z$  satisfying  $|z - 2 - 3i| = 1$ . [2]

- (ii) Calculate the least value of  $\arg z$  for points on this locus. [2]

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