

Recurrence relations for the three-dimensional Ising-like model in the external field

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The method for calculation of the partition function of lattice model for the magnet in the external field near critical point (CP) is proposed. The recurrence relations and their explicit solution near the critical point are founded. It is shown that dependence on temperature of thermodynamic functions near CP, when the field value comes down to zero, is in good agreement with the previous results obtained using the collective variable method. The phase transition temperature (when $h = 0$) is calculated and the dependence on parameters of interaction potential is found.

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Introduction

A significant progress in the theoretical description of phase transitions on the microscopical level has been achieved using the collective variables (CV) method [1]. This approach allows one to take into account the collective behavior which plays a crucial role near the phase transition point. The effectiveness of the CV method was demonstrated by applying a one-component three-dimensional spin model [2] to the description of critical behavior. The critical temperature T_c with explicit expressions for thermodynamic functions near T_c have been obtained and their dependence on microscopic parameters of the system was found. However, the influence of external field on the above mentioned system is still unclear. The evaluation of expressions for free energy and other thermodynamic functions (heat capacity and order parameter in particular) near T_c in the vanishing external field is of great theoretical and practical interest. The critical point for one-component spin system is defined at the temperature equal to T_c and in zero external field h . The critical behavior of

this system at $h = 0$ has been studied quite well. In particular, the description of such a system on the microscopical level is given in [2]. We also know some of the characteristics for the one-component spin model at $T = T_c$ and with the external field tending to zero. Still unclear are the details of critical behavior of the spin system when $T \rightarrow T_c$ and $h \rightarrow 0$, but $T \neq T_c$ and $h \neq 0$. The solution of this problem is rather non-trivial, for instance, there is no exact solution even for the two-dimensional Ising model at non-zero external field.

In this study we develop an approximate method for the description of one-component 3D spin model near the phase transition point. This method is based on the microscopic theory of phase transitions developed in [2] which uses the collective variables set. The introduction of external field leads to a more general description of critical behavior, but the main ideas and calculation schemes of [1,2] are kept intact.

Similar problems of phase transitions occurring in binary alloys were considered by Gurskii [3,4]. In particular, the first principles approach was developed to calculate the partition function and order-disorder phase diagrams for the above mentioned systems [5].

The behavior of uniaxial magnetic systems and some other objects studied by statistical physics can be described quite well by the 3D Ising model. The Hamiltonian of this model takes the following form

$$H = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{\vec{l}\vec{j}} \Phi(r_{\vec{l}\vec{j}}) \sigma_{\vec{l}} \sigma_{\vec{j}} - h \sum_{\vec{l}} \sigma_{\vec{l}}, \quad (1)$$

where $\Phi(r_{\vec{l}\vec{j}})$ is the interaction potential between \vec{l} -th and \vec{j} -th lattice sites, $r_{\vec{l}\vec{j}} = |\vec{r}_{\vec{l}} - \vec{r}_{\vec{j}}|$ is an interparticle distance, $h = \mu\mathcal{H}$ is the normalized external field. The variable $\sigma_{\vec{l}}$ takes two values ± 1 . Let us consider a simple cubic lattice with the spacing c . In the following calculations the exponentially decaying potential

$$\Phi(r_{\vec{l}\vec{j}}) = A \cdot \exp(-r_{\vec{l}\vec{j}}/b) \quad (2)$$

is used. Here A is a constant, b is an effective interaction radius. The partition function of the system described via the Hamiltonian (1) can be written in the CV $\rho_{\vec{k}}$ representation in the following form [2]

$$Z = \int \exp \left(\frac{1}{2} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}} \beta \Phi(k) \rho_{\vec{k}} \rho_{-\vec{k}} \right) J_h(\rho) (d\rho)^N. \quad (3)$$

The summation in (3) is performed over the wave-vectors \vec{k} within the first Brillouine zone

$$\mathcal{B} = \left\{ \vec{k} = (k_x, k_y, k_z) \mid k_i = -\frac{\pi}{c} + \frac{2\pi}{c} \frac{n_i}{N_i}; n_i = 1, 2, \dots, N_i; i = x, y, z \right\}. \quad (4)$$

Here $N = N_x \cdot N_y \cdot N_z$ is the total number of particles, $\beta = 1/k_B T$ is the inverse temperature, $\Phi(k)$ is the Fourier transform of the interaction potential, and $J(\rho)$

is the transition Jacobian from the spin variables to the collective variables. If the external field h is present it takes the following form

$$J_h(\rho) = \text{Sp} \left[e^{\beta h \sum_{\vec{l}} \sigma_{\vec{l}}} J(\rho - \hat{\rho}) \right],$$

where the transition operator $J(\rho - \hat{\rho})$ is expressed as [1]

$$J(\rho - \hat{\rho}) = \int \exp \left[2\pi i \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}} \omega_{\vec{k}} (\rho_{\vec{k}} - \hat{\rho}_{\vec{k}}) \right] (d\omega)^N. \quad (5)$$

The integration in equation (5) is performed over N variables $\omega_0, \omega_{\vec{k}}^c, \omega_{\vec{k}}^s$ ($k > 0$), expressed as

$$(d\omega)^N = d\omega_0 \prod'_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}} d\omega_{\vec{k}}^c d\omega_{\vec{k}}^s.$$

Here the prime means that $k > 0$.

The operators $\hat{\rho}_{\vec{k}}$ are

$$\hat{\rho}_{\vec{k}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{\vec{l} \in \Lambda} \sigma_{\vec{l}} e^{-i\vec{k}\vec{l}}.$$

The summation here is performed over the periodic volume ($V = N \cdot c^3$)

$$\Lambda = \left\{ \vec{l} = (l_x, l_y, l_z) \mid l_i = c \cdot n_i; n_i = 1, 2, \dots, N_i; i = x, y, z \right\} \quad (6)$$

with periodic boundary conditions .

The explicit expression for transition Jacobian can be found as the result of summation Sp over eigenvalues $\sigma_{\vec{l}} = \pm 1$ and performing the integration over variables $\omega_{\vec{k}}$ in equation (5). In this way we obtain the known result

$$J_h(\rho) = \prod_{\vec{l} \in \Lambda} [\delta(\rho_{\vec{l}} + 1) \exp(-\beta h) + \delta(\rho_{\vec{l}} - 1) \exp(\beta h)], \quad (7)$$

where the site collective variables are introduced as

$$\rho_{\vec{l}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}} \rho_{\vec{k}} e^{i\vec{k}\vec{l}}. \quad (8)$$

The volume element in the CV space $\rho_{\vec{k}}$ and site variables $\rho_{\vec{l}}$ are related via the following expression

$$d\rho_0 \prod'_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}} d\rho_{\vec{k}}^c d\rho_{\vec{k}}^s = j^{-1} \prod_{\vec{l} \in \Lambda} d\rho_{\vec{l}}, \quad (9)$$

where the transition Jacobian j is

$$j = \sqrt{2}^{N-1}. \quad (10)$$

The change of variables from $\omega_{\vec{k}}$ to $\omega_{\vec{l}}$ leads to

$$d\omega_0 \prod_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}}' d\omega_{\vec{k}}^c \omega_{\vec{k}}^s = j \prod_{\vec{l} \in \Lambda} d\omega_{\vec{l}}, \quad (11)$$

where

$$\omega_{\vec{l}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}} \omega_{\vec{k}} e^{-i\vec{k}\vec{l}}. \quad (12)$$

The evaluation of partition function (3), free energy, and other thermodynamic functions near the critical point demands some approximations. It is connected with the fact that we can decompose expression (3) into two parts. The first, energetic part,

$$\exp \left(\frac{1}{2} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}} \beta \Phi(k) \rho_{\vec{k}} \rho_{-\vec{k}} \right)$$

is diagonal in terms of the variables $\rho_{\vec{k}}$, while an entropic part connected with transition Jacobian (7) is diagonal in the space of the site CV $\rho_{\vec{l}}$.

At present, we do not have adequate mathematical equipment for an exact calculation of expression (3). Usually, the approximate methods of calculation have been used. One of such approximations in studying the critical behavior of the statistical systems consists in using the Gaussian distribution for the order parameter. In such a way, for the scalar φ^4 theory in $d = 3$ [6], the values of the critical exponents have been obtained by means of resummation of the series of Gaussian perturbation theory. At present these values are considered to be the most reliable. They are used as the basis for investigation of other objects, for example, the weakly quenched disorder Ising model [7].

Although the Gaussian distribution of fluctuation proved to be beneficial in calculating the critical exponents and other universal quantities, it does not permit us to obtain non-universal parameters of the phase transition, for example, its critical temperature T_c . The calculation of the non-universal quantities is connected with the use of non-Gaussian distributions in calculating the free energy [8,9], or with the use of some non-perturbative approach describing the critical properties of three-dimensional systems [10] accounting for the non-Gaussian fluctuations of the order parameter. The use of non-Gaussian distribution of fluctuations is especially important near the critical point of the second order phase transition for three-dimensional systems. The peculiarity of the method which uses non-Gaussian distribution of fluctuations is the so-called intermediate integration [1] that allows us to obtain an analytical expression for free energy near the critical point. In the present paper we generalize the method of the works [1,2] to the case of non-zero external field. In this case the system always has a non-zero order parameter. It is interesting to describe the behavior of thermodynamic functions in the case of non-zero external field.

1. Representation of the partition function

Let us write the functional representation for the partition function of the model (1), which will be useful in our subsequent calculation of thermodynamic functions near the critical point. We start with expression (3), for which (7) holds. Fourier transform of the interaction potential ($\Phi(k)$), appearing in (3), has, according to (2), the following representation [1]

$$\Phi(k) = \Phi(0)(1 + b^2k^2)^{-2}, \quad (1.1)$$

where

$$\Phi(0) = A \cdot 8\pi(b/c)^3. \quad (1.2)$$

We are interested in the long-wave limit of $\Phi(k)$ because the critical behavior is determined by the long-range correlations. Therefore, we use the approximation

$$\Phi(k) = \begin{cases} \Phi(0)(1 - 2b^2k^2), & \vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0, \\ \Phi_0 = \Phi(0)\bar{\Phi}, & \vec{k} \in \mathcal{B} \setminus \mathcal{B}_0, \end{cases} \quad (1.3)$$

which corresponds to the parabolic approximation of (1.1) for small wave vectors with subsequent averaging of the Fourier transform of (1.1) over the wave vectors near the boundary of the Brillouine zone (4). In the investigation of universal parameters of the model (1) such as its critical exponents, the value Φ_0 is unessential and may be put to zero. But the value Φ_0 is essential in calculating non-universal quantities, for example, the critical temperature [11]. The definition of “small” values of the wave vector is ambiguous and depends on the form of the interaction potential. For the exponentially decreased potential (2) the region \mathcal{B}_0 , where the parabolic approximation (1.3) holds, has the form

$$\mathcal{B}_0 = \left\{ \vec{k} = (k_x, k_y, k_z) \mid k_i = -\frac{\pi}{c_0} + \frac{2\pi}{c_0} \frac{n_i}{N_{0i}}; n_i = 1, 2, \dots, N_{0i}, i = x, y, z \right\}, \quad (1.4)$$

where $N_{0x}N_{0y}N_{0z} = N_0$, $N_0 = N \cdot s_0^{-d}$, and $s_0 \geq 1$. The parameter s_0 determines the period of some effective block lattice $c_0 = c \cdot s_0$.

The parameter s_0 is determined differently for different interaction potentials (exchange interaction, nearest-neighbor interaction, etc.) provided that in the region $\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B} \setminus \mathcal{B}_0$, the dependence $\Phi(k)$ on the wave vector should be the weakest. In any case, we can consider that we investigate the critical behavior of the system with interaction potential (1.3) representing the long-range type (in particular, exponentially decreased) of the interparticle interaction.

