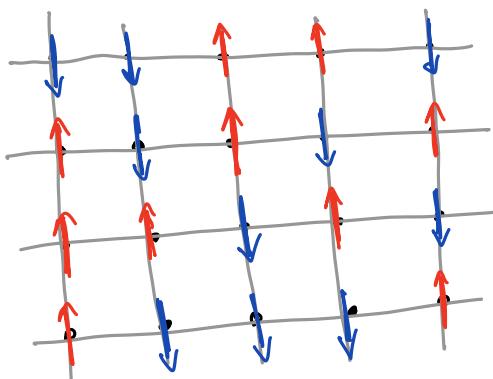


# TD - The Mean-field Approach

## 1 - Mean-field approximation(s) for the Ising model



$$H = -J \sum_{\langle i,j \rangle} s_i s_j - h \sum_i s_i$$

$$s_i = \pm 1 \quad J > 0$$

### 1.1 Preliminary questions

#### a) Ground states

- $h \neq 0 \rightarrow$  All the spins aligned to the direction of the external magnetic field:  $s_i = \underline{\text{sign}(h)}$

$h > 0 \rightarrow$  All spins up

$h < 0 \rightarrow$  All spins down

$$E_{GS} = -\frac{JZN}{2} - hN$$

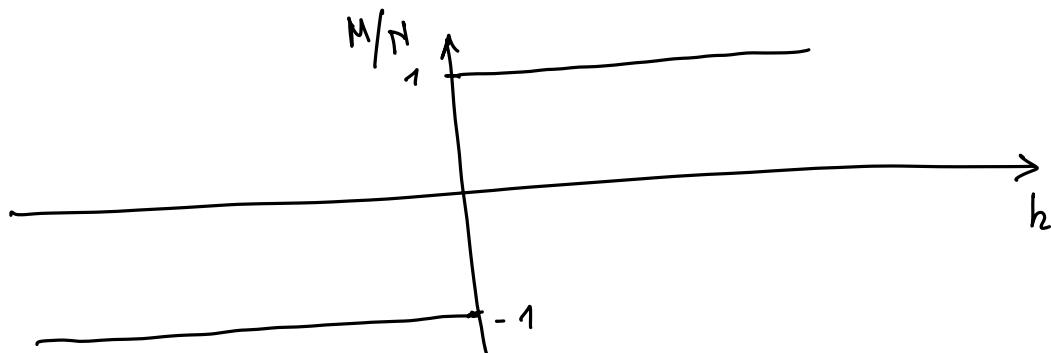
$Z$  = "degree" or "connectivity" of the lattice  
# of neighbors of each node

For an euclidean hypercubic lattice (square, cubic, ...)  $Z = 2d$

- $h=0 \rightarrow$  two degenerate ground states with all the spins aligned  $s_i = +1$  or  $s_i = -1 \forall i$

$$E_{GS} = -\frac{JzN}{2}$$

Magnetization vs  $h$  at  $T=0$   $M = \sum_i^N s_i$



b)  $h=0$   $H = -J \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} s_i s_j$

Reflexion with respect to the Oxy plane  $\rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2$  symmetry  
(Inversion of the z-axis)

$$s_i \rightarrow -s_i$$

$$H[\{-s_i\}] = H[\{s_i\}] \quad H \text{ is INVARIANT}$$

$$\langle O \rangle = \frac{\text{Tr } O e^{-\beta H}}{\text{Tr } e^{-\beta H}} = \frac{\sum_{\{s_i\}} O[\{s_i\}] e^{-\beta H[\{s_i\}]}}{\sum_{\{s_i\}} e^{-\beta H[\{s_i\}]}} \equiv Z$$

$$\langle M \rangle = \frac{\sum_{\{s_i\}} \left( \sum_{i=1}^N s_i \right) e^{\beta J \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} s_i s_j}}{\sum_{\{s_i\}} e^{\beta J \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} s_i s_j}}$$

$$\tilde{s}_i = -s_i$$

$$\langle M \rangle = \frac{\sum_{\{\tilde{s}_i\}} \left( \sum_i \tilde{s}_i \right) e^{\beta J \sum_{i>j} (-\tilde{s}_i)(-\tilde{s}_j)}}{\sum_{\{\tilde{s}_i\}} e^{\beta J \sum_{i>j} (-\tilde{s}_i)(-\tilde{s}_j)}} = -\langle M \rangle$$

$$\langle M \rangle = -\langle M \rangle \Rightarrow \langle M \rangle = 0$$

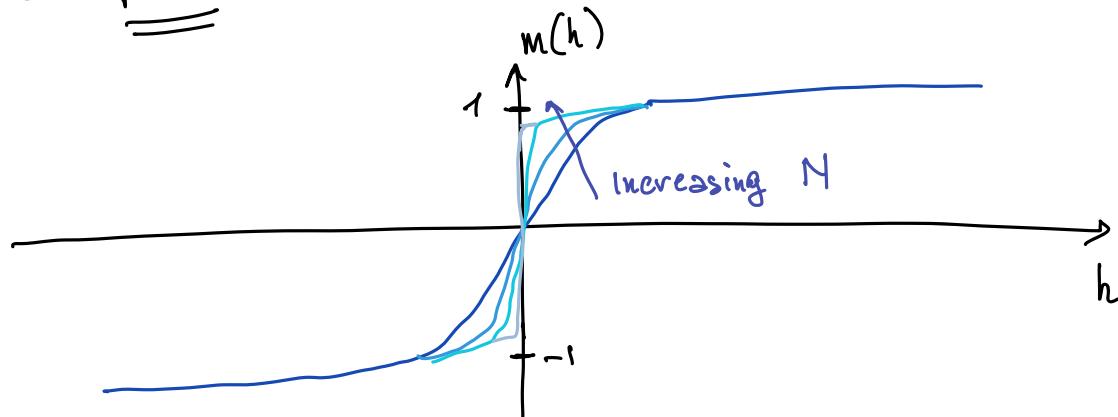
c) Spontaneous symmetry of the  $\mathbb{Z}_2$  invariance

this can only happen for  $N \rightarrow \infty$

$$m = \frac{\langle M \rangle}{N} \quad \text{INTENSIVE MAGNETIZATION}$$

(magnetization per spin)

$m(h)$  at finite  $N$  at low temperature ( $T \leq T_c$ )



$\xleftarrow{\quad} O(1/N^{1/d}) \xrightarrow{\quad}$  this has been explained  
in the lectures, see  
Peierls criterion

for  $T < T_c$ :

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \lim_{N \rightarrow +\infty} m(h, N) \neq \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} m(h, N)$$

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The order of the limits does not commute  
 $M(h, N)$  becomes discontinuous for  $N \rightarrow \infty$

$$M = \frac{\partial \ln Z}{\partial \beta h} \Rightarrow \text{The free-energy becomes non-analytic for } H \rightarrow \infty$$

