

# Asymptotic behavior of beta-integers

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- $u_\beta =$  fixed point of one of 2 possible primitive substitutions (simple and non-simple Parry)

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### Theorem (Gazeau, Verger-Gaugry)

If  $\beta$  is a simple Parry quadratic unit, then

$$\mathbb{Z}_{\beta}^{+} = \left\{ b_n = c_{\beta} n + \frac{1 - \beta}{\beta^2 + \beta} + \frac{\beta - 1}{\beta} \left\{ \frac{n + 1}{1 + \beta} \right\}, n \in \mathbb{N} \right\},$$

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