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If $x, y, z > 0$ then in $\triangle ABC$ the following relationship holds:

$$\frac{x}{y+z} \sin^2 A + \frac{y}{z+x} \sin^2 B + \frac{z}{x+y} \sin^2 C \geq \frac{9}{8} \left(\frac{R}{2r} \right)^{-2}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{x}{y+z} \sin^2 A + \frac{y}{z+x} \sin^2 B + \frac{z}{x+y} \sin^2 C = \\ & = \frac{1}{4R^2} \left(\frac{x}{y+z} a^2 + \frac{y}{z+x} b^2 + \frac{z}{x+y} c^2 \right) \stackrel{\text{Tsintsifas}}{\geq} \\ & \geq \frac{1}{4R^2} 2\sqrt{3} F \stackrel{\text{Mitrinovic}}{\geq} \frac{1}{4R^2} 2\sqrt{3}r \cdot 3\sqrt{3}r = \frac{9}{8} \left(\frac{2r}{R} \right)^2 = \frac{9}{8} \left(\frac{R}{2r} \right)^{-2} \end{aligned}$$

Equality for $A = B = C$ and $x = y = z$.