

Inequalities for Integer and Fractional Parts

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Abstract: In this paper we present some new inequalities relative to integer and functional parts.

Theorem 1. If $x > 0$, then $\frac{[x]}{3x + \{x\}} + \frac{\{x\}}{3x + [x]} \geq \frac{4}{15}$, where $[.]$ and $\{.\}$ denote the integer part, and respectively the fractional part.

Proof. In inequality $\frac{a}{a+2b+2c} + \frac{b}{2a+b+2c} + \frac{c}{2a+2b+c} \geq \frac{3}{5}$, we take $a = x$, $b = [x]$, $c = \{x\}$.

Theorem 2. If $a, b, c, x > 0$, then

$$\frac{a}{[x]b + \{x\}c} + \frac{b}{[x]c + \{x\}a} + \frac{c}{[x]a + \{x\}b} \geq \frac{3}{x}.$$

Proof. In inequality $\frac{a}{ub + vc} + \frac{b}{uc + va} + \frac{c}{ua + vb} \geq \frac{3}{u+v}$, we take $u = [x]$ and $v = \{x\}$.

Theorem 3. If $x > 0$ and $a \geq 1$, then

$$\frac{[x]}{(a+1)[x] + 2\{x\}} + \frac{[x]}{(a+1)\{x\} + 2[x]} \leq \frac{2a+1}{(a+1)(a+2)}.$$

Proof. In inequality $\frac{x}{ax + y + z} + \frac{y}{x + ay + z} + \frac{z}{x + y + az} \leq \frac{3}{a+2}$, we take $y = [x]$ and $z = \{x\}$.

Theorem 4. If $x > 0$, then

$$[x] \left(\frac{1}{x[x]+x+1} + \frac{1}{[x]\{x\}+[x]+1} \right) + \{x\} \left(\frac{1}{x[x]+x+1} + \frac{1}{x\{x\}+\{x\}+1} \right) \leq 1.$$

Proof. In inequality $\frac{x}{xy+x+1} + \frac{y}{yz+y+1} + \frac{z}{zx+z+1} \leq 1$, we take $y=[x]$ and $z=\{x\}$.

Theorem 5. If $x > 0$, then

$$\frac{x^3}{[x](3[x]^2 + 3[x]\{x\} + \{x\}^2)} + \frac{x[x]^2}{\{x\}([x]^2 + [x]\{x\} + \{x\}^2)} + \frac{x\{x\}^2}{[x]^2 + 3[x]\{x\} + 3\{x\}^2} \geq \frac{3}{2}$$

Proof. In inequality $\sum \frac{x^2}{y(x^2 + xy + y^2)} \geq \frac{3}{x+y+z}$, we take $y=[x]$ and $z=\{x\}$.

Theorem 6. If $x > 0$, $\frac{1}{[x]+2\{x\}} + \frac{1}{2[x]+\{x\}} \geq \frac{1}{x}$.

Proof. In inequality $\sum \frac{a^2+bc}{b+c} \geq a+b+c$, we take $a=x$, $b=[x]$, $c=\{x\}$.

Theorem 7. If $x > 0$,

$$\frac{[x]^3}{[x]^2 + [x]\{x\} + \{x\}^2} + \frac{\{x\}^3}{3\{x\}^2 + 3[x]\{x\} + [x]^2} \geq \frac{x(3[x]^2 - \{x\}^2)}{3(3[x]^2 + 3[x]\{x\} + \{x\}^2)}$$

Proof. In inequality $\sum \frac{a^3}{a^2+ab+b^2} \geq \frac{a+b+c}{3}$, we take $a=x$, $b=[x]$, $c=\{x\}$.

Theorem 8. If $x > 0$, then

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2[x]^3 + 4[x]^2\{x\} + 4[x]\{x\}^2 + \{x\}^3} + \frac{1}{[x]^3 + [x]^2\{x\} + [x]\{x\}^2 + \{x\}^3} + \\ & + \frac{1}{[x]^3 + 4[x]^2\{x\} + 4[x]\{x\}^2 + 2\{x\}^3} \leq \frac{1}{x[x]\{x\}}. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. In inequality $\sum \frac{1}{a^3+b^3+abc} \leq \frac{1}{abc}$, we take $a=x$, $b=[x]$, $c=\{x\}$.

Theorem 9. If $x > 1$, then $4 \left(\frac{[x]^3}{\{x\}} + \frac{\{x\}^3}{[x]} \right) \geq [x]^2 + [x]\{x\} + \{x\}^2$.

Proof. In inequality $\sum \frac{1}{a}(-a+b+c)^3 \geq a^2 + b^2 + c^2$, we take $a=x$, $b=[x]$, $c=\{x\}$.