$Z$  is a sum of analytic functions

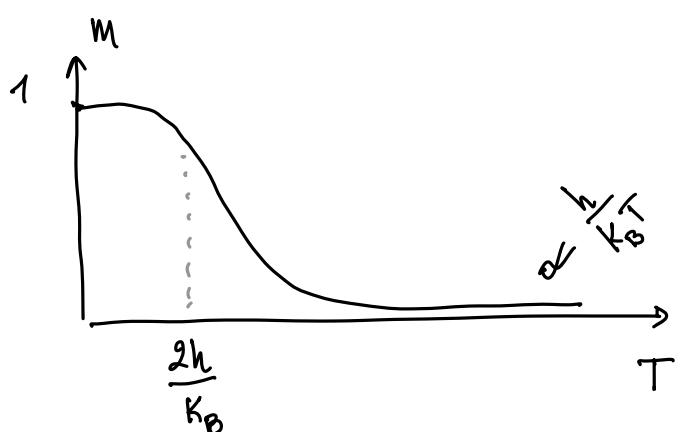
$F$  can be non-analytic only if the number of terms in the sum becomes infinite

d)  $J=0$   $H = -h \sum_i s_i$  independent spins

$$Z = \sum_{\{s_i = \pm 1\}} e^{\beta h \sum_i s_i} = T \sum_i s_i = \left(2 \cosh(\beta h)\right)^N$$

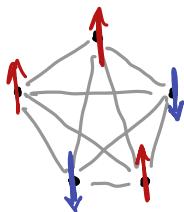
$$F = -k_B T \ln Z = -\frac{N}{\beta} \ln(2 \cosh(\beta h))$$

$$M = \frac{\partial \ln Z}{\partial (\beta h)} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \beta h} N \ln(2 \cosh(\beta h)) = N \tanh(\beta h)$$



→ energy cost to flip one spin

## 1.2 The "fully-connected" approximation



$$H = -\frac{J}{2N} \sum_{i \neq j} s_i s_j - h \sum_i s_i$$

a)  $\sum_{i \neq j} s_i s_j = \sum_i s_i \cdot \sum_j s_j - \sum_i (s_i)^2 = \left( \sum_i s_i \right)^2 - N$

$$H = \underbrace{-\frac{J}{2N} \left( \sum_i s_i \right)^2}_{O(N)} + \underbrace{\frac{J}{2}}_{O(1)} - \underbrace{h \sum_i s_i}_{O(N)}$$

$$H(\{s_i\}) = H(M) = -\frac{J}{2N} M^2 - hM + O(1)$$

b)  $Z = \sum_{\{s_i = \pm 1\}} e^{\frac{\beta J}{2N} M^2 + \beta h M}$

Hubbard-Stratonovich transformation to decouple  
the quadratic term

$$e^{\frac{\beta J}{2N} M^2} = e^{\frac{\beta J N}{2} \left( \frac{M}{N} \right)^2} = \int \frac{dz}{\sqrt{\frac{2\pi}{\beta J N}}} e^{-\frac{\beta J N}{2} z^2 + \beta J N z \frac{M}{N} + \beta h M}$$

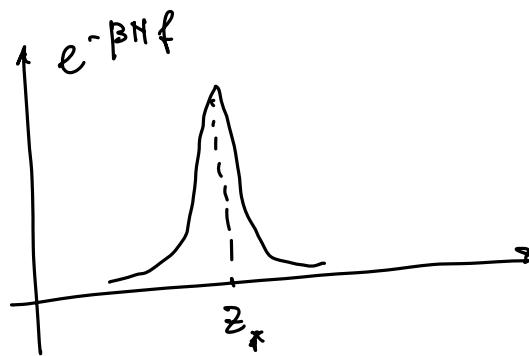
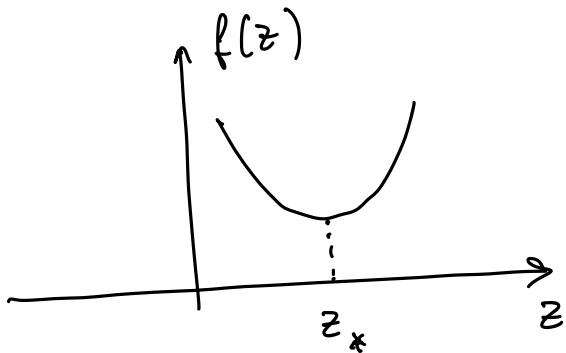
$$Z = \sqrt{\frac{\beta J N}{2\pi}} \int dz e^{-\frac{\beta J N}{2} z^2} \sum_{\{s_i = \pm 1\}} e^{\beta(Jz + h) M[\{s_i\}]}$$

$$\sum_{\{s_i = \pm 1\}} e^{\beta(Jz + h) \sum_i s_i} = \left(2 \operatorname{ch}(\beta(Jz + h))\right)^N = e^{N \ln[2 \operatorname{ch}(\beta(Jz + h))]}$$

$$Z = \sqrt{\frac{\beta J N}{2\pi}} \int dz e^{-N\beta \left[\frac{Jz^2}{2} - \frac{1}{\beta} \ln(2 \operatorname{ch}(\beta(Jz + h)))\right]}$$

$$Z = \int dz e^{-N\beta f(z)} + \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{\beta J N}{2\pi} \xrightarrow{\text{sub-leading}} O(\ln N)$$

c) In the  $N \rightarrow \infty$  limit the integral over  $z$  is dominated by the minimum of  $f$  (plus subleading logarithmic corrections)



$$f(z) \simeq f(z_*) + \frac{1}{2} f''(z_*) (z - z_*)^2 + \dots \quad f''(z_*) > 0$$

$$\int dz e^{-\beta N f(z)} \simeq e^{-\beta N f(z_*)} \int dz e^{-\frac{\beta N f(z_*)}{2} (z - z_*)^2}$$

$$Z \simeq e^{-\beta N f(z_*)} \sqrt{\frac{2\pi}{\beta N f''(z_*)}} = e^{-\beta N f(z_*) + \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{2\pi}{\beta N f''(z_*)}} \xrightarrow{N \rightarrow \infty} 0(\ln N)$$

$$Z \simeq e^{-\beta N f(z_*)} \quad z_* \rightarrow \text{absolute minimum of } f(z)$$

$N \rightarrow \infty$

$$\text{Free-energy: } F \simeq N f(z_*)$$

$$f(z) = \frac{Jz^2}{2} - \frac{1}{\beta} \ln 2 \cosh (\beta(Jz+h))$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial z} = Jz - \frac{1}{\beta} \tanh (\beta(Jz+h)) \cdot \beta J$$

Self-consistent equation:

$$z_* = \tanh [\beta(Jz_* + h)]$$

$$\langle M \rangle = \frac{1}{\beta} \frac{\partial \ln Z}{\partial h} = - \frac{1}{\beta} \frac{\partial}{\partial h} \beta N f(z_*)$$

$$M = \frac{\langle M \rangle}{N} = - \frac{1}{\beta} \frac{\partial}{\partial h} \beta f(z_*) = - \frac{\partial}{\partial h} \left[ \frac{Jz_*^2}{2} - \frac{1}{\beta} \ln 2 \cosh (\beta(Jz_*+h)) \right]$$

