

# INEQUALITIES WITH CIRCUMPEDAL EXTENSIONS OF THREE CONCURRENT CEVIANS IN A TRIANGLE

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**ABSTRACT.** In this paper we define the circumpedal extensions for concurrent cevians in a triangle and give some applications of its.

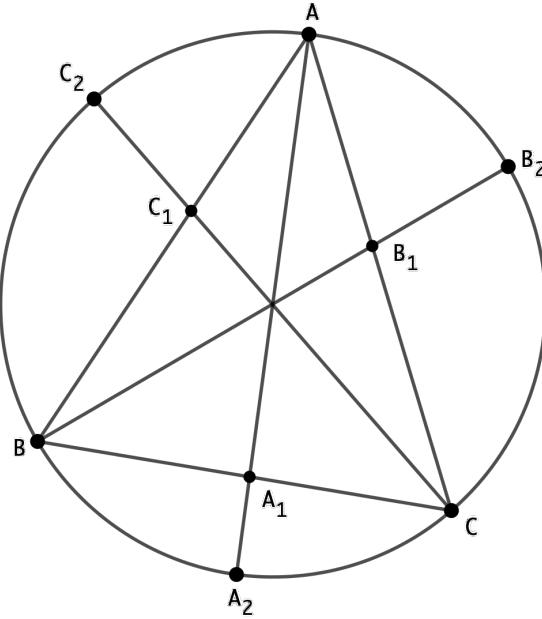
Main result:

Let  $k_a, k_b, k_c$  be the circumpedal extensions of three concurrent cevians in  $\Delta ABC$ . Denote  $AA_1 = c_a, BB_1 = c_b, CC_1 = c_c, A_1 \in (BC), B_1 \in (CA), C_1 \in (AB)$  and  $A_2, B_2, C_2$  intersection points between cevians and circumcircle;  $(A, A_1, A_2); (B, B_1, B_2); (C, C_1, C_2)$  collinears. If  $BA_1 = x; CB_1 = y, AC_1 = z, x \in (0, a], y \in (0, b]; z \in (0, c], k_a = AA_2, k_b = BB_2, k_c = CC_2$  then:

$$(1) \quad k_a + k_b + k_c \geq 6\sqrt[3]{xyz(a-x)(b-y)(c-z)}$$

$$(2) \quad k_a \cdot k_b \cdot k_c \geq 8\sqrt{xyz(a-x)(b-y)(c-z)}$$

*Proof.*



$$\rho(A_1) = A_1B \cdot A_1C = x(a-x) \quad (\text{power of the point } A_1 \text{ to circumcircle})$$

$$\rho(A_1) = AA_1 \cdot A_1A_2 = c_a \cdot A_1A_2$$

$$c_a \cdot A_1A_2 = x(a-x) \Rightarrow A_1A_2 = \frac{x(a-x)}{c_a}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
k_a &= AA_1 + A_1A_2 = c_a + \frac{x(a-x)}{c_a} \stackrel{\text{AM-GM}}{\geq} 2\sqrt{c_a \cdot \frac{x(a-x)}{c_a}} = 2\sqrt{x(a-x)} \\
(3) \quad k_a &\geq 2\sqrt{x(a-x)} \\
(4) \quad k_b &\geq 2\sqrt{y(a-y)} \\
(5) \quad k_c &\geq 2\sqrt{z(a-z)} \\
k_a \cdot k_b \cdot k_c &\stackrel{(3);(4);(5)}{\geq} 8\sqrt{xyz(a-x)(b-y)(c-z)} \\
k_a + k_b + k_c &= c_a + \frac{x(a-x)}{c_a} + c_b + \frac{y(b-y)}{c_b} + c_c + \frac{z(c-z)}{c_c} \geq \\
&\stackrel{\text{AM-GM}}{\geq} 6 \cdot \sqrt[6]{c_a \cdot c_b \cdot c_c \cdot \frac{x(a-x)}{c_a} \cdot \frac{y(b-y)}{c_b} \cdot \frac{z(c-z)}{c_c}} = \\
&= 6\sqrt[6]{xyz(a-x)(b-y)(c-z)}
\end{aligned}$$

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### 1. CENTROID

For centroid we denote  $AA_2 = g_a; BB_2 = g_b; CC_2 = g_c$

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{A_1B}{A_1C} = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{A_1B}{A_1C + A_1B} = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow A_1B = \frac{a}{2} \\
x = \frac{a}{2}; y = \frac{b}{2}; z = \frac{c}{2} \\
g_a = m_a + \frac{x(a-x)}{m_a} = m_b + \frac{\frac{a}{2}(a - \frac{a}{2})}{m_a} = \\
= m_a + \frac{\frac{a}{2} \cdot \frac{a}{2}}{m_a} = m_a + \frac{a^2}{4m_a} \\
g_b = m_b + \frac{b^2}{4m_b}; g_c = m_c + \frac{c^2}{4m_c}
\end{aligned}$$