In virtue of (1.3), the partition function (3) is presented in the form

$$\begin{aligned} Z = & \int (d\rho)^N (d\eta)^{N_0} (d\omega)^{N_0} \exp \left[\frac{1}{2} \beta \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0} (\Phi(k) - \Phi_0) \eta_{\vec{k}} \eta_{-\vec{k}} \right] \\ & \times e^{2\pi i \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0} \omega_{\vec{k}} \eta_{\vec{k}}} \exp \left[-2\pi i \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0} \omega_{\vec{k}} \rho_{\vec{k}} + \frac{1}{2} \beta \Phi_0 \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}} \rho_{\vec{k}} \rho_{-\vec{k}} \right] J_h(\rho). \end{aligned} \quad (1.5)$$

Similarly to the previous results (9), (11), we have

$$\begin{aligned} (d\eta)^{N_0} &= d\eta_0 \prod'_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0} d\eta_{\vec{k}}^c d\eta_{\vec{k}}^s = j_0^{-1} \prod_{\vec{l} \in \Lambda_0} d\eta_{\vec{l}}, \\ (d\omega)^{N_0} &= d\omega_0 \prod'_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0} d\omega_{\vec{k}}^c d\omega_{\vec{k}}^s = j_0 \prod_{\vec{l} \in \Lambda_0} d\omega_{\vec{l}}, \end{aligned} \quad (1.6)$$

where $j_0 = \sqrt{2}^{N_0-1}$. Here \vec{l} belongs to the volume of periodicity ($V = N_0 c_0^3$)

$$\Lambda_0 = \left\{ \vec{l} = (l_x, l_y, l_z) \mid l_i = c_0 n_i; n_i = 1, 2, \dots, N_{0i}; i = x, y, z \right\} \quad (1.7)$$

with periodic boundary conditions.

Expression (1.5) for the partition function allows us to perform integration over variables $\rho_{\vec{k}}$ for $\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}$. To this end, we have a transit to the cite CV $\rho_{\vec{l}}$ defined by (8). Let us introduce variables $\bar{\omega}_{\vec{k}}$ for $\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}$:

$$\bar{\omega}_k = \begin{cases} \omega_{\vec{k}}, & \vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0, \\ 0, & \vec{k} \in \mathcal{B} \setminus \mathcal{B}_0. \end{cases} \quad (1.8)$$

Integrating (1.5) over the variables $\rho_{\vec{l}}$ gives

$$\begin{aligned} Z &= 2^N e^{\frac{1}{2}\beta\Phi_0 N} \int (d\eta)^{N_0} (d\omega)^{N_0} \exp \left[\frac{1}{2}\beta \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0} (\Phi(k) - \Phi_0) \eta_{\vec{k}} \eta_{-\vec{k}} \right] \\ &\times \exp \left(2\pi i \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0} \eta_{\vec{k}} \bar{\omega}_{\vec{k}} \right) Z(\bar{\omega}), \end{aligned} \quad (1.9)$$

where

$$Z(\bar{\omega}) = \prod_{\vec{l} \in \Lambda} \text{ch}(-2\pi i \bar{\omega}_{\vec{l}} + \beta h) \quad (1.10)$$

and $\bar{\omega}_{\vec{l}}$ is defined by (12). Now we use the cumulant series for $\text{ch}(\dots)$. In virtue of [1] we have

$$\text{ch}(-2\pi i \bar{\omega}_l + h') = \exp \sum_{n \geq 0} D_n(\bar{\omega}_{\vec{l}}), \quad (1.11)$$

where $h' = \beta h$. The quantities $D_n(\bar{\omega}_{\vec{l}})$ are given by

$$D_n(\bar{\omega}_{\vec{l}}) = \frac{(-2\pi i)^n}{n!} \mathcal{M}_n(h') \bar{\omega}_{\vec{l}}^n, \quad (1.12)$$

where cumulants $\mathcal{M}_n(h')$ have the form

$$\begin{aligned} a\mathcal{M}_0(h') &= \ln \text{ch}(h'); & \mathcal{M}_1(h') &= th(h') \equiv x; \\ \mathcal{M}_2(h') &= 1 - x^2 \equiv y; & \mathcal{M}_3(h') &= -2xy; \\ \mathcal{M}_4(h') &= -2y^2 + 4x^2y; & \mathcal{M}_5(h') &= 16xy^2 - 8x^3y; \\ \mathcal{M}_6(h') &= 16y^3 - 88x^2y^2 + 16x^4y. \end{aligned} \quad (1.13)$$

Making use of (12) and (1.13), we obtain an explicit form of the expression (1.10) for the $Z(\bar{\omega})$

$$Z(\bar{\omega}) = \exp \left\{ \sum_{n \geq 0} \left[\frac{(-2\pi i)^n}{n!} N^{1-n/2} \mathcal{M}_n(h') \sum_{\substack{\vec{k}_1, \dots, \vec{k}_n \\ \vec{k}_i \in \mathcal{B}}} \bar{\omega}_{\vec{k}_1} \dots \bar{\omega}_{\vec{k}_n} \delta_{\vec{k}_1 + \dots + \vec{k}_n} \right] \right\}. \quad (1.14)$$

The summation over wave vectors in (1.14) is performed for $\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}$. But the variables $\bar{\omega}_{\vec{k}}$, in virtue of (1.8), are different from zero only for $\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0$. Therefore, the sums in (1.14) must be calculated only for $\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0$. Then, we replace Kronecker symbol $\delta_{\vec{k}_1 + \dots + \vec{k}_n}$ with $\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}$ by a corresponding symbol concerning the set of wave vectors $\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0$.

In accordance with the above mentioned simplifications, one may recast the expression (1.9) for the partition function in the form

$$Z = Z_0 \cdot j_0 \int (d\eta)^{N_0} \exp \left[\frac{1}{2} \beta \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0} (\Phi(k) - \Phi_0) \eta_{\vec{k}} \eta_{-\vec{k}} \right] \prod_{\vec{l} \in \Lambda_0} I_l(\eta_{\vec{l}}), \quad (1.15)$$

where

$$Z_0 = 2^N \exp \left[\frac{1}{2} \beta \Phi_0 N \right] e^{N \mathcal{M}_0}.$$

We have the following expression for the $I_l(\eta_{\vec{l}})$

$$I_l(\eta_{\vec{l}}) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega_{\vec{l}} e^{2\pi i \eta_{\vec{l}} \omega_{\vec{l}}} \exp \left[-2\pi i \mathcal{M}_1 s_0^{d/2} \omega_{\vec{l}} - \frac{(2\pi)^2}{2} \mathcal{M}_2 \omega_{\vec{l}}^2 + \frac{(2\pi)^3}{3!} i \mathcal{M}_3 s_0^{-d/2} \omega_{\vec{l}}^3 + \frac{(2\pi)^4}{4!} \mathcal{M}_4 s_0^{-d} \omega_{\vec{l}}^4 \right]. \quad (1.16)$$

Here

$$\eta_{\vec{l}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_0}} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0} \eta_{\vec{k}} e^{-i\vec{k}\vec{l}}, \quad \omega_{\vec{l}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_0}} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0} \omega_{\vec{k}} e^{i\vec{k}\vec{l}}.$$

The n_0 determines the number of terms of the exponent in (1.14) and defines the type of “model” – the order of approximation used for a concrete calculation. The case $n_0 = 2$ corresponds to the Gaussian approximation. In this case, since $\mathcal{M}_2(h')$ is positive for all values of the h , the integrals over $\omega_{\vec{k}}$ -variables are finite for all values of the field. When n_0 decreases ($n_0 = 4, 6, 8, \dots$), the type of the model ρ^{n_0} complicates. For an exact calculation we have put $n_0 \rightarrow \infty$. However, in the real calculation we use finite n_0 . It is important that for small h all $\mathcal{M}_{2n}(h)$ have such signs which ensure finiteness of the $\omega_{\vec{k}}$ -integrals in (1.16). When the field decreases, the cumulants $\mathcal{M}_{2n}(h)$ with $n \geq 2$ change their signs (see Appendix 1). This indicates the nonstability of the model ρ^{2n} . For example, the model ρ^4 is stable for $h' \in (-h'_c, h'_c)$, where $h'_c = 0.658$. The value of magnetic field which corresponds to

the h'_c , is given by $\mathcal{H}_c \approx h'T_c \cdot 10^4$ oersteds. Here T_c is dimensionless number which is equal to the value of absolute temperature of the phase transition $10^2 \div 10^3$. Then $H_c \approx h' \cdot (10^6 \div 10^7)$ oersteds. Comparing the value of H_c with the field of saturation magnetization for iron, $H_{Fe} = 1.99 \cdot 10^4$ oersteds, we obtain $h'_{Fe} \approx 0.01$. Therefore, the value $h'_c \approx 0.658$ corresponds to very strong magnetic field and the model ρ^4 can be applied to the description of the critical properties for many real objects.

For convenience of presentation we perform in (1.16) the change of variables

$$\omega_{\vec{l}} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \mu_2 \nu_{\vec{l}}, \quad \mu_2 = \left(\frac{2}{\mathcal{M}_2(h')} \right)^{1/2}.$$

Then

$$I_l(\eta_{\vec{l}}) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \mu_2 J_l(\eta_{\vec{l}}),$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} J_l(\eta_{\vec{l}}) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{i\mu_2 \eta_{\vec{l}} \nu_{\vec{l}}} \exp(-ia' \nu_{\vec{l}} + ib' \nu_{\vec{l}}^3 - ic' \nu_{\vec{l}}^5 + \dots) \\ &\quad \times \exp(-\nu_{\vec{l}}^2 - g\nu_{\vec{l}}^4 - f\nu_{\vec{l}}^6 + \dots) d\nu_{\vec{l}}, \end{aligned} \quad (1.17)$$

and the following denotations have been used

$$\begin{aligned} a' &= s_0^{d/2} \mathcal{M}_1(h') \mu_2; & b' &= s_0^{-d/2} \mathcal{M}_3(h') \mu_2^3 / 6; \\ c' &= s_0^{-3d/2} \mathcal{M}_5(h') \mu_2^5 / 120, \dots \\ g &= -s_0^{-d} \frac{\mathcal{M}_4}{6\mathcal{M}_2^2}; & f &= s_0^{-2d} \frac{\mathcal{M}_6}{90\mathcal{M}_2^3}; \dots \end{aligned} \quad (1.18)$$

For compact writing (1.17) we define

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi(\nu_{\vec{l}}) &= a' \nu_{\vec{l}} \left(1 - \frac{b'}{a'} \nu_{\vec{l}}^2 + \frac{c'}{a'} \nu_{\vec{l}}^4 + \dots \right), \\ U(\nu_{\vec{l}}) &= \nu_{\vec{l}}^2 (1 - g\nu_{\vec{l}}^2 - f\nu_{\vec{l}}^4 + \dots), \end{aligned} \quad (1.19)$$

where

$$b'/a' \approx -(2/3)s_0^{-d}, \quad c'/a' = \frac{8}{15} s_0^{-2d} (1 - \mathcal{M}_1^2 / 2\mathcal{M}_2).$$

Next we write (1.17) in the form

$$J_l(\eta_{\vec{l}}) = e^{a_0} \exp \left(- \sum_{n=1}^{n_0} \frac{a_n}{n!} \eta_{\vec{l}}^n \right), \quad (1.20)$$

where the coefficients a_n have to be calculated by means of the formulas [12]

$$\begin{aligned} e^{a_0} &= L_0, \\ a_1 &= -ie^{-a_0} \mu_2 L_1, \\ a_2 &= a_1^2 + e^{-a_0} \mu_2^2 L_2, \\ a_3 &= 3a_1 a_2 - a_1^3 + ie^{-a_0} \mu_2^3 L_3, \\ a_4 &= 4a_1 a_3 + 3a_2^2 - 6a_1^2 a_2 + a_1^4 - e^{-a_0} \mu_2^4 L_4, \dots \end{aligned} \quad (1.21)$$

with

$$L_n = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\nu \nu^n (\cos \varphi(\nu_l) - i \sin \varphi(\nu_l)) e^{-U(\nu_l)}. \quad (1.22)$$

In calculating the quantities L_n , some approximation will be used since the expressions for $\varphi(\nu_l)$ and $U(\nu_l)$ are actually infinite series. These series may be considered formally as expansions in some small parameter s_0^{-d} ($s_0 \geq 2$).

