

# Ramanujan's Radicals , Fractals

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## Abstract

In this note we present some Fractals related with the polynomial equation :

$$a^9 + 3 a^6 + 3 a^3 - 1 = 0$$

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## 1. Introducción

Recordamos algunas fórmulas de Ramanujan :

$$\sqrt[3]{\sqrt[3]{2} - 1} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{9}} - \sqrt{\frac{2}{9}} + \sqrt{\frac{4}{9}} \quad (1)$$

$$\left( \frac{3 - 2\sqrt[4]{5}}{3 + 2\sqrt[4]{5}} \right)^{1/4} = \frac{\sqrt[4]{5} - 1}{\sqrt[4]{5} + 1} \quad (2)$$

$$(\sqrt[3]{5} - \sqrt[3]{4})^{1/2} = \frac{1}{3} (\sqrt[3]{2} + \sqrt[3]{20} - \sqrt[3]{25}) \quad (3)$$

$$(\sqrt[3]{28} - \sqrt[3]{27})^{1/2} = \frac{1}{3} (\sqrt[3]{98} - \sqrt[3]{28} - 1) \quad (4)$$

El radical  $x = \sqrt[3]{\sqrt[3]{2} - 1}$  es solución de la ecuación :  $x^9 + 3 x^6 + 3 x^3 - 1 = 0$ .

## 2. Los Radicales : $\alpha$ , $\beta$

Sean  $\alpha$  ,  $\beta$  , los radicales definidos como :

$$\alpha = \sqrt[3]{\sqrt[3]{2} - 1} = \sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{9}} - \sqrt[3]{\frac{2}{9}} + \sqrt[3]{\frac{4}{9}} \quad (5)$$

$$\beta = \frac{1 - \alpha}{1 + \alpha} = -1 + \sqrt[3]{4} \left( 1 - \sqrt[3]{\sqrt[3]{2} - 1} + \sqrt[3]{(\sqrt[3]{2} - 1)^2} \right) \quad (6)$$

Una fórmula con la constante pi :  $\pi = 3.141592 \dots$ ,

$$\pi = 4 \tan^{-1}(\alpha) + 4 \tan^{-1}(\beta) \quad (7)$$

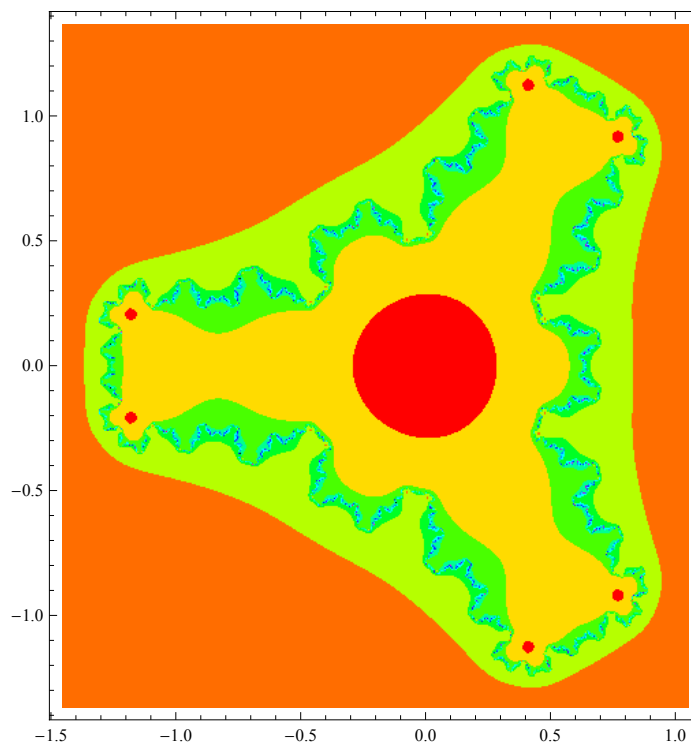
Los números  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  satisfacen las ecuaciones siguientes :

