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In $\triangle ABC$ the following relationship holds:

$$\frac{b+c-a}{m_a} + \frac{a+c-b}{m_b} + \frac{a+b-c}{m_c} \leq 2R \left(\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} \right)$$

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$$(a+b+c) \left(\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} \right) \stackrel{CBS}{\geq} 9 \quad (1)$$

$$\sum \sqrt{s-a} \stackrel{CBS}{\leq} \sqrt{3(3s-a-b-c)} = \sqrt{3s} \quad (2)$$

$$\frac{b+c-a}{m_a} + \frac{a+c-b}{m_b} + \frac{a+b-c}{m_c} \stackrel{m_a \geq \sqrt{s(s-a)}}{\leq}$$

$$\frac{2(s-a)}{\sqrt{s(s-a)}} + \frac{2(s-b)}{\sqrt{s(s-b)}} + \frac{2(s-c)}{\sqrt{s(s-c)}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{s}} \sum \sqrt{s-a} \stackrel{(2)}{\leq} \frac{2}{\sqrt{s}} \cdot \sqrt{3s} = 2\sqrt{3} =$$

$$= 2 \cdot \frac{9}{3\sqrt{3}} \stackrel{(1)}{\leq} \frac{2}{3\sqrt{3}} (a+b+c) \left(\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} \right) = \frac{4s}{3\sqrt{3}} \left(\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} \right) \stackrel{Mitrinovic}{\leq}$$

$$\leq \frac{4(3\sqrt{3}R)}{3\sqrt{3}} \left(\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} \right) = 2R \left(\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} \right)$$

Equality holds for $a = b = c$.