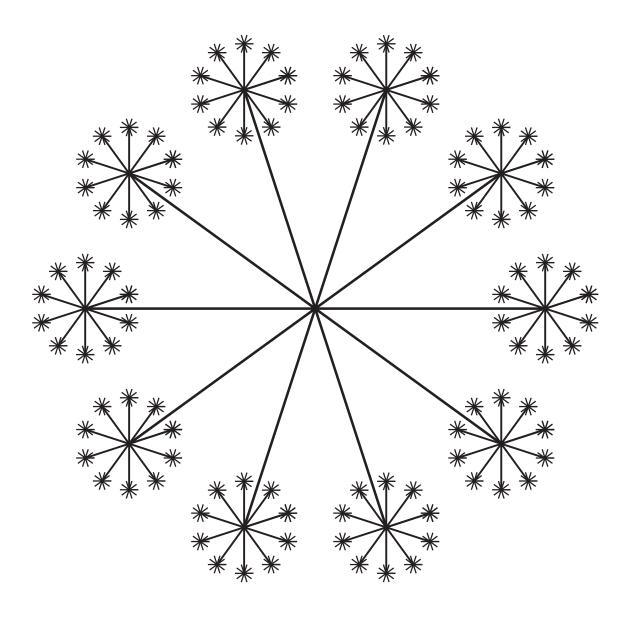


Lesson 2: Powers of 10

• Let's use exponents to show powers of 10.

Warm-up: How Many Do You See: Starburst

How many do you see? How do you see them?





2.1: Population of Delaware and India

- 1. About 1,000,000 people live in Delaware.
 - a. How do you say this number?
 - b. How many thousands is this? Explain or show your reasoning.

- c. Write the number using powers of 10.
- d. How many times would you need to extend the diagram from the warm-up to get 1,000,000 tiny segments? Explain or show your reasoning.



- 2. In 1997, the population of India was about 1,000,000,000.
 - a. How would you say this number?
 - b. How many millions is this? How many thousands is it? Explain or show your reasoning.

- c. Write the number using powers of 10.
- d. How many times would you need to extend the diagram from the warm-up to get 1,000,000,000 tiny segments? Explain or show your reasoning.



2.2: Powers of 10

1. Find the missing number that makes each equation true. Show your reasoning.

a.
$$2,000 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \times 20$$

b.
$$20 \times 10 \times \underline{\hspace{1cm}} = 20,000$$

c.
$$\underline{} \times 10 = 100,000$$

d.
$$1,000 \times 10,000 =$$

- 2. How were products of 10s useful in solving these problems?
- 3. Write each power of 10 as a number.

a.
$$10^3$$

b.
$$10^4$$

c.
$$10^7$$



2.3: Beyond a Billion

- 1. How would you say the number 1,000,000,000,000?
- 2. How many billions is that? How many millions is it? Explain or show your reasoning.

- 3. Write the number using powers of 10.
- 4. Describe an example of something that there are 1,000,000,000,000 of in the world.