

# Finite $\beta$ -expansions of natural numbers

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# Notation

- $\beta > 1$
- $\mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$  and  $\mathbb{Z} = \{\dots, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, \dots\}$ .
- $\mathbb{N}_0 = \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$
- $\lfloor x \rfloor$  is the integer part of  $x$ , and  $\{x\} := x - \lfloor x \rfloor$ .
- $T(x) := \{\beta x\}$  for  $x \in [0, 1]$ ,  $T$  is called the  $\beta$ -transformation.
- $\llbracket a, b \rrbracket = [a, b] \cap \mathbb{Z}$  where  $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $a < b$
- $\nu(c_1 c_2 \dots) = \sum_{n \geq 1} c_n \beta^{-n}$  where  $c_1 c_2 \dots \in \mathbb{Z}^{\mathbb{N}}$  satisfies  $\sum_{n \geq 1} |c_n| \beta^{-n} < \infty$ .

# What is $\beta$ -expansion?

Let  $x_n = T(x_{n-1})$  and  $c_n = \lfloor \beta x_{n-1} \rfloor$  for  $x_0 = x \in [0, 1]$ . Then  $c_n \in \llbracket 0, \lfloor \beta \rfloor \rrbracket$ . Moreover,

$$x_1 = \beta x_0 - c_1 \quad \text{i.e.,} \quad x_0 = c_1 \beta^{-1} + x_1 \beta^{-1}$$

$$x_2 = \beta x_1 - c_2 \quad \text{i.e.,} \quad x_1 = c_2 \beta^{-1} + x_2 \beta^{-1}$$

$\dots$

So we have the expansion of  $x$ , that is,

$$x = x_0 = c_1 \beta^{-1} + x_1 \beta^{-1} = c_1 \beta^{-1} + c_2 \beta^{-2} + x_2 \beta^{-2} = \dots = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \beta^{-n}$$

and write

$$d_\beta(x) = c_1 c_2 \cdots c_n \cdots$$

The  $\beta$ -*expansion* of  $x$  is given by

$$x = c_1\beta^{L(x)-1} + \cdots + c_{L(x)-1}\beta + c_{L(x)} + \frac{c_{L(x)+1}}{\beta} + \cdots = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n\beta^{L(x)-n}$$

where

$$L(x) := \min\{n \in \mathbb{N}_0 \mid x\beta^{-n} < 1\} \quad \& \quad d_\beta(\beta^{-L(x)}x) = c_1c_2 \cdots .$$

Symbolically, we write

$$x = c_1 \cdots c_{L(x)} \cdot c_{L(x)+1} \cdots .$$

**Example:**

(1)  $d_\beta(1) = \lfloor \beta \rfloor d_\beta(\{\beta\})$

(2) the  $\beta$ -expansion of  $1 = 1.0^\infty$

# Main Theorem

**Def**

$x$  has the finite  $\beta$ -expansion if  $T^n(\beta^{-L(x)}x) = 0$  for some  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

Let  $\text{Fin}(\beta) = \{x \in [0, \infty) \mid x \text{ has the finite } \beta\text{-expansion}\}$ .

**Def (Frougny-Solomyak)**

(F<sub>1</sub>)  $\mathbb{N}_0 \subset \text{Fin}(\beta)$

(PF)  $\mathbb{N}_0[1/\beta] \subset \text{Fin}(\beta)$  where

$$\mathbb{N}_0[1/\beta] := \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^n c_k \beta^{-k} \mid c_k \in \mathbb{N}_0, n \in \mathbb{N}_0 \right\}.$$

(F)  $\mathbb{Z}[1/\beta]_{\geq 0} \subset \text{Fin}(\beta)$  where

$$\mathbb{Z}[1/\beta]_{\geq 0} := \left\{ x = \sum_{k=0}^n c_k \beta^{-k} \mid x \geq 0, n \in \mathbb{N}_0, c_k \in \mathbb{Z} \right\}.$$

## Def

An algebraic integer  $\beta$  is a Pisot number if

- (i)  $\beta > 1$       (ii)  $\gamma (\neq \beta)$  is a conjugates of  $\beta \Rightarrow |\gamma| < 1$

**Note:**  $\beta$  is a Pisot number with degree 1  $\Rightarrow \beta \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 2}$  and so  $\beta$  has (F).