It is known from the previous publications [1,2,11] that every term in the function $U(\nu_l)$ leads to a concrete approximation. So, the choice $g = f = \dots = 0$ gives us the Gaussian approximation with classical critical exponents. The condition $g \neq 0$ and $f = \dots = 0$ corresponds to the model “ φ^4 ”, $g \neq 0$ and $f \neq 0$ leads to the model “ φ^6 ” etc.

We may expect that the similar situation takes place for the function $\varphi(\nu_l)$. In virtue of (1.19), its simplest approximation is as follows:

$$\varphi(\nu_l) = a' \nu_l. \quad (1.23)$$

Hereinafter this approximation will be called *first odd cumulant approximation* since the coefficient a' is proportional to the cumulant $\mathcal{M}_1(h')$. The expression

$$\varphi_3(\nu_l) = a' \nu_l \left(1 + \frac{2}{3} s_0^{-d} \nu_l^2 \right) \quad (1.24)$$

will be called *second odd cumulant approximation* etc.

Now we will perform an approximate calculation of the coefficients a_n from (1.21). It should be noted that all a_n are real numbers. Hereinafter for the quantity n_0 from (1.20) we put $n_0 = 4$. It means that our subsequent results will correspond to the model “ φ^4 ”. The generalization to the case of “ φ^6 ”-model etc. one may perform by means of the results [11,13]. Concerning the function $\varphi(\nu_l)$ for simplicity we will use the first odd cumulant approximation, for which (1.23) holds. In this case we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} e^{a'_0} &= e^{-a'^2/4} \sqrt{\pi} \left[1 - \frac{3}{4} g (1 - a'^2) \right], \\ a'_1 &= -\frac{a'}{2} \mu_2 (1 - 3g) \approx s_0^{d/2} \mathcal{M}_1 [1 - s_0^{-3} + \mathcal{M}_1^2 (1 + s_0^{-d})]; \\ a'_2 &= \frac{1}{2} \mu_2^2 \left(1 - 3g \left(1 - \frac{a'^2}{2} \right) \right) \approx 1 - s_0^{-d} + \mathcal{M}_1^2 (2 + s_0^{-d}); \\ a'_3 &= -\frac{3}{2} \mu_2^3 a' g \approx -2 s_0^{-d/2} \mathcal{M}_1; \\ a'_4 &= \frac{3}{2} \mu_2^4 g \approx 2 s_0^{-d}. \end{aligned} \quad (1.25)$$

The method for calculating the coefficients a'_n is given in [13]. The prime in the denotation of the coefficients a'_n indicates the use of the first odd cumulant approximation¹. We note that coefficients a'_1 and a'_3 are proportional to the external field h' .

¹The coefficients a''_n in the second odd cumulant approximation are given in Appendix 2.

The partition function of the model is written in the form

$$Z = Z_0 j_0 e^{\tilde{a}_0 N_0} \int (d\eta)^{N_0} \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0} d(k) \eta_{\vec{k}} \eta_{-\vec{k}} - a_1 \sqrt{N_0} \eta_0 - \frac{1}{3!} \frac{a_3}{\sqrt{N_0}} \sum_{\substack{\vec{k}_1, \dots, \vec{k}_3 \\ \vec{k}_i \in \mathcal{B}_0}} \eta_{\vec{k}_1} \dots \eta_{\vec{k}_3} \delta_{\vec{k}_1 + \dots + \vec{k}_3} - \frac{1}{4!} \frac{a_4}{N_0} \sum_{\substack{\vec{k}_1, \dots, \vec{k}_4 \\ \vec{k}_i \in \mathcal{B}_0}} \eta_{\vec{k}_1} \dots \eta_{\vec{k}_4} \delta_{\vec{k}_1 + \dots + \vec{k}_4} \right], \quad (1.26)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} e^{\tilde{a}_0} &= \frac{\mu_2}{2\pi} e^{a'_0} = (2\pi \mathcal{M}_2)^{-1/2} e^{-a'^2/4} \left[1 - \frac{3}{4} g(1 - a'^2) \right], \\ d(k) &= \tilde{a}_2 - \beta \Phi(0) + 2\beta \Phi(0) b^2 k^2, \end{aligned} \quad (1.27)$$

while for the coefficient \tilde{a}_2 we have

$$\tilde{a}_2 = a_2 + \beta \Phi_0. \quad (1.28)$$

Expression (1.26) is our starting point in step-by-step calculation of the free energy for the Ising model with potential (1.3) near the critical point. In contrast to the works [1,2,11–13] here the external field appears explicitly and leads to the appearance of odd powers of the variables $\eta_{\vec{k}}$ in the exponent. The coefficients (a_1, a_3, \dots) near odd powers of $\eta_{\vec{k}}$ tend to zero in the limit $h \rightarrow 0$. In the subsequent calculation, especially in obtaining recurrence relations, the approximation used for initial coefficients a_n is unessential. However, the fact of the appearance of even and odd powers of $\eta_{\vec{k}}$ in the exponent (1.26) is important. Initial values of the coefficients a_n and their relation with the field h become significant only in calculating the observable quantities.

2. Method of calculating the partition function

We perform a step-by-step calculation of partition function (1.26), beginning with integration over the variables $\eta_{\vec{k}}$ with wave vectors \vec{k} near their maximum value B_0 and ending with integration over $\eta_{\vec{k}}$ with $|\vec{k}| \rightarrow 0$. We use the method which has been proposed in [1].

Let us introduce Brillouine zone

$$\mathcal{B}_1 = \left\{ \vec{k} = (k_x, k_y, k_z) \mid k_i = -\frac{\pi}{c_1} + \frac{2\pi}{c_1} \frac{n_i}{N_{1i}}; n_i = 1, 2, \dots, N_{1i}, i = x, y, z \right\}, \quad (2.1)$$

where $c_1 = c_0 s$, $s \geq 1$, $N_{1x} N_{1y} N_{1z} = N_1$, $N_1 = N_0 s^{-d}$. Here N_1 is number of sites of the block lattice, and $N_1 = N_0 s^{-d}$. In the same way we define the block lattices with periods $c_2 = c_0 s^2$, $c_3 = c_0 s^3, \dots, c_n = c_0 s^n$, which contain $N_2 = N_0 s^{-2d}$,

$N_3 = N_0 s^{-3d}, \dots, N_n = N_0 s^{-3n}$ sites, respectively. The parameter s controls the growth of the block structures with periodicity volumes

$$\Lambda_n = \left\{ \vec{l} = (l_x, l_y, l_z) \mid l_i = c_n \cdot n_i; n_i = 1, 2, \dots, N_{ni}, i = x, y, z \right\}, \quad (2.2)$$

where $N_n = N_{nx} N_{ny} N_{nz}$.

Accordingly to [2] we select in (1.26) the variables $\eta_{\vec{k}}$ with $\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0 \setminus \mathcal{B}_1$ and average the quantity $\Phi(k)$ over such values of wave vectors. Then

$$\beta \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0} \Phi(k) \eta_{\vec{k}} \eta_{-\vec{k}} = \beta \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_1} \Phi(k) \eta_{\vec{k}} \eta_{-\vec{k}} + \beta \Phi(B_0, B_1) \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0 \setminus \mathcal{B}_1} \eta_{\vec{k}} \eta_{-\vec{k}}.$$

Here $\Phi(B_0, B_1)$ denotes the mean value of the potential $\Phi(k)$ in the region $\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0 \setminus \mathcal{B}_1$. For the mean-arithmetical averaging we have

$$\Phi(B_0, B_1) = \frac{1}{2} [\Phi(B_0) + \Phi(B_1)]. \quad (2.3)$$

After such transformations the partition function takes the form

$$\begin{aligned} Z = & Z_0 j_0 e^{\tilde{a}_0 N_0} \int (d\rho)^{N_1} \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_1} (d(k) - d(B_0 B_1)) \rho_{\vec{k}} \rho_{-\vec{k}} \right] \\ & \times \int (d\nu)^{N_1} \exp \left(-2\pi i \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_1} \nu_{\vec{k}} \rho_{\vec{k}} - a_1 \sqrt{N_0} \rho_0 \right) \int (d\eta)^{N_0} \\ & \times e^{2\pi i \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_1} \nu_{\vec{k}} \eta_{\vec{k}}} \exp \left(-\frac{1}{2} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0} d(B_0, B_1) \eta_{\vec{k}} \eta_{-\vec{k}} \right. \\ & \left. - \frac{1}{3!} \frac{a_3}{\sqrt{N_0}} \sum_{\substack{\vec{k}_1, \dots, \vec{k}_3 \\ \vec{k}_i \in \mathcal{B}_0}} \eta_{\vec{k}_1} \dots \eta_{\vec{k}_3} \delta_{\vec{k}_1 + \dots + \vec{k}_3} - \frac{1}{4!} \frac{a_4}{N_0} \sum_{\substack{\vec{k}_1, \dots, \vec{k}_4 \\ \vec{k}_i \in \mathcal{B}_0}} \eta_{\vec{k}_1} \dots \eta_{\vec{k}_4} \delta_{\vec{k}_1 + \dots + \vec{k}_4} \right). \end{aligned} \quad (2.4)$$

Here

$$d(B_0, B_1) = \tilde{a}_2 - \beta \Phi(B_0, B_1) = d(0) + q, \quad (2.5)$$

where

$$q = \bar{q} \beta \Phi(0), \quad \bar{q} = b^2 \frac{\pi^2}{c^2} s_0^{-2} (1 + s^{-2}). \quad (2.6)$$

The set of N_1 variables $\nu_{\vec{k}}^c$ ($\nu_0, \nu_{\vec{k}}^c, \nu_{\vec{k}}^s$) determines intermediate integration which allows one to perform the integration in (2.4) over N_0 variables $\eta_{\vec{k}}$. To this end, we transit to the site variables

$$\eta_{\vec{l}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_0}} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0} \eta_{\vec{k}} e^{i\vec{k}\vec{l}}$$

with transition Jacobian equal to j_0^{-1} , which cancels the corresponding factor in (2.4), and introduce the quantity

$$\bar{\nu}_{\vec{l}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_0}} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0} \bar{\nu}_{\vec{k}} e^{-i\vec{k}\vec{l}}, \tag{2.7}$$

where

$$\bar{\nu}_{\vec{k}} = \begin{cases} \nu_{\vec{k}}, & \vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_1, \\ 0, & \vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0 \setminus \mathcal{B}_1. \end{cases}$$

The result of integration of (2.4) can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} Z &= Z_0 e^{\tilde{a}_0 N_0} \int (d\rho)^{N_1} \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_1} [d(\vec{k}) - d(B_0, B_1)] \rho_{\vec{k}} \rho_{-\vec{k}} \right\} \\ &\times e^{-a_1 \sqrt{N_0} \rho_0} \int (d\nu)^{N_1} e^{-2\pi i \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_1} \nu_{\vec{k}} \rho_{\vec{k}}} \prod_{\vec{l} \in \Lambda_0} J(\bar{\nu}_{\vec{l}}), \end{aligned} \tag{2.8}$$

where $J(\bar{\nu}_{\vec{l}})$ is given by

$$J(\bar{\nu}_{\vec{l}}) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\eta_{\vec{l}} e^{2\pi i \bar{\nu}_{\vec{l}} \eta_{\vec{l}}} \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} d(B_0, B_1) \eta_{\vec{l}}^2 - \frac{a_3}{3!} \eta_{\vec{l}}^3 - \frac{a_4}{4!} \eta_{\vec{l}}^4 \right]. \tag{2.9}$$

Hereinafter we shall use approximate expressions (1.25) for the coefficients a_n .

