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In ΔABC the following relationship holds:

$$\frac{w_a + h_a + r_a}{R + r + r_a} \leq \frac{h_a}{2r}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \frac{w_a}{h_a} &= \frac{2\sqrt{bc(s-a)}}{b+c} \frac{2R}{bc} = \frac{4R\sqrt{s(s-a)}}{\sqrt{bc}(2s-a)} = \frac{4R\sqrt{s(s-a)}}{\sqrt{bc}(2(s-a)+a)} \stackrel{AM-GM}{\leq} \\ &\leq \frac{4R\sqrt{s(s-a)}}{\sqrt{bc}2\sqrt{2(s-a).a}} = \frac{2R\sqrt{s}}{\sqrt{2abc}} = \frac{2R\sqrt{s}}{\sqrt{8Rrs}} = \sqrt{\frac{R}{2r}} \quad (1) \end{aligned}$$

We need to show:

$$\frac{w_a + h_a + r_a}{R + r + r_a} \leq \frac{h_a}{2r} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{w_a + h_a + r_a}{h_a} \leq \frac{R + r + r_a}{2r} \quad \text{or} \quad 1 + \frac{w_a + r_a}{h_a} \leq \frac{R}{2r} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{r_a}{2r}$$

$$\text{or} \quad \frac{w_a}{h_a} + \frac{r_a}{h_a} \leq \frac{R}{2r} + \frac{r_a}{2r} - \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{w_a}{h_a} + \frac{r_a}{h_a} \leq \frac{R}{2r} + \frac{rs}{2r(s-a)} - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{or} \quad \frac{w_a}{h_a} + \frac{r_a}{h_a} \leq \frac{R}{2r} + \frac{a}{2(s-a)}$$

$$\text{or} \quad \sqrt{\frac{R}{2r} + \frac{F}{s-a} \frac{a}{2F}} \leq \frac{R}{2r} + \frac{a}{2(s-a)} \quad \text{or} \quad \sqrt{\frac{R}{2r} + \frac{a}{2(s-a)}} \leq \frac{R}{2r} + \frac{a}{2(s-a)} \quad \text{or}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{R}{2r}} \leq \frac{R}{2r} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{R}{2r} \leq \frac{R^2}{4r^2} \quad \text{or} \quad R \geq 2r \quad \text{Euler}$$

Equality holds for an equilateral triangle.