

# ROMANIAN MATHEMATICAL MAGAZINE

**In any  $\Delta ABC$ , the following relationship holds :**

$$\frac{m_a + m_b}{(w_a + w_b)^2} + \frac{w_b + w_c}{(h_b + h_c)^2} + \frac{h_c + h_a}{(m_c + m_a)^2} \leq \frac{1}{2r} \cdot \left( \frac{81}{32} \cdot \left( \frac{R}{r} \right)^5 - 80 \right)$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{m_a + m_b}{(w_a + w_b)^2} + \frac{w_b + w_c}{(h_b + h_c)^2} + \frac{h_c + h_a}{(m_c + m_a)^2} \leq \\
& \frac{m_a + m_b}{(h_a + h_b)^2} + \frac{m_b + m_c}{(h_b + h_c)^2} + \frac{m_c + m_a}{(h_c + h_a)^2} \stackrel{\text{Panaitopol}}{\leq} \frac{R}{2r} \cdot \sum_{\text{cyc}} \frac{h_b + h_c}{(h_b + h_c)^2} \\
& = \frac{R}{2r} \cdot 2R \sum_{\text{cyc}} \frac{1}{ca + ab} \stackrel{\text{A-G}}{\leq} \frac{R^2}{2r} \cdot \sum_{\text{cyc}} \frac{1}{a\sqrt{bc}} = \frac{R^2}{2r} \cdot \sum_{\text{cyc}} \left( \sqrt{\frac{1}{ab}} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{1}{ac}} \right) \\
& \stackrel{\text{CBS}}{\leq} \frac{R^2}{2r} \cdot \sqrt{\sum_{\text{cyc}} \frac{1}{ab}} \cdot \sqrt{\sum_{\text{cyc}} \frac{1}{ab}} = \frac{R^2}{2r} \cdot \frac{2s}{4Rrs} \\
& \therefore \frac{m_a + m_b}{(w_a + w_b)^2} + \frac{w_b + w_c}{(h_b + h_c)^2} + \frac{h_c + h_a}{(m_c + m_a)^2} \leq \frac{R}{4r^2} \rightarrow (1) \\
& \text{Again, } \frac{1}{2r} \cdot \left( \frac{81}{32} \cdot \left( \frac{R}{r} \right)^5 - 80 \right) \stackrel{\text{Euler}}{\geq} \frac{1}{2r} \cdot \left( \frac{81}{32} \cdot 16 \left( \frac{R}{r} \right) - 80 \right) \\
& \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2r} \cdot \left( \frac{81}{32} \cdot \left( \frac{R}{r} \right)^5 - 80 \right) \geq \frac{81R - 160r}{4r^2} = \frac{80(R - 2r)}{4r^2} + \frac{R}{4r^2} \stackrel{\text{Euler}}{\geq} \frac{R}{4r^2} \\
& \stackrel{\text{via (1)}}{\geq} \frac{m_a + m_b}{(w_a + w_b)^2} + \frac{w_b + w_c}{(h_b + h_c)^2} + \frac{h_c + h_a}{(m_c + m_a)^2} \\
& \therefore \frac{m_a + m_b}{(w_a + w_b)^2} + \frac{w_b + w_c}{(h_b + h_c)^2} + \frac{h_c + h_a}{(m_c + m_a)^2} \\
& \leq \frac{1}{2r} \cdot \left( \frac{81}{32} \cdot \left( \frac{R}{r} \right)^5 - 80 \right) \forall \Delta ABC, ''='' \text{ iff } \Delta ABC \text{ is equilateral (QED)}
\end{aligned}$$