For the subsequent calculations it is convenient to perform in (2.9) the change of variables [11]

$$\eta_{\vec{l}} = \left(\frac{24}{a_4} \right)^{1/4} x.$$

Then we obtain for the $J(\nu_{\vec{l}})$

$$J(\bar{\nu}_{\vec{l}}) = \left(\frac{24}{a_4} \right)^{1/4} T(\bar{\nu}_{\vec{l}}), \tag{2.10}$$

where

$$T(\bar{\nu}_{\vec{l}}) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx e^{2\pi i \bar{\nu}_{\vec{l}} x (24/a_4)^{1/4}} e^{-h_2 x^2 - h_3 x^3 - x^4} \tag{2.11}$$

with

$$h_2 = \sqrt{6} \frac{d(B_0, B_1)}{\sqrt{a_4}}; \quad h_3 = h_{30} \frac{a_3}{(a_4)^{3/4}}, \quad h_{30} = \frac{(24)^{3/4}}{6}. \tag{2.12}$$

Now reexpress the quantity $T(\bar{\nu}_{\vec{l}})$ into the form

$$T_s(\bar{\nu}_{\vec{l}}) = \exp \left(- \sum_{n=0}^4 \frac{S_n}{n!} \bar{\nu}_{\vec{l}}^n \right). \tag{2.13}$$

The coefficients S_n may be calculated in much the same way as the coefficients a_n from (1.20). We have a system of equations

$$\left. \frac{\partial^n T(\bar{\nu}_l)}{\partial \bar{\nu}_l^n} \right|_{\bar{\nu}_l=0} = \left. \frac{\partial^n T_s(\bar{\nu}_l)}{\partial \bar{\nu}_l^n} \right|_{\bar{\nu}_l=0}. \quad (2.14)$$

The left side of the equation (2.14) has the form

$$\frac{\partial^n T(\bar{\nu}_l)}{\partial \bar{\nu}_l^n} = (2\pi i)^n \left(\frac{24}{a_4} \right)^{n/4} K_n(h_2, h_3), \quad (2.15)$$

where

$$K_n(h_2, h_3) = \int dx x^n e^{-h_2 x^2 - h_3 x^3 - x^4} dx. \quad (2.16)$$

The derivatives of the right side of (2.14) are

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial T_s(\bar{\nu}_l)}{\partial \bar{\nu}_l} &= e^{-S_0} (-S_1), \\ \frac{\partial^2 T_s(\bar{\nu}_l)}{\partial \bar{\nu}_l^2} &= e^{-S_0} (-S_2 + S_1^2), \\ \frac{\partial^3 T_s(\bar{\nu}_l)}{\partial \bar{\nu}_l^3} &= e^{-S_0} (-S_3 + 3S_1 S_2 - S_1^3), \\ \frac{\partial^4 T_s(\bar{\nu}_l)}{\partial \bar{\nu}_l^4} &= e^{-S_0} (-S_4 + 4S_1 S_3 + 3S_2^2 - 6S_1^2 S_2 + S_1^4), \end{aligned} \quad (2.17)$$

where

$$e^{-S_0} = K_0(h_2, h_3). \quad (2.18)$$

The coefficients S_n from (2.13) may be obtained from the relations

$$\begin{aligned} S_1 &= -2\pi i \left(\frac{24}{a_4} \right)^{1/4} e^{S_0} K_1(h_2, h_3), \\ S_2 &= S_1^2 + (2\pi)^2 \left(\frac{24}{a_4} \right)^{1/2} e^{S_0} K_2(h_2, h_3), \\ S_3 &= 3S_1 S_2 - S_1^3 + (2\pi)^3 i \left(\frac{24}{a_4} \right)^{3/4} e^{S_0} K_3(h_2, h_3), \\ S_4 &= 4S_1 S_3 + 3S_2^2 - 6S_1^2 S_2 + S_1^4 - (2\pi)^4 \frac{24}{a_4} e^{S_0} K_4(h_2, h_3). \end{aligned} \quad (2.19)$$

Approximate explicit expressions for the coefficients S_n may be obtained assuming small values for the quantities h_2, h_3 , which are arguments of the functions $K_n(h_2, h_3)$ from (2.16). That h_2 is small in the critical region has been proven in [2,13], while

h_3 is proportional to the field and tends to zero near the critical point. Taking this into account we obtain an approximate expression for (2.18)

$$e^{-S_0} = \frac{\pi\sqrt{2}}{2\Gamma(3/4)} \left(1 - \gamma h_2 + \frac{3}{8}\gamma h_3^2 \right), \tag{2.20}$$

where $\gamma = (\Gamma(\frac{3}{4}))^2 / \pi\sqrt{2} \approx 0.337989$. Here and henceforth we do not consider the terms which are proportional to h_2^n with $n \geq 2$, and to h_3^l with $l \geq 3$, since they are inessential near the critical point.

In the approximation when h_2 and h_3 are small we have:

$$\begin{aligned} S_1 &= 2\pi i \left(\frac{24}{a_4} \right)^{1/4} \frac{1}{4} h_3 (1 + \gamma h_2), \\ S_2 &= (2\pi)^2 \gamma \left(\frac{24}{a_4} \right)^{1/2} \left(1 + \left(\gamma - \frac{1}{4\gamma} \right) h_2 \right), \\ S_3 &= -(2\pi)^3 i \left(\frac{24}{a_4} \right)^{3/4} \frac{3(1 - 4\gamma^2)}{16} h_2 h_3, \\ S_4 &= (2\pi)^4 \frac{6}{a_4} (12\gamma^2 - 1) (1 + \gamma_2 h_2 + \gamma_3 h_3^2), \end{aligned} \tag{2.21}$$

where

$$\gamma_2 = 4\gamma \frac{6\gamma^2 - 1}{12\gamma^2 - 1} \approx -1.1468, \quad \gamma_3 = -\frac{3\gamma}{12\gamma^2 - 1} = -2.7342.$$

To simplify the calculation we will use the linear approximation of (2.21) neglecting the terms which are proportional to h_3^2 and $h_2 h_3$.

After integration (2.8) over the variables $\eta_{\vec{k}}$ the partition function takes the form

$$\begin{aligned} Z &= Z_0 Q_0 (d\rho)^{N_1} \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_1} [d(k) - d(B_0, B_1)] \rho_{\vec{k}} \rho_{-\vec{k}} - a_1 \sqrt{N_0} \rho_0 \right\} \\ &\times \int (d\nu)^{N_1} \exp \left\{ -2\pi i \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_1} \nu_{\vec{k}} \rho_{\vec{k}} - S_1 \sqrt{N_0} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_1} \nu_{\vec{k}} \delta_{\vec{k}} \right. \\ &\left. - \frac{1}{2} S_2 \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_1} \nu_{\vec{k}} \nu_{-\vec{k}} - \frac{1}{4!} S_4 \frac{1}{N_0} \sum_{\substack{\vec{k}_1 \dots \vec{k}_4 \\ k_i \in \mathcal{B}_1}} \nu_{\vec{k}_1} \dots \nu_{\vec{k}_4} \delta_{\vec{k}_1 + \dots + \vec{k}_4} \right\}, \end{aligned} \tag{2.22}$$

where use is made of (2.7) and the definitions

$$Q_0 = [e^{\tilde{a}_0} Q(d)]^{N_0}, \quad Q(d) = \left(\frac{24}{a_4} \right)^{1/4} K_0(h_2, h_3). \tag{2.23}$$

An approximate expression for $Q(d)$ is

$$Q(d) = \left(\frac{24}{a_4} \right)^{1/4} \gamma_1 (1 - \gamma h_2), \tag{2.24}$$

where

$$\gamma_1 = \frac{\pi\sqrt{2}}{2\Gamma(3/4)} \approx 1.8128. \quad (2.25)$$

The final step of the calculation consists in integrating over the N_1 variables $\nu_{\vec{k}}$. To perform this we transit to the site variables

$$\nu_{\vec{m}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_1}} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_1} \nu_k e^{-i\vec{k}\vec{m}}$$

in (2.22) and integrate. The result is

$$Z = Z_0 Q_0 J_1 \int (d\rho)^{N_1} \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_1} [d(k) - d(B_0, B_1)] \rho_{\vec{k}} \rho_{-\vec{k}} - a_1 \sqrt{N_0} \rho_0 \right\} \prod_{\vec{m} \in \Lambda_1} L_m(\rho), \quad (2.26)$$

where

$$L_m(\rho) = \int d\nu_{\vec{m}} \exp \left(-2\pi i \nu_{\vec{m}} \rho_{\vec{m}} - 2\pi i P_1 \nu_{\vec{m}} - \frac{(2\pi)^2}{2} P_2 \nu_m^2 - \frac{(2\pi)^4}{4!} P_4 \nu_{\vec{m}}^4 \right). \quad (2.27)$$

For the coefficients P_n we have the following expressions

$$\begin{aligned} P_1 &= s^{d/2} \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{24}{a_4} \right)^{1/4} h_3, & P_2 &= \gamma \left(\frac{24}{a_4} \right)^{1/2} (1 + t_2 h_2), \\ P_4 &= s^{-d} \frac{6}{a_4} (12\gamma^2 - 1)(1 + \gamma_2 h_2), \end{aligned} \quad (2.28)$$

where

$$t_2 = \gamma - \frac{1}{4\gamma} = -0.4017.$$

The change of variables

$$\nu_{\vec{m}} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left(\frac{2}{P_2} \right)^{1/2} x.$$

in (2.28) allows one to obtain the expressions for $L_m(\rho)$

$$L_m(\rho) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left(\frac{2}{P_2} \right)^{1/2} \tilde{R}_m(\rho), \quad (2.29)$$

where

$$\tilde{R}_m(\rho) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx \exp \left[-ix \rho_m \left(\frac{2}{P_2} \right)^{1/2} - iG_h x - x^2 - Gx^4 \right] \quad (2.30)$$

and

$$G = \frac{1}{6} \frac{P_4}{P_2^2}; \quad G_h = P_1 \left(\frac{2}{P_2} \right)^{1/2}. \quad (2.31)$$

Making use of (2.28), one has

$$G = s^{-d}G_0(1 + G_2h_2), \quad G_h = s^{d/2}\frac{1}{4}\left(\frac{2}{\gamma}\right)^{1/2}h_3, \quad (2.32)$$

where

$$G_0 = \frac{12\gamma^2 - 1}{24\gamma^2} \approx 0.1353; \quad G_2 = \gamma_2 - 2\gamma + \frac{1}{2\gamma} \approx -0.3435.$$

We put (2.29) into the form

$$L_m(\rho) = \exp\left(-\sum_{n=0}^4 \frac{1}{n!} a_n^{(1)} \rho_{\vec{m}}^n\right), \quad (2.33)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} a_1^{(1)} &= i \cdot e^{a_0^{(1)}} \left(\frac{2}{P_2}\right)^{1/2} R_1, & a_2^{(1)} &= (a_1^{(1)})^2 + e^{a_0^{(1)}} \frac{2}{P_2} R_2, \\ a_3^{(1)} &= 3a_1^{(1)} a_2^{(1)} - (a_1^{(1)})^3 - i e^{a_0^{(1)}} \left(\frac{2}{P_2}\right)^{3/2} R_3, \\ a_4^{(1)} &= 4a_1^{(1)} a_3^{(1)} + 3(a_2^{(1)})^2 - 6(a_1^{(1)})^2 a_2^{(1)} - (a_1^{(1)})^4 - \left(\frac{2}{P_2}\right)^2 e^{a_0^{(1)}} R_4. \end{aligned} \quad (2.34)$$

Here

$$\begin{aligned} R_{2l+1} &= -i \left(\frac{2}{P_2}\right)^{(2l+1)/2} (-1)^{(2l+1)/2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx x^{2l+1} \sin(G_h \cdot x) e^{-x^2 - Gx^4} \\ R_{2l} &= \left(\frac{2}{P_2}\right)^l (-1)^l \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx x^{2l} \cos(G_h \cdot x) e^{-x^2 - Gx^4}. \end{aligned} \quad (2.35)$$

Similarly to our calculation of the approximate expressions for the coefficients a_n (see (1.21)–(1.25)), we can write approximate expressions for $a_n^{(1)}$. The following correspondence should be noted:

$$a' \rightarrow G_h, \quad g \rightarrow G, \quad \mu_2 \rightarrow \left(\frac{2}{P_2}\right)^{1/2}.$$

Moreover, the difference consists in the change of sign near the cross term $x \cdot \rho_m$ in the expression (2.30) and near the corresponding term $\eta_{\vec{l}} \nu_{\vec{l}}$ in (1.17).

