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In terms of the partition symbol [see *P. Erdős*, *A. Hajnal* and *R. Rado*, Acta math. Acad. Sci. Hungar. 16, 93-196 (1965; Zbl 158.26603)] the main result proved in this paper is that if \aleph_{α} is regular, $\aleph_{\alpha} > \aleph_{\beta}$ and GCH holds, then $\eta_{\alpha} \to (\eta_{\alpha}, \aleph_{\beta})^2$. It is not known whether the relations $\eta_{\omega} \to (\eta_{\omega}, \aleph_0)^2$, $\eta_{\omega} \to (\eta_{\omega}, 3)^2$ hold. For the partitioning of triplets it is shown that, for any order type φ , $\varphi \mapsto (\omega + \omega^*, 4)^3$, $\varphi \mapsto (\omega^* + \omega, 4)$, $\varphi \mapsto (\omega + \omega^*$ or $\omega^* + \omega, 5)^3$. It remains an open question whether this last relation holds with 4 in place of 5.

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