

Write the equation for a binary lens.

$$\mathbf{zeta} = \mathbf{z} + \mathbf{m1} / (\mathbf{Conjugate}[\mathbf{z1}] - \mathbf{Conjugate}[\mathbf{z}]) + \mathbf{m2} / (\mathbf{Conjugate}[\mathbf{z2}] - \mathbf{Conjugate}[\mathbf{z}])$$

$$\mathbf{z} + \frac{\mathbf{m1}}{-\mathbf{Conjugate}[\mathbf{z}] + \mathbf{Conjugate}[\mathbf{z1}]} + \frac{\mathbf{m2}}{-\mathbf{Conjugate}[\mathbf{z}] + \mathbf{Conjugate}[\mathbf{z2}]}$$

Write the conditions for m1 and m2 to work in parameter space involving m and dm.

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{m1} &= \mathbf{m} - \mathbf{dm} \\ \mathbf{m2} &= \mathbf{m} + \mathbf{dm} \end{aligned}$$

$$-\mathbf{dm} + \mathbf{m}$$

$$\mathbf{dm} + \mathbf{m}$$

Take the conjugate of the binary lens equation. Solve for the conjugate of z, and substitute this back into binary lens equation. Assume the lensing bodies lie on the real axis, and that the masses are real. Then  $\zeta$  is equal to the following expression:

$$\mathbf{Refine}[\mathbf{zeta} /. \mathbf{Solve}[\mathbf{Conjugate}[\mathbf{zeta}] == \mathbf{Conjugate}[\boldsymbol{\zeta}], \mathbf{Conjugate}[\mathbf{z}]], \{\mathbf{m}, \mathbf{dm}, \mathbf{z1}, \mathbf{z2}\} \in \mathbf{Reals}]$$

$$\left\{ \mathbf{z} + \frac{-\mathbf{dm} + \mathbf{m}}{\mathbf{z1} + \frac{-\mathbf{dm} + \mathbf{m}}{-\mathbf{z} + \mathbf{z1}} + \frac{\mathbf{dm} + \mathbf{m}}{-\mathbf{z} + \mathbf{z2}} - \mathbf{Conjugate}[\boldsymbol{\zeta}]} + \frac{\mathbf{dm} + \mathbf{m}}{\frac{-\mathbf{dm} + \mathbf{m}}{-\mathbf{z} + \mathbf{z1}} + \mathbf{z2} + \frac{\mathbf{dm} + \mathbf{m}}{-\mathbf{z} + \mathbf{z2}} - \mathbf{Conjugate}[\boldsymbol{\zeta}]} \right\}$$

Move  $\zeta$  to other side and combine the expression into one fraction. Collect only the numerator (since this polynomial is equal to zero) into powers of z, and multiply by -1 for convention. This is the form of the polynomial in a general coordinate system.

