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MATHEMATICS**9709/33**

Paper 3 Pure Mathematics 3

October/November 2024**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.
- Do **not** write on any bar codes.
- 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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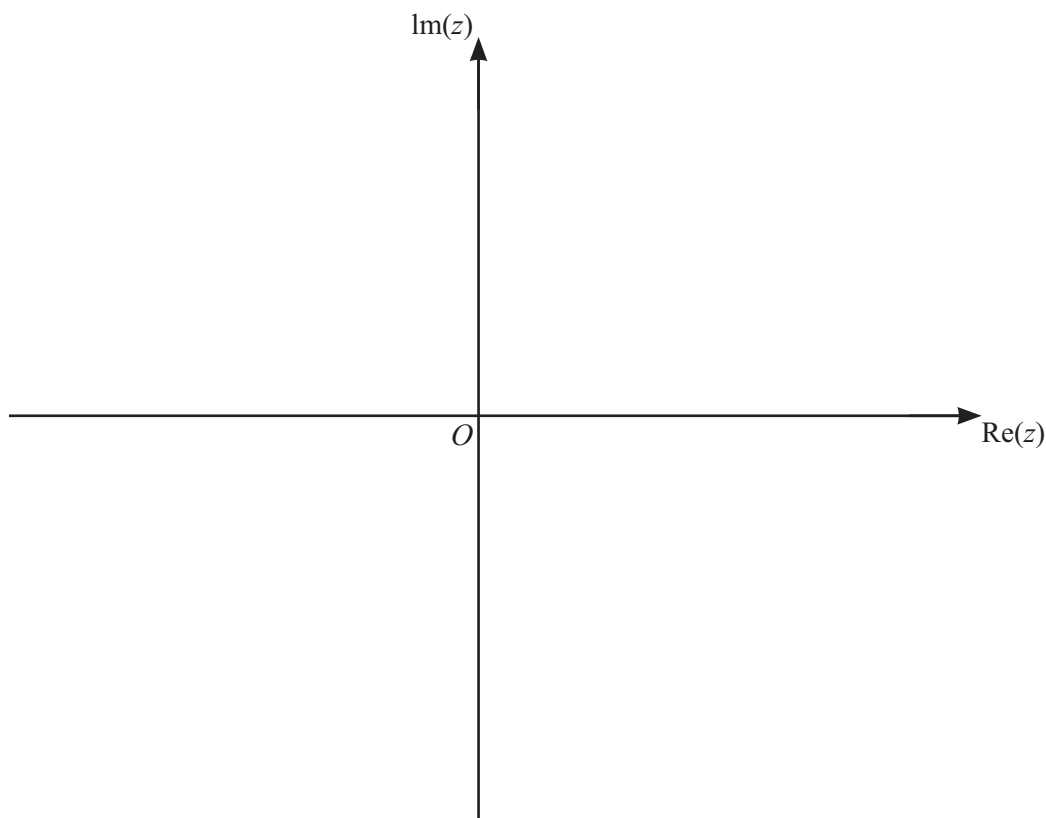
1 The complex number z satisfies $|z| = 2$ and $0 \leq \arg z \leq \frac{1}{4}\pi$.

(a) On the Argand diagram below, sketch the locus of the points representing z .

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(b) On the **same diagram**, sketch the locus of the points representing z^2 .

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2 Let $f(x) = 2x^3 - 5x^2 + 4$.

(a) Show that if a sequence of values given by the iterative formula

$$x_{n+1} = \sqrt{\frac{4}{5-2x_n}}$$

converges, then it converges to a root of the equation $f(x) = 0$.

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(b) The equation has a root close to 1.2 .

Use the iterative formula from part (a) and an initial value of 1.2 to determine the root correct to 2 decimal places. Give the result of each iteration to 4 decimal places.

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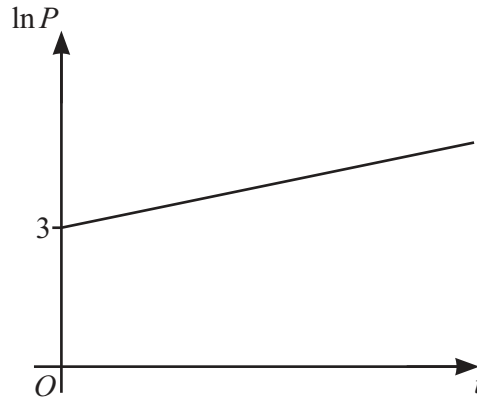
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The number of bacteria in a population, P , at time t hours is modelled by the equation $P = ae^{kt}$, where a and k are constants. The graph of $\ln P$ against t , shown in the diagram, has gradient $\frac{1}{20}$ and intersects the vertical axis at $(0, 3)$.

- (a) State the value of k and find the value of a correct to 2 significant figures. [3]

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- (b) Find the time taken for P to double. Give your answer correct to the nearest hour. [2]

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Give your answer in the form $x + iy$, where x and y are real.

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6 The lines l and m have vector equations

l: $\mathbf{r} = 2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k} + \lambda(-\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{k})$ and *m*: $\mathbf{r} = 2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k} + \mu(2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + 5\mathbf{k})$.

Lines l and m intersect at the point P .

(a) State the coordinates of P .

[1]

[illegible]

(b) Find the exact value of the cosine of the acute angle between l and m .

[3]

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[3]

[illegible]

$$x = 3 \sin 2t, \quad y = \tan t + \cot t,$$

(a) Show that $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-2}{3 \sin^2 2t}$. [5]

[illegible]



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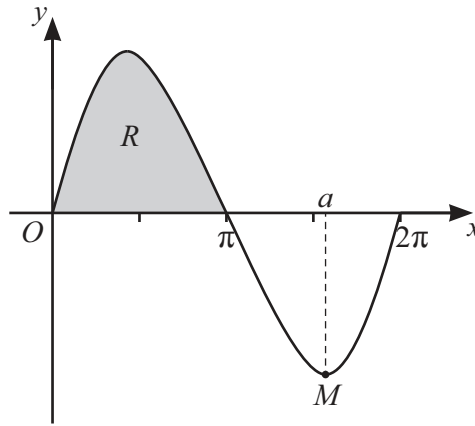
- (a) Show that $200 \frac{dh}{dt} = 250 - 3h$. [3]

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[5]

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The diagram shows the curve $y = 2 \sin x \sqrt{2 + \cos x}$, for $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$, and its minimum point M , where $x = a$.

- (a) Find the value of a correct to 2 decimal places. [5]

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