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Let  $M$  be an interior point in triangle  $ABC$  with the area  $F$  and  $d_a, d_b, d_c$  the distances of point  $M$  to the sides  $BC, CA, AB$ . Prove that:

$$\frac{a^3}{d_a} + \frac{b^3}{d_b} + \frac{c^3}{d_c} \geq 24F$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \frac{a^3}{d_a} + \frac{b^3}{d_b} + \frac{c^3}{d_c} &= \frac{a^4}{ad_a} + \frac{b^4}{bd_b} + \frac{c^4}{cd_c} \stackrel{\text{Bergstrom}}{\geq} \\ &\geq \frac{(a^2 + b^2 + c^2)^2}{ad_a + bd_b + cd_c} \stackrel{\text{Ionescu-Weitzenbock}}{\geq} \frac{(4\sqrt{3}F)^2}{2F} = 24F \end{aligned}$$

Equality holds for :

$$a = b = c \text{ and } d_a = d_b = d_c = r$$