

Quadratic Compatibility Theorem : Theorem 1 in the book Divine Proportions by Wildberger

The quadratic equations

$$(x - p_1)^2 = r_1$$

$$(x - p_2)^2 = r_2$$

are compatible precisely when

$$((p_1 - p_2)^2 - (r_1 + r_2))^2 = 4r_1r_2$$

In this case, if p_1 is not equal to p_2 then there is a unique common solution

$$x = \frac{p_1 + p_2}{2} - \frac{(r_1 - r_2)}{2(p_1 - p_2)}$$

Create a Mathematica function for unique common solution of a pair of compatible quadratic equations.

In[1]:= **X[p1_, r1_, p2_, r2_] := ((p1 + p2) / 2) - (r1 - r2) / (2 (p1 - p2))**

Substitute values for p_1 , r_1 , p_2 and r_2 from quadratic equations (1) and (2) above to compute the quadrea B .

In[2]:= **B = X[q12 q23 S2 + q34 q41 S4, 4 q12 q23 q34 q41 (1 - S1) × (1 - S3),
q12 q41 S1 + q23 q34 S3, 4 q12 q23 q34 q41 (1 - S2) × (1 - S4)]**

Out[2]=
$$-\frac{4 q_{12} q_{23} q_{34} q_{41} (1 - S_1) \times (1 - S_3) - 4 q_{12} q_{23} q_{34} q_{41} (1 - S_2) \times (1 - S_4)}{2 (-q_{12} q_{41} S_1 + q_{12} q_{23} S_2 - q_{23} q_{34} S_3 + q_{34} q_{41} S_4)} +$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (q_{12} q_{41} S_1 + q_{12} q_{23} S_2 + q_{23} q_{34} S_3 + q_{34} q_{41} S_4)$$

The proof employs the quadratic compatibility theorem. We will show that equations (1) and (2) above are compatible since they meet the criteria for being compatible from the quadratic compatibility theorem.

Perform compatibility check:

In[3]:= **CompatibilityCheckLHS [p1_, r1_, p2_, r2_] := ((p1 - p2)² - (r1 + r2))²**

In[4]:= **CompatibilityCheckRHS [p1_, r1_, p2_, r2_] := 4 * r1 * r2**

In[5]:= **lhs = CompatibilityCheckLHS** [$q_{12} q_{23} S_2 + q_{34} q_{41} S_4$,
 $4 q_{12} q_{23} q_{34} q_{41} (1 - S_1) \times (1 - S_3)$, $q_{12} q_{41} S_1 + q_{23} q_{34} S_3$, $4 q_{12} q_{23} q_{34} q_{41} (1 - S_2) \times (1 - S_4)$]

Out[5]= $(-4 q_{12} q_{23} q_{34} q_{41} (1 - S_1) \times (1 - S_3) -$
 $4 q_{12} q_{23} q_{34} q_{41} (1 - S_2) \times (1 - S_4) + (-q_{12} q_{41} S_1 + q_{12} q_{23} S_2 - q_{23} q_{34} S_3 + q_{34} q_{41} S_4)^2)^2$

In[6]:= **rhs = CompatibilityCheckRHS** [$q_{12} q_{23} S_2 + q_{34} q_{41} S_4$,
 $4 q_{12} q_{23} q_{34} q_{41} (1 - S_1) \times (1 - S_3)$, $q_{12} q_{41} S_1 + q_{23} q_{34} S_3$, $4 q_{12} q_{23} q_{34} q_{41} (1 - S_2) \times (1 - S_4)$]

Out[6]= $64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 (1 - S_1) \times (1 - S_2) \times (1 - S_3) \times (1 - S_4)$

In[7]:= **lhse = Expand**[lhs]

