

# 1 Trigonometrične neenakosti v trikotniku

V Hoshimo [1] zasledimo obravnavo prvih 7 neenakosti kot 'sedem svetovnih čudes'. 'Čudesa' so trigonometrične neenačbe, ki veljajo v trikotniku  $ABC$  z notranjimi koti  $\alpha, \beta$  in  $\gamma$ . Večino izmed njih dokažemo s pomočjo analize izbočenosti kotnih funkcij. V ta namen uporabimo Jansenovo neenakost, poleg že neenakosti za konveksne,

$$\frac{f(x_1) + f(x_2) + f(x_3)}{3} \geq f\left(\frac{x_1 + x_2 + x_3}{3}\right),$$

še za konkavne funkcije:

$$\frac{f(x_1) + f(x_2) + f(x_3)}{3} \leq f\left(\frac{x_1 + x_2 + x_3}{3}\right).$$

**Neenakost 1**

$$\sin \alpha + \sin \beta + \sin \gamma \leq \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

**Dokaz 1** Ker je  $\sin x$  konkavna na intervalu  $[0, \pi]$  velja

$$\frac{\sin \alpha + \sin \beta + \sin \gamma}{3} \leq \sin\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma}{3}\right) = \sin(\pi/3) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \quad \square$$

**Neenakost 2**

$$\csc \alpha + \csc \beta + \csc \gamma \geq 2\sqrt{3}$$

**Dokaz 2** Funkcija  $\csc x$  je konveksna na  $(0, \pi)$  zato po Jansenovi neenakosti sledi

$$\csc \alpha + \csc \beta + \csc \gamma \geq 3 \csc\left[\frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma}{3}\right] = 3 \csc(\pi/3) = 2\sqrt{3}. \quad \square$$

**Neenakost 3**

$$1 < \cos \alpha + \cos \beta + \cos \gamma \leq \frac{3}{2}$$

**Dokaz 3** Ker je  $\cos x$  konkavna na  $(0, \pi/2)$ , lahko Jansenovo neenakost uporabimo le za ostrokotni trikotnik. Tedaj velja

$$\cos \alpha + \cos \beta + \cos \gamma \leq 3 \cos[(\alpha + \beta + \gamma)/3] = 3 \cos(\pi/3) = \frac{3}{2}. \quad \square$$

*Če trikotnik ni ostrokoten, velja  $\Omega = \max \{\alpha, \beta, \gamma\} \geq \pi/2$ . Preoblikujemo*

$$\begin{aligned} \cos \alpha + \cos \beta + \cos \gamma &= 2 \cos \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} + \left(1 - 2 \sin^2 \frac{\gamma}{2}\right) = \\ &= 2 \cos \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \left(\cos \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} - \cos \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right) + 1 = \\ &= 4 \cos \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \sin \frac{\beta}{2} + 1 = \\ &= 1 + 4 \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \sin \frac{\beta}{2} \sin \frac{\gamma}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

**Neenakost 4**

$$\operatorname{ctg}\alpha \cdot \operatorname{ctg}\beta \cdot \operatorname{ctg}\gamma \leq \frac{\sqrt{3}}{9}$$

**Dokaz 4** Če predpostavimo, da eden izmed kotov, recimo  $\alpha$ , ni oster. Potem je  $\operatorname{ctg}\alpha < 0$ . Preostala dva kota sta ostra, zato neenakost očitno velja. Če trikotnik ni topokoten, velja Jansenova neenakost za tangens, saj je to konveksna funkcija na  $[0, \pi/2]$ :

$$\operatorname{tg}\alpha + \operatorname{tg}\beta + \operatorname{tg}\gamma \geq 3\operatorname{tg}[(\alpha + \beta + \gamma)/3] = 3\sqrt{3}.$$