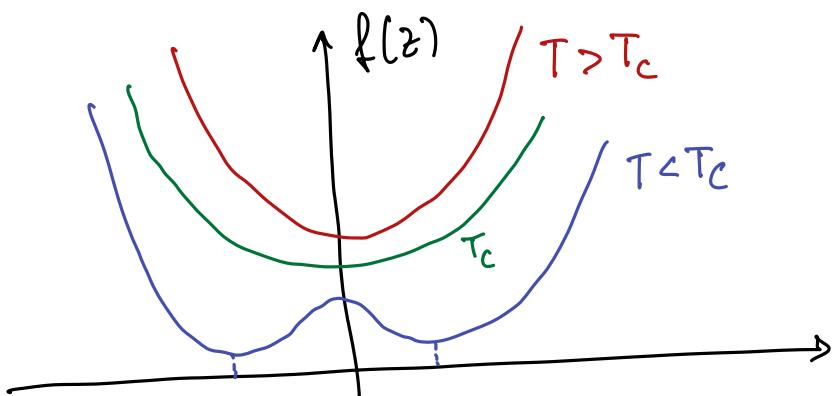
$$M = - \left[ Jz_* \cdot \frac{\partial z_*}{\partial h} - \frac{1}{\beta} \tanh (\beta(Jz_*+h)) \frac{\partial \beta(h+Jz_*)}{\partial h} \right]$$

$$m = \underbrace{\text{th}(\beta(Jz_* + h))}_{\approx z_*} - J \left[ z_* - \text{th}(\beta(Jz_* + h)) \right] \frac{\partial z_*}{\partial h}$$

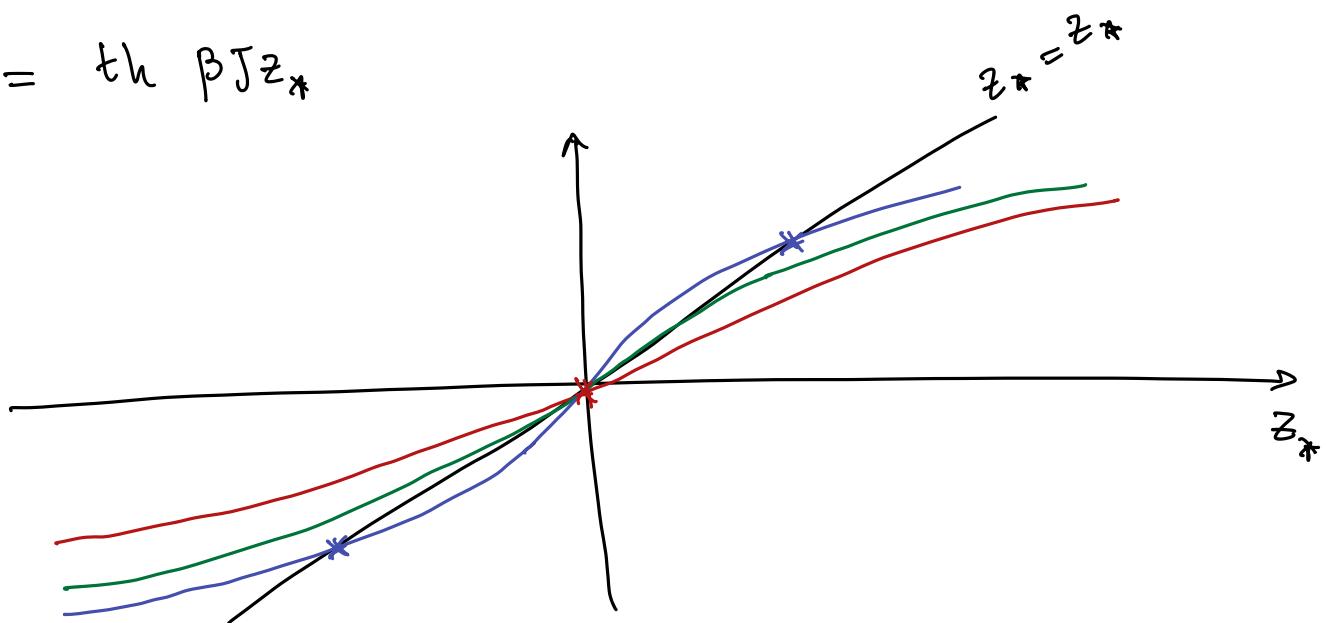
(self-consistent equation)

$m = z_*$

d)  $h=0$        $f(z) = \frac{Jz^2}{2} - \frac{1}{\beta} \ln[2 \cosh(\beta J z)]$



$$z_* = \text{th} \beta J z_*$$



$T \geq T_c$   $\rightarrow$  One solution at  $z_* = 0$

$T < T_c$   $\rightarrow$  three solutions,  $z_* = 0$  et  $\pm z_*$

At  $T_c$ :

$$z_* = \beta_c J z_* + \dots$$

$$\boxed{\beta_c = \frac{1}{J}}$$

$$T \lesssim T_c \quad \text{th}(x) \simeq x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \dots$$

$$z_* \simeq \beta J z_* - \frac{(\beta J z_*)^3}{3}$$

$$(\beta J - 1) z_* = \frac{(\beta J)^3}{3} z_*^3$$

$$z_* = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad z_* = \left( 3 \frac{\beta J - 1}{(\beta J)^3} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$\boxed{T = T_c (1 - \epsilon)}$$

$$\beta = \frac{1}{T_c (1 - \epsilon)}$$

$$[k_B \equiv 1]$$

$$\beta \simeq \beta_c (1 + \epsilon)$$

$$m \simeq \left( 3 \frac{\beta_c J (1 + \epsilon) - 1}{[\beta_c J (1 + \epsilon)]^3} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$\beta_c J = 1$$

$$\boxed{\epsilon = \frac{T_c - T}{T_c} = \frac{\beta - \beta_c}{\beta} \simeq \frac{\beta - \beta_c}{\beta_c}}$$

$$m \simeq \left[ 3 \left( \epsilon + o(\epsilon^2) \right) \right]^{1/2} \simeq \sqrt{3\epsilon} = \sqrt{3 \frac{T_c - T}{T_c}}$$

$$\beta = 1/2$$

f)  $\chi = \left. \frac{\partial m}{\partial h} \right|_{h=0} = \left. \frac{\partial \mathcal{Z}_k}{\partial h} \right|_{h=0}$

$$f(m) = \frac{Jm^2}{2} - \frac{1}{\beta} \ln 2 \cosh(\beta(Jm+h))$$

$$\beta(Jm+h) \ll 1$$

$$\cosh(x) \approx 1 + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \dots$$

$$\ln(1+\epsilon) \approx \epsilon - \frac{\epsilon^2}{2} + \dots$$

$$\begin{aligned} \ln[2 \cosh(x)] &\simeq \ln 2 + \ln \left( 1 + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^4}{24} \right) \simeq \ln 2 + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^4}{24} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{x^4}{4} \\ &= \ln 2 + \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^4}{12} \end{aligned}$$

$$f(m) \simeq \frac{Jm^2}{2} - \frac{1}{\beta} \ln 2 - \frac{1}{\beta} \frac{\beta^2 (Jm+h)^2}{2} + \frac{\beta^3 (Jm+h)^4}{12}$$

