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In  $\triangle ABC$  the following relationship holds:

$$\begin{aligned} n_a g_a &\geq r_b r_c, & b^2 + c^2 &= n_a^2 + g_a^2 + 2r r_a, & 2bc &= 2r_b r_c + 2r r_a \\ & & 4m_a^2 &= n_a^2 + g_a^2 + 2r_b r_c \\ g_a^2 &\geq \frac{(r_b r_c)^2}{n_a^2} \Rightarrow n_a^2 + g_a^2 + 2r_b r_c \geq n_a^2 + 2r_b r_c + \left(\frac{r_b r_c}{n_a}\right)^2 \\ \Rightarrow 4m_a^2 &\geq n_a^2 + \left(\frac{r_b r_c}{n_a}\right)^2 + 2n_a \cdot \frac{r_b r_c}{n_a} \Rightarrow 2m_a \geq n_a + \frac{r_b r_c}{n_a}; \quad (1) \end{aligned}$$

Adding these up relations, it follows:

$$2(m_a + m_b + m_c) \geq \sum_{cyc} n_a + \sum_{cyc} \frac{r_b r_c}{n_a}; \quad (2)$$

$$8m_a m_b m_c \geq \prod_{cyc} \left(n_a + \frac{r_b r_c}{n_a}\right); \quad (3)$$

$$2m_a - n_a \geq \frac{r_b r_c}{n_a} \Rightarrow \prod_{cyc} (2m_a - n_a) \geq \frac{(r_a r_b r_c)^2}{n_a n_b n_c}; \quad (4)$$

$$n_a (2m_a - n_a) \geq r_b r_c \Rightarrow 2m_a n_a \geq n_a^2 + r_b r_c; \quad (5)$$

$$\because r_a r_b + r_b r_c + r_c r_a = s^2 \Rightarrow 2 \sum_{cyc} m_a n_a = s^2 + \sum_{cyc} n_a^2; \quad (6)$$

$$\because n_a^2 + n_b^2 + n_c^2 \geq n_a n_b + n_b n_c + n_c n_a \Rightarrow 2 \sum_{cyc} m_a n_a \geq s^2 + \sum_{cyc} n_a n_b; \quad (7)$$

$$\text{But } n_a n_b + n_b n_c + n_c n_a \geq s^2 \Rightarrow \sum_{cyc} m_a n_a \geq s^2; \quad (8)$$

$$\because n_a^2 + n_b^2 + n_c^2 = \frac{s^2(3R-r) - r(4R+r)^2}{R} \Rightarrow$$

$$2 \sum_{cyc} m_a n_a \geq s^2 + \frac{s^2(3R-r) - r(4R+r)^2}{R} \Rightarrow$$

$$\sum_{cyc} m_a n_a \geq \frac{s^2(4R-r) - r(4R+r)^2}{2R}; \quad (9)$$

$$8m_a n_a \geq 4n_a^2 + 4r_b r_c \Rightarrow 8m_a n_a - 2r_b r_c \geq 4n_a^2 + 2r_b r_c$$

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$$\because (b - c)^2 = n_a^2 + g_a^2 - 2r_b r_c$$

$$4(n_a - m_a)^2 = 4m_a^2 + 4n_a^2 - 8n_a m_a = n_a^2 + g_a^2 + 2r_b r_c + 4n_a^2 - 8n_a m_a$$

$$\Rightarrow 8m_a n_a - 2r_b r_c \geq 4n_a^2 + 2r_b r_c$$

$$\Rightarrow n_a^2 + g_a^2 + 8m_a n_a - 2r_b r_c \geq n_a^2 + g_a^2 + 4n_a^2 + 2r_b r_c \Rightarrow (b - c)^2 \geq 4(n_a - m_a)^2$$

$$\frac{1}{4}(b - c)^2 \geq (n_a - m_a)^2 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}|b - c| \geq n_a - m_a$$

So, we get a new inequality:

$$\frac{1}{2}|b - c| \geq n_a - m_a; \quad (10)$$

Adding, it follows  $\frac{1}{2}\sum_{cyc}|b - c| \geq \sum_{cyc}(n_a - m_a)$

But  $\frac{1}{2}\sum_{cyc}|b - c| = \max\{a, b, c\} - \min\{a, b, c\}$  hence,

$$\max\{a, b, c\} - \min\{a, b, c\} \geq \sum_{cyc}(n_a - m_a); \quad (11)$$

$$\because \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}|b - c| \geq m_a - s_a \\ \frac{1}{2}|b - c| \geq n_a - m_a \end{cases} \Rightarrow |b - c| \geq n_a - s_a; \quad (12)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{cyc}|b - c| \geq \sum_{cyc}(n_a - s_a); \quad (13)$$

$$\Rightarrow \max\{a, b, c\} - \min\{a, b, c\} \geq \frac{1}{2}\sum_{cyc}(n_a - s_a); \quad (14)$$