Theorem 10. If $x > 0$, then

$$\frac{x^4}{[x]^2 - [x]\{x\} + \{x\}^2} + \frac{x([x]^3 + \{x\}^3)}{[x]^2 + [x]\{x\} + \{x\}^2} \geq \frac{3}{2}(x^2 + [x]\{x\})$$

Proof. In inequality $\sum \frac{a^3}{b^2 - bc + c^2} \geq \frac{3 \sum ab}{\sum a}$, we take $a = x$, $b = [x]$, $c = \{x\}$.

Theorem 11. If $x > 0$, then $\left| \frac{[x]\{x\}([x] - \{x\})}{x(x + [x])(x + \{x\})} \right| < 1$.

Proof. In inequality $\left| \sum \frac{a-b}{a+b} \right| < 1$ we take $a = x$, $b = [x]$, $c = \{x\}$.

Theorem 12. If $x > 0$, then $\sqrt{\frac{[x]}{x + \{x\}}} + \sqrt{\frac{\{x\}}{x + [x]}} > 1$.

Proof. In inequality $\sum \sqrt{\frac{x}{y+z}} > 2$, we take $y = [x]$, $z = \{x\}$.

Theorem 13. If $x > 1$, then $3 + \frac{\{x\}}{[x]} + \frac{[x]}{\{x\}} \geq 3 \sqrt[3]{\frac{(x + [x])(x + \{x\})}{[x]\{x\}}}$.

Proof. In inequality $\left(\sum a \right) \left(\sum \frac{1}{a} \right) \geq 3 \left(1 + \sqrt[3]{\frac{\prod (a+b)}{abc}} \right)$, we take

$a = x$, $b = [x]$, $c = \{x\}$.

Theorem 14. If $x > 0$, then $\left(\sqrt{[x]} + \sqrt{\frac{[x]\{x\}}{x}} + \sqrt{\{x\}} \right)^4 \geq 32[x]\{x\}$.

Proof. In inequality $\sum \sqrt{xy} \geq 2 \sqrt[4]{xyz \sum x}$, we take $y = [x]$, $z = \{x\}$.

Theorem 15. If $x > 0$, then $(x^2 + [x]\{x\})^2 \geq 6x^2[x]\{x\}$.

Proof. In inequality $(\sum xy)^2 \geq 3xyz \sum x$, we take $y = [x]$, $z = \{x\}$.

Theorem 16. If $x > 0$, then

$$x^2 - x\sqrt{[x]\{x\}} + [x]\{x\} \geq ([x]\sqrt{\{x\}} + \{x\}\sqrt{[x]})\sqrt{x}.$$

Proof. In inequality $\sum xy \geq \sum x \sqrt{yz}$, we take $y = [x]$, $z = \{x\}$.

Theorem 17. If $x > 0$, then $\sqrt{[x](x + \{x\})} + \sqrt{\{x\}(x + [x])} \leq (2\sqrt{2} - 1)x$.

Proof. In inequality $\sum \sqrt{x(y+z)} \leq \sqrt{2} \sum x$, we take $y = [x]$, $z = \{x\}$.

Theorem 18. If $x > 0$, then $\frac{[x]}{x + \{x\}} + \frac{\{x\}}{x + [x]} \geq \frac{1}{2}$.

Proof. In inequality $\sum \frac{a}{b+c} \geq \frac{3}{2}$, we take $a = x$, $b = [x]$, $c = \{x\}$.

Theorem 19. If $x > 0$, then $(x+[x])^3 + (x+\{x\})^3 \geq 21x[x]\{x\} + [x]^3 + \{x\}^3$.

Proof. In inequality $\sum (x+y)^3 \geq 21xyz + \sum x^3$, we take $y = [x]$, $z = \{x\}$.

Theorem 20. If $x > 1$, then $\sqrt{\frac{x+[x]}{x+\{x\}}} + \sqrt{\frac{x+\{x\}}{x+[x]}} \leq \sqrt{\frac{[x]}{\{x\}}} + \sqrt{\frac{\{x\}}{[x]}}$.

Proof. In inequality $\sqrt{\frac{x+y}{x+z}} + \sqrt{\frac{x+z}{x+y}} \leq \frac{y+z}{\sqrt{yz}}$, we take $y = [x]$, $z = \{x\}$.

Theorem 21. If $x > 0$, then $\frac{x}{x+[x]} + \frac{x}{x+\{x\}} \geq \frac{5}{2}$.

Proof. In inequality $2 \sum \frac{1}{x+y} \geq \frac{9}{\sum x}$, we take $y = [x]$, $z = \{x\}$.

Theorem 22. If $x > 1$, then $\frac{\{x\}}{[x]} + \left(\frac{\{x\}}{[x]}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{[x]}{\{x\}}\right)^2 + \frac{\{x\}^2}{x^2} \geq \left(\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{\{x\}}\right)[x]$.