$(Jm+h)^2, (Jm+h)^4 \rightarrow$  keep only linear terms in  $h$   
 $\chi \rightarrow$  linear response

$$(Jm+h)^2 \approx (Jm)^2 + 2Jmh + o(h^2)$$

$$(Jm+h)^4 \approx (Jm)^4 + 4(Jm)^3 h + o(h^2)$$

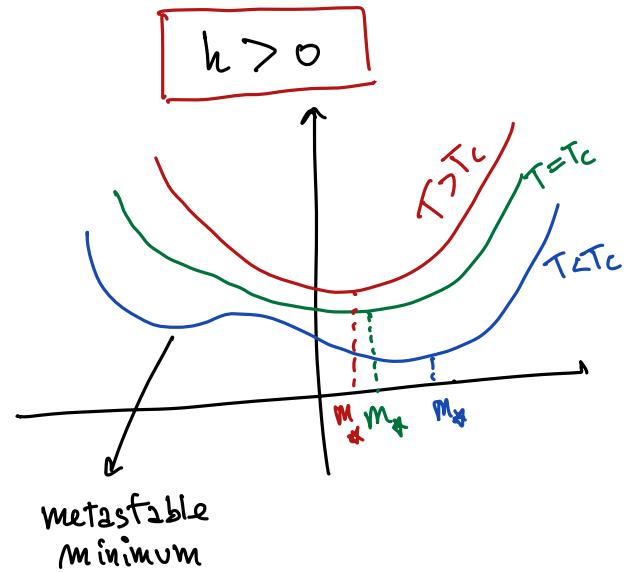
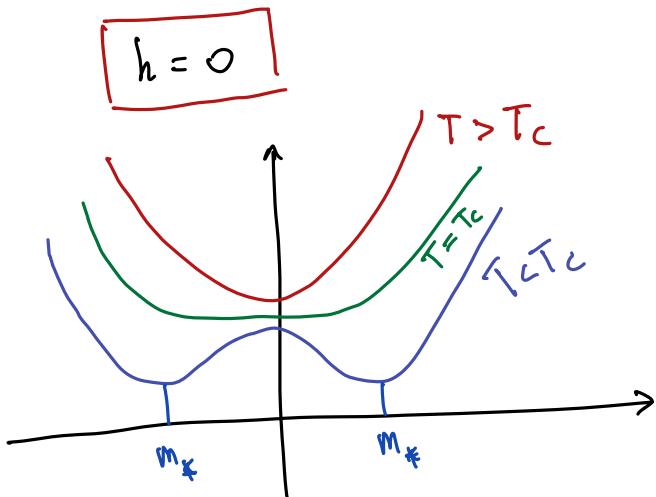
$$f(m) \simeq \left( \frac{J}{2} - \frac{\beta J^2}{2} \right) m^2 - \frac{1}{\beta} \ln 2 + \frac{\beta^3 J^4 m^4}{12} - \beta J m h + \dots$$

$$f(m) \approx -\frac{1}{\beta} \ln 2 + \frac{J}{2} \left(1 - \frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right) m^2 + \frac{\beta^3 J^4}{12} m^4 - \beta J m h + \dots$$

$$\beta > \beta_c \quad (T < T_c) \rightarrow 1 - \frac{\beta}{\beta_c} < 0$$

$$\beta < \beta_c \quad (T > T_c) \rightarrow 1 - \frac{\beta}{\beta_c} > 0$$

The quadratic term of the GL free-energy changes sign at  $T_c$



$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial m} = J \left(1 - \frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right) m + \frac{\beta^3 J^4}{3} m^3 - \beta J h$$

$$\bullet T > T_c \rightarrow m_* \approx \frac{\beta J h}{J \left(1 - \frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right)} = \frac{\beta h}{1 - \frac{T_c}{T}} = \frac{h}{T - T_c}$$

$$\bullet T < T_c \rightarrow \left(1 - \frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right) m_* + \frac{\beta^3 J^3}{3} m_*^3 = \beta h$$

$$\left[ \left(1 - \frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right) + \beta^3 J^3 m_*^2 \right] \frac{\partial m_*}{\partial h} = \beta$$

$$\chi = \frac{\beta}{\left(1 - \frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right) + \beta^3 J^3 m_*^2} \Big|_{h=0}$$

$$T > T_c \quad m_*|_{h=0} = 0$$

$$\chi = \frac{\beta}{\frac{1-\beta}{\beta_c}} = \frac{1}{T-T_c}$$

we recover the previous result

$$T < T_c \quad m_*|_{h=0} \approx \pm \sqrt{3 \frac{T_c - T}{T_c}} = \pm \sqrt{3 \left( \frac{1}{\beta_c} - \frac{1}{\beta} \right) \beta_c}$$

$$= \pm \sqrt{3 \frac{\beta - \beta_c}{\beta}} \approx \pm \sqrt{3 \frac{\beta - \beta_c}{\beta_c}}$$

$$\chi = \frac{\beta}{1 - \frac{\beta}{\beta_c} + \beta^3 J^3 \left( 3 \frac{\beta - \beta_c}{\beta} \right)} = \frac{\beta}{1 - \frac{\beta}{\beta_c} + 3 \left( \frac{\beta}{\beta_c} \right)^3 \left( 1 - \frac{\beta_c}{\beta} \right)}$$

$$\beta = \beta_c (1 + \epsilon)$$

$$\chi = \frac{\beta}{-\epsilon + 3(1+\epsilon)^3 \epsilon} \approx \frac{\beta}{-\epsilon + 3\epsilon} = \frac{\beta}{2\epsilon}$$

$$\chi \approx \begin{cases} \frac{1}{T - T_c} & T > T_c \\ \frac{1}{2(T_c - T)} & T < T_c \end{cases}$$

$$\boxed{\chi = 1}$$

Alternative strategy to compute  $\chi$

$$m_* = \tanh(\beta(Jm_* + h))$$

$$\frac{\partial m_*}{\partial h} = \left[ 1 - \tanh^2(\beta(Jm_* + h)) \right] \beta \left( J \frac{\partial m_*}{\partial h} + 1 \right)$$

$$\tanh^2(\beta(Jm_* + h)) = m_*^2$$

$$\frac{\partial m_*}{\partial h} = (1 - m_*^2) \beta \left( J \frac{\partial m_*}{\partial h} + 1 \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial m_*}{\partial h} \left( 1 - \beta J (1 - m_*^2) \right) = \beta (1 - m_*^2)$$

$$\chi = \frac{\beta (1 - m_*^2)}{1 - \beta J (1 - m_*^2)} \quad \Big|_{h=0}$$

$$T > T_c \rightarrow m_* = 0 \rightarrow \chi = \frac{\beta}{1 - \beta J} = \frac{\beta}{1 - \frac{\beta}{\beta_c}} = \frac{1}{\chi} \frac{\frac{1}{T-T_c}}{\frac{1}{\chi}}$$

$$T < T_c \rightarrow m_*^2 = \sqrt{3\epsilon}$$

$$\chi = \frac{\beta (1 - 3\epsilon)}{1 - \frac{\beta (1 - 3\epsilon)}{\beta_c}} \quad \beta \approx \beta_c(1 + \epsilon)$$

$$\chi \approx \frac{\beta_c (1 + \epsilon)(1 - 3\epsilon)}{1 - (1 + \epsilon)(1 - 3\epsilon)} \approx \frac{\beta_c (1 - 2\epsilon)}{1 - (1 - 2\epsilon)} \approx \frac{\beta_c}{2\epsilon} = \frac{1}{2(T_c - T)}$$