$$\because \begin{cases} |b - c| \geq n_a - g_a \\ |b - c| \geq n_a - s_a \end{cases} \Rightarrow 2|b - c| \geq 2n_a - g_a - s_a$$

$$\Rightarrow |b - c| \geq \frac{1}{2}(2n_a - g_a - s_a); \quad (15)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{cyc}|b - c| \geq \frac{1}{2}\sum_{cyc}(2n_a - s_a - g_a); \quad (16)$$

$$\Rightarrow \max\{a, b, c\} - \min\{a, b, c\} \geq \frac{1}{4}\sum_{cyc}(2n_a - g_a - s_a); \quad (17)$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \because n_a g_a \geq m_a w_a &\Rightarrow n_a \geq \frac{m_a w_a}{g_a} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} |b-c| \geq \frac{m_a w_a}{g_a} - m_a \\ \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} |b-c| &\geq \frac{m_a (w_a - g_a)}{g_a} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{|b-c|}{m_a} \geq \frac{w_a}{g_a} - 1; \quad (18) \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \sum_{cyc} \frac{|b-c|}{m_a} \geq \frac{w_a}{g_a} + \frac{w_b}{g_b} + \frac{w_c}{g_c} - 3; \quad (19)$$

$$|b-c| \geq \frac{m_a w_a}{g_a} - s_a; \quad (20)$$

$$\max\{a, b, c\} - \min\{a, b, c\} \geq \frac{1}{2} \sum_{cyc} \left( \frac{m_a w_a}{g_a} - s_a \right); \quad (21)$$

$$\because \frac{n_a^2}{h_a^2} = 1 + \frac{(b-c)^2}{4R^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} |b-c| \geq n_a - m_a &\Rightarrow \frac{|b-c|}{2r} \geq \frac{n_a - m_a}{r} \Rightarrow \frac{(b-c)^2}{4r^2} \geq \frac{(n_a - m_a)^2}{r^2} \Rightarrow \\ \frac{n_a^2}{h_a^2} &\geq \frac{r^2 + (n_a - m_a)^2}{r^2} \Rightarrow \frac{n_a}{m_a} \geq \frac{\sqrt{(n_a - m_a)^2 + r^2}}{r}; \quad (22) \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{n_a}{h_a} + \frac{n_b}{h_b} + \frac{n_c}{h_c} \geq \sum_{cyc} \frac{\sqrt{(n_a - m_a)^2 + r^2}}{r}; \quad (23)$$

$$\because \frac{r}{h_a} \geq \frac{\sqrt{(n_a - m_a)^2 + r^2}}{n_a^2}, \quad \frac{1}{h_a} + \frac{1}{h_b} + \frac{1}{h_c} = \frac{1}{r} \Rightarrow$$

$$1 \geq \sum_{cyc} \frac{\sqrt{(n_a - m_a)^2 + r^2}}{n_a^2}; \quad (24)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{From } |b-c| \geq n_a - s_a &\Rightarrow (b-c)^2 \geq (n_a - s_a)^2 = n_a^2 + s_a^2 - 2n_a s_a \\ n_a^2 + g_a^2 - 2r_b r_c &= n_a^2 + s_a^2 - 2n_a s_a \Rightarrow s_a(2n_a - s_a) \geq 2r_b r_c - g_a^2 \Rightarrow \end{aligned}$$

$$s_a(2n_a - s_a) \geq 2r_b r_c - g_a^2; \quad (25)$$

$$\because s_a \geq \frac{2r_b r_c - g_a^2}{2n_a - s_a} \Rightarrow s_a + s_b + s_c \geq \sum_{cyc} \frac{2r_b r_c - g_a^2}{2n_a - s_a}; \quad (26)$$

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$$\because r_b r_c \geq w_a^2 \Leftrightarrow s(s-a) \geq w_a^2 \Rightarrow$$

$$s_a + s_b + s_c \geq \sum_{cyc} \frac{2w_a^2 - g_a^2}{2n_a - s_a}; \quad (27)$$

$$s_a s_b s_c \geq \prod_{cyc} \frac{2r_b r_c - g_a^2}{2n_a - s_a}; \quad (28)$$

$$s_a s_b s_c \geq \prod_{cyc} \frac{2w_a^2 - g_a^2}{2n_a - s_a}; \quad (29)$$

$$\because 2n_a - s_a \geq \frac{2r_b r_c - g_a^2}{s_a} \Rightarrow 2n_a \geq s_a + \frac{2r_b r_c - g_a^2}{s_a}; \quad (30)$$

$$\because 2n_a \geq s_a + \frac{2r_b r_c - g_a^2}{s_a}, \quad g_a^2 = (s-a)^2 + 2rh_a$$