Ker velja  $\operatorname{tg}\alpha \cdot \operatorname{tg}\beta \cdot \operatorname{tg}\gamma = \operatorname{tg}\alpha + \operatorname{tg}\beta + \operatorname{tg}\gamma$  <sup>(1)</sup>, sledi

$$\operatorname{tg}\alpha \cdot \operatorname{tg}\beta \cdot \operatorname{tg}\gamma \geq 3\operatorname{tg}((\alpha + \beta + \gamma)/3) = 3\sqrt{3} \Rightarrow$$

Z upoštevanjem obratne vrednosti sledi *neenakost 4*.  $\square$

**Neenakost 5**

$$\operatorname{ctg}\alpha + \operatorname{ctg}\beta + \operatorname{ctg}\gamma \geq \sqrt{3}$$

**Dokaz 5** Velja

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{ctg}\alpha + \operatorname{ctg}\beta &= \frac{\cos \alpha}{\sin \alpha} + \frac{\cos \alpha}{\sin \beta} \\ &= \frac{\sin \beta \cos \alpha + \cos \beta \sin \alpha}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} \\ &= \frac{\sin(\alpha + \beta)}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta}. \end{aligned}$$

Upoštevamo

$$\cos(\alpha - \beta) = \cos \alpha \cos \beta + \sin \alpha \sin \beta \leq 1$$

$$-\cos(\alpha + \beta) = -\cos \alpha \cos \beta + \sin \alpha \sin \beta = \cos \gamma.$$

Seštejemo in dobimo

$$2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \leq 1 + \cos \gamma$$

$$2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \sin(\alpha + \beta) \leq (1 + \cos \gamma) \sin(\alpha + \beta)$$

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$$\frac{2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \sin \gamma}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta (1 + \cos \gamma)} \leq \frac{(1 + \cos \gamma) \sin(\alpha + \beta)}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta (1 + \cos \gamma)}$$

$$\frac{2 \sin \gamma}{1 + \cos \gamma} \leq \frac{\sin(\alpha + \beta)}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta}.$$

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$0 = \operatorname{tg}(\pi) = \operatorname{tg}(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) = \frac{\operatorname{tg}\alpha + \operatorname{tg}\beta + \operatorname{tg}\gamma - \operatorname{tg}\alpha \operatorname{tg}\beta \operatorname{tg}\gamma}{1 - \operatorname{tg}\alpha \operatorname{tg}\beta - \operatorname{tg}\beta \operatorname{tg}\gamma - \operatorname{tg}\alpha \operatorname{tg}\gamma}$

Sledi

$$\begin{aligned}
\operatorname{ctg}\alpha + \operatorname{ctg}\beta + \operatorname{ctg}\gamma &= \frac{\sin(\alpha + \beta)}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} + \operatorname{ctg}\gamma \\
&\geq \frac{2 \sin \gamma}{1 + \cos \gamma} + \frac{\cos \gamma}{\sin \gamma} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{4 \sin^2 \gamma + 2 \cos^2 \gamma + 2 \cos \gamma}{(1 + \cos \gamma) \sin \gamma} \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{3 \sin^2 \gamma + \cos^2 \gamma + 2 \cos \gamma + 1}{(1 + \cos \gamma) \sin \gamma} \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{3 \sin^2 \gamma + (\cos \gamma + 1)^2}{(1 + \cos \gamma) \sin \gamma} \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{3 \sin \gamma}{\cos \gamma + 1} + \frac{\cos \gamma + 1}{\sin \gamma} \right) \\
&\geq \frac{2}{2} \left( \sqrt{\frac{3 \sin \gamma}{\cos \gamma + 1} \frac{\cos \gamma + 1}{\sin \gamma}} \right) \\
&= \sqrt{3}
\end{aligned}$$

*(aritmetično-geometrijska neenakost)*

Torej je  $\operatorname{ctg}\alpha + \operatorname{ctg}\beta + \operatorname{ctg}\gamma = \sqrt{3}$ . □

### Neenakost 6

$$\sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta + \sin^2 \gamma \leq \frac{9}{4}$$

**Dokaz 6** Zaradi enakosti sinusa suplementarnih kotov velja

$$\sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta + \sin^2 \gamma = \sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta + \sin^2(\alpha + \beta).$$

