

ROMANIAN MATHEMATICAL MAGAZINE

In any ΔABC , the following relationship holds :

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{(h_a^3 + h_a^2 w_b + w_b^3)^5}{(w_a^3 + w_a^2 m_b + m_b^3)^3} + \frac{(h_b^3 + h_b^2 w_c + w_c^3)^5}{(w_b^3 + w_b^2 m_c + m_c^3)^3} + \frac{(h_c^3 + h_c^2 w_a + w_a^3)^5}{(w_c^3 + w_c^2 m_a + m_a^3)^3} \\ & \geq \frac{6^9 \cdot r^{15}}{(9R^3 - 64r^3)^3} \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{(h_a^3 + h_a^2 w_b + w_b^3)^5}{(w_a^3 + w_a^2 m_b + m_b^3)^3} + \frac{(h_b^3 + h_b^2 w_c + w_c^3)^5}{(w_b^3 + w_b^2 m_c + m_c^3)^3} + \frac{(h_c^3 + h_c^2 w_a + w_a^3)^5}{(w_c^3 + w_c^2 m_a + m_a^3)^3} \\ & \geq \sum_{\text{cyc}} \frac{(h_a^3 + h_a^2 h_b + h_b^3)^5}{(m_a^3 + m_a^2 m_b + m_b^3)^3} \stackrel{\text{Panaaitopol}}{\geq} \sum_{\text{cyc}} \frac{(h_a^3 + h_a^2 h_b + h_b^3)^5}{\frac{R^9}{512r^9} * (h_a^3 + h_a^2 h_b + h_b^3)^3} \\ & \geq \frac{512r^9}{R^9} \sum_{\text{cyc}} (h_a h_b (h_a + h_b) + h_a^2 h_b)^2 = \frac{512r^9}{R^9} h_a^2 h_b^2 h_c^2 \sum_{\text{cyc}} \left(\frac{2h_a + h_b}{h_c} \right)^2 \geq \\ & \quad \frac{512r^9}{R^9} * \frac{4r^4 s^4}{R^2} * \frac{1}{3} \left(2 \sum_{\text{cyc}} \frac{h_b}{h_a} + \sum_{\text{cyc}} \frac{h_a}{h_b} \right)^2 \stackrel{\text{Gerretsen}}{\geq} \\ & \quad \frac{512r^9}{R^9} * r^4 \left(\frac{27Rr + 5r(R - 2r)}{R} \right)^2 * \frac{1}{3} \left(2 \sum_{\text{cyc}} \frac{h_b}{h_a} + \sum_{\text{cyc}} \frac{h_a}{h_b} \right)^2 \stackrel{\text{Euler and A-G}}{\geq} \\ & \frac{512r^9}{R^9} * r^4 * 729r^2 * \frac{1}{3} * (6 + 3)^2 = \frac{6^9 * r^{15}}{R^9} \stackrel{?}{\geq} \frac{6^9 * r^{15}}{(9R^3 - 64r^3)^3} \Leftrightarrow 9R^3 - 64r^3 \stackrel{?}{\geq} R^3 \\ & \Leftrightarrow 8R^3 \stackrel{?}{\geq} 64r^3 \Leftrightarrow R \stackrel{?}{\geq} 2r \rightarrow \text{true via Euler} \therefore \frac{(h_a^3 + h_a^2 w_b + w_b^3)^5}{(w_a^3 + w_a^2 m_b + m_b^3)^3} + \\ & \quad \frac{(h_b^3 + h_b^2 w_c + w_c^3)^5}{(w_b^3 + w_b^2 m_c + m_c^3)^3} + \frac{(h_c^3 + h_c^2 w_a + w_a^3)^5}{(w_c^3 + w_c^2 m_a + m_a^3)^3} \geq \frac{6^9 * r^{15}}{(9R^3 - 64r^3)^3} \\ & \quad \nabla \Delta ABC, " = " \text{ iff } \Delta ABC \text{ is equilateral (QED)} \end{aligned}$$