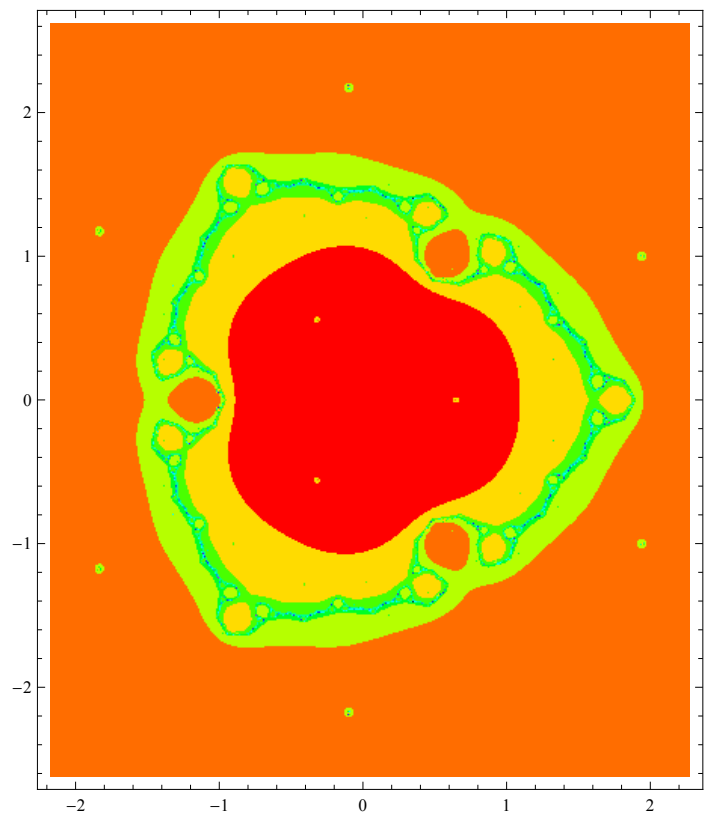
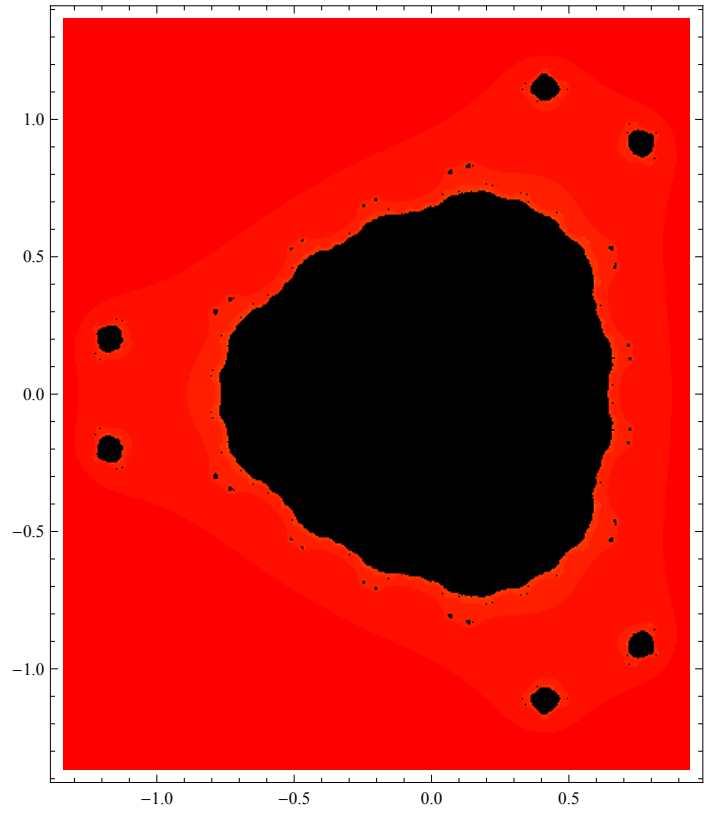
$$\alpha^9 + 3\alpha^6 + 3\alpha^3 - 1 = 0 \quad (8)$$

