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(1) I don't understand this comment. If the question is about the uniqueness of Shelstad's first construction of the transfer factor, then the answer is that it is unique up to multiplication by  $-1$ , i.e. the pair of functions  $\Delta, -\Delta$  is unique.

(2) No.  $\bar{z}_\sigma$  denotes the value of the 1-cocycle  $\bar{z}$  at  $\sigma$ , which is what is needed.

(6) I do not understand this comment. The claim is that there is a natural bijection between two sets – the set of  $\hat{T}$ -conjugacy classes of  $L$ -homomorphisms  $W_{\mathbb{R}} \rightarrow {}^L T_{\pm}$ , and the set of genuine characters of  $T(\mathbb{R})_{\pm}$ .

(23) The explanation is just about the notation. The proof of the formula is not given there. I have provided references for the proof.

(25) Provisos is correct.

(30) The constructions do not follow from [Kos78] or [Vog78]. They are just constructions that are used in various parts of the literature, and we are collecting and relating them to help readers navigate the literature.

(36) This is done 7 lines above the definition.

(41) I do not see the notation  $G_x(\mathbb{R})$  anywhere.

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(15)  $D$  was defined in the second paragraph of 2.5

(23) I don't understand the suggested correction, because it is the same as what is written now. Perhaps a copy-past mistake?

(24) This is the notation used in [Kal16b]. It is meant to suggest taking the preimage in  $\widehat{H}$  or  $\widehat{G}$  of a set of Galois-fixed points. For this we think of  $S_\varphi$  as Galois-fixed points in  $\widehat{G}$  for the Galois action given by  $\varphi$ .

(32) The Lie group  $N(\mathbb{R})$  is a nilpotent group, a condition which is used in the cited theorem.

(38) I guess it's a matter of taste. I'm allowing an arbitrary fourth root of unity.

(44)  $A$  contains elements outside of  $\widehat{G}$ , while  $B$  lies in  $\widehat{G}$ , so  $B$  never equals  $A$ .