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{pgeneral} = & \text{Collect}\left[-\text{Numerator}\left[\text{Together}\left[-\xi + z + \frac{-dm + m}{z1 + \frac{-dm+m}{-z+z1} + \frac{dm+m}{-z+z2} - \text{Conjugate}[\xi]} + \frac{dm + m}{\frac{-dm+m}{-z+z1} + z2 + \frac{dm+m}{-z+z2} - \text{Conjugate}[\xi]}\right]\right], z, \text{Simplify}\right] \\
& - 2 m^2 z1^2 z2 - 2 m^2 z1 z2^2 - m z1^3 z2^2 - m z1^2 z2^3 + m^2 z1^2 \xi + dm^2 (z1 - z2)^2 \xi + 2 m^2 z1 z2 \xi + m z1^3 z2 \xi + m^2 z2^2 \xi + 2 m z1^2 z2^2 \xi + m z1 z2^3 \xi + z1^3 z2^3 \xi - \\
& dm (z1 - z2) (2 m + z1 z2) (z1 z2 - z1 \xi - z2 \xi) - z1 z2 ((2 dm (z1 - z2) + z1 z2 (z1 + z2)) \xi + m (-2 z1 z2 + 2 z1 \xi + 2 z2 \xi)) \text{Conjugate}[\xi] + \\
& z1^2 z2^2 \xi \text{Conjugate}[\xi]^2 + z^5 (z1 - \text{Conjugate}[\xi]) (-z2 + \text{Conjugate}[\xi]) + \\
& z^4 (m z1 + m z2 + 2 z1^2 z2 + 2 z1 z2^2 + dm (-z1 + z2) + z1 z2 \xi - (2 m + (z1 + z2) (2 z1 + 2 z2 + \xi)) \text{Conjugate}[\xi] + (2 z1 + 2 z2 + \xi) \text{Conjugate}[\xi]^2) + \\
& z (m^2 z1^2 - dm^2 (z1 - z2)^2 + 6 m^2 z1 z2 + m z1^3 z2 + m^2 z2^2 + 2 m z1^2 z2^2 + m z1 z2^3 - z1^3 z2^3 - 4 m^2 z1 \xi - m z1^3 \xi - 4 m^2 z2 \xi - \\
& 5 m z1^2 z2 \xi - 5 m z1 z2^2 \xi - 2 z1^3 z2^2 \xi - m z2^3 \xi - 2 z1^2 z2^3 \xi + dm (z1 - z2) (z1 z2 (z2 - 2 \xi) + z1^2 (z2 - \xi) - (4 m + z2^2) \xi) + \\
& (m (-2 z1 z2 (z2 - 4 \xi) - 2 z1^2 (z2 - \xi) + 2 z2^2 \xi) + 2 dm (z1 - z2) (z2 \xi + z1 (z2 + \xi)) + z1 z2 (z1 + z2) (2 z2 \xi + z1 (z2 + 2 \xi))) \text{Conjugate}[\xi] - \\
& z1 z2 (2 z2 \xi + z1 (z2 + 2 \xi)) \text{Conjugate}[\xi]^2) + z^3 (dm z1^2 - m z1^2 - 2 m z1 z2 - z1^3 z2 - dm z2^2 - m z2^2 - 4 z1^2 z2^2 - z1 z2^3 - 2 m z1 \xi - \\
& 2 m z2 \xi - 2 z1^2 z2 \xi - 2 z1 z2^2 \xi + (2 dm (z1 - z2) + 2 m (z1 + z2 + 2 \xi) + (z1 + z2) (z1^2 + 4 z1 z2 + z2^2 + 2 z1 \xi + 2 z2 \xi)) \text{Conjugate}[\xi] - \\
& (z1^2 + 2 z1 (2 z2 + \xi) + z2 (z2 + 2 \xi)) \text{Conjugate}[\xi]^2) + \\
& z^2 (-2 m^2 z1 - 2 m^2 z2 + 2 z1^3 z2^2 + 2 z1^2 z2^3 + 4 m^2 \xi + 3 m z1^2 \xi + 6 m z1 z2 \xi + z1^3 z2 \xi + 3 m z2^2 \xi + 4 z1^2 z2^2 \xi + z1 z2^3 \xi + \\
& dm (z1 - z2) (2 m - 2 z1 z2 + z1 \xi + z2 \xi) - (2 dm (z1 - z2) (z1 + z2 + \xi) + (z1 + z2) ((6 m + z2^2) \xi + z1^2 (2 z2 + \xi) + 2 z1 z2 (z2 + 2 \xi))) \\
& \text{Conjugate}[\xi] + (z2^2 \xi + z1^2 (2 z2 + \xi) + 2 z1 z2 (z2 + 2 \xi)) \text{Conjugate}[\xi]^2)
\end{aligned}$$

Solve this in our first coordinate frame: geometric center; i.e.  $z1 = -z2$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{pcenter} = & \text{Collect}[\text{Expand}[\text{pgeneral} /. z2 \rightarrow -z1, z], z, \text{Simplify}] \\
& z^5 (z1^2 - \text{Conjugate}[\xi]^2) + z^3 (-2 z1^4 + 4 (dm z1 + m \xi) \text{Conjugate}[\xi] + 2 z1^2 \text{Conjugate}[\xi]^2) + \\
& z z1 (-4 dm^2 z1 - 4 m^2 z1 + z1^5 - 8 dm m \xi - 4 z1 (dm z1 + m \xi) \text{Conjugate}[\xi] - z1^3 \text{Conjugate}[\xi]^2) + \\
& z^4 (-z1 (2 dm + z1 \xi) - 2 m \text{Conjugate}[\xi] + \xi \text{Conjugate}[\xi]^2) + \\
& z^2 (4 dm z1 (m + z1^2) + 2 (2 m^2 + z1^4) \xi - 4 dm z1 \xi \text{Conjugate}[\xi] - 2 z1^2 \xi \text{Conjugate}[\xi]^2) + \\
& z1^2 (4 dm m z1 - 2 dm z1^3 + 4 dm^2 \xi - z1^4 \xi + 2 z1 (m z1 + 2 dm \xi) \text{Conjugate}[\xi] + z1^2 \xi \text{Conjugate}[\xi]^2)
\end{aligned}$$