Approximate expressions for R_n are:

$$\begin{aligned} R_1 &= -\frac{i}{2} G_h e^{-G_h^2/4} \sqrt{\pi} \left(1 - \frac{15}{4} G\right), & R_2 &= \frac{1}{2} e^{-G_h^2/4} \sqrt{\pi} \left(1 - \frac{15}{4} G\right), \\ R_3 &= \frac{3i}{4} G_h e^{-G_h^2/4} \sqrt{\pi} \left(1 - \frac{35}{4} G\right), & R_4 &= \frac{3}{4} e^{-G_h^2/4} \sqrt{\pi} \left(1 - \frac{35}{4} G\right). \end{aligned}$$

Inserting the obtained expressions into (2.34), we find approximate formulae for the coefficients $a_n^{(1)}$:

$$\begin{aligned} e^{-a_0^{(1)}} &= e^{-G_h^2/4} \sqrt{\pi} \left(1 - \frac{3}{4}G\right), & a_1^{(1)} &= \frac{1}{2}G_h \left(\frac{2}{P_2}\right)^{1/2} (1 - 3G), \\ a_2^{(1)} &= \frac{1}{P_2}(1 - 3G), & a_3^{(1)} &= \frac{3}{2}GG_h \left(\frac{2}{P_2}\right)^{3/2}, \\ a_4^{(1)} &= 6G \left(\frac{1}{P_2}\right)^2 \left(1 - \frac{3}{4}G_h^2\right). \end{aligned} \tag{2.36}$$

Here the quantities G and G_h are defined in (2.32) while P_2 is given in (2.28). Making use of (2.29) and (2.33) one may write the following expression for the partition function (2.26):

$$\begin{aligned} Z = Z_0 Q_0 (Q(P))^{N_1} J_1 \int (d\rho)^{N_1} \exp &\left\{ -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_1} d_1(k) \rho_{\vec{k}} \rho_{-\vec{k}} - \tilde{a}_1^{(1)} \sqrt{N_1} \rho_0 \right. \\ &\left. - \frac{1}{3!} \frac{a_3^{(1)}}{\sqrt{N_1}} \sum_{\substack{\vec{k}_1, \dots, \vec{k}_3 \\ \vec{k}_i \in \mathcal{B}_1}} \rho_{\vec{k}_1} \cdots \rho_{\vec{k}_3} \delta_{\vec{k}_1 + \dots + \vec{k}_3} - \frac{1}{4!} \frac{a_4^{(1)}}{N_1} \sum_{\substack{\vec{k}_1, \dots, \vec{k}_4 \\ \vec{k}_i \in \mathcal{B}_1}} \rho_{\vec{k}_1} \cdots \rho_{\vec{k}_4} \delta_{\vec{k}_1 + \dots + \vec{k}_4} \right\}, \end{aligned} \tag{2.37}$$

where

$$Q(P) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left(\frac{2}{P_2}\right)^{1/2} e^{-a_0^{(1)}}. \tag{2.38}$$

The coefficients $d_1(k)$ and $\tilde{a}_1^{(1)}$ have the form

$$\begin{aligned} d_1(k) &= \tilde{a}_2^{(1)} - \beta\Phi(k); \\ \tilde{a}_2^{(1)} &= a_2^{(1)} + \beta\Phi(B_0, B_1); \\ \tilde{a}_1^{(1)} &= a_1^{(1)} + s^{d/2} a_1. \end{aligned} \tag{2.39}$$

Comparing (2.37) with (1.26) we can see that the functional form of the partition function did not change. The number of integration variables decreases (from N_0 to $N_1 = N_0 s^{-d}$) and the coefficients $d(k)$ and a_n change their values.

3. Recurrence relations

Now we shall write an explicit form of the recurrence relations (2.36) expressing the coefficients $a_n^{(1)}$ in the term of their initial values a_n from (1.21) or from approximate results (1.25). Making use of (2.32) and (2.28) we obtain from (2.36)

$$e^{-a_0^{(1)}} = e^{-G_h^2/4} \sqrt{\pi} \left(1 - \frac{3}{4}s^{-d}G_0\right) (1 - t_1 h_2), \tag{3.1}$$

where

$$t_1 = -\frac{3}{4}s^{-d} \frac{G_0 G_2}{1 - \frac{3}{4}s^{-d} G_0}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} a_1^{(1)} &= s^{d/2} \alpha_{01} \left(\frac{a_4}{24} \right)^{1/4} h_3 (1 + \alpha_1 h_2), \\ a_2^{(1)} &= f_{00} (a_4)^{1/2} (1 + \alpha_2 h_2), \\ a_3^{(1)} &= s^{-d/2} f_{01} a_3 (1 + \alpha_3 h_2), \\ a_4^{(1)} &= s^{-d} f_{01} a_4 (1 + \alpha_4 h_2). \end{aligned} \quad (3.2)$$

Here we denote:

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_{01} &= (1 - 3s^{-d} G_0)/4\gamma, & f_{00} &= (1 - 3s^{-d} G_0)/\gamma\sqrt{24}; & f_{01} &= G_0/4\gamma^2 \approx 0.2960; \\ \alpha_1 &= -3s^{-d} \frac{G_0 G_2}{1 - 3s^{-d} G_0} - \frac{1}{2} t_2; & \alpha_2 &= -3s^{-d} \frac{G_0 G_2}{1 - 3s^{-d} G_0} - t_2; \\ \alpha_3 &= G_2 - \frac{3}{2} t_2 \approx 0.2590; & \alpha_4 &= G_2 - 2t_2 \approx 0.4599. \end{aligned} \quad (3.3)$$

Taking into account (2.12), we obtain from (3.2)

$$\begin{aligned} a_1^{(1)} &= s^{d/2} f_{00} \left[a_3 (a_4)^{-1/2} + \sqrt{6} \alpha_1 d(B_0, B_1) a_3 / a_4 \right], \\ a_2^{(1)} &= f_{00} \left[a_4^{1/2} + \sqrt{6} \alpha_2 d(B_0, B_1) \right], \\ a_3^{(1)} &= s^{-d/2} f_{01} \left[a_3 + \sqrt{6} \alpha_3 d(B_0, B_1) a_3 / a_4^{-1/2} \right], \\ a_4^{(1)} &= s^{-d} f_{01} \left[a_4 + \sqrt{6} \alpha_4 d(B_0, B_1) a_4^{1/2} \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (3.4)$$

Let us perform in (2.37) the change of variables

$$\rho_{\vec{k}} = s \rho'_{\vec{k}}. \quad (3.5)$$

As a result, the \vec{k} -dependent part of the Fourier transform of the interaction potential in (2.37) will change from k^2 to $(sk)^2$. Taking into account that $\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_1$, we can see that $s\vec{k}$ belong to the set \mathcal{B}_0 , as it was for the initial expression (1.26). Therefore now we may compare other coefficients before and after the integration.

The change of variables (3.5) leads (2.37) to the form

$$\begin{aligned}
 Z = & Z_0 Q_0 (Q(P))^{N_1} J_1 s^{N_1} \int (d\rho)^{N_1} \exp \left\{ -w_1 \sqrt{N_1} \rho_0 \right. \\
 & - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_1} (r_1 + 2\beta\Phi(0)b^2(sk)^2) \rho_{\vec{k}} \rho_{-\vec{k}} - \frac{1}{3!} \frac{v_1}{\sqrt{N_1}} \sum_{\substack{\vec{k}_1, \dots, \vec{k}_3 \\ \vec{k}_i \in \mathcal{B}_1}} \rho_{\vec{k}_1} \dots \\
 & \left. \times \rho_{\vec{k}_3} \delta_{\vec{k}_1 + \dots + \vec{k}_3} - \frac{1}{4!} \frac{u_1}{N_1} \sum_{\substack{\vec{k}_1, \dots, \vec{k}_4 \\ \vec{k}_i \in \mathcal{B}_1}} \rho_{\vec{k}_1} \dots \rho_{\vec{k}_4} \delta_{\vec{k}_1 + \dots + \vec{k}_4} \right\}, \quad (3.6)
 \end{aligned}$$

where the coefficients are given by

$$\begin{aligned}
 w_1 &= s \cdot \tilde{a}_1^{(1)} = s[a_1^{(1)} + s^{d/2}a_1], \\
 r_1 &= s^2 d_1(0) = s^2[\tilde{a}_2^{(1)} - \beta\Phi(0)], \\
 v_1 &= s^3 a_3^{(1)}; \quad u_1 = s^4 a_4^{(1)}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Taking into account (3.4), we obtain an explicit form of the recurrence relations

$$\begin{aligned}
 w_1 &= s^{(d+2)/2} \left[w + f_{00} v u^{-1/2} - f_{00} \alpha_1 \sqrt{6} (r + q) v / u \right], \\
 r_1 &= s^2 \left[r - (r + q) + f_{00} u^{1/2} + f_{00} \alpha_2 \sqrt{6} (r + q) \right], \\
 v_1 &= s^{(6-d)/2} f_{01} \left[v + \alpha_3 \sqrt{6} (r + q) v u^{-1/2} \right], \\
 u_1 &= s^{4-d} f_{01} \left[u + \alpha_4 \sqrt{6} (r + q) u^{1/2} \right], \quad (3.7)
 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$w = a_1, \quad r = \tilde{a}_2 - \beta\Phi(0), \quad v = a_3, \quad u = a_4.$$

The quantity q is given by

$$q = 2\beta\Phi(0)b^2 \langle k^2 \rangle_{B_0, B_1},$$

while a mean value of k^2 over interval $\vec{k} \in [B_1, B_0]$ is equal to

$$\langle k^2 \rangle_{B_0, B_1} = B_0^2 \frac{1}{2} (1 + s^{-2}).$$

Now we find the fixed point of the RR (3.7) from the conditions

$$\begin{aligned}
 w_1 = w = w^*, \quad r_1 = r = r^*, \\
 v_1 = v = v^*, \quad u_1 = u = u^*. \quad (3.8)
 \end{aligned}$$

The last equation of (3.7) gives

$$(sf_{01})^{-1} = 1 + \alpha_4 h_2^*,$$

where $h_2^* = \sqrt{6}(r^* + q)(u^*)^{-1/2}$. Since $f_{01} < 1$, there always exists such $s = s^*$,

$$s^* = f_{01}^{-1} = \frac{96\gamma^4}{12\gamma^2 - 1}, \tag{3.9}$$

for which h_2^* vanishes. As s is near s^* , the quantity h_2^* is small². Calculating the partition function under

$$s = s^* = 3.3783,$$

we achieve an essential simplification since we need only a few terms in the series expansion on the powers of h_2 . By virtue of third equation (3.7) we find for (3.8)

$$v^*(1 - s^{3/2}f_{01}) = 0. \tag{3.10}$$

If $s = s^*$, we have $f_{01} = (s^*)^{-1}$ and, therefore, equation (3.10) can hold only if

$$v^* = 0.$$

The quantity $h_3^* = h_{30}v^*/(u^*)^{3/2}$ is proportional to v^* . Hence, at the fixed point with $s = s^*$ we have

$$h_2^* = 0, \quad h_3^* = 0. \tag{3.11}$$

Using the second equation (3.7) we obtain

$$(u^*)^{1/2} = q \cdot f_{00}^{-1}(1 - s^{-2}) = \beta\Phi(0) \frac{\bar{q}}{f_{00}}(1 - s^{-2}),$$

where the quantity \bar{q} is defined in (2.6). First equation (3.7) leads to the condition

$$w^* = 0.$$

Therefore, we have the following coordinates of the fixed point of RR (3.7):

$$w^* = 0, \quad r^* = -q, \quad v^* = 0, \quad (u^*)^{1/2} = qf_{00}^{-1}(1 - s^{*-2}). \tag{3.12}$$

Here $q = \beta\Phi(0) \cdot \bar{q}$ and $\bar{q} = \pi^2(b/c)^2 s_0^{-2}(1 + s^{-2})$.

