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ABOUT AN INEQUALITY BY ELDENIZ HESENOV-II

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1) In $\triangle ABC$, I – incenter, R_a, R_b, R_c – circumradii of $\triangle BIC, \triangle CIA, \triangle AIB$ the following relationship holds:

$$\sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{a}{R_a}\right)^2} + \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{b}{R_b}\right)^2} + \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{c}{R_c}\right)^2} \leq 5$$

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Lemma 1. 2) In $\triangle ABC$, I – incenter, R_a – circumradii of $\triangle BIC$, then:

$$R_a = 2R \sin \frac{A}{2}$$

Proof. Using identity $F = \frac{abc}{4R}$ in $\triangle BIC$, we get:

$$\begin{aligned} R_a &= \frac{IB \cdot IC \cdot BC}{4F_{\triangle BIC}} = \frac{IB \cdot IC \cdot a}{4 \frac{IB \cdot IC \cdot \sin(\angle BIC)}{2}} = \frac{a}{2 \cos \frac{A}{2}} = \frac{2R \cdot \sin A}{2 \cos \frac{A}{2}} = \\ &= \frac{2R \cdot 2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2}}{2 \cos \frac{A}{2}} = 2R \cdot \sin \frac{A}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Lemma 2. 3) In $\triangle ABC$, I – incenter, R_a – circumradii of $\triangle BIC$, then:

$$\sum \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{a}{R_a}\right)^2} = \sum \sqrt[3]{4 \cos^2 \frac{A}{2}}$$

Proof. Using identity: $R_a = 2r \cdot \sin \frac{A}{2}$, we get:

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$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{a}{R_a}\right)^2} &= \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{2R\sin A}{2R\sin\frac{A}{2}}\right)^2} = \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{\sin A}{\sin\frac{A}{2}}\right)^2} = \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{2\sin\frac{A}{2}\cos\frac{A}{2}}{\sin\frac{A}{2}}\right)^2} = \sqrt[3]{4\cos^2\frac{A}{2}} \\ &= \sqrt[3]{4\frac{s(s-a)}{bc}} \end{aligned}$$

Let's get back to the main problem.

Using Lemma and AM-GM, we get:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{a}{R_a}\right)^2} &= \sum \sqrt[3]{4\cos^2\frac{A}{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{9}} \sum \sqrt[3]{4\cos^2\frac{A}{2} \cdot 3 \cdot 3} \leq \\ &\leq \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{9}} \sum \frac{4\cos^2\frac{A}{2} + 3 + 3}{3} = \frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{9}} \sum \left(2\cos^2\frac{A}{2} + 3\right) = \\ &= \frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{9}} \left(2 \sum \cos^2\frac{A}{2} + 9\right) = \frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{9}} \left(2\frac{4R+r}{2R} + 9\right) = \frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{9}} \left(13 + \frac{r}{R}\right) \end{aligned}$$

From $R \geq 2r$ (Euler), we have:

$$\frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{9}} \left(13 + \frac{r}{R}\right) \geq \frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{9}} \left(13 + \frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{9}} \frac{27}{2} = 3\sqrt[3]{3} < 5$$

Remark. Let's find reverse inequality:

4) In $\triangle ABC$, I – incenter, R_a, R_b, R_c – circumradii of $\triangle BIC, \triangle CIA, \triangle AIB$

the following relationship holds:

$$\sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{a}{R_a}\right)^2} + \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{b}{R_b}\right)^2} + \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{c}{R_c}\right)^2} \geq 9\sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{2r}{R}\right)^2}$$

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Using Lemma and AM-GM inequality, we get:

$$\sum \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{a}{R_a}\right)^2} = \sum \sqrt[3]{4\cos^2\frac{A}{2}} \geq 3\sqrt[3]{64 \prod \cos^2\frac{A}{2}} = 12\sqrt[3]{\prod \cos^2\frac{A}{2}} =$$

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$$= 12 \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{s}{4R}\right)^2} \stackrel{\text{Mitrinovic}}{\geq} \underset{s^2 \geq 27r^2}{12 \sqrt[3]{\frac{27r^2}{16R^2}}} = 9 \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{2r}{R}\right)^2}.$$

Equality holds if and only if triangle is equilateral.

5) In $\triangle ABC$, I – incenter, R_a, R_b, R_c – circumradii of $\triangle BIC, \triangle CIA, \triangle AIB$

the following relationship holds:

$$9 \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{2r}{R}\right)^2} \leq \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{a}{R_a}\right)^2} + \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{b}{R_b}\right)^2} + \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{c}{R_c}\right)^2} \leq \frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{9}} \left(13 + \frac{r}{R}\right)$$

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For RHS, using Lemma and AM-GM inequality, we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{a}{R_a}\right)^2} &= \sum \sqrt[3]{4\cos^2 \frac{A}{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{9}} \sum \sqrt[3]{4\cos^2 \frac{A}{2} \cdot 3 \cdot 3} \leq \\ &\leq \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{9}} \sum \frac{4\cos^2 \frac{A}{2} + 3 + 3}{3} = \frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{9}} \sum \left(2\cos^2 \frac{A}{2} + 3\right) = \\ &= \frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{9}} \left(2 \sum \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} + 9\right) = \frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{9}} \left(2 \frac{4R+r}{2R} + 9\right) = \frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{9}} \left(13 + \frac{r}{R}\right) \end{aligned}$$

Equality holds if and only if triangle is equilateral.