\* Why is it possible to neglect the term  $\propto h m^3$  in the free-energy?

$$f(m) \simeq \left(\frac{J}{2} - \frac{\beta J^2}{2}\right)m^2 - \frac{1}{\beta} \ln 2 + \frac{\beta^3 J^4 m^4}{12} - \beta J m h + \frac{\beta^3}{3} (5m)^3 h + \dots$$

$$f(m) \simeq \frac{J}{2} \left(1 - \frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right) m^2 - \frac{1}{\beta} \ln 2 + J \left(\frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right)^3 \frac{m^4}{12} - \beta J m h + \left(\frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right)^3 \frac{m^3}{3} h$$

$$\frac{df}{dm} = J \left(1 - \frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right) m + J \left(\frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right)^3 \frac{m^3}{3} - \beta J h + \left(\frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right)^3 m^2 h$$

$$\left(1 - \frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right) m = \beta h - \left(\frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right)^3 \frac{m^3}{3} - \left(\frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right)^3 m^2 h$$

- Take the derivative of both sides of the equation wrt  $h$

$$\left(1 - \frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right) \frac{dm}{dh} = \beta - \left(\frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right)^3 m^2 \frac{dm}{dh} - \left(\frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right)^3 m^2 - \left(\frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right)^3 2m \frac{dm}{dh} \cdot h$$

$$\text{- Take the limit } h \rightarrow 0 \quad m \simeq \sqrt{3\epsilon} \quad \left. \frac{dm}{dh} \right|_{h=0} = \chi$$

$$\left(1 - \frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right) \chi = \beta - \left(\frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right) 3\epsilon \chi - \left(\frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right)^3 3\epsilon$$

$\frac{\beta}{\beta_c} \underset{-\epsilon}{=} 1$

$$(-\epsilon + 3\epsilon) \chi \simeq \beta - 3\epsilon$$

$$\chi \simeq \frac{\beta - 3\epsilon}{2\epsilon} = \frac{\beta - 3\epsilon}{2(T_c - T)} \simeq \frac{1 - 3(T_c - T)}{2(T_c - T)} = \frac{1}{2(T_c - T)} - \frac{3}{2}$$

This term  
only gives  
a sub-leading  
contribution

$$g) \quad C = \frac{\partial \langle E \rangle}{\partial T} \quad \langle E \rangle = - \frac{\partial \ln Z}{\partial \beta}$$

$$\langle E \rangle = - \frac{\partial}{\partial \beta} (-N \beta f(m_*)) = N \frac{\partial}{\partial \beta} (\beta f(m_*))$$

$$h=0 \rightarrow f(m) \approx -\frac{1}{\beta} \ln 2 + \frac{J}{2} \left(1 - \frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right) m^2 + \frac{\beta^3 J^4}{12} m^4$$

$$T < T_c \rightarrow m_* = 0 \rightarrow f(m_*) = -\frac{1}{\beta} \ln 2$$

$$T < T_c \rightarrow m_* \approx \sqrt{3\epsilon} \rightarrow f(m_*) = -\frac{1}{\beta} \ln 2 + \frac{J}{2} \left(1 - \frac{\beta}{\beta_c}\right) 3\epsilon + \frac{\beta^3 J^4}{12} \cdot 9\epsilon^2$$

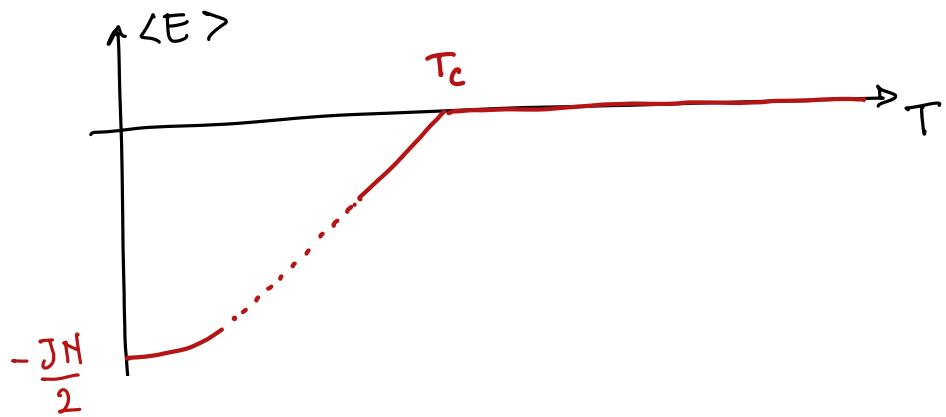
$$\begin{aligned} f(m_*) &\approx -\frac{1}{\beta} \ln 2 + \frac{J}{2} \left(1 - (1+\epsilon)\right) \cdot 3\epsilon + \frac{3}{4} \beta^3 J^4 \epsilon^2 + O(\epsilon^3) \\ &= -\frac{1}{\beta} \ln 2 + \frac{3J}{2} \left(\frac{\beta^3 J^3}{2} - 1\right) \epsilon^2 + O(\epsilon^3) \end{aligned}$$

$$f(m_*) \approx \begin{cases} -\frac{1}{\beta} \ln 2 & T > T_c \\ -\frac{1}{\beta} \ln 2 - \frac{3J}{4} \epsilon^2 & T < T_c \end{cases}$$

$$\langle E \rangle = N \frac{\partial}{\partial \beta} (\beta f(m_*)) = N \frac{\partial}{\partial \epsilon} (\beta f(m_*)) \frac{\partial G}{\partial \beta}$$

$$\frac{\partial \epsilon}{\partial \beta} \approx \frac{1}{\beta_c}$$

$$\langle E \rangle = \frac{N}{\beta_c} \frac{\partial \beta f(m_*)}{\partial E} \approx \begin{cases} 0 & T > T_c \\ -\frac{3E}{2} & T < T_c \end{cases}$$