Now we return to the expression (2.37). In much the same way as (1.26) it may be integrated over the variables $\rho_{\vec{k}}$ with indices from the domain

$$\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_1/\mathcal{B}_2, \tag{3.13}$$

²In the case $s = 3$ we have

$$h^* = 0.1124.$$

where \mathcal{B}_2 is given by

$$\mathcal{B}_2 = \left\{ \vec{k} = (k_x, k_y, k_z) \mid = -\frac{\pi}{c_2} + \frac{2\pi}{c_2} \frac{n_i}{N_{2i}}; n_i = 1, 2, \dots, N_{2i}, i = x, y, z \right\}.$$

Here $N_{2x}N_{2y}N_{2z} = N_2$, $N_2 = N_1 s^{-d}$. The calculation is analogous to the equations (2.4)-(2.39). Now the coefficients a_n have to be replaced by $a_n^{(1)}$, for instance:

$$\begin{aligned} a_1 &\rightarrow \tilde{a}_1^{(1)} = a_1^{(1)} + s^{d/2} a_1, \\ a_2 - \beta\Phi_0 &\rightarrow \tilde{a}_2 = \tilde{a}_2^{(1)} + \beta\Phi(B_0, B_1), \\ a_3 &\rightarrow a_3^{(1)}; \quad a_4 \rightarrow a_4^{(1)}. \end{aligned}$$

After performing $(n+1)$ -th step of integration (1.26) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} Z &= Z_0 Q_0 Q_1 \dots Q_n [Q(P^{(n)})]^{N_{n+1}} J_{n+1} \int (d\rho)^{N_{n+1}} \exp \left\{ -\tilde{a}_1^{(n+1)} \sqrt{N_{n+1}} \rho_0 \right. \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_{n+1}} d_{n+1}(\vec{k}) \rho_{\vec{k}} \rho_{-\vec{k}} - \frac{1}{3!} \frac{a_3^{(n+1)}}{\sqrt{N_{n+1}}} \sum_{\substack{\vec{k}_1, \dots, \vec{k}_3 \\ \vec{k}_i \in \mathcal{B}_{n+1}}} \rho_{\vec{k}_1} \dots \rho_{\vec{k}_3} \delta_{\rho_{\vec{k}_1} + \dots + \rho_{\vec{k}_3}} \\ &\quad \left. - \frac{1}{4!} \frac{a_4^{(n+1)}}{N_{n+1}} \sum_{\substack{\vec{k}_1, \dots, \vec{k}_4 \\ \vec{k}_i \in \mathcal{B}_{n+1}}} \rho_{\vec{k}_1} \dots \rho_{\vec{k}_4} \delta_{\rho_{\vec{k}_1} + \dots + \rho_{\vec{k}_4}} \right\}. \end{aligned} \quad (3.14)$$

The sums in (3.14) are taken over $\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_{n+1}$, where

$$\mathcal{B}_{n+1} = \left\{ \vec{k} = (k_x, k_y, k_z) \mid k_i = -\frac{\pi}{c_{n+1}} + \frac{2\pi}{c_{n+1}} \frac{n_i}{N_{n+1,i}}; n_i = 1, 2, \dots, N_{n+1,i} \right\},$$

with $c_{n+1} = c s^{n+1}$, $N_{n+1,x} N_{n+1,y} N_{n+1,z} = N_{n+1}$, and $N_{n+1} = N_0 s^{-d(n+1)}$. The partial partition functions Q_n are of the form

$$Q_0 = [e^{\tilde{a}_0} Q(d)]^{N_0}, \quad Q_n = [Q(P^{n-1}) Q(d_n)]^{N_n}, \quad (3.15)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} Q(P^{(n-1)}) &= (2\pi P_2^{(n-1)})^{-1/2} \exp \left[-(G_h^{(n-1)})^2 / 4 \right] \left(1 - \frac{3}{4} G^{(n-1)} (1 - G_h^{(n-1)2}) \right), \\ Q(d_n) &= \left(\frac{24}{a_4^{(n)}} \right)^{1/4} \gamma_1 \left[1 - \gamma h_2^{(n)} + \frac{3}{8} \gamma (h_3^{(n)})^2 \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (3.16)$$

Here

$$\begin{aligned}
 h_2^{(n)} &= \sqrt{6}d_n(B_n, B_{n+1})(a_4^{(n)})^{-1/2}; G^{(n-1)} = s^{-d}G_0(1 + G_2h_2^{(n-1)}); \\
 h_3^{(n)} &= h_{30}a_3^{(n)}(a_4^{(n)})^{-3/4}; G_h^{(n-1)} = s^{d/2}\frac{1}{4}\left(\frac{2}{\gamma}\right)^{1/2}h_3^{(n-1)}; \\
 P_2^{(n-1)} &= \left(\frac{24}{a_4^{(n-1)}}\right)^{1/2} \gamma(1 + t_2h_2^{(n-1)}).
 \end{aligned} \tag{3.17}$$

The quantity $d_{n+1}(k)$ has the following form

$$d_{n+1}(k) = \tilde{a}_2^{(n+1)} - \beta\Phi(k),$$

where

$$\tilde{a}_2^{(n+1)} = a_2^{(n+1)} + \beta\Phi(B_n, B_{n+1}), \quad \tilde{a}_1^{(n+1)} = a_1^{(n+1)} + s^{d/2}\tilde{a}_1^{(n)}.$$

The coefficients $a_n^{(n+1)}$ are given by

$$\begin{aligned}
 a_1^{(n+1)} &= s^{d/2}\alpha_{01} \left(\frac{a_4^{(n)}}{24}\right)^{1/4} h_3^{(n)}(1 + \alpha_1h_2^{(n)}), \\
 a_2^{(n+1)} &= f_{00} \left(a_4^{(n)}\right)^{1/2} (1 + \alpha_2h_2^{(n)}), \\
 a_3^{(n+1)} &= s^{-d/2}f_{01}a_3^{(n)}(1 + \alpha_3h_2^{(n)}), \\
 a_4^{(n+1)} &= s^{-d}f_{01}a_4^{(n)}(1 + \alpha_4h_2^{(n)}).
 \end{aligned} \tag{3.18}$$

Using $s = s^*$, we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \alpha_{01} &= 0.7319, & f_{00} &= 0.5976; \\
 \alpha_1 &= 0.2045, & \alpha_2 &= 0.4053.
 \end{aligned}$$

The quantity $d_n(B_n, B_{n+1})$ has the form

$$d_n(B_n, B_{n+1}) = d_n(0) + qs^{-2n}.$$

Now we write RR for the coefficients of $(n + 1)$ -th and n -th block structures. Let us perform in (3.14) the scaling transformation of type (3.5) and introduce the denotation:

$$\begin{aligned}
 w_{n+1} &= s^{n+1}\tilde{a}_1^{(n+1)} = s^{n+1} \left[a_1^{(n+1)} + s^{d/2}a_1^{(n)} \right], \\
 r_{n+1} &= s^{2(n+1)}d_{n+1}(0) = s^{2(n+1)} \left[\tilde{a}_2^{(n+1)} - \beta\Phi(0) \right], \\
 v_{n+1} &= s^{3(n+1)}a_3^{(n+1)}, & u_{n+1} &= s^{4(n+1)}a_4^{(n+1)}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Then we obtain the following recurrence relations

$$\begin{aligned}
 w_{n+1} &= s^{(d+2)/2} \left[w_n + f_{00} v_n u_n^{-1/2} - f_{00} \alpha_1 \sqrt{6} (r_n + q) v_n / u_n \right], \\
 r_{n+1} &= s^2 \left[q + f_{00} u_n^{1/2} + f_{00} \alpha_2 \sqrt{6} (r_n + q) \right], \\
 v_{n+1} &= s^{(6-d)/2} f_{01} \left[v_n + \alpha_3 \sqrt{6} (r_n + q) v_n / u_n^{-1/2} \right], \\
 u_{n+1} &= s^{4-d} f_{01} \left[u_n + \alpha_4 \sqrt{6} (r_n + q) u_n^{1/2} \right],
 \end{aligned} \tag{3.19}$$

where the quantities f_{00} and f_{01} are given in (3.3),

$$\begin{aligned}
 w_n &= s^n \tilde{a}_1^{(n)}, & r_n &= s^{2n} d_n(0), \\
 v_n &= s^{3n} a_3^{(n)}, & u_n &= s^{4n} a_4^{(n)}.
 \end{aligned} \tag{3.20}$$

In the case of absence of the external field ($h = 0$) RR (3.19) contain only second and fourth equations. This case has been investigated by us in detail in [2,13].

4. Solution to the recurrence relation near critical point

Comparing RR (3.19) with (3.7), we note that they both have the same fixed point (3.12). Next we put $s = s^*$, where s^* is given by (3.9). It is convenient to write (3.19) in a matrix form

$$\begin{pmatrix} w_{n+1} - w^* \\ r_{n+1} - r^* \\ v_{n+1} - v^* \\ u_{n+1} - u^* \end{pmatrix} = \mathcal{R} \begin{pmatrix} w_n - w^* \\ r_n - r^* \\ v_n - v^* \\ u_n - u^* \end{pmatrix}. \tag{4.1}$$

The matrix \mathcal{R} has the following entities, R_{ij} ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 R_{11} &= s^{\frac{(d+2)}{2}}, & R_{12} &= 0, & R_{13} &= s^{(d+2)/2} f_{00} (u^*)^{-\frac{1}{2}}, & R_{14} &= 0; \\
 R_{21} &= 0; & R_{22} &= s^2 f_{00} \alpha_2 \sqrt{6}, & R_{23} &= 0, & R_{24} &= s^2 f_{00} \frac{1}{2} (u^*)^{-\frac{1}{2}}; \\
 R_{31} &= 0, & R_{32} &= 0; & R_{33} &= s^{d/2} f_{01}, & R_{34} &= 0; \\
 R_{41} &= 0; & R_{42} &= s f_{01} \alpha_4 \sqrt{6} (u^*)^{\frac{1}{2}}; & R_{43} &= 0; & R_{44} &= s f_{01}.
 \end{aligned} \tag{4.2}$$

The matrix \mathcal{R} possesses four different real eigenvalues:

$$\begin{aligned}
 E_1 &= R_{11} = s^{(d+2)/2}; & E_3 &= R_{33} = s^{d/2} f_{01} = s^{(d-2)/2}, \\
 E_{2,4} &= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ R_{22} + R_{44} \pm [(R_{22} - R_{44})^2 + 4R_{24}R_{42}]^{1/2} \right\}.
 \end{aligned} \tag{4.3}$$

We note that eigenvalues E_1 and E_3 are connected with the presence of the external field. Both these eigenvalues are greater than unity³, since $s > 1$. The quantities E_2 and E_4 are real, positive, and inequalities $E_2 > 1$, $E_4 < 1$ hold.

³In paper [14] it has been assumed that only one eigenvalue connected with the appearance of the field is greater than unity.

For $s = s^*$ we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} E_1 &= 20.9768, & E_3 &= 1.8380, \\ E_2 &= 7.3740, & E_4 &= 0.3974. \end{aligned} \quad (4.4)$$

In the case $h = 0$ recurrence relations (3.19) simplify so that E_1 and E_3 vanish and a saddle fixed point appears. We obtain the following value for the critical exponent of the correlation length

$$\nu = 0.609.$$

It is slightly lower than the result of numerical estimate of this exponent for the Ising model, $\nu_c = 0.630$ (see, e.g., [6,15]). The difference in the values of ν and ν_c is considered to be rather our limitation of the ρ^4 -model than the approximation during its calculation. Indeed, the Ising model may be really described by the model ρ^{2m} with $m \rightarrow \infty$ [2]. To achieve a real correspondence between ν and ν_c we have to use at least the model ρ^6 .

Eigenvectors W_{ik} of the matrix \mathcal{R} are determined by the system of equations

$$\sum_j R_{ij} W_{jk} = E_k W_{ik}.$$

Using (4.2) gives

$$T = [W_{ik}] = \begin{pmatrix} W_{11} & 0 & W_{33}T_{13} & 0 \\ 0 & W_{22} & 0 & W_{44}T_{24} \\ 0 & 0 & W_{33} & 0 \\ 0 & W_{22}T_{42} & 0 & W_{44} \end{pmatrix}, \quad (4.5)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} T_{13} &= \frac{R_{13}}{E_3 - R_{11}}; & T_{24} &= \frac{E_4 - R_{44}}{R_{42}} = \frac{R_{24}}{E_4 - R_{22}}; \\ T_{42} &= \frac{E_2 - R_{22}}{R_{24}} = \frac{R_{42}}{E_2 - R_{44}}. \end{aligned} \quad (4.6)$$

It is known from the matrix theory [16], that the nonsymmetric matrix \mathcal{R} with different eigenvalues can be expressed in the form

$$\mathcal{R} = T\Lambda T^{-1}, \quad (4.7)$$

where the rows of the matrix T are eigenvectors of the matrix \mathcal{R} , T^{-1} is matrix inverse to T , so that

$$T^{-1} \cdot T = I, \quad (4.8)$$

where I is a unit matrix, and Λ is diagonal matrix with eigenvalues of the \mathcal{R} on the main diagonal.

