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In $\triangle ABC$ the following relationship holds:

$$\frac{x}{y+z}w_a^2 + \frac{y}{z+x}w_c^2 + \frac{z}{x+y}w_c^2 \geq 27r^2 - \frac{s^2}{2}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \sum w_a w_b \stackrel{w_a \geq h_a}{\geq} \sum h_a h_b &= 4F^2 \sum \frac{1}{ab} = 4F^2 \frac{a+b+c}{abc} = 4F^2 \frac{2s}{4RF} = \frac{2Fs}{R} = \\ &= \frac{2rs^2}{R} \stackrel{s^2 \geq \frac{27Rr}{2}}{\geq} \frac{2r}{R} \cdot \frac{27Rr}{2} = 27r^2 \quad (1) \\ \frac{x}{y+z}w_a^2 + \frac{y}{z+x}w_c^2 + \frac{z}{x+y}w_c^2 &= \\ = \sum \frac{x}{y+z}w_a^2 &= \sum \left(\frac{x}{y+z} + 1 - 1 \right) w_a^2 = (x+y+z) \sum \frac{w_a^2}{y+z} - \sum w_a^2 \stackrel{CBS}{\geq} \\ &\geq (x+y+z) \frac{(\sum w_a)^2}{2(x+y+z)} - \sum w_a^2 = \frac{(\sum w_a)^2}{2} - \sum w_a^2 = \\ &= \frac{\sum w_a^2 + 2 \sum w_a w_b}{2} - \sum w_a^2 = \\ &= \sum w_a w_b - \frac{1}{2} \sum w_a^2 \stackrel{w_a \leq \sqrt{s(s-a)} \text{ \& (1)}}{\geq} 27r^2 - \frac{1}{2} \sum s(s-a) = 27r^2 - \frac{s^2}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Equality holds for an equilateral triangle and $x=y=z$.