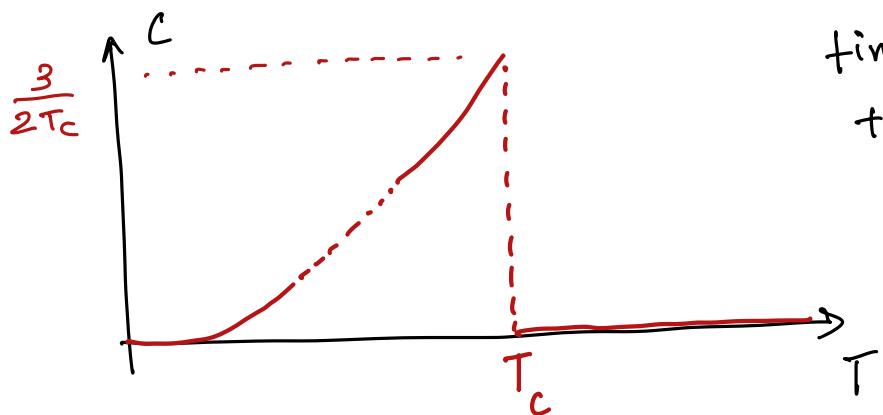
$$C = \frac{d\langle E \rangle}{dT} = \frac{d\langle E \rangle}{dE} \frac{dE}{dT}$$

$$\frac{dE}{dT} = -\frac{1}{T_c}$$

$$C \approx \begin{cases} 0 & T > T_c \\ \frac{3}{2T_c} & T < T_c \end{cases}$$

$$C \propto |T - T_c|^\alpha \quad \alpha = 0$$

finite jump at the transition

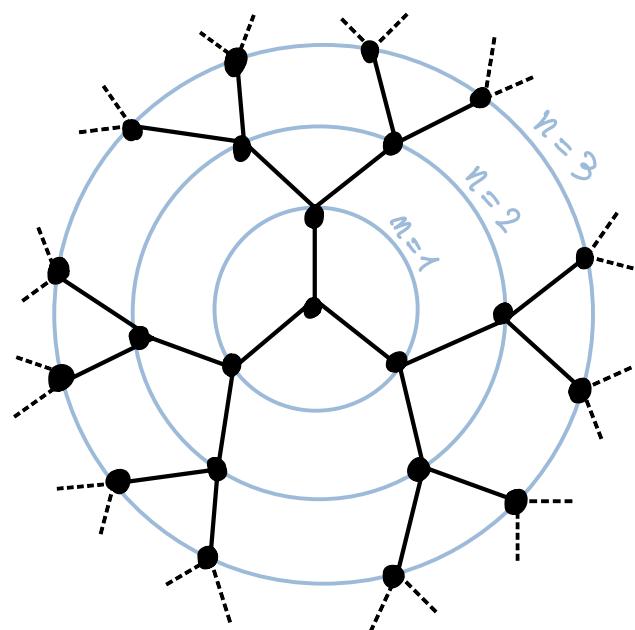


$$\alpha + 2\beta + \gamma = 2$$

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(See lectures' notes)

# 1.3 The Bethe Approximation



a)

$n$	$S(n)$	$N$
0	1	1
1	$k+1$	$1+k+1$
2	$k(k+1)$	$1+(k+1)(1+k)$
3	$k^2(k+1)$	$1+(k+1)(1+k+k^2)$
:	:	
$n$	$k^{n-1}(k+1)$	$1+(k+1)(1+\dots+k^{n-1})$

b) 
$$N = \sum_{m=0}^R S(n) = 1 + (k+1) \sum_{m=0}^{R-1} k^m = 1 + (k+1) \frac{1-k^R}{1-k}$$

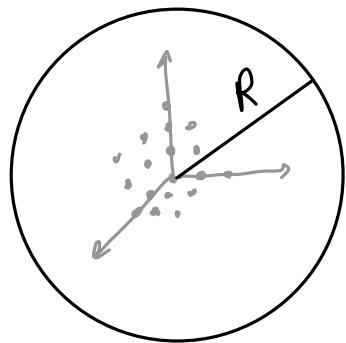
$$\begin{aligned} N &= 1 + (k+1) \frac{k^R - 1}{k-1} = 1 + \frac{k^{R+1} - k + k^R - 1}{k-1} \\ &= \frac{\cancel{k-1} + \cancel{k^{R+1}} - \cancel{k} + \cancel{k^R} - 1}{k-1} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{k^{R+1} + k^R - 2}{k-1}$$

$$R=3, k=2 \rightarrow N=22 \quad (\text{as in the figure})$$

c)

## Euclidean lattices



$$N(R) \propto R^d$$

$$\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln N}{\ln R} = d$$

Bethe lattice :

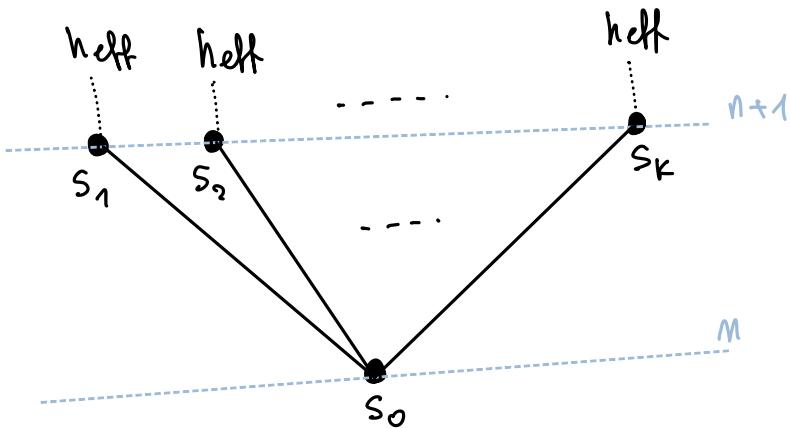
$$\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln N}{\ln R} = \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \frac{R \ln K}{\ln R} \rightarrow +\infty \quad (d \rightarrow \infty)$$

Effectively  $\infty - d$   
lattice

d)

$$P(s=+1) = \frac{e^{\beta h_{\text{eff}}}}{e^{\beta h_{\text{eff}}} + e^{-\beta h_{\text{eff}}}} = \frac{e^{\beta h_{\text{eff}}}}{2 \operatorname{ch}(\beta h_{\text{eff}})}$$

$$\langle m \rangle = P(s=+1) - P(s=-1) = \operatorname{th}(\beta h_{\text{eff}})$$



$$H = -J S_0 \sum_{i=1}^k s_i - h S_0 - h_{\text{eff}} \sum_{i=1}^k s_i$$

e)

$$Z = \sum_{S_0, S_1, \dots, S_k}$$

$$e^{\beta J S_0 \sum_i s_i + \beta h S_0 + \beta h_{\text{eff}} \sum_i s_i}$$

$$Z = \sum_{S_0, S_1, \dots, S_k} e^{\beta h S_0} \prod_i^k e^{\beta (J S_i + h_{\text{eff}}) S_i}$$

$$Z = \sum_{S_0 = \pm 1} e^{\beta h S_0} \prod_i^k \sum_{S_i = \pm 1} e^{\beta (J S_i + h_{\text{eff}}) S_i}$$

f)  $\sum_{S=\pm 1} e^{\beta (JS_0 + h_{\text{eff}}) S} = C e^{\beta u S_0}$

$$S_0 = +1 \quad e^{\beta (J + h_{\text{eff}})} + e^{-\beta (J + h_{\text{eff}})} = C e^{\beta u}$$

$$S_0 = -1 \quad e^{\beta (-J + h_{\text{eff}})} + e^{-\beta (-J + h_{\text{eff}})} = C e^{-\beta u}$$

