

Powers of a Complex Number

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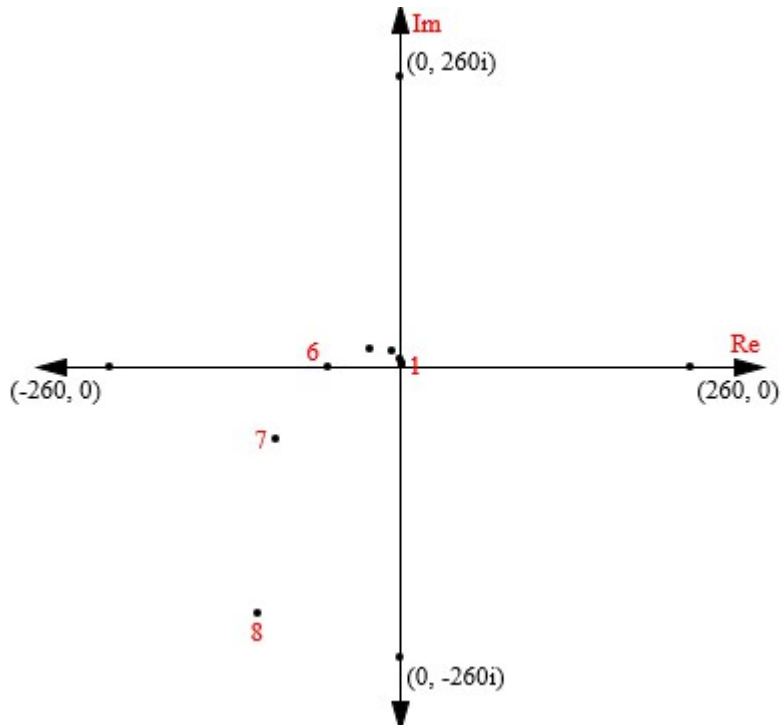
1. The graph below shows $z, z^2, z^3, z^4, z^5, z^6, z^7,$ and z^8 where $z = \sqrt{3} + i \approx 1.723051 + i$

Write the indicated power of z in **polar** format.

$z =$ $z^2 =$

$z^3 =$ $z^4 =$

$z^6 =$ $z^8 =$



Write the indicated power of z in standard $a + bi$ format.

$z =$

$z^2 =$

$z^3 =$

$z^4 =$

$z^6 =$

$z^8 =$

2. The graph below shows z, z^2, z^3, z^4, z^5 and z^6 where $z = -1 + i$

Write the indicated power of z in **polar** format.

$z =$ $z^2 =$

$z^3 =$ $z^4 =$

$z^5 =$ $z^6 =$

Write the indicated power of z in standard $a + bi$ format.

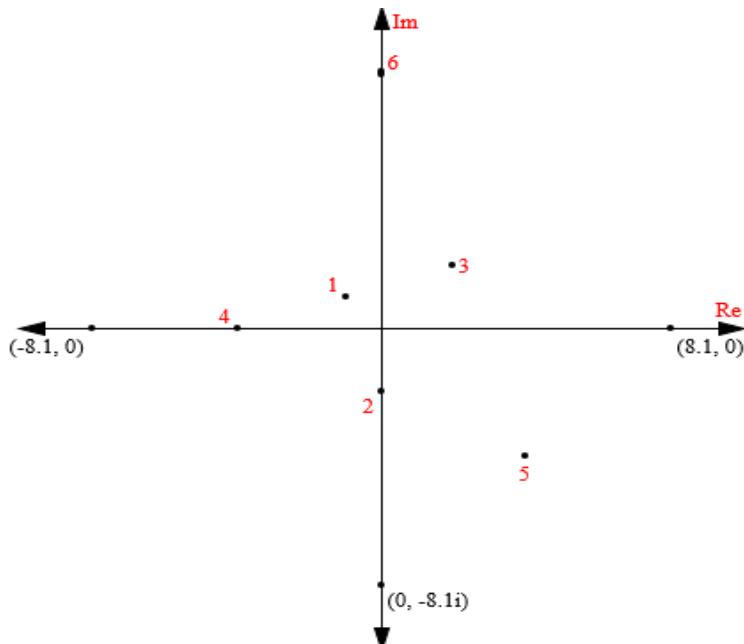
$z =$

$z^2 =$

$z^3 =$

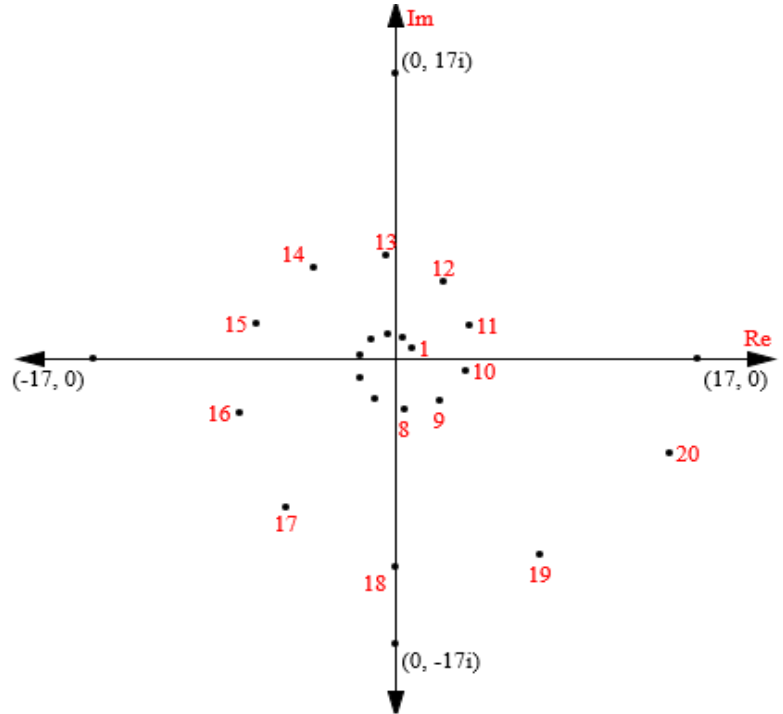
$z^5 =$

$z^6 =$



3. The graph below shows $z, z^2, z^3, z^4, \dots, z^{20}$ where $z = 0.942024851 + 0.659612902i$.

- Write z in polar format.
- Write z^6 in polar format.
- Write z^6 in standard $a + bi$ format.
- Write z^{16} in polar format.
- Write z^{16} in standard $a + bi$ format.
- Write z^{20} in polar format.
- Write z^{20} in standard $a + bi$ format.



4. The graph below shows $z, z^2, z^3, z^4, \dots, z^{20}$ where $z = 0.770361619 - 0.359225522i$.

- Write z in polar format. (Choose negative angle.)
- Write z^7 in polar format.
- Write z^7 in standard $a + bi$ format.
- Write z^{12} in polar format.
- Write z^{12} in standard $a + bi$ format.
- Write z^{20} in polar format.
- Write z^{20} in standard $a + bi$ format.