Out[7]= $64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 - 64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 + 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1^2 - 16 q_{12}^3 q_{23} q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1^2 +$
 $8 q_{12}^3 q_{23} q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1^3 + q_{12}^4 q_{41}^4 S_1^4 - 64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 + 32 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 + 32 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 -$
 $16 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1^2 S_2 + 8 q_{12}^3 q_{23} q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1^2 S_2 - 4 q_{12}^4 q_{23} q_{34} q_{41}^4 S_1^2 S_2 - 16 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^2 S_2^2 +$
 $16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2^2 + 8 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1 S_2^2 - 16 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2^2 + 6 q_{12}^4 q_{23}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1^2 S_2^2 +$
 $8 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_2^2 - 4 q_{12}^4 q_{23}^2 q_{41}^3 S_1 S_2^2 + q_{12}^4 q_{23}^2 S_2^4 - 64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_3 + 64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_3 -$
 $16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1^2 S_3 + 8 q_{12}^3 q_{23} q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1^2 S_3 - 4 q_{12}^3 q_{23} q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1^3 S_3 + 32 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_3 +$
 $32 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_3 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 S_3 - 16 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 S_3 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 S_3 +$
 $4 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1^2 S_2 S_3 + 8 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_2^2 S_3 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2^2 S_3 + 4 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1 S_2^2 S_3 -$
 $4 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} S_2^2 S_3 - 16 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_3^2 + 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_3^2 + 8 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_3^2 +$
 $4 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 S_3^2 + 6 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 S_2^2 S_3^2 + 8 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_3^3 - 4 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_1 S_3^3 -$
 $4 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 S_2 S_3^3 + q_{23}^4 q_{34}^4 S_3^4 - 64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_4 + 32 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_4 + 32 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_4 +$
 $8 q_{12}^3 q_{23} q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1^2 S_4 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1^2 S_4 - 4 q_{12}^3 q_{23} q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1^3 S_4 + 64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_4 -$
 $16 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1 S_2 S_4 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 S_4 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 S_4 +$
 $4 q_{12}^3 q_{23} q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1^2 S_2 S_4 + 8 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_2^2 S_4 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2^2 S_4 + 4 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1 S_2^2 S_4 -$
 $4 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_2^2 S_4 + 32 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_3 S_4 + 32 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_3 S_4 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_3 S_4 -$
 $16 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_3 S_4 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_3 S_4 + 4 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_1^2 S_3 S_4 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_3 S_4 -$
 $16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_3 S_4 - 16 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_3 S_4 + 24 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 S_3 S_4 +$
 $4 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2^2 S_3 S_4 + 8 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_2^2 S_4 - 16 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2^2 S_4 + 4 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2^2 S_4 +$
 $4 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_2^2 S_4 - 4 q_{23}^3 q_{34}^4 q_{41}^3 S_3^3 S_4 + 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_4^2 - 16 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_4^2 -$
 $16 q_{12}^2 q_{23} q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_1 S_4^2 + 8 q_{12} q_{23} q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_1 S_4^2 + 6 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^4 S_1^2 S_4^2 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_4^2 +$
 $8 q_{12} q_{23} q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_2 S_4^2 + 4 q_{12} q_{23} q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_1 S_3 S_4^2 + 4 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_2 S_3 S_4^2 + 6 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_3^2 S_4^2 +$
 $8 q_{12} q_{23} q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_4^3 - 4 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^4 S_1 S_4^3 - 4 q_{12} q_{23} q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_2 S_4^3 - 4 q_{23} q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_3 S_4^3 + q_{34}^4 q_{41}^4 S_4^4$

In[8]:= **rhse = Expand**[rhs]

Out[8]= $64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 - 64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 - 64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 + 64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 -$
 $64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_3 + 64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_3 + 64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_3 - 64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 S_3 -$
 $64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_4 + 64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_4 + 64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_4 - 64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 S_4 +$
 $64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_3 S_4 - 64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_3 S_4 - 64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_3 S_4 + 64 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 S_3 S_4$