## Thm (Frougny-Solomyak & Akiyama)

$\beta$  has  $(F_1) \Rightarrow \beta$  is a Pisot number

## Thm (Frougny-Solomyak)

$\beta$  is a Pisot number with degree 2  $\Rightarrow \beta$  has (PF)

**Example (Frougny-Solomyak & Hollander)**: Let  $\beta$  be an algebraic integer with minimal polynomial  $x^d - a_{d-1}x^{d-1} - \cdots - a_1x - a_0$ .

Suppose that  $a_j$  ( $j \in \llbracket 0, d-1 \rrbracket$ ) satisfy one of the following:

$$(FS) \ a_{d-1} \geq \cdots a_1 \geq a_0 \geq 1. \quad (H) \ a_{d-1} > \sum_{j=0}^{d-2} a_j, \ a_j \geq 0.$$

Then  $\beta$  has (F).

**Example**: Let  $\beta$  be a Pisot number with minimal polynomial  $x^2 - 3x + 1$ . Then  $\beta$  has (PF) without (F). For example,

$$d_\beta(1 - \beta^{-1}) = 1^\infty.$$

**Example (Frougny-Solomyak)**: Let  $\beta$  be a Pisot number with minimal polynomial  $x^3 - 3x^2 + 2x - 2$ . Then  $\beta$  does not have  $(F_1)$ . Indeed,

$$\text{the } \beta\text{-expansion of } 3 = 10.111(00012)^\infty.$$



## Main Theorem

Let  $\beta > 1$  be an algebraic integer with minimal polynomial  $x^3 - 2tx^2 + 2tx - t$  ( $t \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 2}$ ). Then  $\beta$  has  $(F_1)$  without  $(PF)$ .

By using the following theorem, we can show that above  $\beta$  does not have  $(PF)$ .

## Thm (Akiyama)

Let  $\beta > 1$ .  $\beta$  has  $(PF)$  without  $(F)$  if and only if  $\beta$  is a Pisot number whose minimal polynomial is of the form:

$$x^d - ([\beta] + 1)x^{d-1} + \sum_{j=2}^d a_j x^{d-j}$$

with  $a_j \geq 0$  and  $\sum_{j=2}^d a_j < [\beta]$ .

# Key Lemma

Let  $x \in [0, \infty)$  and the  $\beta$ -expansion of  $x$  be

$$x = c_1 \cdots c_{L(x)} \cdot c_{L(x)+1} \cdots$$

We define

$$\{x\}_\beta = \sum_{n \geq L(x)+1} c_n \beta^{L(x)-n} = .c_{L(x)+1} c_{L(x)+2} \cdots$$

and call it  *$\beta$ -fractional part of  $x$* .

## Key Lemma

$\forall x \in [0, \infty), \exists \theta \in \{0, 1\}, \omega_n \in \mathbb{N}_0$  ( $n \in \llbracket 0, r \rrbracket$ ) s.t.

$$\{x+1\}_\beta - \{x\}_\beta = \theta - \sum_{n=0}^r \omega_n T^n(1).$$

Now  $<_{lex}$  means the lexicographic order and  $\leq_{lex}$  means  $<_{lex}$  or  $=$ .

**Remark:** For  $x, y \in [0, 1]$ ,  $x < y \Leftrightarrow d_\beta(x) <_{lex} d_\beta(y)$ .

Define  $\rho$  on  $\mathbb{N}_0^{\mathbb{N}}$  by  $\rho(c_1c_2 \cdots, c'_1c'_2 \cdots) := (\inf\{n \mid c_n \neq c'_n\})^{-1}$ . We can define

$$d_\beta^*(x) := \lim_{y \uparrow x} d_\beta(y) \text{ for each } x \in (0, 1].$$

Since  $\nu$  is continuous on  $[[0, \lfloor \beta \rfloor]]^{\mathbb{N}}$ , we get  $x = \nu(d_\beta^*(x))$ .