Od tod sledi

$$\begin{aligned}
&\sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta + \sin^2 \alpha \cos^2 \beta + 2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \cos \alpha \cos \beta + \cos^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta \\
&= \sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta + (1 - \cos^2 \alpha) \cos^2 \beta + 2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \cos \alpha \cos \beta + \cos^2 \alpha (1 - \cos^2 \beta) \\
&= \sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta + \cos^2 \beta - \cos^2 \alpha \cos^2 \beta + 2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \cos \alpha \cos \beta + \cos^2 \alpha - \cos^2 \alpha \cos^2 \beta \\
&= 2 - 2 \cos^2 \alpha \cos^2 \beta + 2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \cos \alpha \cos \beta \\
&= 2 - 2 \cos \alpha \cos \beta (\cos \alpha \cos \beta - \sin \alpha + \sin \beta) \\
&= 2 - 2 \cos \alpha \cos \beta \cos(\alpha + \beta) \\
&= 2 + 2 \cos \alpha \cos \beta \cos \gamma
\end{aligned}$$

Zaradi (neenakosti 3) velja  $\frac{\cos \alpha + \cos \beta + \cos \gamma}{3} \leq \frac{1}{2}$ . Sledi  $\left( \frac{\cos \alpha + \cos \beta + \cos \gamma}{3} \right)^3 \leq \frac{1}{8}$ . Zaradi geometrijsko-aritmetične neenakosti velja

$$\cos \alpha \cos \beta \cos \gamma \leq \left( \frac{\cos \alpha + \cos \beta + \cos \gamma}{3} \right)^3 \leq \frac{1}{8}.$$

Torej je

$$\sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta + \sin^2 \gamma = 2 + 2 \cos \alpha \cos \beta \cos \gamma \leq 2 + 2 \left( \frac{1}{8} \right) = \frac{9}{4}.$$

□

### Neenakost 7

$$\operatorname{ctg}^2 \alpha + \operatorname{ctg}^2 \beta + \operatorname{ctg}^2 \gamma \geq 1$$

**Dokaz 7** Zaradi aritmetično-geometrijske neenakosti je

$$\operatorname{ctg}^2 \alpha + \operatorname{ctg}^2 \beta \geq 2 \operatorname{ctg} \alpha \cdot \operatorname{ctg} \beta.$$

Analogno sklepamo za ostala dva para. Če vse tri neenakosti seštejemo in jih delimo z 2, dobimo

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{ctg}^2 \alpha + \operatorname{ctg}^2 \beta + \operatorname{ctg}^2 \gamma &\geq \operatorname{ctg} \beta \cdot \operatorname{ctg} \alpha + \operatorname{ctg} \beta \cdot \operatorname{ctg} \gamma + \operatorname{ctg} \gamma \cdot \operatorname{ctg} \alpha \\ &= \operatorname{ctg} \alpha \cdot \operatorname{ctg} \beta - \operatorname{ctg} \beta \cdot \operatorname{ctg}(\alpha + \beta) - \operatorname{ctg}(\alpha + \beta) \operatorname{ctg} \alpha \\ &= \operatorname{ctg} \alpha \cdot \operatorname{ctg} \beta - \operatorname{ctg}(\alpha + \beta)(\operatorname{ctg} \beta + \operatorname{ctg} \alpha) \\ &= \operatorname{ctg} \alpha \cdot \operatorname{ctg} \beta - \frac{\operatorname{ctg} \alpha \cdot \operatorname{ctg} \beta - 1}{\operatorname{ctg} \alpha + \operatorname{ctg} \beta} (\operatorname{ctg} \beta + \operatorname{ctg} \alpha) \\ &= 1. \end{aligned}$$

Torej je  $\operatorname{ctg}^2 \alpha + \operatorname{ctg}^2 \beta + \operatorname{ctg}^2 \gamma \geq 1$ . □

### Neenakost 8

$$\sin \alpha \sin \beta \sin \gamma \leq \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{8}$$