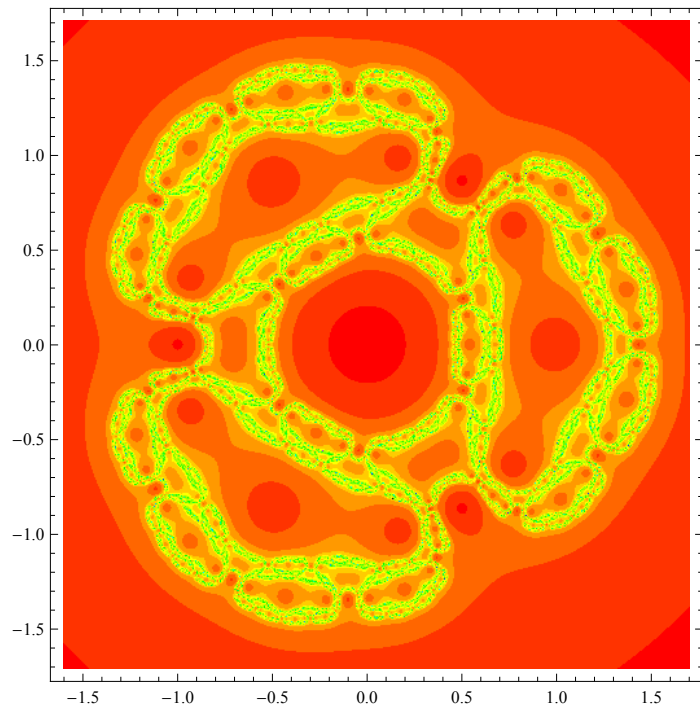
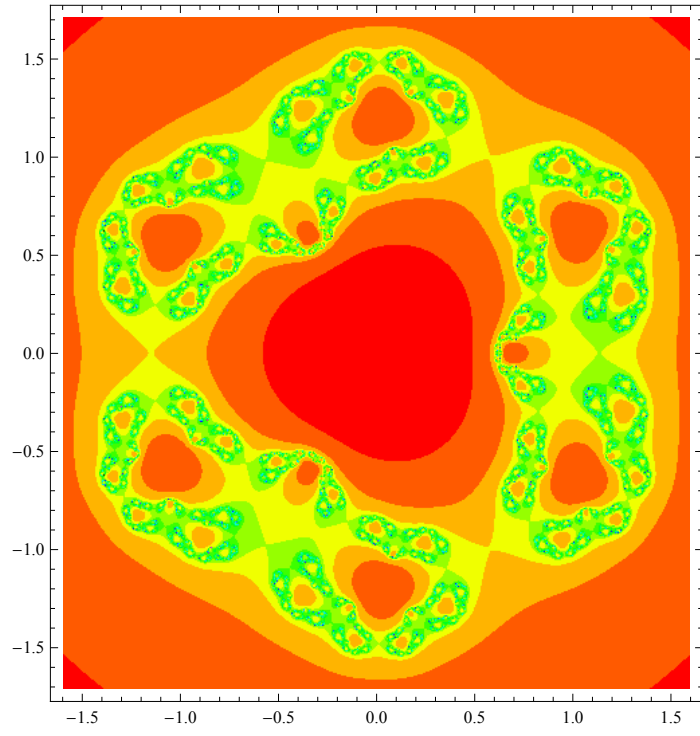
$$\beta^9 + 9\beta^8 + 36\beta^7 - 24\beta^6 + 126\beta^5 + 18\beta^4 + 84\beta^3 + 9\beta - 3 = 0 \quad (9)$$