**Thm (Parry)**

$$c_1c_2 \cdots \in d_\beta([0, 1)) \Leftrightarrow 0^\infty \leq_{lex} c_n c_{n+1} \cdots <_{lex} d_\beta^*(1) \quad (\forall n \in \mathbb{N}_0)$$

Moreover we have

$$d_\beta^*(1) = \begin{cases} (d_1 \cdots d_q)^\infty & \text{if } d_\beta(1) = d_1 \cdots d_{q-1}(d_q + 1)0^\infty \\ d_\beta(1) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

**Def:** For  $\mathbf{c} = c_1 c_2 \cdots$ , let

$$\mathbf{c}[i, j] := \begin{cases} c_i c_{i+1} \cdots c_j & \text{if } i \leq j < \infty \\ c_i c_{i+1} \cdots & \text{if } j = \infty \\ \text{empty word} & \text{if } i > j \end{cases}$$

**Note:**  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, \exists p \in \mathbb{N}_0$  s.t.  $T^p(1) = \nu(d_\beta^*(1)[n, \infty])$

For  $\mathbf{c}, \mathbf{c}' \in \mathbb{N}_0^\mathbb{N}$ , define

$$\mathbf{c} \stackrel{\nu}{=} \mathbf{c}' \stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} \nu(\mathbf{c}) = \nu(\mathbf{c}')$$

$$\mathbf{c} \ominus \mathbf{c}' := (c_1 - c'_1)(c_2 - c'_2) \cdots .$$

Then we have the *carry formula*.

**Obs:** Let  $\ell \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $\mathbf{c} := c_1 c_2 \cdots \in \llbracket 0, \lfloor \beta \rfloor \rrbracket^\mathbb{N}$ . Then

$$\mathbf{c} \stackrel{\nu}{=} \mathbf{c}[1, \ell - 1](c_\ell + 1)(\mathbf{c}[\ell + 1, \infty] \ominus d_\beta^*(1)).$$

## Def

Let  $\mathbf{c} = c_1 c_2 \cdots \in d_\beta([0, 1))$ .  $\{k_i\}_{i \geq 1} \subset \mathbb{N}$  gives a block decomposition (BD for short) of  $\mathbf{c}$  if  $\{k_i\}_{i \geq 1}$  satisfies  $c_{k_{i+1}} < d_{k_{i+1}-k_i}$  and

$$\mathbf{c} = d_\beta^*(1)[1, k_1 - 1]c_{k_1} d_\beta^*(1)[1, k_2 - k_1 - 1]c_{k_2} \cdots$$

**Remark 1:** Let  $\mathbf{c} = c_1 c_2 \cdots$  and  $\ell \in \mathbb{N}$  satisfy  $\nu(\mathbf{c}_0^+) < 1$  where

$$\mathbf{c}_0^+ = \mathbf{c}[1, \ell - 1](c_\ell + 1)\mathbf{c}[\ell + 1, \infty].$$

Let  $\{k_j\}$  give the BD of  $\mathbf{c}$  and  $k_i < \ell \leq k_{i+1}$ . Then

$$\mathbf{c}_0^+ \stackrel{\nu}{=} \mathbf{c}_0^{carry} := \mathbf{c}[1, k_i - 1](c_{k_i} + 1)0^{\ell - k_i - 1}\theta\mathbf{c}'_1$$

where

$$\theta := c_\ell + 1 - d_{\ell - k_i} \ \& \ \mathbf{c}'_1 := \mathbf{c}[\ell + 1, \infty] \ominus d_\beta^*(1)[\ell - k_i + 1, \infty].$$

**Proof:** Note  $\mathbf{c}[k_i + 1, \ell - 1] = d_\beta^*(1)[1, \ell - k_i - 1]$ .

The following example explains how to use Remark 1.