The n -th power of the matrix \mathcal{R} is given by

$$\mathcal{R}^n = T\Lambda^n T^{-1}, \quad (4.9)$$

where the matrix Λ^n is also diagonal with the n -th powers of the eigenvalues of \mathcal{R} on the main diagonal. Making use of (4.7)–(4.9) allows us to rewrite (4.1) in the form

$$\vec{x}_n = \mathcal{R}^n \vec{x}_0, \quad (4.10)$$

where the raw x_n has the form

$$x_n = \begin{pmatrix} w_n - w^* \\ r_n - r^* \\ v_n - v^* \\ u_n - u^* \end{pmatrix}. \quad (4.11)$$

To determine \vec{x}_0 we have put $n = 0$ in (4.11). Taking into account (4.9) and (4.10) yields

$$\vec{x}_n = T\Lambda^n T^{-1} \vec{x}_0. \quad (4.12)$$

The latter expression allows us to obtain an expression for coefficients w_n, r_n, v_n and u_n (as well as $a_n^{(n+1)}$ and d_n) from (3.20) in terms of the initial values $a_1, d(0), a_3$ and a_4 given by (1.26). To this end we have obtained an inverse matrix T^{-1} . It is built with eigenvectors of the matrix transposed to the matrix \mathcal{R} which are determined by the equations

$$\sum_i V_{ki} R_{ij} = E_k V_{kj}. \quad (4.13)$$

Therefore we obtain

$$T^{-1} = [V_{kj}] = \begin{pmatrix} V_{11} & 0 & -V_{11}T_{13} & 0 \\ 0 & V_{22} & 0 & -V_{22}T_{24} \\ 0 & 0 & V_{33} & 0 \\ 0 & -V_{44}T_{42} & 0 & V_{44} \end{pmatrix}, \quad (4.14)$$

where the quantities T_{ij} are the same as in (4.5). The normalization conditions

$$\sum_j V_{kj} W_{jl} = \delta_{kl} \quad (4.15)$$

lead to

$$\begin{aligned} V_1 &= V_{11}W_{11} = 1, & V_2 &= V_{22}W_{22} = \left(1 + \frac{(E_2 - R_{22})^2}{R_{24}R_{42}}\right)^{-1} = D \\ V_3 &= V_{33}W_{33} = 1, & V_4 &= V_{44}W_{44} = D. \end{aligned} \quad (4.16)$$

Now, using (4.12) we find an explicit form of the vector \vec{x}_n . Noting that

$$T^{-1} \vec{x}_0 = \begin{pmatrix} V_{11}(w_0 - T_{13}v_0) \\ V_{22}[r_0 - r^* - T_{24}(u_0 - u^*)] \\ V_{33}v_0 \\ V_{44}[u_0 - u^* - T_{42}(r_0 - r^*)] \end{pmatrix}$$

and performing other calculations from (4.12) allows us to find

$$\begin{aligned}
w_n &= E_1^n(w_0 - T_{13}v_0) + T_{13}E_3^n v_0, \\
r_n - r^* &= V_2(1(T)E_2^n + C_2(T)T_{24}E_4^n), \\
v_n &= E_3^n v_0, \\
u_n - u^* &= V_2(C_1(T)T_{42}E_2^n + C_2(T)E_4^n),
\end{aligned} \tag{4.17}$$

where the denotations

$$\begin{aligned}
c_1(T) &= r_0 - r^* - T_{24}(u_0 - u^*), \\
c_2(T) &= u_0 - u^* - T_{42}(r_0 - r^*)
\end{aligned} \tag{4.18}$$

have been used. The quantity V_2 is given by (4.16). It is easy to verify that in the case $n = 0$ equations (4.17) hold identically.

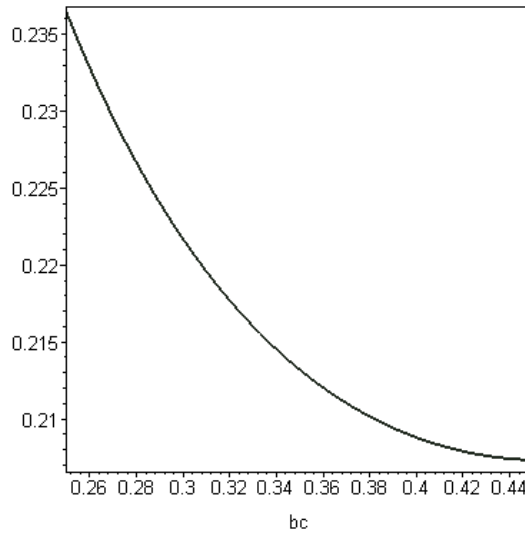


Figure 1. The dependence of the $\beta_c \Phi(0)/6$ on the ratio of the range of interaction b to the lattice constant c under $s = 2$ and $\bar{\Phi} = 0.092$.

When $h = 0$, the system of equations (4.17) reduces to two equations ($w_n = v_n = 0$). Since $E_4 < 1$, the E_4^n rapidly decreases as n grows. The values of r_n and u_n will tend to their fixed values under the condition

$$r_0 - r^* - T_{24}(u_0 - u^*) = 0,$$

which determines the temperature T_c of the phase transition. An explicit form of this equation is given by

$$\tilde{a}_2 - \beta_c \Phi(0) + \bar{q} \beta_c \Phi(0) + \frac{R_{44} - E_4}{\beta_c \Phi(0) R_{42}^{(0)} \sqrt{\varphi_0}} (a_4 - \varphi_0 (\beta_c \Phi(0))^2) = 0, \tag{4.19}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
 \tilde{a}_2 &= a_2 + \beta\Phi(0)\bar{\Phi}, & \bar{q} &= \pi^2(b/c)^2 s_0^{-2}(1 + s^{-2}), \\
 \varphi_0 &= \bar{q}^2 f_{00}^{-2}(1 - s^{*-2})^2; & f_{00} &= \frac{1 - 3s^{-d}G_0}{\gamma\sqrt{24}}, \\
 G_0 &= (12\gamma^2 - 1)/24\gamma^2.
 \end{aligned} \tag{4.20}$$

Therefore we obtain an equation for the temperature of phase transition:

$$[\beta_c\Phi(0)]^2 \left(1 - \bar{q} + \sqrt{\varphi_0} \frac{R_{44} - E_4}{R_{42}^{(0)}} - \bar{\Phi}_0 \right) - a_2\beta_c\Phi(0) - a_4 \frac{R_{44} - E_4}{R_{42}^{(0)}\sqrt{\varphi_0}} = 0.$$

Figure 1 shows the dependence of inverse temperature $\beta_c\Phi(0)$ on the parameter b/c . For convenience a scaling factor has been used since $\Phi(0) = 2dJ$, where J corresponds to the constant of nearest-neighbor interaction. For the Ising model with nearest-neighbor interaction it has been obtained [17,18] that

$$\beta_c J = 0.2217. \tag{4.21}$$

This value can be recovered by means of direct calculations with some set of parameters $\bar{\Phi}$, b/c , and s_0 . Figure 2 shows the dependence of the $\beta_c\Phi(0)/6$ on the parameter $\bar{\Phi}$.

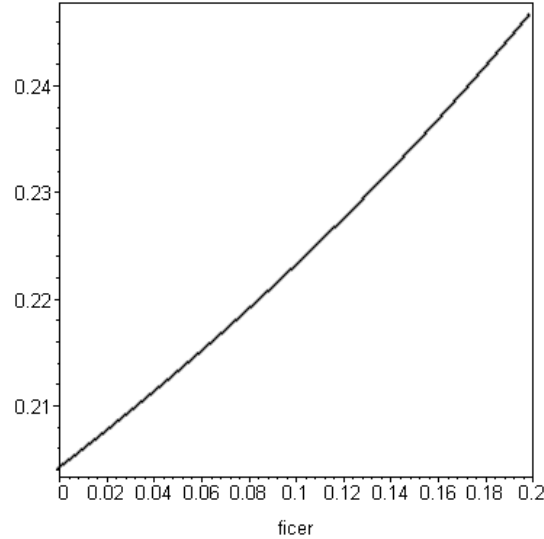


Figure 2. The dependence of the inverse temperature $\beta_c\Phi(0)/6$ on the parameter $\bar{\Phi}$ ($s_0 = 2$, $b/c = 0.3$).

It is easy to see that the value (4.21) is approached at $b/c \approx 0.3$. Figure 3 gives the dependence $\beta_c\Phi(0)/6$ versus s_0 at $b/c = 0.3$ and $\bar{\Phi} = 0.092$.

Our calculation of the values T_c was not intended to obtain an “exact” temperature of phase transition. Rather, it was necessary for determining the coordinates of

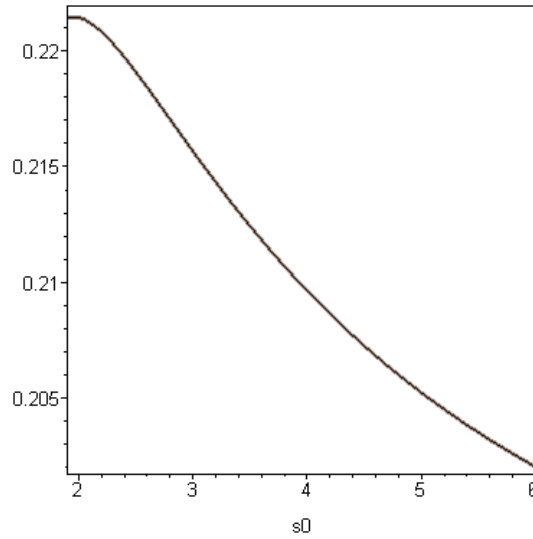


Figure 3. The dependence of inverse temperature of phase transition on the parameter s_0 .

critical point ($T = T_c, h = 0$), near which we wish to investigate the thermodynamic functions of the system with the appearance of the external field.

Now we introduce the denotations

$$V_2 c_1(T) = c_{k1} \tau, \quad V_2 c_2(T) = c_{k2},$$

where τ is relative temperature,

$$\begin{aligned} \tau &= (T - T_c)/T_c, \\ c_{k1} &= V_2 \left[1 - f_0 - T_{24}^{(0)} u_0 \varphi_0^{-1/2} (\beta_c \Phi(0))^{-2} - T_{24}^{(0)} \varphi_0^{1/2} \right] \\ c_{k2} &= V_2 \left\{ u_0 - \varphi(\beta \Phi(0))^2 - T_{42}^{(0)} \varphi_0^{1/2} \beta \Phi(0) [r_0 + f_0 \beta \Phi(0)] \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Then the solutions to RR (4.17) take the form

$$\begin{aligned} w_n &= -c_{h1} \mathcal{M}_1(h') E_1^n - c_{h2} \mathcal{M}_1(h') T_{13}^{(0)} \left(\varphi_0^{1/2} \beta \Phi(0) \right)^{-1} E_3^n, \\ r_n &= r^* + c_{k1}^{(0)} \beta \Phi(0) \tau E_2^n + c_{k2} T_{42}^{(0)} \left(\varphi_0^{1/2} \beta \Phi(0) \right)^{-1} E_4^n, \\ v_n &= -c_{h2} \mathcal{M}_1^*(h') E_3^n, \\ u_n &= u^* + c_{k1}^{(0)} \tau T_{42}^{(0)} \varphi_0^{1/2} (\beta \Phi(0))^2 E_2^n + c_{k2} E_4^n. \end{aligned} \quad (4.22)$$

For brevity, here the denotations

$$\begin{aligned} c_{h1} &= s_0^{d/2} \mathcal{M}_{20} / \mathcal{M}_2(h'), & \mathcal{M}_{20} &= 1 - 3g - 6g T_{13}^{(0)} (\varphi_0^{1/2} \beta \Phi(0))^{-1} / \mathcal{M}_2(h'), \\ c_{h2} &= 6g s_0^{d/2} / \mathcal{M}_2^2(h'), & c_{k1} &= c_{k1}^{(0)} \beta \Phi(0) \end{aligned} \quad (4.23)$$

have been introduced.