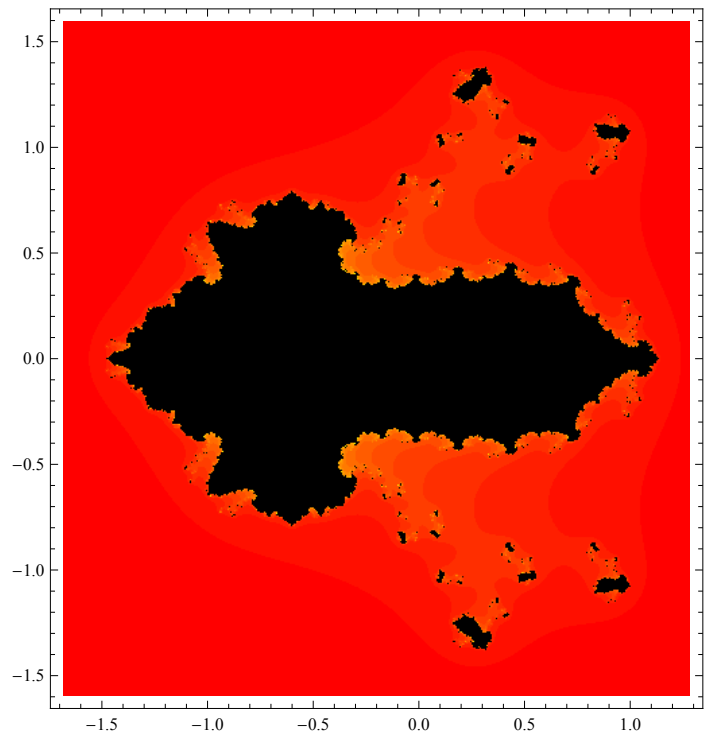
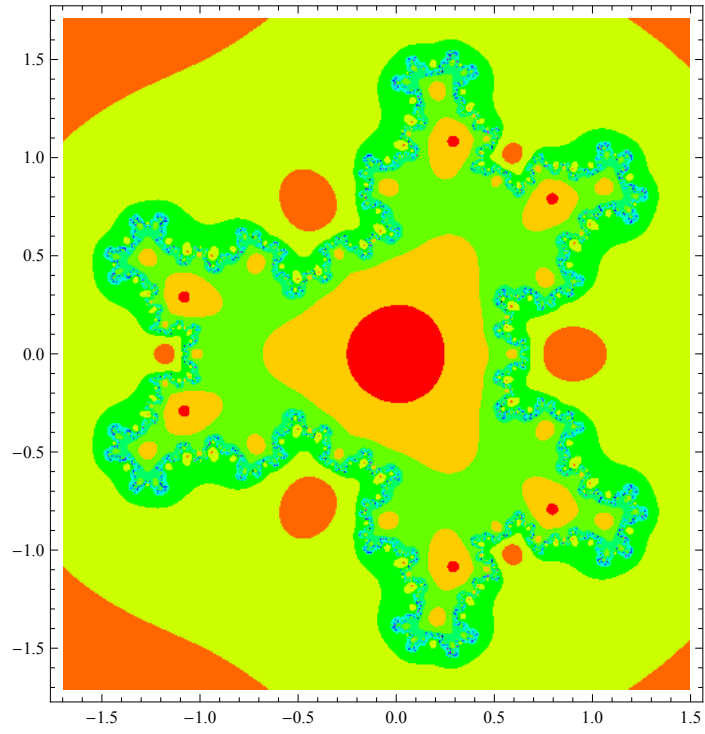
Podemos poner (8) y (9) en la forma :  $z = F(z)$  y obtener fractales asociados a  $F(z)$ .