**Example:** Let  $\beta > 1$  be the algebraic integer with minimal polynomial  $x^3 - x^2 - x - 1$ . Then  $d_\beta^*(1) = (110)^\infty$ . Let

$$\mathbf{c} = c_1 c_2 \cdots := 10(110)^2 10^\infty \text{ and } \ell = 9.$$

Then the BD of  $\mathbf{c}$  is  $\{k_j\}_{j \geq 1} = \{2, 10, 11, 12, \dots\}$ . So by Remark 1,

$$\mathbf{c}_0^+ := 10(110)^2 20^\infty \stackrel{\nu}{=} 110^6 1 \mathbf{c}'_1 \text{ where } \mathbf{c}'_1 := 0^\infty \ominus d_\beta^*(1)[8, \infty].$$

Moreover, since  $1 + \nu(\mathbf{c}'_1) = 1 - \beta^{-1} - \beta^{-2} \in [0, 1)$ , we have

$$\mathbf{c}_0^+ \stackrel{\nu}{=} \mathbf{c}_1^+ := 110^7 d_\beta(1 + \nu(\mathbf{c}'_1)).$$

In order to prove Key Lemma, we need the repeated use of the carry formula.

**Lemma:** Let  $\mathbf{c}' \in d_\beta([0, 1))$  and  $\mathbf{c} = c_1 c_2 \cdots \in d_\beta([0, 1))$  with its BD  $\{k_j\}_j$ . Suppose that  $i \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $\ell \in \mathbb{N}$  with  $\ell > k_i$ . Define

$$\tilde{\mathbf{c}} = \begin{cases} \mathbf{c}[1, \ell - 1](c_\ell + 1)\mathbf{c}' & \text{if } k_i < \ell < k_{i+1} \\ \mathbf{c}[1, k_{i+1} - 1](c_{k_{i+1}} + 1)0^{\ell - k_{i+1}}\mathbf{c}' & \text{if } \ell \geq k_{i+1} \end{cases}$$

$$\& \tilde{\mathbf{c}}^{carry} = \mathbf{c}[1, k_i - 1](c_{k_i} + 1)0^{\ell - k_i - 1}\theta(\mathbf{c}' \ominus d_\beta^*(1)[\ell - k_i + 1, \infty))$$

where  $0^0$  is empty and

$$\theta = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } k_i < \ell < k_{i+1} \\ 0 & \text{if } \ell \geq k_{i+1}. \end{cases}$$

Then

$$\tilde{\mathbf{c}} \notin d_\beta([0, 1)) \Rightarrow \tilde{\mathbf{c}} \stackrel{\nu}{=} \tilde{\mathbf{c}}^{carry}$$

where  $\theta + \nu(\mathbf{c}') - \nu(d_\beta^*(1)[\ell - k_i + 1]) \geq 0$ .

**Example:** Let  $\beta > 1$  be the algebraic integer with minimal polynomial  $x^3 - x - 1$ . Then  $d_\beta^*(1) = (10000)^\infty$ . Let

$$\mathbf{c} = c_1 c_2 \cdots := 00010^\infty \text{ and } \ell = 5.$$

Then the BD of  $\mathbf{c}$  is  $\{k_j\}_{j \geq 1} = \{1, 2, 3, 9, 10, \dots\}$ . So by Remark 1,

$$\mathbf{c}_0^+ := 000110^\infty \stackrel{\nu}{=} 00101\mathbf{c}'_1 \text{ where } \mathbf{c}'_1 := 0^\infty \ominus d_\beta^*(1)[3, \infty].$$

Moreover, since  $1 + \nu(\mathbf{c}'_1) = 1 - \beta^{-3} = \beta^{-2} \in [0, 1)$ , we have

$$\mathbf{c}_0^+ \stackrel{\nu}{=} \mathbf{c}_1^+ := 00100d_\beta(1 + \nu(\mathbf{c}'_1)).$$

Here notice that  $\mathbf{c}_1^+ = 001000010^\infty \notin d_\beta([0, 1))$ . So by Lemma,

$$\mathbf{c}_1^+ \stackrel{\nu}{=} \tilde{\mathbf{c}}^{carry} := 01000\mathbf{c}'_2$$

where  $\mathbf{c}'_2 = d_\beta(1 + \nu(\mathbf{c}'_1)) \ominus d_\beta^*(1)[4, \infty]$ . Hence we have

$$\mathbf{c}_1^+ \stackrel{\nu}{=} \mathbf{c}_2^+ := 010^\infty$$

because  $d_\beta(\nu(\mathbf{c}'_2)) = 0^\infty$ .



