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In  $\triangle ABC$  the following relationship holds:

$$\left( \sum_{cyc} rr_a \right) \left( \sum_{cyc} \frac{a^2}{h_a} \right) \leq 9 \frac{R^3(2R-r)}{2r}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{cyc} \frac{a^2}{h_a} &= \sum_{cyc} \frac{a^2}{\frac{2F}{a}} = \sum_{cyc} \frac{a^3}{2F} = \frac{2(S^3 - 3Sr^2 - 6SRr)}{2Sr} = \\ &= \frac{S^2 - 3r^2 - 6Rr}{2r} \stackrel{Gerretsen}{\geq} \frac{4R^2 + 4Rr + 3r^2 - 3r^2 - 6Rr}{r} = \\ &= \frac{4R^2 - 2Rr}{r} = \frac{2R(2R-r)}{r} \quad (*) \\ \sum_{cyc} rr_a &= r(4R+r) \stackrel{Euler}{\geq} \frac{9Rr}{2} \quad (**) \end{aligned}$$

From (\*) and (\*\*) we have

$$\left( \sum_{cyc} rr_a \right) \left( \sum_{cyc} \frac{a^2}{h_a} \right) \stackrel{(*),(**)}{\geq} \frac{9Rr}{2} \cdot \frac{2R(2R-r)}{r} \stackrel{Euler}{\geq} 9 \frac{R^3(2R-r)}{2r}$$

Equality holds for  $a = b = c$