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In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $G$  – centroid,  $X, Y, Z$  – circumradii of  $\triangle BCG, \triangle CAG, \triangle ABG$ .

Prove that:

$$\frac{\sin A}{X m_a} = \frac{\sin B}{Y m_b} = \frac{\sin C}{Z m_c}$$

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$$BG = \frac{2}{3} m_b, CG = \frac{2}{3} m_c, AG = \frac{2}{3} m_a,$$

$$\text{area of the } \triangle ABC = F \text{ then } [BGC] = [CGA] = [AGB] = \frac{F}{3},$$

$$X = \frac{BG \cdot CG \cdot BC}{4[BGC]} = \frac{\frac{2}{3} m_b \frac{2}{3} m_c \cdot a}{\frac{4F}{3}} = \frac{am_b m_c}{3F}, \text{ similarly } Y = \frac{bm_c m_a}{3F} \text{ and } Z = \frac{cm_a m_b}{3F}$$

$$\frac{\sin A}{X m_a} = \frac{a}{2R} \cdot \frac{3F}{am_a m_b m_c} = \frac{3F}{2R} \cdot \frac{1}{m_a m_b m_c}$$

$$\frac{\sin B}{Y m_b} = \frac{b}{2R} \cdot \frac{3F}{bm_a m_b m_c} = \frac{3F}{2R} \cdot \frac{1}{m_a m_b m_c}$$

$$\frac{\sin C}{Z m_c} = \frac{c}{2R} \cdot \frac{3F}{cm_a m_b m_c} = \frac{3F}{2R} \cdot \frac{1}{m_a m_b m_c}$$

$$\frac{\sin A}{X m_a} = \frac{\sin B}{Y m_b} = \frac{\sin C}{Z m_c}$$