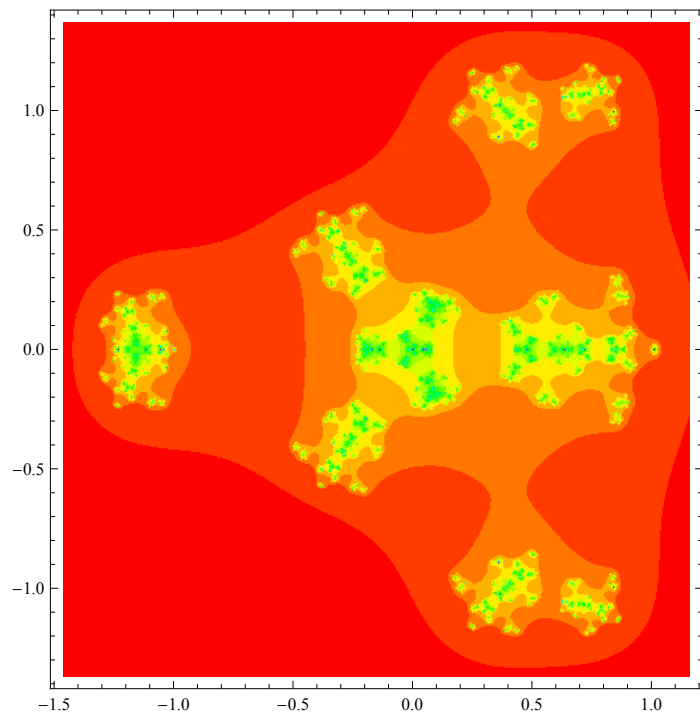
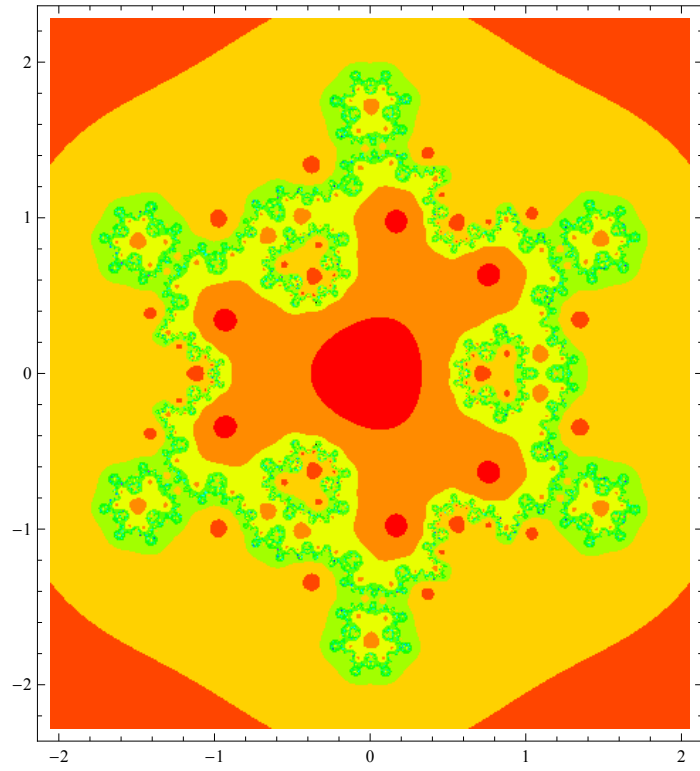
### 3. Algunos fractales asociados a (8)

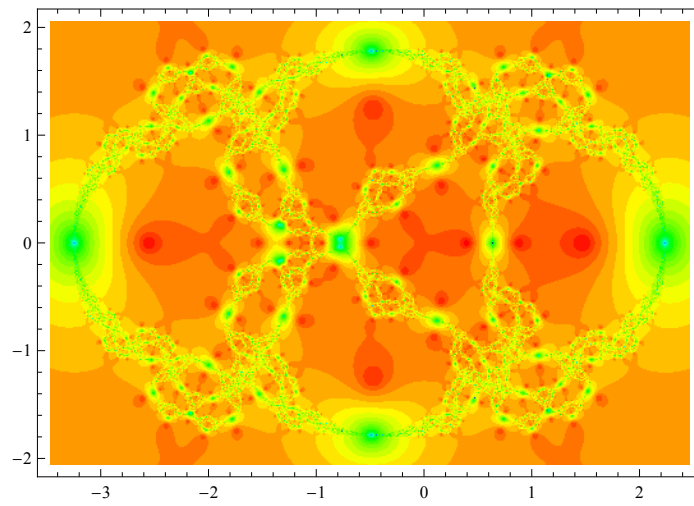
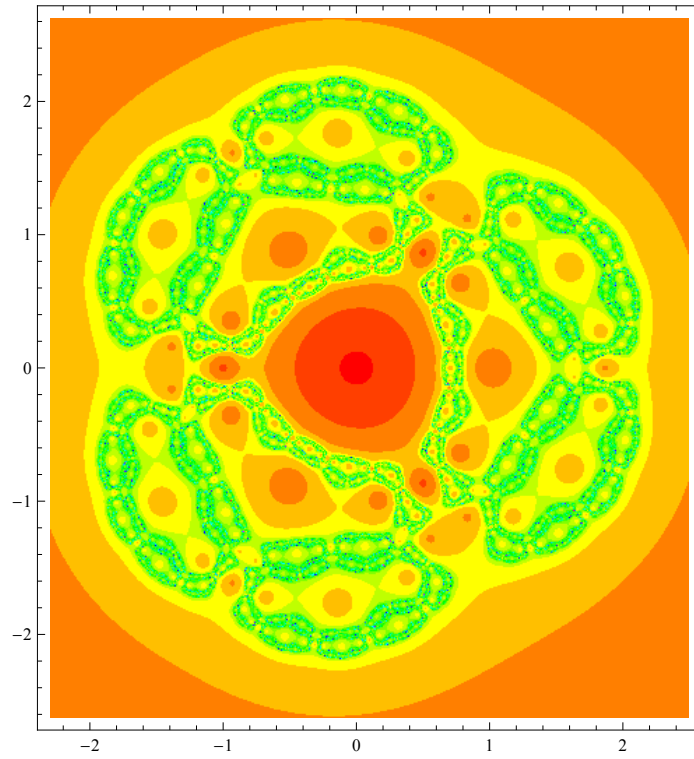