The inequalities (1); (2) can be written:

$$\begin{aligned}
g_a g_b g_c &\geq 8\sqrt{\frac{a}{2} \cdot \frac{b}{2} \cdot \frac{c}{2} \left(a - \frac{a}{2}\right) \left(b - \frac{b}{2}\right) \left(c - \frac{c}{2}\right)} = \\
&= 8\sqrt{\frac{abc}{8} \cdot \frac{abc}{8}} = 8\sqrt{\left(\frac{abc}{8}\right)^2} = \frac{8}{8}\sqrt{abc} = abc \\
g_a + g_b + g_c &\geq 6\sqrt[6]{\frac{a}{2} \cdot \frac{b}{2} \cdot \frac{c}{2} \left(a - \frac{a}{2}\right) \left(b - \frac{b}{2}\right) \left(c - \frac{c}{2}\right)} = \\
&= 6\sqrt[6]{\left(\frac{abc}{8}\right)^2} = 6\sqrt[3]{\frac{abc}{8}} = 3\sqrt[3]{abc}
\end{aligned}$$

### 2. INCENTRE

For incentre we denote  $AA_2 = i_a; BB_2 = i_b; CC_2 = i_c$

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{A_1B}{A_1C} = \frac{c}{b} \Rightarrow \frac{A_1B}{A_1B + A_1C} = \frac{c}{c+b} \Rightarrow \frac{A_1B}{a} = \frac{c}{b+c} \\
A_1B = \frac{ac}{b+c}; x = \frac{ac}{b+c}; y = \frac{ba}{c+a}; z = \frac{cb}{a+b}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 i_a &= w_a + \frac{x(a-x)}{w_a} = w_a + \frac{\frac{ac}{b+c}(a - \frac{ac}{b+c})}{w_a} = \\
 &= w_a = \frac{ac(ab+ac-ac)}{w_a(b+c)^2} = w_a + \frac{a^2bc}{w_a(b+c)^2} \\
 i_a &= w_a + \frac{a^2bc}{w_a(b+c)^2}; i_b = w_b + \frac{ab^2c}{w_b(c+a)^2}; i_c = w_c + \frac{abc^2}{w_c(a+b)^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

The inequalities (1); (2) can be written:

$$\begin{aligned}
 i_a i_b i_c &\geq 8\sqrt{\frac{ac}{b+c} \cdot \frac{cb}{c+a} \cdot \frac{ac}{a+b} \cdot \left(a - \frac{ac}{b+c}\right) \cdot \left(b - \frac{ba}{c+a}\right) \cdot \left(c - \frac{ab}{a+b}\right)} = \\
 &= 8\sqrt{\frac{a^2b^2c^2}{(a+b)^2(b+c)^2(c+a)^2} \cdot ab \cdot bc \cdot ca} = \\
 &= 8\sqrt{\frac{a^4b^4c^4}{(a+b)^2(b+c)^2(c+a)^2}} = \frac{8a^2b^2c^2}{(a+b)(b+c)(c+a)} \\
 i_a + i_b + i_c &\geq 6\sqrt[6]{\frac{ac}{b+c} \cdot \frac{cb}{c+a} \cdot \frac{ac}{a+b} \left(a - \frac{ac}{b+c}\right) \left(b - \frac{ba}{c+a}\right) \left(c - \frac{cb}{a+b}\right)} = \\
 &= 6\sqrt[6]{\frac{a^4b^4c^4}{(a+b)^2(b+c)^2(c+a)^2}} = 6\sqrt[3]{\frac{a^2b^2c^2}{(a+b)(b+c)(c+a)}}
 \end{aligned}$$