Sketch of the proof of Key Lemma: Let  $x \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $\ell = L(x + 1)$

and

$$\mathbf{c} = c_1 c_2 \cdots := 0^{\ell - L(x)} d_\beta(\beta^{-L(x)} x)$$

and

$$\mathbf{c}_0^+ := \mathbf{c}[1, \ell - 1](c_\ell + 1)\mathbf{c}[\ell + 1, \infty].$$

Note  $\{x\}_\beta = \nu(\mathbf{c}[\ell - L(x) + 1, \infty])$  and  $\{x + 1\}_\beta = \nu(\mathbf{c}_0^+[\ell + 1, \infty])$ . So by Lemma, we get

$$\{x + 1\}_\beta - \{x\}_\beta = \theta - \sum_{j=1}^q \xi(k_j) \text{ for some } k_j \in \mathbb{N} \text{ and } q \in \mathbb{N}.$$

where  $\xi(n) := \nu(d_\beta^*(1)[n, \infty])$ . So, since  $T^k(1) = \xi(n)$  for some  $k$ , we can choose  $\omega_j$  and  $r$  such that

$$\{x + 1\}_\beta - \{x\}_\beta = \theta - \sum_{j=0}^r \omega_j T^j(1).$$

**Cor 1**

For each  $N \in \mathbb{N}$ , there is  $\{\omega_n\}_{n=0}^r$  ( $\omega_n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ ) such that

$$\{N\}_\beta = \left\{ - \sum_{n=1}^r \omega_n T^n(1) \right\}.$$

**Proof:** Suppose that

$$\{N\}_\beta = \left\{ - \sum_{n=1}^r \omega_n T^n(1) \right\}.$$

Here, we may take  $r$  to be sufficiently large. By Key Lemma,

$$\exists \theta' \in \{0, 1\}, \exists \omega'_n \in \mathbb{N}_0 \text{ s.t. } \{N + 1\}_\beta - \{N\}_\beta = \theta - \sum_{n=1}^r \omega'_n T^n(1).$$

Note  $\{N + 1\}_\beta \in [0, 1)$ . So

$$\begin{aligned} \{N + 1\}_\beta &= \{\{N + 1\}_\beta\} = \left\{ \theta - \sum_{n=1}^r \omega'_n T^n(1) + \left\{ - \sum_{n=1}^r \omega_n T^n(1) \right\} \right\} \\ &= \left\{ - \sum_{n=1}^r (\omega'_n + \omega_n) T^n(1) \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

# Sufficient condition for $(F_1)$

Let  $\beta > 1$  be an algebraic integer with minimal polynomial

$$x^d - a_{d-1}x^{d-1} - \cdots - a_1x - a_0.$$

For  $\ell = (l_1, l_2, \dots, l_{d-1}) \in \mathbb{Z}^{d-1}$ , define  $\lambda, \tau$  by

$$\lambda(\ell) := \sum_{j=1}^{d-1} l_j \left( \sum_{i=1}^j a_{j-i} \beta^{-i} \right), \quad \tau(\ell) := (l_2, \dots, l_{d-1}, -\lfloor \lambda(\ell) \rfloor).$$

Let  $\{\lambda\}(\ell) := \{\lambda(\ell)\}$ . Then we have the following commutative diagram.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{Z}^{d-1} & \xrightarrow{\tau} & \mathbb{Z}^{d-1} \\ \{\lambda\} \downarrow & & \downarrow \{\lambda\} \\ \mathbb{Z}[\beta] \cap [0, 1) & \xrightarrow{T} & \mathbb{Z}[\beta] \cap [0, 1) \end{array}$$

**Example:** Let  $\beta > 1$  be an algebraic integer with minimal polynomial  $x^3 - ax^2 - bx - c$ . Then

$$\lambda(l_1, l_2) = l_1c\beta^{-1} + l_2(b\beta^{-1} + c\beta^{-2}) = (l_1c + l_2b)\beta^{-1} + l_2c\beta^{-2}.$$

So  $\tau(l_1, l_2) = (l_2, -\lfloor \lambda(l_1, l_2) \rfloor) = (l_2, -\lfloor (l_1c + l_2b)\beta^{-1} + l_2c\beta^{-2} \rfloor)$ .