Proof. In inequality $\sum \frac{x^2}{y^2} \geq \sum \frac{x}{z}$, we take $y = [x]$, $z = \{x\}$.

Theorem 23. If $x > 0$, then

$$[x]^2 - [x]\{x\} + \{x\}^2 \geq \frac{3}{4} \max \left\{ [x]^2; ([x] - \{x\})^2; \{x\}^2 \right\}.$$

Proof. In inequality $\sum x^2 - \sum xy \geq \frac{3}{4} \max \left\{ (x-y)^2; (y-z)^2; (z-x)^2 \right\}$, we take $y = [x]$, $z = \{x\}$.

Theorem 24. If $x > 0$, then $e^{\{x\}} + e^{[x]} \geq 2 + x$.

Proof. In inequality $e^y + e^z \geq 2 + y + z$, we take $y = [x]$, $z = \{x\}$.

Theorem 25. If $x \in \mathbb{R}$, then $|\sin[x]| + |\sin\{x\}| + |\cos x| \geq 1$.

Proof. In inequality $|\sin a| + |\sin b| + |\cos(a+b)| \geq 1$ we take $a = x$, $b = \{x\}$.

Theorem 26. If $x > 0$, then $(3[x]^2 + 3[x]\{x\} + \{x\}^2) \cdot ([x]^2 + [x]\{x\} + \{x\}^2) \cdot (3\{x\}^2 + 3\{x\}[x] + [x]^2) \geq (x^2 + [x]\{x\})^3$.

Proof. In inequality

$(a^2 + ab + b^2) \cdot (b^2 + bc + c^2) \cdot (c^2 + ca + a^2) \geq (ab + bc + ca)^3$, we take
 $a = x, b = [x], c = \{x\}$.

Theorem 27. If $x > 0$, then

$$\frac{[x]}{(3[x]+2\{x\})([x]+2\{x\})} + \frac{\{x\}}{(3\{x\}+2[x])(\{x\}+2[x])} \geq \frac{11}{48x}.$$

Proof. In inequality $(\sum x) \sum \frac{x}{(2x+y+z)(y+z)} \geq \frac{9}{8}$, we take
 $y = [x], z = \{x\}$.

Theorem 28. If $x > 0$, then $\frac{[x]^2}{x+[x]} + \frac{\{x\}^2}{x+\{x\}} \geq \frac{x(2x^2 + 3[x]\{x\})}{(x+[x])(x+\{x\})}$.

Proof. In inequality $\sum \frac{x^2}{(x+y)(x+z)} \geq \frac{3}{4}$, we take $y = [x], z = \{x\}$.

Theorem 29. If $x > 1$, then

$$\sqrt{1 + \frac{2\{x\}}{[x]}} + \sqrt{1 + \frac{2[x]}{\{x\}}} \geq 1 + 2 \left(\sqrt{\frac{[x]}{x+\{x\}}} + \sqrt{\frac{\{x\}}{x+[x]}} \right).$$

Proof. In inequality $\sum \sqrt{\frac{y+z}{x}} \leq \sqrt{2} \sum \sqrt{\frac{x}{y+z}}$ we take $y = [x], z = \{x\}$.

Theorem 30. If $x > 1$, then $\frac{\{x\}}{[x]} + \frac{[x]}{\{x\}} \geq 1 + 2 \left(\frac{[x]}{x+\{x\}} + \frac{\{x\}}{x+[x]} \right)$.

Proof. In inequality $\sum \frac{y+z}{x} \geq 4 \sum \frac{x}{y+z}$, we take $y = [x], z = \{x\}$.

Theorem 31. If $x > 0$, then

- 1). $\min \left\{ (\sqrt{2}+1)\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{\{x\}}, (\sqrt{2}+1)\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{x+[x]} \right\} \geq \sqrt{5([x]+2\{x\})}$
- 2). $(\sqrt{2}+1)\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{x+\{x\}} \geq \sqrt{5(\{x\}+2[x])}$.

Proof. In $\sqrt{a+b+c} + \sqrt{b+c} + \sqrt{c} \geq \sqrt{a+4b+9c}$, we take $a = x, b = [x], c = \{x\}$, etc.

Theorem 32. If $x \in \mathbb{R}$, then

- 1). $|\sin x| \leq |\sin[x]| + |\sin\{x\}|$
- 2). $|\cos x| \leq |\cos[x]| + |\cos\{x\}|$

Proof. In inequalities $|\sin(a+b)| \leq |\sin a| + |\sin b|$ and $|\cos(a+b)| \leq |\cos a| + |\cos b|$, we take $a = x$, $b = [x]$.

Theorem 33. If $x > 1$, then $6 + \frac{\{x\}}{[x]} + \frac{[x]}{\{x\}} \geq \left(\sqrt[3]{\frac{x}{[x]}} + \sqrt[3]{\frac{[x]}{\{x\}}} + \sqrt[3]{\frac{\{x\}}{x}} \right)^3$.