### 3. LEMOINE POINT

For Lemoine point we denote  $AA_2 = L_a; BB_2 = L_b; CC_2 = L_c; \frac{A_1B}{A_1C} = \frac{c^2}{b^2} \Rightarrow \frac{A_1B}{A_1B+A_1C} = \frac{c^2}{c^2+a^2}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{A_1B}{a} &= \frac{c^2}{c^2+b^2} \Rightarrow A_1B = \frac{ac^2}{c^2+b^2} \\
 x &= \frac{ac^2}{c^2+b^2}; y = \frac{ba^2}{a^2+c^2}; z = \frac{cb^2}{c^2+a^2} \\
 L_a &= s_a + \frac{x(a-x)}{s_a} = s_a + \frac{\frac{ac^2}{c^2+b^2}(a - \frac{ac^2}{c^2+b^2})}{s_a} = \\
 &= s_a + \frac{ac^2(ac^2+ab^2-ac^2)}{s_a(b^2+c^2)^2} = s_a + \frac{a^2b^2c^2}{s_a(b^2+c^2)^2} \\
 L_a &= s_a + \frac{a^2b^2c^2}{s_a(b^2+c^2)^2}; L_b = s_b + \frac{a^2b^2c^2}{s_b(c^2+a^2)^2}; L_c = s_c + \frac{a^2b^2c^2}{s_c(a^2+b^2)^2} \\
 L_a L_b L_c &\geq 8\sqrt{\frac{ac^2}{c^2+b^2} \cdot \frac{ba^2}{a^2+c^2} \cdot \frac{cb^2}{c^2+a^2} \left(a - \frac{ac^2}{c^2+b^2}\right) \left(b - \frac{ba^2}{a^2+c^2}\right) \left(c - \frac{cb^2}{b^2+a^2}\right)} = \\
 &= 8\sqrt{\frac{a^3b^3c^3}{(a^2+b^2)^2(b^2+c^2)^2(c^2+a^2)^2} \cdot b^2a \cdot c^2b \cdot a^2c} = \\
 &= \frac{8a^3b^3c^3}{(a^2+b^2)(b^2+c^2)(c^2+a^2)} \\
 L_a + L_b + L_c &\geq 6\sqrt[6]{\frac{ac^2}{c^2+b^2} \cdot \frac{ba^2}{a^2+c^2} \cdot \frac{cb^2}{c^2+a^2} \left(a - \frac{ac^2}{c^2+b^2}\right) \left(b - \frac{ba^2}{a^2+c^2}\right) \left(c - \frac{cb^2}{b^2+a^2}\right)} = \\
 &= 6\sqrt[6]{\frac{a^6b^6c^6}{(a^2+b^2)^2(b^2+c^2)^2(c^2+a^2)^2}} = \frac{6abc}{\sqrt[3]{(a^2+b^2)(b^2+c^2)(c^2+a^2)}}
 \end{aligned}$$

#### 4. CIRCUMCENTRE

For circumcenter we denote

$$\begin{aligned}
 AA_2 = O_a; BB_2 = O_b; CC_2 = O_c; \frac{A_1B}{A_1C} = \frac{\sin 2C}{\sin 2B} \Rightarrow \frac{A_1B}{A_1B + A_1C} = \frac{\sin 2C}{\sin 2C + \sin 2B} \\
 \frac{A_1B}{a} = \frac{\sin 2C}{\sin 2C + \sin 2B} \Rightarrow A_1B = \frac{a \sin 2C}{\sin 2C + \sin 2B} \\
 x = \frac{a \sin 2C}{\sin 2C + \sin 2B}; y = \frac{b \sin 2A}{\sin 2A + \sin 2C}; z = \frac{c \sin 2B}{\sin 2B + \sin 2A} \\
 O_a \cdot O_b \cdot O_c \geq 8 \sqrt{a^2 b^2 c^2 \cdot \prod_{cyc} \frac{\sin 2C}{\sin 2C + \sin 2B} \left(1 - \frac{\sin 2C}{\sin 2C + \sin 2B}\right)} = \\
 = 8abc \sqrt{\prod_{cyc} \frac{\sin 2C \sin 2B}{(\sin 2C + \sin 2B)^2}} = \\
 = \frac{8abc \sin 2A \sin 2B \sin 2C}{(\sin 2A + \sin 2B)(\sin 2B + \sin 2C)(\sin 2C + \sin 2A)} \\
 O_a + O_b + O_c \geq 8 \sqrt[6]{a^2 b^2 c^2 \prod_{cyc} \frac{\sin 2B \sin 2C}{(\sin 2B + \sin 2C)^2}} = \\
 = 8 \sqrt[3]{\frac{abc \sin 2A \sin 2B \sin 2C}{(\sin 2A + \sin 2B)(\sin 2B + \sin 2C)(\sin 2C + \sin 2A)}}
 \end{aligned}$$

