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In $\triangle ABC$ the following relationship holds:

$$(i) \sum \frac{\sqrt{a}}{\sqrt{b} + \sqrt{c}} + \frac{R^4}{r^4} \geq 16 + \sum \frac{m_a}{m_b + m_c}$$

$$(ii) \sum \frac{\sqrt{a}}{\sqrt{b} + \sqrt{c}} + \frac{R^5}{r^5} \geq 32 + \sum \frac{w_a}{w_b + w_c}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} (i) \sum \frac{m_a}{m_b + m_c} &\stackrel{AM-GM}{\leq} \sum \frac{m_a}{2\sqrt{m_b m_c}} \stackrel{CBS}{\leq} \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\left(\sum m_a^2\right) \left(\sum \frac{1}{m_b m_c}\right)} \stackrel{Leibniz}{\leq} \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\left(\frac{3}{4} 9R^2\right) \left(\frac{m_a + m_b + m_c}{m_a m_b m_c}\right)} \stackrel{Leunberger \& m_a \geq \sqrt{s(s-a)}}{\leq} \\ &\leq \frac{3R}{4} \sqrt{\frac{3(4R+r)}{s^2 r}} \stackrel{Doucet}{\leq} \frac{3R}{4} \sqrt{\frac{3(4R+r)}{3r(4R+r)r}} = \frac{3R}{4r} \text{ and } \sum \frac{\sqrt{a}}{\sqrt{b} + \sqrt{c}} \stackrel{Nestbitt}{\geq} \frac{3}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{We need to show: } \sum \frac{\sqrt{a}}{\sqrt{b} + \sqrt{c}} + \frac{R^4}{r^4} \geq 16 + \sum \frac{m_a}{m_b + m_c}$$

$$\frac{3}{2} + \frac{R^4}{r^4} \geq 16 + \frac{3R}{4r}$$

$$4R^4 - 3Rr^3 - 58r^4 \geq 0$$

$$(R - 2r)(4R^3 + 8R^2r + 16Rr^2 + 29r^3) \geq 0 \text{ true (Euler)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (ii) \sum \frac{w_a}{w_b + w_c} &\stackrel{AM-HM}{\leq} \frac{1}{4} \sum \left(\frac{w_a}{w_b} + \frac{w_a}{w_c}\right) \stackrel{CBS}{\leq} \frac{1}{4} \cdot 2 \sqrt{\left(\sum w_a^2\right) \left(\sum \frac{1}{w_a^2}\right)} \stackrel{h_a \leq w_a \leq \sqrt{s(s-a)}}{\leq} \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\left(\sum s(s-a)\right) \left(\sum \frac{1}{h_a^2}\right)} = \frac{1}{4r} \sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2} \stackrel{Leibniz}{\leq} \frac{3R}{2r} \end{aligned}$$

We need to show:

$$\sum \frac{\sqrt{a}}{\sqrt{b} + \sqrt{c}} + \frac{R^5}{r^5} \geq 32 + \sum \frac{w_a}{w_b + w_c}$$

$$\frac{3}{2} + \frac{R^5}{r^5} \geq 32 + \frac{3R}{4r}$$

$$4R^5 - 3Rr^4 - 122r^5 \geq 0$$

$$(R - 2r)(4R^4 + 8R^3r + 16R^2r^2 + 32Rr^3 + 61r^4) \geq 0 \text{ true}$$

Equality holds for an equilateral triangle.