**Dokaz 8** Zaradi aritmetično-geometrijske neenakosti in neenakosti 1 velja

$$\sqrt[3]{\sin \alpha \sin \beta \sin \gamma} \leq \frac{\sin \alpha + \sin \beta + \sin \gamma}{3} \leq \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Potenciramo in odpravimo koren:

$$\sin \alpha \sin \beta \sin \gamma \leq \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)^3 = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{8} \quad (1)$$

□

### Neenakost 9

$$\csc \alpha \csc \beta \csc \gamma \geq \frac{8\sqrt{3}}{9}$$

**Dokaz 9** Po definiciji je  $\csc x = \frac{1}{\sin x}$ . Po (1) sledi

$$\csc \alpha \csc \beta \csc \gamma = \frac{1}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta \sin \gamma} \geq \left( \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{8} \right)^{-1} = \frac{8\sqrt{3}}{9} \quad \square$$

### Neenakost 10

$$\sec^2 \alpha + \sec^2 \beta + \sec^2 \gamma > 3$$

**Dokaz 10** Ker je  $|\cos x| \leq 1$ , velja  $|\sec x| = \frac{1}{|\cos x|} \geq 1$ , za vsak kot  $x$ . Sledi

$$\sec^2 \alpha + \sec^2 \beta + \sec^2 \gamma \geq 3.$$

Enačaj ni možen. V primeru enačaja bi veljalo  $\alpha = \beta = \gamma = 0^\circ$ .

Zato velja

$$\sec^2 \alpha + \sec^2 \beta + \sec^2 \gamma > 3. \quad \square$$

### Neenakost 11

$$\csc^2 \alpha + \csc^2 \beta + \csc^2 \gamma > 4$$

**Dokaz 11** Velja zveza  $\csc^2 \alpha = \frac{1}{\sin^2 \alpha} = 1 + \operatorname{ctg}^2 \alpha$ . Analogno velja za kota  $\beta$  in  $\gamma$ . Seštejemo vse tri enakosti in dobimo:

$$\csc^2 \alpha + \csc^2 \beta + \csc^2 \gamma = 1 + \operatorname{ctg}^2 \alpha + 1 + \operatorname{ctg}^2 \beta + 1 + \operatorname{ctg}^2 \gamma.$$

Po neenakosti 7 dobimo

$$\csc^2 \alpha + \csc^2 \beta + \csc^2 \gamma \geq 4. \quad \square$$

**Neenakost 12**

$$1 < \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} + \sin \frac{\beta}{2} + \sin \frac{\gamma}{2} \leq \frac{3}{2}$$

**Dokaz 12** Izhajamo iz enakosti

$$\frac{\pi - \alpha}{2} + \frac{\pi - \beta}{2} + \frac{\pi - \gamma}{2} = \pi. \quad (2)$$

Po neenakosti 3 sledi

$$1 < \cos \left( \frac{\pi - \alpha}{2} \right) + \cos \left( \frac{\pi - \beta}{2} \right) + \cos \left( \frac{\pi - \gamma}{2} \right) \leq \frac{3}{2}.$$

Upoštevamo  $\sin x = \cos(\pi/2 - x)$ , od tu sledi

$$1 < \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} + \sin \frac{\beta}{2} + \sin \frac{\gamma}{2} \leq \frac{3}{2}. \quad \square$$

**Neenakost 13**

$$\cos \frac{\alpha}{2} + \cos \frac{\beta}{2} + \cos \frac{\gamma}{2} \leq \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

**Dokaz 13** Tudi tu podobno kot v prejšnjem primeru uporabimo enakost (2). Po neenakosti 1 sledi

$$\begin{aligned} \sin \left( \frac{\pi - \alpha}{2} \right) + \sin \left( \frac{\pi - \beta}{2} \right) + \sin \left( \frac{\pi - \gamma}{2} \right) &\leq \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \cos \frac{\alpha}{2} + \cos \frac{\beta}{2} + \cos \frac{\gamma}{2} &\leq \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}. \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