- Take the sum and the difference of the two equations

$$\begin{aligned} * C(e^{\beta u} + e^{-\beta u}) &= e^{\beta (J + h_{\text{eff}})} + e^{-\beta (J + h_{\text{eff}})} \\ &\quad + e^{\beta (-J + h_{\text{eff}})} + e^{-\beta (-J + h_{\text{eff}})} \\ &= (e^{\beta J} + e^{-\beta J})(e^{\beta h_{\text{eff}}} + e^{-\beta h_{\text{eff}}}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} * C(e^{\beta u} - e^{-\beta u}) &= e^{\beta (J + h_{\text{eff}})} - e^{-\beta (J + h_{\text{eff}})} \\ &\quad - e^{\beta (-J + h_{\text{eff}})} - e^{-\beta (-J + h_{\text{eff}})} \\ &= (e^{\beta J} - e^{-\beta J})(e^{\beta h_{\text{eff}}} - e^{-\beta h_{\text{eff}}}) \end{aligned}$$

take the ratio  $\rightarrow \tanh(\beta u) = \tanh(\beta J) \tanh(\beta h_{\text{eff}})$

$$u = \frac{1}{\beta} \operatorname{atanh} [\operatorname{th}(\beta J) \operatorname{th}(\beta h_{\text{eff}})]$$

$$c = \frac{\operatorname{ch}(\beta J) \operatorname{ch}(\beta h_{\text{eff}})}{2 \operatorname{ch}(\beta u)}$$

g)  $Z = \sum_{S_0 = \pm 1} e^{\beta h S_0} \prod_i \underbrace{\sum_{S_i = \pm 1} e^{\beta (J S_0 + h_{\text{eff}}) S_i}}_{c e^{\beta u S_0}}$

$$Z = \underbrace{c^k}_{C} \sum_{S_0 = \pm 1} e^{\beta (\underbrace{h + k u}_{h_{\text{eff}}}) S_0}$$

$$C = C^k$$

$$h_{\text{eff}} = h + \frac{k}{\beta} \operatorname{atanh} [\operatorname{th}(\beta J) \operatorname{th}(\beta h_{\text{eff}})]$$

SELF-CONSISTENT EQUATION FOR  $h_{\text{eff}}$

h)  $\langle m \rangle = \operatorname{th}(\beta h_{\text{eff}})$

$$\langle m \rangle = \operatorname{th} [\beta h + k \operatorname{atanh} [\operatorname{th}(\beta J) \langle m \rangle]]$$

→ Self-consistent equation for  $\langle m \rangle$

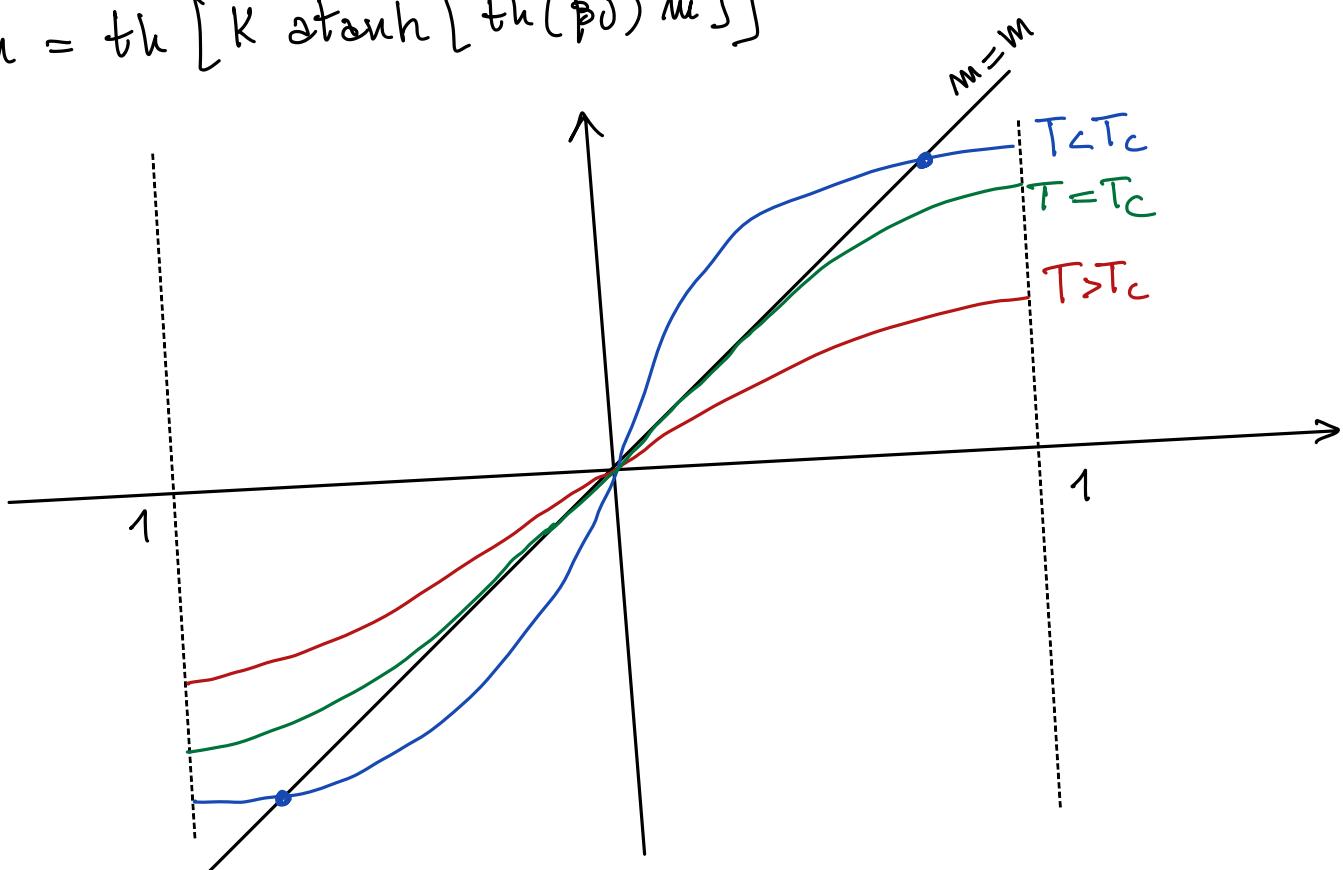
for  $h = 0$  :

$$\langle m \rangle = \operatorname{th} [k \operatorname{atanh} [\operatorname{th}(\beta J) \langle m \rangle]]$$

Similar but more complicated than Curie-Weiss and fully-connected approximations

i)  $\boxed{h = 0}$

$$m = \tanh \left[ K \operatorname{atanh} \left[ \tanh(\beta J) m \right] \right]$$



Critical temperature:  $\frac{d}{dm} \left( \tanh \left[ K \operatorname{atanh} \left[ \tanh(\beta J) m \right] \right] \right)_{m=0} = 1$

expand around  $m=0$

$$\operatorname{atanh} \left[ \tanh(\beta J) m \right] \approx \tanh(\beta J) m$$

$$\tanh \left[ K \tanh(\beta J) m \right] \approx K \tanh(\beta J) m$$

$$\tanh(\beta c J) = 1/K \quad \beta c J = \operatorname{atanh}(1/K)$$

$$T_c = \frac{J}{2 \operatorname{tanh}(1/K)}$$

$$2 \tanh(1/k) > 1/k \quad (k \geq 1)$$

$$T_c^{(\text{Bethe})} \leq \frac{J}{1/k} = kJ < (k+1)J = T_c^{(\text{CW})}$$

J)  $k+1 = 2d$

$$k=1 \quad \text{for } d=1 \quad \rightarrow T_c^{(\text{Bethe})} (d=1) \rightarrow 0$$