Proof. In inequality $3 \left(\sum a \right) \left(\sum \frac{1}{a} \right) \geq \left(\sum \sqrt[3]{\frac{a}{b}} \right)$, we take $a = x$, $b = [x]$, $c = \{x\}$.

Theorem 34. If $x > 0$, then $\frac{[x]}{(x+\{x\})^2} + \frac{\{x\}}{(x+[x])^2} \geq \frac{1}{8x}$.

Proof. In inequality $\sum \frac{a}{(b+c)^2} \geq \frac{9}{4 \sum a}$, we take $a = x$, $b = [x]$, $c = \{x\}$.

Theorem 35. If $x > 0$, then

$$\frac{x[x]}{(x+\{x\})(2x+[x])} + \frac{\{x\}(x+\{x\})}{(x+[x])(2x+\{x\})} \geq \frac{[x]+5\{x\}}{12x}.$$

Proof. In inequality $\sum \frac{a(a+b)}{(b+c)(2a+b+c)} \geq \frac{3}{4}$, we take $a = x$, $b = [x]$, $c = \{x\}$.

Theorem 36. If $x > 0$, then $\frac{[x]}{2x+\{x\}} + \frac{\{x\}}{2x+[x]} \leq \frac{3[x]^2 + 4[x]\{x\} + 3\{x\}^2}{6x}$.

Proof. In inequality $\sum \frac{ab}{a+b+2c} \leq \frac{1}{4} \sum a$, we take $a = x$, $b = [x]$, $c = \{x\}$.

Theorem 37. If $x > 0$, then $([x]^5 - [x]^2 + 3)(\{x\}^5 - \{x\}^2 + 3) \geq \frac{8x^3}{x^5 - x^2 + 3}$.

Proof. In inequality $\prod (a^5 - a^2 + 3) \geq (\sum a)^3$, we take $a = x$, $b = [x]$, $c = \{x\}$.

Theorem 38. If $x > 0$, then $\frac{(2x+[x])^2}{2[x]^2 + (x+\{x\})^2} + \frac{(2x+\{x\})^2}{2\{x\}^2 + (x+[x])^2} \leq 5$.

Proof. In inequality $\sum \frac{(2a+b+c)^2}{2a^2+(b+c)^2} \leq 8$, we take $a = x$, $b = [x]$, $c = \{x\}$.

Theorem 39. If $x > 0$, then

- 1). $\left(x + \sqrt{x[x]} + \sqrt[3]{x[x]\{x\}} \right)^3 \leq 9x^2(x+[x])$
- 2). $\left([x] + \sqrt{x[x]\{x\}} + \sqrt[3]{x[x]\{x\}} \right)^3 \leq 9x^2[x]$
- 3). $\left(\{x\} + \sqrt{x\{x\}} + \sqrt[3]{x[x]\{x\}} \right)^3 \leq 9x^2(x+\{x\})$.

Proof. In inequality $\frac{a + \sqrt{ab} + \sqrt[3]{abx}}{2} \leq \sqrt[3]{a\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)\left(\frac{a+b+c}{b}\right)}$, we take

$a = x$, $b = [x]$, $c = \{x\}$, etc.

Theorem 40. If $x > 0$, then $7(x+[x])^4 + 7(x+\{x\})^4 \geq 3x^4 + 4([x]^4 + \{x\}^4)$.

Proof. In inequality $\sum(a+b)^4 \geq \frac{4}{7}\sum a^4$, we take $a = x$, $b = [x]$, $c = \{x\}$.

Theorem 41. If $x > 0$, then $\frac{\{x\}^2}{(x+\{x\})^2+[x]^2} + \frac{[x]^2}{(x+[x])^2+\{x\}^2} \geq \frac{3}{20}$.

Proof. In inequality $\sum \frac{(b+c-a)^2}{(b+c)^2+a^2} \geq \frac{3}{5}$, we take $a = x$, $b = [x]$, $c = \{x\}$.

Theorem 42. If $x > 0$, then $\sqrt{\frac{2x}{x+[x]}} + \sqrt{\frac{2[x]}{x}} + \sqrt{\frac{2\{x\}}{x+\{x\}}} \leq 3$.

Proof. In inequality $\sum \frac{2a}{a+b} \leq 3$, we take $a = x$, $b = [x]$, $c = \{x\}$.

Theorem 43. If $x > 0$, then $\frac{1}{(x+[x])^2} + \frac{1}{(x+\{x\})^2+\{x\}^2} \geq \frac{5x^2 - 4[x]\{x\}}{4x^2(x^2+[x]\{x\})}$.

Proof. In inequality $\left(\sum xy \right) \left(\sum \frac{1}{(x+y)^2} \right) \geq \frac{9}{4}$, we take $y = [x]$, $z = \{x\}$.

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