Let

$$\mathbf{e} := (0, \dots, 0, 1) \in \mathbb{Z}^{d-1}.$$

**Remark 2:**  $T^n(1) = \{\lambda\}(\tau^{n-1}(\mathbf{e}))$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

**Proof:** Since  $\beta^d - a_{d-1}\beta^{d-1} - \dots - a_1\beta - a_0 = 0$ , we have

$$\beta - a_{d-1} = a_{d-2}\beta^{-1} + \dots + a_1\beta^{-d+2} + a_0\beta^{-d+1} = \lambda(\mathbf{e}).$$

Thus  $\{\lambda(\mathbf{e})\} = \beta - \lfloor \beta \rfloor$ . So we have

$$T(1) = \beta - \lfloor \beta \rfloor = \{\lambda\}(\mathbf{e}).$$

Hence by commutative diagram, we have the desired result.

Let  $F_\beta := \{\boldsymbol{\ell} \in \mathbb{Z}^{d-1} \mid \exists k \geq 0; \tau^k(\boldsymbol{\ell}) = \mathbf{0}\}$ .

Then by commutative diagram,  $\{\lambda\}(F_\beta) \subset \text{Fin}(\beta)$ . Let

$$V := \left\{ -\sum_{n=1}^r \omega_n \tau^{n-1}(\mathbf{e}) \mid r \in \mathbb{N}, \omega_n \in \mathbb{N}_0 \right\}.$$

**Remark 3:**  $V \subset F_\beta \Rightarrow \beta$  has  $(F_1)$ .

Now we aim to get a sufficient condition for  $V \subset F_\beta$ . Define

$$\tau^*(\boldsymbol{\ell}) = -\tau(-\boldsymbol{\ell}).$$

Notice that if  $\boldsymbol{\ell} := (l_1, \dots, l_{d-1}) \neq \mathbf{0}$  then

$$\tau^*(\boldsymbol{\ell}) = (l_2, \dots, l_{d-1}, -\lfloor \lambda(\boldsymbol{\ell}) \rfloor - 1).$$

**Note:** For  $\boldsymbol{\ell}, \mathbf{1}k \in \mathbb{Z}^{d-1}$ ,

$$\tau(\boldsymbol{\ell} + \mathbf{1}k) \in \{\tau(\boldsymbol{\ell}) + \tau(\mathbf{1}k), \tau(\boldsymbol{\ell}) + \tau^*(\mathbf{1}k)\}$$

$$\tau(\boldsymbol{\ell} - \mathbf{1}k) \in \{\tau(\boldsymbol{\ell}) - \tau(\mathbf{1}k), \tau(\boldsymbol{\ell}) - \tau^*(\mathbf{1}k)\}.$$

Define

$$Q_\beta = \left\{ \ell \in \mathbb{Z}^{d-1} \mid \begin{array}{l} \exists N \in \mathbb{N}, \exists \{\ell_n\}_{n=1}^N \text{ s.t. } \ell_1 = \mathbf{e} \\ \ell_N = \ell, \ell_{n+1} \in \{\tau(\ell_n), \tau^*(\ell_n)\} \end{array} \right\}.$$

**Note:**  $\beta$  is a Pisot number  $\Rightarrow \#Q_\beta < \infty$

**Obs**

Let  $\mathbf{1}k = \tau^j(\mathbf{e})$  ( $j \in \mathbb{N}_0$ ). Then we have

$$\mathbf{1}k' := \tau(\ell) - \tau(\ell - \mathbf{1}k) \in \{\tau(\mathbf{1}k), \tau^*(\mathbf{1}k)\} \text{ and so } \mathbf{1}k' \in Q_\beta$$

**Def:** The set  $U \subset \mathbb{Z}^{d-1}$  satisfies backward invariant (BI for short) if

$$\tau^{-1}(U) = \{\ell \in \mathbb{Z}^{d-1} \mid \tau(\ell) \in U\} \subset U.$$

Let

$$P_\beta := \{\ell \in Q_\beta \setminus \{\mathbf{0}\} \mid \exists m \in \mathbb{N}; \tau^m(\ell) = \ell\} \ \& \ -Q_\beta := \{-\ell \mid \ell \in Q_\beta\}$$