For LHS, using Lemma and AM-GM, we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{a}{R_a}\right)^2} &= \sum \sqrt[3]{4\cos^2 \frac{A}{2}} \geq 3 \sqrt[3]{64 \prod \cos^2 \frac{A}{2}} = 12 \sqrt[3]{\prod \cos^2 \frac{A}{2}} = \\ &= 12 \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{s}{4R}\right)^2} \stackrel{\text{Mitrinovic}}{\geq} \underset{s^2 \geq 27r^2}{12 \sqrt[3]{\frac{27r^2}{16R^2}}} = 9 \sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{2r}{R}\right)^2}. \end{aligned}$$

Equality holds if and only if triangle is equilateral.

Remark. In same class of problems.

5) In $\triangle ABC$, I – incenter, R_a, R_b, R_c – circumradii of $\triangle BIC, \triangle CIA, \triangle AIB$

the following relationship holds:

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$$3\sqrt[3]{\frac{s}{4R}} \leq \frac{a}{R_a} + \frac{b}{R_b} + \frac{c}{R_c} \leq \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

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Lemma 1. 6) In $\triangle ABC$, I –incenter, R_a, R_b, R_c –circumradii of $\triangle BIC, \triangle CIA, \triangle AIB$ the following relationship holds:

$$R_a = 2r \sin \frac{A}{2}$$

Proof. Using identity $F = \frac{abc}{4R}$ in $\triangle BIC$, we have:

$$\begin{aligned} R_a &= \frac{IB \cdot IC \cdot BC}{4F_{\triangle BIC}} = \frac{IB \cdot IC \cdot a}{4 \frac{IB \cdot IC \cdot \sin(BIC)}{2}} = \frac{a}{2 \cos \frac{A}{2}} = \frac{2R \cdot \sin A}{2 \cos \frac{A}{2}} = \\ &= \frac{2R \cdot 2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2}}{2 \cos \frac{A}{2}} = 2R \cdot \sin \frac{A}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Lemma 2. 7) In $\triangle ABC$, I –incenter, R_a, R_b, R_c –circumradii of $\triangle BIC, \triangle CIA, \triangle AIB$ the following relationship holds:

$$\frac{a}{R_a} + \frac{b}{R_b} + \frac{c}{R_c} = 2 \sum \cos \frac{A}{2}$$

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Proof. Using $a = 2R \sin A, R_a = 2r \sin \frac{A}{2}$, we have:

$$\sum \frac{a}{R_a} = \sum \frac{2R \sin A}{2R \sin \frac{A}{2}} = \sum \frac{2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2}}{\sin \frac{A}{2}} = 2 \sum \cos \frac{A}{2}$$

Let's get back to the main problem.

For RHS, using Lemma and Jensen inequality, we have:

$$\sum \cos \frac{A}{2} \leq \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} \Rightarrow \sum \frac{a}{R_a} = \sum \cos \frac{A}{2} \leq \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

For LHS, using Lemma and Jensen inequality, we have:

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$$\sum \frac{a}{R_a} = \sum \cos \frac{A}{2} \geq 3 \sqrt[3]{\prod \cos \frac{A}{2}} = 3 \sqrt[3]{\frac{s}{4R}}$$

Equality holds if and only if triangle is equilateral.

8) In $\triangle ABC$, I – incenter, R_a, R_b, R_c – circumradii of $\triangle BIC, \triangle CIA, \triangle AIB$

the following relationship holds:

$$\frac{18r}{R} \leq \left(\frac{a}{R_a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{b}{R_b}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{c}{R_c}\right)^2 \leq 9$$

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Lemma 1. 9) In $\triangle ABC$, I – incenter, R_a, R_b, R_c – circumradii of

$\triangle BIC, \triangle CIA, \triangle AIB$ the following relationship holds:

$$R_a = 2r \sin \frac{A}{2}$$

Proof. Using identity $F = \frac{abc}{4R}$ in $\triangle BIC$, we have:

$$\begin{aligned} R_a &= \frac{IB \cdot IC \cdot BC}{4F_{\triangle BIC}} = \frac{IB \cdot IC \cdot a}{4 \frac{IB \cdot IC \cdot \sin(\angle BIC)}{2}} = \frac{a}{2 \cos \frac{A}{2}} = \frac{2R \cdot \sin A}{2 \cos \frac{A}{2}} = \\ &= \frac{2R \cdot 2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2}}{2 \cos \frac{A}{2}} = 2R \cdot \sin \frac{A}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Lemma 2. 10)) In $\triangle ABC$, I – incenter, R_a, R_b, R_c – circumradii of

$\triangle BIC, \triangle CIA, \triangle AIB$ the following relationship holds:

$$\left(\frac{a}{R_a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{b}{R_b}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{c}{R_c}\right)^2 = 8 + \frac{2r}{R}$$

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Proof. Using $a = 2r \sin A, R_a = 2R \sin \frac{A}{2}$, we get:

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$$\begin{aligned}\sum \left(\frac{a}{R_a}\right)^2 &= \sum \left(\frac{2R \sin A}{2R \sin \frac{A}{2}}\right)^2 = \sum \left(\frac{\sin A}{\sin \frac{A}{2}}\right)^2 = \sum \left(\frac{2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2}}{\sin \frac{A}{2}}\right)^2 = \\ &= 4 \sum \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} = 4 \left(2 + \frac{r}{2R}\right) = 4 \left(2 + \frac{r}{2R}\right) = 8 + \frac{2r}{R}.\end{aligned}$$

Let's get back to the main problem.

For RHS, using Lemma and Euler inequality, we have:

$$\sum \left(\frac{a}{R_a}\right)^2 = 8 + \frac{2r}{R} \stackrel{\text{Euler}}{\leq} 8 + 1 = 9$$

For LHS, using Lemma and Euler inequality, we get:

$$\sum \left(\frac{a}{R_a}\right)^2 = \frac{2(4R+r)}{R} \stackrel{\text{Euler}}{\geq} \frac{2(8r+r)}{R} = \frac{18r}{R}$$

Equality holds if and only if triangle is equilateral.

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