Solve this in our second coordinate frame : planet rest frame; i.e.  $z1 = 0$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{pbody1} = & \text{Collect}[\text{Expand}[\text{pgeneral} /. z1 \rightarrow 0, z], z, \text{Simplify}] \\
& (dm - m)^2 z2^2 \xi - z^5 \text{Conjugate}[\xi] (-z2 + \text{Conjugate}[\xi]) - (dm - m) z z2 (dm z2 + m z2 - 4 m \xi - z2^2 \xi + 2 z2 \xi \text{Conjugate}[\xi]) + \\
& z^2 (-dm z2 (2 m + z2 \xi) + m (-2 m z2 + 4 m \xi + 3 z2^2 \xi) + z2 (- (6 m + z2^2) \xi + 2 dm (z2 + \xi)) \text{Conjugate}[\xi] + z2^2 \xi \text{Conjugate}[\xi]^2) + \\
& z^4 ((dm + m) z2 - (2 m + z2 (2 z2 + \xi)) \text{Conjugate}[\xi] + (2 z2 + \xi) \text{Conjugate}[\xi]^2) + \\
& z^3 (-z2 (dm z2 + m (z2 + 2 \xi)) + (-2 dm z2 + (2 m + z2^2) (z2 + 2 \xi)) \text{Conjugate}[\xi] - z2 (z2 + 2 \xi) \text{Conjugate}[\xi]^2)
\end{aligned}$$

Solve this in our third coordinate frame : star rest frame; i.e.  $z2 = 0$

**pbody2 = Collect[Expand[pgeneral /. z2 → 0, z], z, Simplify]**

$$\begin{aligned} & (\text{dm} + \text{m})^2 z1^2 \zeta + z^5 (z1 - \text{Conjugate}[\zeta]) \text{Conjugate}[\zeta] - (\text{dm} + \text{m}) z z1 (\text{dm} z1 - \text{m} z1 + 4 \text{m} \zeta + z1^2 \zeta - 2 z1 \zeta \text{Conjugate}[\zeta]) + \\ & z^2 (\text{dm} z1 (2 \text{m} + z1 \zeta) + \text{m} (-2 \text{m} z1 + 4 \text{m} \zeta + 3 z1^2 \zeta) - z1 ((6 \text{m} + z1^2) \zeta + 2 \text{dm} (z1 + \zeta)) \text{Conjugate}[\zeta] + z1^2 \zeta \text{Conjugate}[\zeta]^2) + \\ & z^4 ((-\text{dm} + \text{m}) z1 - (2 \text{m} + z1 (2 z1 + \zeta)) \text{Conjugate}[\zeta] + (2 z1 + \zeta) \text{Conjugate}[\zeta]^2) + \\ & z^3 (z1 (\text{dm} z1 - \text{m} (z1 + 2 \zeta)) + (2 \text{dm} z1 + (2 \text{m} + z1^2) (z1 + 2 \zeta)) \text{Conjugate}[\zeta] - z1 (z1 + 2 \zeta) \text{Conjugate}[\zeta]^2) \end{aligned}$$

Solve this in our fourth and final coordinate frame : center of mass; i.e. (z1m1 + z2m2)/(m1+m2) = 0

