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In  $\triangle ABC$  the following relationship holds:

$$\frac{\tan \frac{A}{2}}{\sin B + \sin C} + \frac{\tan \frac{B}{2}}{\sin C + \sin A} + \frac{\tan \frac{C}{2}}{\sin A + \sin B} \geq 1$$

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*WLOG*  $a \geq b \geq c$  then  $\sin A \geq \sin B \geq \sin C$  and  $\tan \frac{A}{2} \geq \tan \frac{B}{2} \geq \tan \frac{C}{2}$

$$\frac{\tan \frac{A}{2}}{\sin B + \sin C} + \frac{\tan \frac{B}{2}}{\sin C + \sin A} + \frac{\tan \frac{C}{2}}{\sin A + \sin B} \geq$$

$$\stackrel{\text{Chebyshev}}{\geq} \frac{1}{3} \left( \sum \tan \frac{A}{2} \right) \left( \sum \frac{1}{\sin B + \sin C} \right) \stackrel{\text{CBS}}{\geq} \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{4R+r}{s} \cdot \frac{(1+1+1)^2}{2 \sum \sin A} =$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{4R+r}{s} \cdot \frac{9R}{2s} = \frac{3R(4R+r)}{2s^2} \stackrel{\text{Gerretsen}}{\geq} \frac{12R^2 + 3Rr}{2(4R^2 + 4Rr + 3r^2)} = \frac{12R^2 + 3Rr}{(8R^2 + 8Rr + 6r^2)}$$

*We need to show,:*

$$\frac{12R^2 + 3Rr}{(8R^2 + 8Rr + 6r^2)} \geq 1 \text{ or } 12R^2 + 3Rr \geq 8R^2 + 8Rr + 6r^2$$

$$\text{or } 4R^2 - 5Rr - 6r^2 \geq 0 \text{ or } (R - 2r)(4R + 3r) \geq 0 \text{ Euler}$$

Equality holds for an equilateral triangle.