No phase transition for  $d=1$

k)  $2 \tanh(x) \approx x + \frac{x^3}{3} \quad t \equiv \tanh(\beta J)$

$$\tanh\left[k \tanh\left[\tanh(\beta J)m\right]\right] \approx \tanh\left[k\left(tm + \frac{(tm)^3}{3}\right)\right]$$

$$\tanh(x) \approx x - \frac{x^3}{3}$$

$$\tanh\left[k\left(tm + \frac{(tm)^3}{3}\right)\right] \approx k\left(tm + \frac{(tm)^3}{3}\right) - \frac{1}{3}k^3\left(tm + \frac{(tm)^3}{3}\right)^3$$

$$= ktm + \frac{Kt^3}{3}m^3 - \frac{1}{3}K^3t^3m^3 + o(m^5)$$

$$= kt m + \frac{k^3 t^3}{3} \left(\frac{1}{K^2} - 1\right) m^3 + o(m^5)$$

$$\tanh(\beta_c J) = 1/k \Rightarrow t_c = 1/k$$

$$m \approx \frac{t}{t_c} \cdot m + \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{t}{t_c}\right)^3 \left(t_c^2 - 1\right) m^3$$

$$T > T_c \Rightarrow \beta < \beta_c \Rightarrow \text{th}(\beta J) < \text{th}(\beta_c J) \Rightarrow t < t_c$$

$$T < T_c \Rightarrow \beta > \beta_c \Rightarrow \text{th}(\beta J) > \text{th}(\beta_c J) \Rightarrow t > t_c$$

$$m\left(\frac{t}{t_c} - 1\right) \simeq \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{t}{t_c}\right)^3 (1-t_c^2) m^2$$

$$m = \pm \sqrt{\frac{3 \left(\frac{t}{t_c} - 1\right)}{\left(\frac{t}{t_c}\right)^3 (1-t_c^2)}}$$

$$T = T_c (1 - \epsilon) \Rightarrow \epsilon = \frac{T_c - T}{T_c}$$

$$\beta = \beta_c (1 + \epsilon) \Rightarrow \epsilon = \frac{\beta - \beta_c}{\beta_c}$$

$$t = \text{th} [\beta_c (1 + \epsilon) J] = \text{th} [\beta_c J + \beta_c J \epsilon]$$

$$= \text{th} (\beta_c J) + (1 - \text{th}^2 (\beta_c J)) \beta_c J \epsilon$$

$$= t_c + (1 - t_c^2) \beta_c J \epsilon$$

$$\frac{t - t_c}{t_c} = \frac{(1 - t_c^2) \beta_c J \epsilon}{t_c}$$

$$m = \pm \sqrt{\frac{3 (1 - t_c^2) \beta_c J \epsilon}{t_c}} \simeq \pm \sqrt{\frac{3 \beta_c J}{t_c}} \epsilon$$

$$\frac{3 (1 - t_c^2) \beta_c J \epsilon}{t_c}$$

$$\frac{1 + \left(\frac{1 - t_c^2}{t_c}\right) \beta_c J \epsilon}{\left(1 - \frac{1 - t_c^2}{t_c}\right)} (1 - t_c^2)$$

$$M = \pm \sqrt{\frac{3\beta_c J}{t h(\beta_c J)} \frac{T_c - T}{T_c}}$$

$$\beta = 1/2$$

l)  $\langle m \rangle = \operatorname{th} [\beta h + k \operatorname{atanh} [\operatorname{th}(\beta J) \langle m \rangle]]$

$$\frac{dm}{dh} = \left( 1 - \operatorname{th}^2 [\beta h + k \operatorname{atanh} [\operatorname{th}(\beta J) m]] \right) \times$$

$$\times \left( \beta + \frac{k}{1 - (\operatorname{th}(\beta J) m)^2} \operatorname{th}(\beta J) \frac{dm}{dh} \right)$$

$$\frac{dm}{dh} = \left( 1 - \operatorname{th}^2 [\beta h + k \operatorname{atanh} (tm)] \right) \left( \beta + \frac{k}{1 - (tm)^2} t \frac{dm}{dh} \right)$$

$$h \rightarrow 0 \quad m \rightarrow M_*(h=0)$$

- $T > T_c \quad M_*(h=0) = 0$

$$\frac{dm}{dh} \Big|_{h=0} = \beta + k t \frac{dm}{dh} \Big|_{h=0}$$

$$\chi(1 - kt) = \beta \Rightarrow \chi = \frac{\beta}{1 - \frac{t}{t_c}} = \frac{t_c}{T(t_c - t)}$$

$$t_c - t \approx -(1 - t_c^2) \beta_c J \epsilon \quad \text{for } T \gtrsim T_c \quad \begin{cases} T = T_c(1-t) \\ \text{with } \epsilon \ll 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\chi \simeq \frac{t_c}{T(1-t_c^2)\beta_c J|\epsilon|} \simeq \frac{t_c}{(1-t_c^2)\beta_c J(T-T_c)}$$

$$\gamma = 1$$

- $T < T_c \quad m_*(h=0) \simeq \pm \sqrt{\frac{3\beta_c J}{t_c} \epsilon}$

$$\left. \frac{dm}{dh} \right|_{h=0} \simeq \left( 1 - t h^2 (ktm) \right) \left( \beta + \frac{k}{1-(tm)^2} t \frac{dm}{dh} \Big|_{h=0} \right)$$

$$\chi \simeq \left( 1 - (ktm)^2 \right) \left( \beta + \frac{tk}{1-(tm)^2} \chi \right)$$

$$\chi \simeq \left( 1 - \left( \frac{tm}{t_c} \right)^2 \right) \left( \beta + \frac{t/t_c}{1-(tm)^2} \chi \right)$$

$$m^2 \simeq \frac{3\beta_c J}{t_c} \epsilon \quad t = t_c + (1-t_c)^2 \beta_c J \epsilon$$

$$1 - \left( \frac{tm}{t_c} \right)^2 \simeq 1 - \frac{3\beta_c J}{t_c} \epsilon = 1 - m^2$$

$$1 - (tm)^2 \simeq 1 - t_c^2 m^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{t/t_c}{1-t_c^2 m^2} &\simeq \frac{t}{t_c} \left( 1 + t_c^2 m^2 \right) \simeq 1 + t_c^2 m^2 + \frac{(1-t_c)^2}{t_c} \beta_c J \epsilon \\ &\simeq 1 + \left[ 3t_c \beta_c J + \frac{(1-t_c)^2}{t_c} \beta_c J \right] \epsilon \end{aligned}$$

$$x \simeq \left(1 - \frac{3\beta_c J}{t_c} \epsilon\right) \left(\beta + (1+\alpha\epsilon)x\right)$$

$$x \simeq \beta + (1+\alpha\epsilon)x - \frac{3\beta_c J}{t_c} \beta \epsilon - \frac{3\beta_c J}{t_c} \epsilon x$$

$$x \left( \frac{3\beta_c J}{t_c} - \alpha \right) \epsilon \simeq \beta_c + o(\epsilon)$$