

A BEAUTIFUL EQUIVALENCE

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ABSTRACT. In this paper we prove the equivalence of Gerretsen's inequality in triangle and the algebraic Schur's inequality.

Gerretsen's inequality: In $\triangle ABC$ the following relationship holds:
 $s^2 \geq 16Rr - 5r^2$ (s - semiperimeter, r - in radii, R - circumradii)
 Schur's inequality: If $x, y, z > 0$ then:

$$x^3 + y^3 + z^3 + 3xyz \geq xy(x+y) + yz(y+z) + zx(z+x)$$

The proof of equivalence:

$$\begin{aligned} s^2 &\geq 16Rr - 5r^2 \text{ (Gerretsen)} \rightarrow s^2 + r^2 + 4r^2 \geq 16Rr \rightarrow \\ &\frac{s^2 + r^2}{4Rr} + \frac{r}{R} \geq 4 \rightarrow \frac{s^2 + r^2}{4Rr} + 1 + \frac{r}{R} \geq 5 \rightarrow \\ &\frac{s^2 + r^2 + 4Rr}{4Rr} + \frac{r}{R} \geq 5 \rightarrow \frac{ab + bc + ca}{4Rr} + \frac{r}{R} \geq 5 \rightarrow \\ &\frac{s(ab + bc + ca)}{4Rrs} + \frac{r}{R} \geq 5 \rightarrow \frac{s(ab + bc + ca)}{4RF} + \frac{r}{R} \geq 5 \rightarrow \\ &s \cdot \frac{ab + bc + ca}{abc} + \frac{r}{R} \geq 5 \rightarrow s\left(\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c}\right) + \frac{r}{R} \geq 5 \rightarrow \\ a = y + z, b = z + x, c = x + y, s = x + y + z, \frac{r}{R} &= \frac{4xyz}{(x+y)(y+z)(z+x)} \\ (x+y+z)\left(\frac{1}{x+y} + \frac{1}{y+z} + \frac{1}{z+x}\right) + \frac{4xyz}{(x+y)(y+z)(z+x)} &\geq 5 \\ (x+y+z)\frac{(x+y)(y+z) + (y+z)(z+x) + (z+x)(x+y)}{(x+y)(y+z)(z+x)} + \frac{4xyz}{(x+y)(y+z)(z+x)} &\geq 5 \\ (x+y+z)[(x+y)(y+z) + (y+z)(z+x) + (z+x)(x+y)] + 4xyz &\geq \\ &\geq 5(x+y)(y+z)(z+x) \end{aligned}$$

Let $p = x + y + z, q = xy + yz + zx, r = xyz$

$$\begin{aligned} (1) &\Leftrightarrow p(p^2 + q) + 4r \geq 5(pq - r) \Leftrightarrow p^3 + 9r \geq 4pq \\ &\Leftrightarrow p^3 - 3pq + 3r + 3r \geq pq - 3r \\ &x^3 + y^3 + z^3 = p^3 - 3pq + 3r \\ &xy(x+y) + yz(y+z) + zx(z+x) = pq - 3r \\ &x^3 + y^3 + z^3 + 3xyz \geq xy(x+y) + yz(y+z) + zx(z+x) \end{aligned}$$

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