$$2r_b r_c - g_a^2 = 2s(s-a) - g_a^2 = 2s(s-a) - (s-a)^2 - 2rh_a$$

$$2r_b r_c - g_a^2 = (s-a)(2s-s+a) - 2rh_a$$

$$2r_b r_c - g_a^2 = (s-a)(s+a) - 2rh_a = s^2 - a^2 - 2rh_a$$

$$s^2 = n_a^2 + 2r_a h_a \Rightarrow 2r_b r_c - g_a^2 = n_a^2 - a^2 + 2h_a - a^2 - 2rh_a$$

$$\Rightarrow 2n_a \geq s_a + \frac{n_a^2 - a^2 + 2h_a(r_a - r)}{s_a}; \quad (31)$$

$$2 \sum_{cyc} n_a \geq \sum_{cyc} s_a + \sum_{cyc} \frac{n_a^2 - a^2 + 2h_a(r_a - r)}{s_a}; \quad (32)$$

$$\because s^2 = n_a^2 + 2r_a h_a \Rightarrow s^2 - n_a^2 = 2r_a h_a \Rightarrow (s+n_a)(s-n_a) = 2r_a h_a$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{s-n_a}{h_a} = \frac{2r_a}{s+n_a} \Rightarrow \frac{s}{h_a} = \frac{n_a}{h_a} + \frac{2r_a}{s+n_a}, \quad \frac{s}{h_a} = \frac{a}{2r}$$

$$\frac{a}{2r} = \frac{n_a}{h_a} + \frac{2r_a}{s+n_a}$$

$$\frac{n_a}{h_a} \geq \frac{\sqrt{(n_a - m_a)^2 + r^2}}{r} \Rightarrow \frac{a - \sqrt{(n_a - m_a)^2 + r^2}}{2r} \geq \frac{2r_a}{s+n_a}$$

$$a - 2\sqrt{(n_a - m_a)^2 + r^2} \geq \frac{4rr_a}{s+n_a} = \frac{4(s-b)(s-c)}{s+n_a}$$

$$a \geq 2\sqrt{(n_a - m_a)^2 + r^2} + \frac{4rr_a}{s+n_a} = \frac{4(s-b)(s-c)}{s+n_a}; \quad (33)$$

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$$s \geq \sum_{cyc} \left( \sqrt{(n_a - m_a)^2 + r^2} + \frac{2(s-b)(s-c)}{s+n_a} \right); \quad (34)$$

$$\because \frac{s}{s-a} = \frac{h_a}{h_a-2r} = \frac{r_a}{r} \Rightarrow \frac{s-a}{h_a-2r} = \frac{s}{h_a} \cdot \frac{1}{h_a} + \frac{1}{h_b} + \frac{1}{h_c} = \frac{1}{r} \cdot \frac{s-a}{h_a-2r} = \frac{a}{2r}$$

$$\frac{s-a}{h_a-2r} \geq \frac{\sqrt{(n_a - m_a)^2 + r^2}}{r} + \frac{2r_a}{s+n_a}; \quad (35)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{s}{r} = \sum_{cyc} \frac{s-a}{h_a-2r} \geq \sum_{cyc} \frac{\sqrt{(n_a - m_a)^2 + r^2}}{r} + \frac{2r_a}{s+n_a}; \quad (36)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \because \frac{s^2}{h_a^2} &= \frac{n_a^2}{h_a^2} + \frac{2r_a}{h_a} \Rightarrow \frac{a^2}{4r^2} = \frac{n_a^2}{h_a^2} + \frac{2r_a}{h_a} \\ \frac{r}{2R} \cdot \frac{r_a}{ha} &= \frac{r_a-r}{4R} = \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} \Rightarrow \frac{r_a}{h_a} = \frac{r_a-r}{2r} \\ \frac{a^2}{4r^2} &= \frac{n_a^2}{h_a^2} + \frac{r_a-r}{r} \geq \frac{(n_a - m_a)^2 + r^2}{r^2} + \frac{r_a-r}{r} \\ \frac{a^2}{4R^2} &\geq \frac{(n_a - m_a)^2}{r^2} + 1 - 1 + \frac{r_a}{r} = \frac{(n_a - m_a)^2 + (s-b)(s-c)}{r^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a^2}{4} \geq (n_a - m_a)^2 + (s-b)(s-c), r r_a = (s-b)(s-c) \Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{a}{2} \geq \sqrt{(n_a - m_a)^2 + (s-b)(s-c)}; \quad (37)$$

$$s \geq \sum_{cyc} \sqrt{(n_a - m_a)^2 + (s-b)(s-c)}; \quad (38)$$

$$2 \sum_{cyc} m_a n_a \geq s^2 + \sum_{cyc} n_a^2$$

$$2 \sum_{cyc} m_a n_a \geq \left[ \sum_{cyc} \sqrt{(n_a - m_a)^2 + (s-b)(s-c)} \right]^2 + \sum_{cyc} n_a^2; \quad (39)$$

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