#### 5. GERGONE POINT

For Gergonne's point we denote

$$\begin{aligned}
 AA_2 = G_a, BB_2 = G_b, CC_2 = G_c; \frac{A_1B}{A_1C} = \frac{\frac{1}{s-c}}{\frac{1}{s-b}} = \frac{s-b}{s-c} \\
 \frac{A_1B}{A_1B + A_1C} = \frac{s-b}{s-b+s-c} \Rightarrow \frac{A_1B}{a} = \frac{s-b}{a} \Rightarrow A_1B = s-b \\
 x = s-b; y = s-c; z = s-a \\
 G_a \cdot G_b \cdot G_c \geq 8 \sqrt{(s-b)(s-c)(s-a)(a-s+b)(b-s+c)(c-s+a)} = \\
 = 8 \sqrt[6]{\frac{1}{s} \cdot s^2 \left(a+b-\frac{a+b+c}{2}\right) \left(b+c-\frac{a+b+c}{2}\right) \left(a+c-\frac{a+b+c}{2}\right)} = \\
 = 8S \sqrt{\frac{1}{s} \cdot \frac{(a+b-c)(b+c-a)(c+a-b)}{8}} = \\
 = 4s \sqrt{\frac{(a+b-c)(b+c-a)(c+a-b)}{s}} \\
 G_a + G_b + G_c \geq 6 \sqrt[6]{(s-b)(s-c)(s-a)(a-s+b)(b-s+c)(c-s+a)} = \\
 = 6 \sqrt[6]{\frac{S^2}{s} \cdot \frac{(a+b-c)(b+c-a)(c+a-b)}{8}} = \\
 = 6 \sqrt[6]{\frac{(a+b-c)(b+c-a)(c+a-b)S^2}{8s}}
 \end{aligned}$$

#### 6. NAGEL POINT

For Nagel's point we denote

$$AA_2 = N_a, BB_2 = N_b, CC_2 = N_c; \frac{A_1B}{A_1C} = \frac{s-c}{s-b} \Rightarrow$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Rightarrow \frac{A_1B}{A_1B + A_1C} &= \frac{s - c}{s - c + s - b} \Rightarrow \frac{A_1B}{a} = \frac{s - c}{a} \Rightarrow A_1B = s - c \\
 x &= s - c; y = s - a; z = s - b \\
 N_a \cdot N_b \cdot N_c &\geq 8\sqrt{(s - c)(s - a)(s - c)(a - s + c)(b - s + a)(c - s + b)} = \\
 &= 8\sqrt{\frac{1}{s} \cdot S^2 \left( a + c - \frac{a + b + c}{2} \right) \left( b + a - \frac{a + b + c}{2} \right) \left( c + b - \frac{a + b + c}{2} \right)} = \\
 &= 8\sqrt{\frac{S^2}{s} \cdot \frac{a + c - b}{2} \cdot \frac{b + a - c}{2} \cdot \frac{c + b - a}{2}} = \\
 &= \frac{8S}{2} \sqrt{\frac{(a + c - b)(b + a - c)(c + b - a)}{2s}} = \\
 &= 4S\sqrt{\frac{(a + c - b)(b + a - c)(c + b - a)}{2s}} \\
 N_a + N_b + N_c &\geq 6\sqrt[6]{(s - c)(s - a)(s - c)(a - s + c)(b - s + a)(c - s + b)} = \\
 &= 6\sqrt[6]{\frac{1}{s} \cdot S^2 \cdot \frac{(a + c - b)(b + a - c)(c + b - a)}{8s}} = \\
 &= 6\sqrt[6]{\frac{(a + c - b)(b + a - c)(c + b - a)S^2}{8s^2}}
 \end{aligned}$$

## 7. ORTHOCENTRE

For orthocenter in acute  $\Delta ABC$  we denote:

$$\begin{aligned}
 AA_2 &= H_a, BB_2 = H_b, CC_2 = H_c \\
 \frac{A_1B}{A_1C} &= \frac{\tan C}{\tan B} \Rightarrow \frac{A_1B}{A_1B + A_1C} = \frac{\tan C}{\tan C + \tan B} \Rightarrow \\
 \Rightarrow \frac{A_1B}{a} &= \frac{\tan C}{\tan C + \tan B} \Rightarrow A_1B = \frac{a \tan C}{\tan C + \tan B} \\
 x &= \frac{a \tan C}{\tan C + \tan B}; y = \frac{b \tan A}{\tan A + \tan C}; z = \frac{c \tan B}{\tan C + \tan A} \\
 H_a H_b H_c &\geq 8\sqrt{\prod_{cyc} \frac{a \tan C}{\tan C + \tan B} \left( a - \frac{a \tan C}{\tan C + \tan B} \right)} = \\
 &= 8\sqrt{a^2 b^2 c^2 \cdot \frac{\tan^2 C \cdot \tan^2 B \cdot \tan^2 A}{(\tan C + \tan B)(\tan A + \tan C)(\tan B + \tan A)}} \\
 &= \frac{8abc \tan A \tan B \tan C}{(\tan A + \tan B)(\tan B + \tan C)(\tan C + \tan A)} \\
 H_a + H_b + H_c &\geq 6\sqrt[6]{\frac{a^2 b^2 c^2 \tan^2 A \tan^2 B \tan^2 C}{(\tan A + \tan B)(\tan B + \tan C)(\tan C + \tan A)}}
 \end{aligned}$$