**Neenakost 14**

$$\operatorname{tg} \frac{\alpha}{2} + \operatorname{tg} \frac{\beta}{2} + \operatorname{tg} \frac{\gamma}{2} \geq \sqrt{3}$$

**Dokaz 14** Po (2), neenakosti 5 in zvezi  $\operatorname{ctg}(\pi/2 - x) = \operatorname{tg}x$  je

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{ctg} \left( \frac{\pi - \alpha}{2} \right) + \operatorname{ctg} \left( \frac{\pi - \beta}{2} \right) + \operatorname{ctg} \left( \frac{\pi - \gamma}{2} \right) &\geq \sqrt{3} \\ \operatorname{tg} \frac{\alpha}{2} + \operatorname{ctg} \frac{\beta}{2} + \operatorname{ctg} \frac{\gamma}{2} &\geq \sqrt{3} \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

**Neenakost 15**

$$\operatorname{ctg} \frac{\alpha}{2} + \operatorname{ctg} \frac{\beta}{2} + \operatorname{ctg} \frac{\gamma}{2} \geq 3\sqrt{3}$$

**Dokaz 15** Po (2) je  $\frac{\pi - \alpha}{2} + \frac{\pi - \beta}{2} + \frac{\pi - \gamma}{2} = \pi$ . Vsak izmed sumandov na levi strani je oster kot v trikotniku, tangens je konveksna funkcija na  $[0, \pi/2)$ , zato po Jansenovi neenakosti velja

$$\frac{\operatorname{tg} \left( \frac{\pi - \alpha}{2} \right) + \operatorname{tg} \left( \frac{\pi - \beta}{2} \right) + \operatorname{tg} \left( \frac{\pi - \gamma}{2} \right)}{3} \geq \operatorname{tg} \left( \frac{\frac{\pi - \alpha}{2} + \frac{\pi - \beta}{2} + \frac{\pi - \gamma}{2}}{3} \right) = \operatorname{tg} \left( \frac{\pi}{3} \right) = \sqrt{3}$$

Ker velja  $\operatorname{ctg}x = \operatorname{tg}(\pi/2 - x)$  sledi

$$\operatorname{ctg} \frac{\alpha}{2} + \operatorname{ctg} \frac{\beta}{2} + \operatorname{ctg} \frac{\gamma}{2} \geq 3\sqrt{3}. \quad \square$$

**Neenakost 16**

$$\csc \frac{\alpha}{2} + \csc \frac{\beta}{2} + \csc \frac{\gamma}{2} \geq 6$$

**Dokaz 16** Funkcija  $\csc x$  je konveksna na  $(0, \pi/2]$ , zato je  $f(x) = \csc(x/2)$  konveksna na intervalu  $[0, \pi]$ . Za  $f$  zapišemo Jansenovo neenakost in dobimo:

$$\frac{\csc(\alpha/2) + \csc(\beta/2) + \csc(\gamma/2)}{3} \geq \csc\left(\frac{\alpha/2 + \beta/2 + \gamma/2}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{\sin(\pi/6)} = 2$$

Sledi

$$\csc\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right) + \csc\left(\frac{\beta}{2}\right) + \csc\left(\frac{\gamma}{2}\right) \geq 6. \quad \square$$

**Neenakost 17**

$$\sec \frac{\alpha}{2} + \sec \frac{\beta}{2} + \sec \frac{\gamma}{2} \geq 2\sqrt{3}$$

**Dokaz 17** S podobnim razmislekom kot prej je funkcija  $\sec(x/2)$  konveksna na  $[0, \pi]$ . Sledi

$$\frac{\sec(\alpha/2) + \sec(\beta/2) + \sec(\gamma/2)}{3} \geq \sec\left(\frac{\alpha/2 + \beta/2 + \gamma/2}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{\cos(\pi/6)} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Sledi

$$\sec \frac{\alpha}{2} + \sec \frac{\beta}{2} + \sec \frac{\gamma}{2} \geq 2\sqrt{3}. \quad \square$$

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