**pcm = Collect[Expand[pgeneral /. z2 → -z1 (m - dm) / (m + dm), z], z, Simplify]**

$$\begin{aligned} & z^5 (z1 - \text{Conjugate}[\zeta]) \left( \frac{(-\text{dm} + \text{m}) z1}{\text{dm} + \text{m}} + \text{Conjugate}[\zeta] \right) + \frac{1}{(\text{dm} + \text{m})^3} \\ & z1^2 (-\text{m}^3 z1^4 \zeta + \text{dm} \text{m}^2 z1 (8 \text{m}^2 - 4 \text{m} z1^2 + 3 z1^3 \zeta) + \text{dm}^2 \text{m} (8 \text{m} z1^2 (z1 - \zeta) + 16 \text{m}^2 \zeta - 3 z1^4 \zeta) + \text{dm}^3 (-8 \text{m}^2 (z1 - 2 \zeta) - 4 \text{m} z1^2 (z1 - 2 \zeta) + z1^4 \zeta) + \\ & 2 (\text{dm} - \text{m}) z1 (-\text{m}^3 z1 + \text{dm} \text{m} (-4 \text{m} + z1^2) \zeta + \text{dm}^2 (\text{m} z1 - 4 \text{m} \zeta - z1^2 \zeta)) \text{Conjugate}[\zeta] + (\text{dm} - \text{m})^2 (\text{dm} + \text{m}) z1^2 \zeta \text{Conjugate}[\zeta]^2) + \\ & \frac{1}{(\text{dm} + \text{m})^2} z^4 ((\text{dm} - \text{m}) z1^2 (\text{m} \zeta + \text{dm} (4 z1 + \zeta)) - 2 (\text{m}^3 + \text{dm} \text{m} (2 \text{m} + z1 \zeta) + \text{dm}^2 (\text{m} + z1 (4 z1 + \zeta))) \text{Conjugate}[\zeta] + \\ & (\text{dm} + \text{m}) (\text{m} \zeta + \text{dm} (4 z1 + \zeta)) \text{Conjugate}[\zeta]^2) + \\ & \frac{1}{(\text{dm} + \text{m})^3} 2 z^3 (-z1 (\text{m}^3 z1^3 + \text{dm}^2 \text{m} (-3 z1^3 + 4 \text{m} \zeta) + \text{dm} \text{m}^2 (-z1^3 + 2 \text{m} \zeta - 2 z1^2 \zeta) + \text{dm}^3 (3 z1^3 + 2 \text{m} \zeta + 2 z1^2 \zeta)) + \\ & 2 (\text{m}^4 \zeta + \text{dm} \text{m}^2 (2 \text{m} z1 - z1^3 + 3 \text{m} \zeta) + \text{dm}^3 (2 \text{m} z1 + 3 z1^3 + \text{m} \zeta + 2 z1^2 \zeta) + \text{dm}^2 \text{m} (4 \text{m} z1 + 3 \text{m} \zeta + 2 z1^2 \zeta)) \text{Conjugate}[\zeta] - \\ & (\text{dm} + \text{m}) z1 (-\text{m}^2 z1 + 2 \text{dm} \text{m} \zeta + \text{dm}^2 (3 z1 + 2 \zeta)) \text{Conjugate}[\zeta]^2) + \\ & \frac{1}{(\text{dm} + \text{m})^3} 2 z^2 (\text{m}^3 (2 \text{m}^2 + z1^4) \zeta + \text{dm} \text{m}^2 (2 \text{m} z1^3 + z1^4 (2 z1 - \zeta) + 6 \text{m}^2 \zeta) + \text{dm}^2 \text{m} (-4 z1^5 + 6 \text{m}^2 \zeta + 8 \text{m} z1^2 \zeta - 3 z1^4 \zeta) + \\ & \text{dm}^3 (-2 \text{m} z1^2 (z1 - 4 \zeta) + 2 \text{m}^2 \zeta + z1^4 (2 z1 + 3 \zeta)) - 2 \text{dm} z1 (\text{m}^2 (4 \text{m} - z1^2) \zeta + 2 \text{dm} \text{m} (\text{m} z1 - z1^3 + 4 \text{m} \zeta) + \text{dm}^2 (2 \text{m} z1 + 2 z1^3 + 4 \text{m} \zeta + 3 z1^2 \zeta)) \\ & \text{Conjugate}[\zeta] + (\text{dm} + \text{m}) z1^2 (-2 \text{dm} \text{m} z1 - \text{m}^2 \zeta + \text{dm}^2 (2 z1 + 3 \zeta)) \text{Conjugate}[\zeta]^2) - \\ & \frac{1}{(\text{dm} + \text{m})^3} z z1 (4 \text{m}^5 z1 - \text{m}^3 z1^5 + \text{dm} \text{m}^2 (-4 \text{m} z1^2 \zeta + 4 \text{m}^2 (z1 + 4 \zeta) + z1^4 (3 z1 + 4 \zeta)) + \\ & \text{dm}^3 (-4 \text{m}^2 (z1 - 4 \zeta) + z1^4 (z1 + 4 \zeta) + 4 \text{m} z1^2 (-2 z1 + 5 \zeta)) + \text{dm}^2 \text{m} (8 \text{m} z1^3 - 4 \text{m}^2 (z1 - 8 \zeta) - z1^4 (3 z1 + 8 \zeta)) - \\ & 2 z1 (-2 \text{m}^4 \zeta + \text{dm} \text{m}^2 (z1^3 - 2 \text{m} \zeta) + 2 \text{dm}^2 \text{m} (-z1^3 + 5 \text{m} \zeta - 2 z1^2 \zeta) + \text{dm}^3 (z1^3 + 10 \text{m} \zeta + 4 z1^2 \zeta)) \text{Conjugate}[\zeta] + \\ & (\text{dm}^2 - \text{m}^2) z1^2 (-\text{m} z1 + \text{dm} (z1 + 4 \zeta)) \text{Conjugate}[\zeta]^2) \end{aligned}$$