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If  $a, b, c > 0$  then:

$$\frac{a^{n+1}b^nc + c^{2n+1}a}{b^{n+1}(a^{n+1} + c^{n+1})} + \frac{b^{n+1}c^na + a^{2n+1}b}{c^{n+1}(a^{n+1} + b^{n+1})} + \frac{c^{n+1}a^nb + b^{2n+1}c}{a^{n+1}(b^{n+1} + c^{n+1})} \geq 3$$

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Walter Janous inequality:  $a, b, c$  and  $x, y, z$  be positive real numbers then

$$\frac{x}{y+z}(b+c) + \frac{y}{z+x}(c+a) + \frac{z}{x+y}(a+b) \geq \sqrt{3(ab+bc+ca)} \quad (1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{a^{n+1}b^nc + c^{2n+1}a}{b^{n+1}(a^{n+1} + c^{n+1})} &= \frac{1}{b^{n+1}} \frac{a^{n+1}b^nc + c^{2n+1}a}{a^{n+1}c^{n+1}} = \frac{1}{b^{n+1}} \frac{\left(\frac{b^n}{c^n} + \frac{c^n}{a^n}\right)}{\frac{1}{a^{n+1}} + \frac{1}{c^{n+1}}} \\ &= \frac{\frac{1}{b^{n+1}}}{\frac{1}{a^{n+1}} + \frac{1}{c^{n+1}}} \left(\frac{b^n}{c^n} + \frac{c^n}{a^n}\right) \quad (2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Similarly } \frac{b^{n+1}c^na + a^{2n+1}b}{c^{n+1}(a^{n+1} + b^{n+1})} = \frac{\frac{1}{c^{n+1}}}{\frac{1}{a^{n+1}} + \frac{1}{b^{n+1}}} \left(\frac{c^n}{a^n} + \frac{a^n}{b^n}\right) \text{ and}$$

$$\frac{c^{n+1}a^nb + b^{2n+1}c}{a^{n+1}(b^{n+1} + c^{n+1})} = \frac{\frac{1}{a^{n+1}}}{\frac{1}{b^{n+1}} + \frac{1}{c^{n+1}}} \left(\frac{b^n}{c^n} + \frac{a^n}{b^n}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{a^{n+1}b^nc + c^{2n+1}a}{b^{n+1}(a^{n+1} + c^{n+1})} + \frac{b^{n+1}c^na + a^{2n+1}b}{c^{n+1}(a^{n+1} + b^{n+1})} + \frac{c^{n+1}a^nb + b^{2n+1}c}{a^{n+1}(b^{n+1} + c^{n+1})} = \\ &= \frac{\frac{1}{b^{n+1}}}{\frac{1}{a^{n+1}} + \frac{1}{c^{n+1}}} \left(\frac{b^n}{c^n} + \frac{c^n}{a^n}\right) + \frac{\frac{1}{c^{n+1}}}{\frac{1}{a^{n+1}} + \frac{1}{b^{n+1}}} \left(\frac{c^n}{a^n} + \frac{a^n}{b^n}\right) + \frac{\frac{1}{a^{n+1}}}{\frac{1}{b^{n+1}} + \frac{1}{c^{n+1}}} \left(\frac{b^n}{c^n} + \frac{a^n}{b^n}\right) \stackrel{(1)}{\geq} \\ &\geq \sqrt{3 \left( \left(\frac{b^n}{c^n} \cdot \frac{c^n}{a^n}\right) + \left(\frac{c^n}{a^n} \cdot \frac{a^n}{b^n}\right) + \left(\frac{b^n}{c^n} \cdot \frac{a^n}{b^n}\right) \right)} \stackrel{AM-GM}{\geq} \\ &\geq \sqrt{9 \left( \left( \left(\frac{b^n}{c^n} \cdot \frac{c^n}{a^n}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{c^n}{a^n} \cdot \frac{a^n}{b^n}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{b^n}{c^n} \cdot \frac{a^n}{b^n}\right) \right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \right)} = 3 \end{aligned}$$

Equality holds for  $a = b = c$