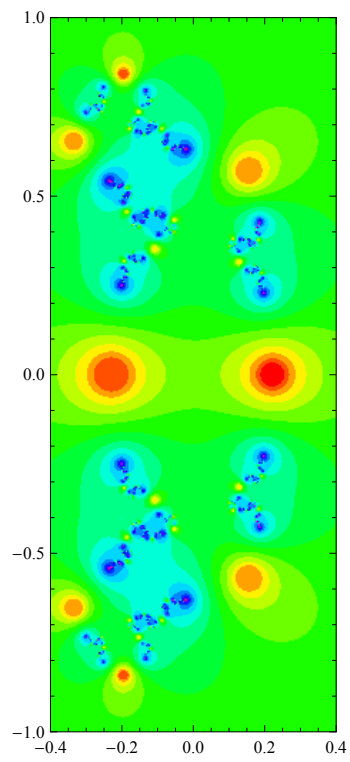
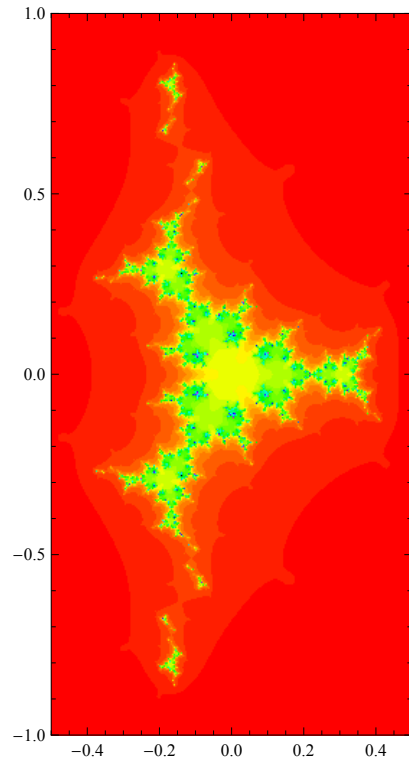




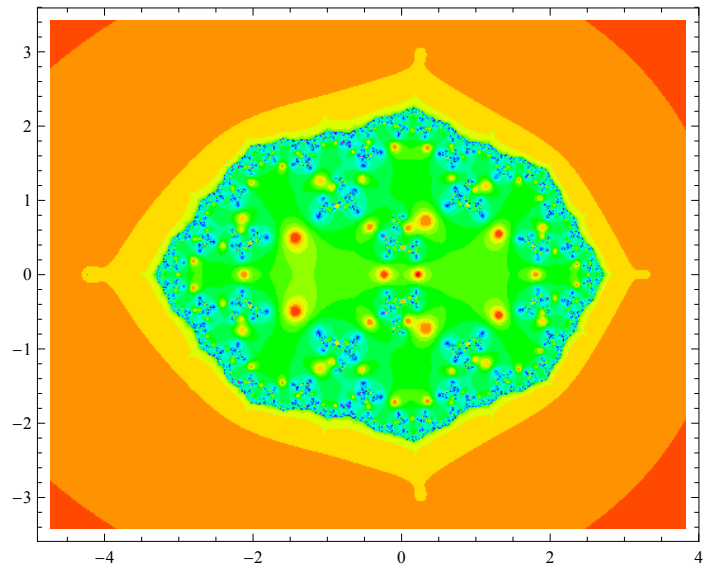
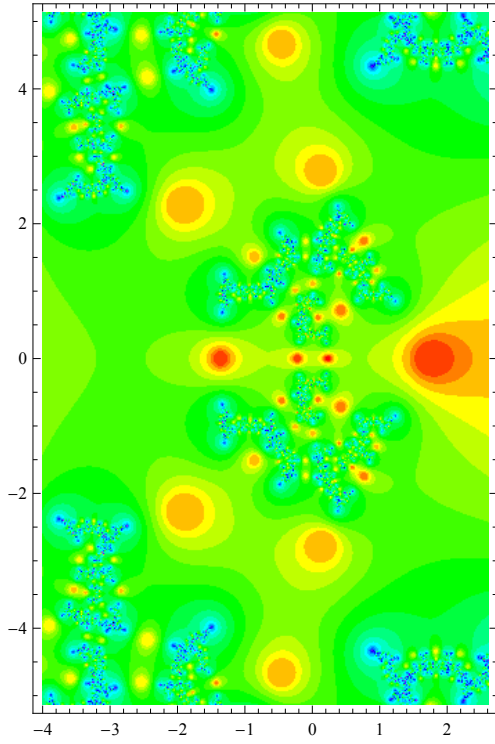


