

4. The discrete random variable  $N$  has four outcomes  $n = 1, 2, 3$  or  $4$   
These outcomes have probabilities given by the  $n$ th term of a geometric sequence with common ratio  $\frac{1}{3}$

Given that  $P(N = 1) = p$

(a) find the complete probability distribution of  $N$ , giving the probabilities in terms of  $p$  (2)

(b) Show that  $p = \frac{27}{40}$  (2)

(c) Find  $P(3N - 2 > 5)$  (2)