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Conjecture: Let $A_1A_2 \dots A_n$ be a circumscribed polygon with center O . Suppose the vertexes of convex polygon $B_1B_2 \dots B_n$ locate the circles $O(A_i)$ ($i = 1, 2, \dots, n$. $O(A_i)$ denotes the circle with O as center and OA_i as radius) respectively. Show that

$$\text{Perimeter}(B_1B_2 \dots B_n) \leq \text{Perimeter}(A_1A_2 \dots A_n).$$

Remark. The author has proved the case $n = 3$.