**Lemma:** Let  $\beta$  be a Pisot number and  $P_\beta$  satisfy BI. Then  $-Q_\beta = Q_\beta$

**Sketch of the proof:** First, we note

$$(Q_\beta \setminus \{\mathbf{0}\}) \cap F_\beta \neq \emptyset \Rightarrow -Q_\beta = Q_\beta.$$

Indeed, we can choose  $\zeta \neq 0$  with  $\tau(\zeta, \mathbf{0}) = \mathbf{0}$ . Then  $\tau^*(\zeta, \mathbf{0}) = -\mathbf{e} \in -Q_\beta$  and so  $-Q_\beta = Q_\beta$ . Consider the case  $(Q_\beta \setminus \{\mathbf{0}\}) \cap F_\beta = \emptyset$ . Since  $\mathbf{e} \in P_\beta$  by BI, we can choose  $(\zeta, \eta) \neq \mathbf{0}$  such that  $(\zeta, \eta, \mathbf{0}) \in P_\beta$  and  $\tau^2(\zeta, \eta, \mathbf{0}) = \mathbf{e}$ . Notice that  $(\eta, \mathbf{0}, -1) = \tau^*(\zeta, \tau, \mathbf{0}) \in P_\beta$  and

$$\tau(\eta, \mathbf{0}, -1) \in \{\tau(\eta, \mathbf{0}) + \tau(-\mathbf{e}), \tau(\eta, \mathbf{0}) + \tau^*(-\mathbf{e})\}.$$

Now we can show

$$\tau(\eta, \mathbf{0}, -1) = \tau(\eta, \mathbf{0}) + \tau(-\mathbf{e}) \Rightarrow P_\beta \ni \tau^*(\eta, \mathbf{0}, -1) = \tau(-\mathbf{e})$$

$$\tau(\eta, \mathbf{0}, -1) = \tau(\eta, \mathbf{0}) + \tau^*(-\mathbf{e}) \Rightarrow P_\beta \ni \tau(\eta, \mathbf{0}, -1) = \tau(-\mathbf{e}).$$

Thus  $-\mathbf{e} \in Q_\beta$  and hence  $-Q_\beta \subset Q_\beta$ .

## Thm

Suppose that a Pisot number  $\beta$  satisfies

(i)  $P_\beta$  satisfies BI, that is,  $\tau^{-1}(P_\beta) \subset P_\beta$ .

(ii)  $R_0 := \llbracket -\delta, \delta \rrbracket^{d-1} \cap V \subset F_\beta$  where

$$\delta := \max\{|l_j| \mid (l_1, \dots, l_{d-1}) \in P_\beta, j \in \llbracket 1, d-1 \rrbracket\}.$$

Then  $\beta$  has  $(F_1)$ .

Sketch of the proof: Let  $R = \cup_{n \geq 0} R_n$  where

$$R_n := \{\ell - \tau^j(\mathbf{e}) \in V \mid \ell \in R_{n-1}, j \in \mathbb{N}_0\}.$$

Then  $V = R$ . Assume  $R_{n-1} \subset F_\beta$  and  $\ell \in R_n \setminus F_\beta$ . Then  $\ell = \ell' - \tau^j(\mathbf{e})$  for some  $\ell' \in R_{n-1}$  and  $j$ . Since  $\ell'$  ends up at  $\mathbf{0}$  and  $-\tau^j(\mathbf{e})$  ends up  $P_\beta$ , we get  $\ell \in P_\beta$ . Contradiction. So by induction on  $n$ ,  $R_n \subset F_\beta$ .