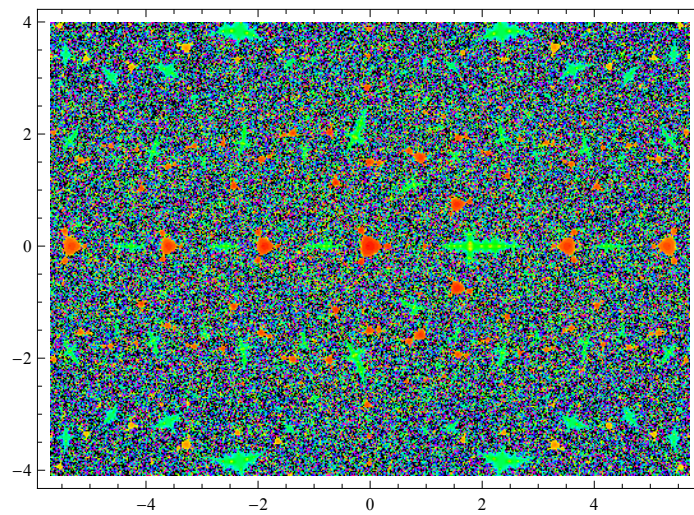
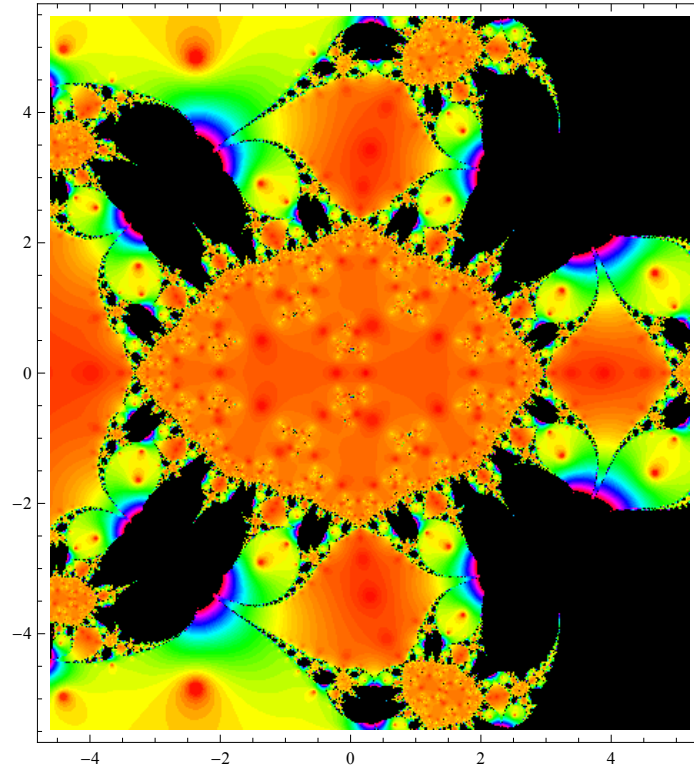


#### 4. Algunos fractales asociados a (9)









## Referencia

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