In[9]:= **res = lhse - rhse**

Out[9]=
$$\begin{aligned} & 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1^2 - 16 q_{12}^3 q_{23} q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1^2 + 8 q_{12}^3 q_{23} q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1^3 + q_{12}^4 q_{41}^4 S_1^4 + 32 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 - \\ & 32 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 - 16 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^2 S_1^2 S_2 + 8 q_{12}^3 q_{23} q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1^2 S_2 - 4 q_{12}^4 q_{23} q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1^3 S_2 - \\ & 16 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^2 S_2^2 + 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2^2 + 8 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2^2 - 16 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2^2 + \\ & 6 q_{12}^4 q_{23}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1^2 S_2^2 + 8 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^2 S_2^3 - 4 q_{12}^4 q_{23}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2^3 + q_{12}^4 q_{23}^2 S_2^4 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1^2 S_3 + \\ & 8 q_{12}^3 q_{23} q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1^2 S_3 - 4 q_{12}^3 q_{23} q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1^3 S_3 + 32 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_3 - 32 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_3 - \\ & 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 S_3 - 16 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 S_3 + 48 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 S_3 + 4 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^2 S_1^2 S_2 S_3 + \\ & 8 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^2 S_2^2 S_3 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2^2 S_3 + 4 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2^2 S_3 - 4 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 S_2^2 S_3 - \\ & 16 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_3^2 + 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_3^2 + 8 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_3^2 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_3^2 + \\ & 6 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1^2 S_3^2 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_3^2 + 8 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_3^2 + 4 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 S_3^2 + \\ & 6 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 S_2^2 S_3^2 + 8 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_3^3 - 4 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_3^3 - 4 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 S_2 S_3^3 + q_{12}^4 q_{23}^2 S_3^4 - \\ & 32 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_4 + 32 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_1 S_4 + 8 q_{12}^3 q_{23} q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1^2 S_4 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_1^2 S_4 - \\ & 4 q_{12}^3 q_{34} q_{41}^4 S_1^3 S_4 - 16 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 S_4 + 48 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 S_4 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_1 S_2 S_4 + \\ & 4 q_{12}^3 q_{23} q_{34} q_{41}^3 S_1^2 S_2 S_4 + 8 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^2 S_2^2 S_4 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2^2 S_4 + 4 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2^2 S_4 - \\ & 4 q_{12}^3 q_{23}^2 q_{34} q_{41}^2 S_2^2 S_4 - 32 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_3 S_4 + 32 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_3 S_4 + 48 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_3 S_4 - \\ & 16 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_3 S_4 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_1 S_3 S_4 + 4 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_1^2 S_3 S_4 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_3 S_4 + \\ & 48 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_3 S_4 - 16 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_3 S_4 - 40 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_2 S_3 S_4 + \\ & 4 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2^2 S_3 S_4 + 8 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_3^2 S_4 - 16 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_3^2 S_4 + 4 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_1 S_3^2 S_4 + \\ & 4 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_3^2 S_4 - 4 q_{23}^3 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_3^3 S_4 + 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_4^2 - 16 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_4^2 - \\ & 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_1 S_4^2 + 8 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_1 S_4^2 + 6 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_1^2 S_4^2 - 16 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_4^2 + \\ & 8 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_2 S_4^2 + 4 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_1 S_2 S_4^2 + 6 q_{12}^2 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_2^2 S_4^2 - 16 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_3 S_4^2 + \\ & 8 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_3 S_4^2 + 4 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_1 S_3 S_4^2 + 4 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_2 S_3 S_4^2 + 6 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^2 S_3^2 S_4^2 + \\ & 8 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_4^3 - 4 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^4 S_1 S_4^3 - 4 q_{12} q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_2 S_4^3 - 4 q_{23}^2 q_{34}^2 q_{41}^3 S_3 S_4^3 + q_{34}^2 q_{41}^4 S_4^4 \end{aligned}$$

In[10]:= **a₁ = {x₁, y₁, z₁}**

a₂ = {x₂, y₂, z₂}

a₃ = {x₃, y₃, z₃}

a₄ = {x₄, y₄, z₄}

Out[10]= {x₁, y₁, z₁}

Out[11]= {x₂, y₂, z₂}

Out[12]= {x₃, y₃, z₃}

Out[13]= {x₄, y₄, z₄}

In[14]:= **J[a₁_, a₂_] :=**

{a₁[[2]] × a₂[[3]] - a₁[[3]] × a₂[[2]], a₁[[3]] × a₂[[1]] - a₁[[1]] × a₂[[3]], a₁[[1]] × a₂[[2]] - a₁[[2]] × a₂[[1]]}

In[15]:= **quadrance[a₁_, a₂_] := 1 - (a₁[[1]] × a₂[[1]] + a₁[[2]] × a₂[[2]] + a₁[[3]] × a₂[[3]])² /**

((a₁[[1]] × a₁[[1]] + a₁[[2]] × a₁[[2]] + a₁[[3]] × a₁[[3]]) ×
(a₂[[1]] × a₂[[1]] + a₂[[2]] × a₂[[2]] + a₂[[3]] × a₂[[3]])

In[16]:= **spread[l₁_, l₂_] := 1 - (l₁[[1]] × l₂[[1]] + l₁[[2]] × l₂[[2]] + l₁[[3]] × l₂[[3]])² /**

((l₁[[1]] × l₁[[1]] + l₁[[2]] × l₁[[2]] + l₁[[3]] × l₁[[3]]) ×
(l₂[[1]] × l₂[[1]] + l₂[[2]] × l₂[[2]] + l₂[[3]] × l₂[[3]])

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In[17]:= q12 = quadrance[a1, a2]
q23 = quadrance[a2, a3]
q34 = quadrance[a3, a4]
q41 = quadrance[a4, a1]
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$$\text{Out[17]} = 1 - \frac{(x_1 x_2 + y_1 y_2 + z_1 z_2)^2}{(x_1^2 + y_1^2 + z_1^2)(x_2^2 + y_2^2 + z_2^2)}$$

$$\text{Out[18]} = 1 - \frac{(x_2 x_3 + y_2 y_3 + z_2 z_3)^2}{(x_2^2 + y_2^2 + z_2^2)(x_3^2 + y_3^2 + z_3^2)}$$

$$\text{Out[19]} = 1 - \frac{(x_3 x_4 + y_3 y_4 + z_3 z_4)^2}{(x_3^2 + y_3^2 + z_3^2)(x_4^2 + y_4^2 + z_4^2)}$$

$$\text{Out[20]} = 1 - \frac{(x_1 x_4 + y_1 y_4 + z_1 z_4)^2}{(x_1^2 + y_1^2 + z_1^2)(x_4^2 + y_4^2 + z_4^2)}$$

