

# RESEARCH GROUP IN MATHEMATICAL INEQUALITIES AND APPLICATIONS

## PROBLEM CORNER

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Let two circumcircles with the same center  $O$  and radii  $R, r$  with  $R > r$ . The polygon  $A_1A_2\dots A_n$  is inscribed,  $(O, r)$ .  $A_1A_2$  intersects  $(O, R)$  at  $B_1$ , and denote  $B_i$  as the intersection of  $A_iA_{i+1}$  with  $(O, R)$ . Assuming that  $n + 1 \equiv 1$ , we have the polygon  $B_1B_2\dots B_n$ . Let  $S_A$  be the area of polygon  $A_1A_2\dots A_n$  and  $S_B$  is the area of  $B_1B_2\dots B_n$ .

Prove or disprove that

$$\frac{S_B}{S_A} \geq \frac{R^2}{r^2}$$

**Remark:**The author has proven the above inequality for the case  $n = 3$  and  $n = 4$ .