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HADAMARD INEQUALITY(FOR DETERMINANT OF ORDER 3)

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$$|G| = \begin{vmatrix} ||\mathbf{a}||^2 & \mathbf{a}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{b} & \mathbf{a}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{c} \\ \mathbf{b}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{a} & ||\mathbf{b}||^2 & \mathbf{b}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{c} \\ \mathbf{c}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{a} & \mathbf{c}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{b} & ||\mathbf{c}||^2 \end{vmatrix}$$
(1)

$$= \|\mathbf{a}\|^2 \|\mathbf{b}\|^2 \|\mathbf{c}\|^2 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & \cos \alpha & \cos \beta \\ \cos \alpha & 1 & \cos \gamma \\ \cos \beta & \cos \gamma & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$
 (2)

$$= \|\mathbf{a}\|^{2} \|\mathbf{b}\|^{2} \|\mathbf{c}\|^{2} \left(1 - (\cos \alpha)^{2} - (\cos \beta)^{2} - (\cos \gamma)^{2} + 2\cos \alpha \cos \beta \cos \gamma\right)$$
(3)

$$= \|\mathbf{a}\|^{2} \|\mathbf{b}\|^{2} \|\mathbf{c}\|^{2} (1 - (\cos \alpha)^{2} - (\cos \beta)^{2} + (\cos \alpha)^{2} (\cos \beta)^{2} - (\cos \alpha)^{2} (\cos \beta)^{2} + (\cos \gamma)^{2} - 2\cos \alpha \cos \beta \cos \gamma)$$
(4)

$$= \|\mathbf{a}\|^{2} \|\mathbf{b}\|^{2} \|\mathbf{c}\|^{2} \left(1 - (\cos \alpha)^{2} - (\cos \beta)^{2} \left(1 - (\cos \alpha)^{2}\right) - (\cos \alpha \cos \beta - \cos \gamma)^{2}\right) \le \|\mathbf{a}\|^{2} \|\mathbf{b}\|^{2} \|\mathbf{c}\|^{2}$$
 (5)

$$\implies \left(1 - (\cos \alpha)^2 - (\cos \beta)^2 \left(1 - (\cos \alpha)^2\right) - (\cos \alpha \cos \beta - \cos \gamma)^2\right) \le 1 \tag{6}$$

$$\implies \left((\cos \alpha)^2 + (\cos \beta)^2 \left(1 - (\cos \alpha)^2 \right) + (\cos \alpha \cos \beta - \cos \gamma)^2 \right) \ge 0 \tag{7}$$

Equality holds when,

$$\cos \alpha = 0, \cos \beta = 0, \cos \alpha \cos \beta - \cos \gamma = 0 \tag{8}$$

Or,

$$\cos \alpha = \cos \beta = \cos \gamma = 0 \tag{9}$$

Hence $\mathbf{a}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{b}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{c} = \mathbf{c}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{a} = 0$ to hold equality.