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In[21]:= L12 = J[a1, a2]
L23 = J[a2, a3]
L34 = J[a3, a4]
L41 = J[a4, a1]
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$$\text{Out[21]} = \{-y_2 z_1 + y_1 z_2, x_2 z_1 - x_1 z_2, -x_2 y_1 + x_1 y_2\}$$

$$\text{Out[22]} = \{-y_3 z_2 + y_2 z_3, x_3 z_2 - x_2 z_3, -x_3 y_2 + x_2 y_3\}$$

$$\text{Out[23]} = \{-y_4 z_3 + y_3 z_4, x_4 z_3 - x_3 z_4, -x_4 y_3 + x_3 y_4\}$$

$$\text{Out[24]} = \{y_4 z_1 - y_1 z_4, -x_4 z_1 + x_1 z_4, x_4 y_1 - x_1 y_4\}$$

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In[25]:= S1 = spread[L41, L12]
          S2 = spread[L12, L23]
          S3 = spread[L23, L34]
          S4 = spread[L34, L41]
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$$\text{Out[25]} = \frac{1 - ((-x_2 y_1 + x_1 y_2)(x_4 y_1 - x_1 y_4) + (x_2 z_1 - x_1 z_2)(-x_4 z_1 + x_1 z_4) + (-y_2 z_1 + y_1 z_2)(y_4 z_1 - y_1 z_4))^2}{(((-x_2 y_1 + x_1 y_2)^2 + (x_2 z_1 - x_1 z_2)^2 + (-y_2 z_1 + y_1 z_2)^2)((x_4 y_1 - x_1 y_4)^2 + (-x_4 z_1 + x_1 z_4)^2 + (y_4 z_1 - y_1 z_4)^2))}$$

$$\text{Out[26]} = \frac{1 - ((-x_2 y_1 + x_1 y_2)(-x_3 y_2 + x_2 y_3) + (x_2 z_1 - x_1 z_2)(x_3 z_2 - x_2 z_3) + (-y_2 z_1 + y_1 z_2)(-y_3 z_2 + y_2 z_3))^2}{(((-x_2 y_1 + x_1 y_2)^2 + (x_2 z_1 - x_1 z_2)^2 + (-y_2 z_1 + y_1 z_2)^2)((-x_3 y_2 + x_2 y_3)^2 + (x_3 z_2 - x_2 z_3)^2 + (-y_3 z_2 + y_2 z_3)^2))}$$

$$\text{Out[27]} = \frac{1 - ((-x_3 y_2 + x_2 y_3)(-x_4 y_3 + x_3 y_4) + (x_3 z_2 - x_2 z_3)(x_4 z_3 - x_3 z_4) + (-y_3 z_2 + y_2 z_3)(-y_4 z_3 + y_3 z_4))^2}{(((-x_3 y_2 + x_2 y_3)^2 + (x_3 z_2 - x_2 z_3)^2 + (-y_3 z_2 + y_2 z_3)^2)((-x_4 y_3 + x_3 y_4)^2 + (x_4 z_3 - x_3 z_4)^2 + (-y_4 z_3 + y_3 z_4)^2))}$$

$$\text{Out[28]} = \frac{1 - ((x_4 y_1 - x_1 y_4)(-x_4 y_3 + x_3 y_4) + (-x_4 z_1 + x_1 z_4)(x_4 z_3 - x_3 z_4) + (y_4 z_1 - y_1 z_4)(-y_4 z_3 + y_3 z_4))^2}{((x_4 y_1 - x_1 y_4)^2 + (-x_4 z_1 + x_1 z_4)^2 + (y_4 z_1 - y_1 z_4)^2)((-x_4 y_3 + x_3 y_4)^2 + (x_4 z_3 - x_3 z_4)^2 + (-y_4 z_3 + y_3 z_4)^2)}$$

The next cell may take a long time to execute since the q's and the S's in the "res" equation are being substituted with the x's, y's and z's in the q's and S's expressions above and the whole thing is being factored. A result of zero indicates that the criteria for compatible equations in the quadratic compatibility theorem has been met.

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In[29]:= result = Factor[res]
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Out[29]= 0
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We have proved that the two quadratic equations in B are compatible.