

Metrical properties of α -Rosen continued fractions

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α -Rosen continued fractions generalize both Rosen continued fractions (where the partial quotients are multiples of $\lambda = 2 \cos(\pi/q)$ for some integer $q \geq 3$) and Nakada's α -expansions. For $\alpha \in [1/2, 1/\lambda]$, we study metrical properties of the corresponding continued fraction transformation

$$T(x) = \left| \frac{1}{x} \right| - \left[\left| \frac{1}{x\lambda} \right| + 1 - \alpha \right] \lambda$$

and its natural extension

$$\mathcal{T}(x, y) = \left(T(x), \frac{1}{r\lambda + \varepsilon y} \right),$$

where $r = \left[\left| \frac{1}{x\lambda} \right| + 1 - \alpha \right]$ and $\varepsilon = \text{sgn}(x)$.

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