# Proof of Main Theorem

Let  $\beta > 1$  be an algebraic integer with minimal polynomial  $x^3 - 2tx^2 + 2tx - t$  ( $t \in \mathbb{N} \cap [2, \infty)$ ). So

$$1 = 2t\beta^{-1} - 2t\beta^{-2} + t\beta^{-3}.$$

Then  $\beta$  is a Pisot number because

**Thm (Akiyama)**: Let  $\beta > 1$  be an cubic number with minimal polynomial  $x^3 - ax^2 - bx - c$ . Then

$$\beta \text{ is a Pisot number} \Leftrightarrow |b - 1| < a + c \ \& \ (c^2 - b) < \text{sgn}(c)(1 + ac).$$

**Note**:  $\tau(l_1, l_2) = (l_2, -\lfloor t(l_1 - 2l_2)\beta^{-1} + tl_2\beta^{-2} \rfloor)$ .

**Fact**: (1)  $P_\beta = \{(1, 1)\}$       (2)  $\lambda(0, 1) < -1$  and  $\lambda(2, 1) > 0$ .

**Proof of Main Theorem:** It suffices to show that  $\beta$  satisfies the conditions of Thm-(i) and (ii).

(i) : Since  $\lambda(0, 1) < -1$  and  $\lambda(2, 1) > 0$  and  $\lambda(x, 1)$  is increasing in  $x$ , we have

$$\tau^{-1}(1, 1) = \{(x, 1) \mid x \in \mathbb{Z}, -1 \leq \lambda(x, 1) < 0\} = \{(1, 1)\}$$

(ii) : Since

$$(0, 1) \xrightarrow{\tau} (1, 2) \xrightarrow{\tau} (2, 2) \xrightarrow{\tau} (2, 1) \xrightarrow{\tau} (1, 0) \xrightarrow{\tau} (0, 0),$$

we have  $V \subset ((-\infty, 0] \cap \mathbb{Z})^2$  and so

$$R_0 \subset \llbracket -1, 0 \rrbracket^2.$$

Moreover

$$(0, -1) \xrightarrow{\tau} (-1, -1) \xrightarrow{\tau} (-1, 0) \xrightarrow{\tau} (0, 1).$$

So  $\llbracket -1, 0 \rrbracket^2 \subset F_\beta$ . Hence  $R_0 \subset F_\beta$ .

**Example:** Let

$$x := (2t - 2) + (2t - 2)\beta^{-1} + (t - 1)\beta^{-2} + (t - 1)\beta^{-4} + (t - 1)\beta^{-5} + (t - 1)\beta^{-6}.$$

Then  $x$  is in  $\mathbb{N}_0[1/\beta]$  and does not have the finite  $\beta$ -expansion. Indeed,

by using  $1.000 \stackrel{\nu}{=} 0.4\bar{4}2$ ,

	$d_\beta(\beta^{-2}x)$											
$\stackrel{\nu}{=} 0$	$(2t - 2)$	$(2t - 2)$	$(t - 1)$	$0$	$(t - 1)$	$(t - 1)$	$(t - 1)$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$0^\infty$
$\stackrel{\nu}{=} 1$	$(-2)$	$(4t - 2)$	$(-1)$	$0$	$(t - 1)$	$(t - 1)$	$(t - 1)$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$0^\infty$
$\stackrel{\nu}{=} 1$	$0$	$(-2)$	$(4t - 1)$	$(-2t)$	$(t - 1)$	$(t - 1)$	$(t - 1)$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$0^\infty$
$\stackrel{\nu}{=} 1$	$0$	$0$	$(-1)$	$(2t)$	$(-t - 1)$	$(t - 1)$	$(t - 1)$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$0^\infty$
$\stackrel{\nu}{=} 1$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$(t - 1)$	$(-1)$	$(t - 1)$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$0^\infty$
$\stackrel{\nu}{=} 1$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$(t - 2)$	$(2t - 1)$	$(-t - 1)$	$t$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$0^\infty$
$\stackrel{\nu}{=} 1$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$(t - 2)$	$(2t - 2)$	$(t - 1)$	$(-t)$	$t$	$0$	$0$	$0^\infty$
$\stackrel{\nu}{=} 1$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$(t - 2)$	$(2t - 2)$	$(t - 2)$	$t$	$(-t)$	$t$	$0$	$0^\infty$
$\stackrel{\nu}{=} 1$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$0$	$(t - 2)$	$(2t - 2)$	$(t - 2)$	$(t - 1)$	$t$	$(-t)$	$t$	$0^\infty$ .

and so

$$\text{a beta-expansion of } x = 10.000(t - 2)(2t - 2)(t - 2)(t - 1)^\infty.$$

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Thank you!