5. Conclusions

The paper gives the expression (3.14) for the partition function of the one-component magnet in the external field near the critical point. Explicit expressions for the partial partition functions Q_n (3.15)–(3.17) are obtained. This allows us to calculate the free energy and other thermodynamic functions of the system near critical point by means of the methods of [2,8,9]. They will depend on the temperature and field and the form of these dependences as well as the corresponding critical exponents will be determined by the recurrence relations (3.19) and their solutions (4.22) near the fixed point (3.12).

Appendix 1

Let us consider the dependence of the cumulants $\mathcal{M}_n(\beta h)$ from (1.12) on the value $h' = \beta h$. We rewrite the expression (1.15) for the partition function in the form:

$$\begin{aligned}
 Z = & 2^N \exp\left(\frac{1}{2}\beta\Phi_0 N\right) e^{N\mathcal{M}_0} \int (d\eta)^{N_0} (d\omega)^{N_0} \exp\left\{\frac{1}{2}\beta \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0} [\Phi(k) - \Phi_0] \eta_{\vec{k}} \eta_{-\vec{k}} \right. \\
 & \left. + 2\pi i \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0} \eta_{\vec{k}} \omega_{\vec{k}}\right\} \exp\left\{-2\pi i N_0^{d/2} \mathcal{M}'_1(h') \omega_0 - \frac{(2\pi)^2}{2} \mathcal{M}'_2(h') \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathcal{B}_0} \omega_{\vec{k}} \omega_{-\vec{k}} \right. \\
 & - \frac{(2\pi)^3}{3!} N_0^{-1/2} \mathcal{M}'_3(h') i \sum_{\substack{\vec{k}_1, \dots, \vec{k}_3 \\ \vec{k}_i \in \mathcal{B}_0}} \omega_{\vec{k}_1} \dots \omega_{\vec{k}_3} \delta_{\vec{k}_1 + \dots + \vec{k}_3} - \frac{(2\pi)^4}{4!} N_0^{-1} \mathcal{M}'_4(h') \\
 & \times \sum_{\substack{\vec{k}_1, \dots, \vec{k}_4 \\ \vec{k}_i \in \mathcal{B}_0}} \omega_{\vec{k}_1} \dots \omega_{\vec{k}_4} \delta_{\vec{k}_1 + \dots + \vec{k}_4} - \frac{(2\pi)^5}{5!} N_0^{-3/2} \mathcal{M}'_5(h') i \sum_{\substack{\vec{k}_1, \dots, \vec{k}_5 \\ \vec{k}_i \in \mathcal{B}_0}} \omega_{\vec{k}_1} \dots \omega_{\vec{k}_5} \delta_{\vec{k}_1 + \dots + \vec{k}_5} \\
 & \left. - \frac{(2\pi)^6}{6!} N_0^{-2} \mathcal{M}'_6(h') \sum_{\substack{\vec{k}_1, \dots, \vec{k}_6 \\ \vec{k}_i \in \mathcal{B}_0}} \omega_{\vec{k}_1} \dots \omega_{\vec{k}_6} \delta_{\vec{k}_1 + \dots + \vec{k}_6}\right\}, \tag{A1.1}
 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{M}'_1(h') &= s_0^{d/2} \mathcal{M}_1(h'), & \mathcal{M}'_2(h') &= \mathcal{M}_2(h'), \\
 \mathcal{M}'_3(h') &= s_0^{-d/2} (-\mathcal{M}_3(h')), & \mathcal{M}'_4(h') &= s_0^{-d} (-\mathcal{M}_4(h')), \\
 \mathcal{M}'_5(h') &= s_0^{-3d/2} \mathcal{M}_5(h'), & \mathcal{M}'_6(h') &= s_0^{-2d} \mathcal{M}_6(h') \tag{A1.2}
 \end{aligned}$$

The parameter $s_0 \geq 1$ determines the form of potential (1.3), which is used in calculations. To any value of s_0 there is a corresponding model system with its own values of parameters. The curves of dependence of $\mathcal{M}'_n(h)$ on the field h are shown

in the figures 4 to 10 at the value $s_0 = 2$. For brevity the primes near \mathcal{M}_n and h are omitted.

The convergence of the integrals in (A1.1) is determined by the signs of the even cumulants $\mathcal{M}_{2l}(h')$. The cumulant $\mathcal{M}_2(h')$ is positive for all values of the h' . The $\mathcal{M}_4(h')$ is positive for $h \in (-0.658; 0.658)$ and negative for $|h| > 0.658$. The quantity \mathcal{M}_6 is positive everywhere except the values $|h| \in (0.421; 1.575)$.

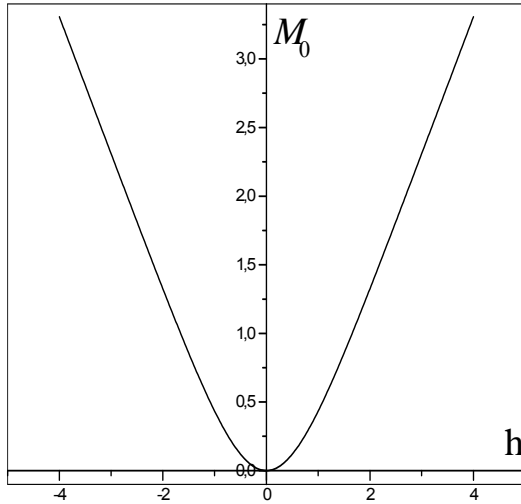


Figure 4. Dependence of the coefficient \mathcal{M}_0 on the field h .

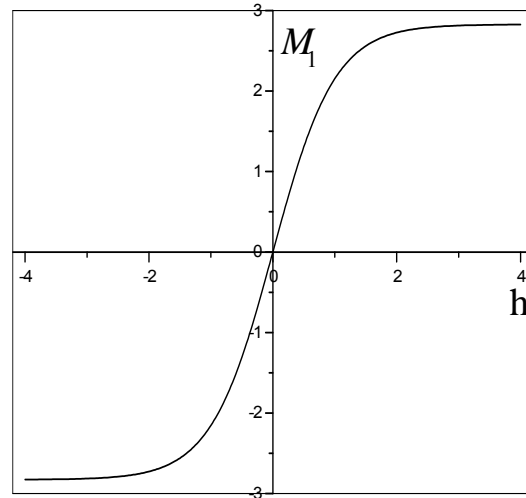


Figure 5. Dependence of the first odd cumulant \mathcal{M}'_1 on the field h .

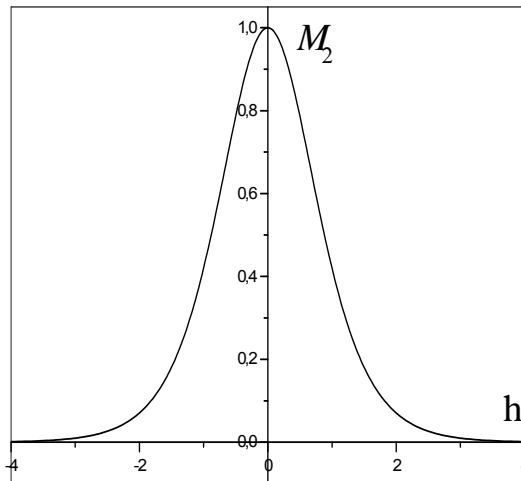


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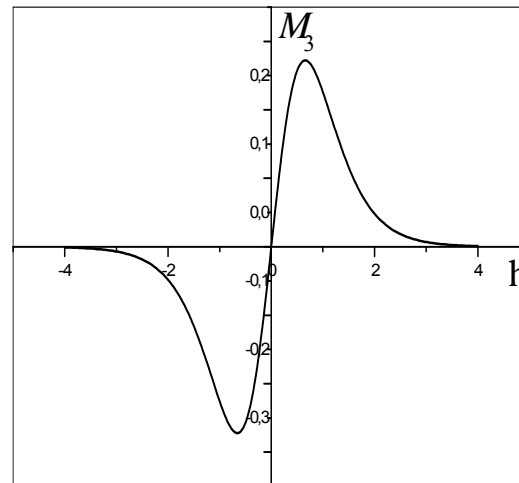


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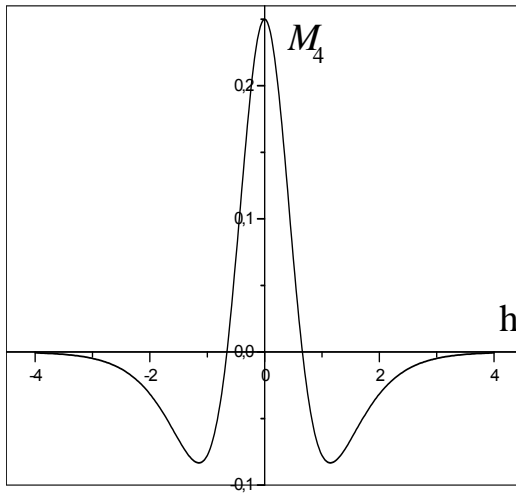


Figure 8. Dependence of the fourth cumulant \mathcal{M}'_4 on the field h . The cumulant \mathcal{M}'_4 is positive for $|h| < 0.658$.

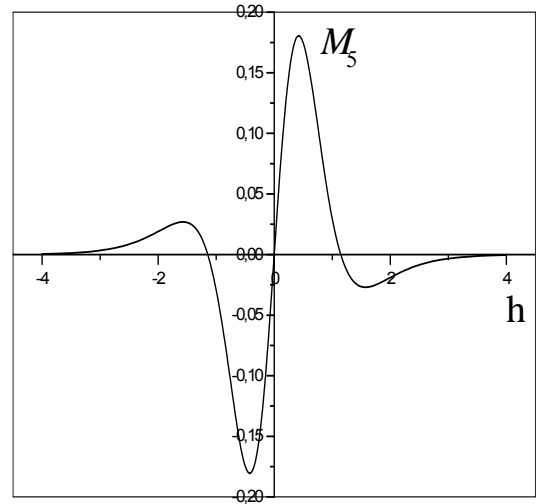


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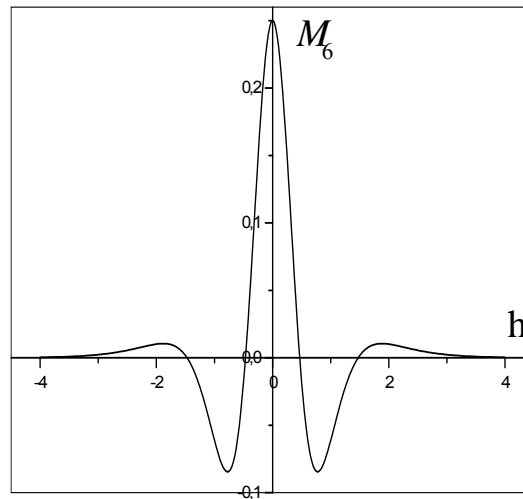


Figure 10. Dependence of the \mathcal{M}'_6 on the field h . The value of \mathcal{M}'_6 is positive in the regions $|h| < 0.421$ and $|h| > 1.572$.

Appendix 2

Now we obtain the expression for the coefficients a_n from (1.21) in the second odd cumulant approximation when equation (1.24) holds for the function $\varphi(\nu_i)$. Within the frame of the “ φ^4 ”-model we have

$$J_l(\eta) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{i\mu_2 \eta_i \nu_i} \exp[-ia' \nu_i + ib' \nu_i^3] e^{-\nu_i^2 - g\nu_i^4} d\nu_i, \quad (\text{A2.1})$$

where the coefficients a' , b , and g are given by (1.18). Our goal is in finding the coefficients a_n from (1.21), which we will denote as a_n'' . We recall that the first odd cumulant approximation corresponds to the condition $b' = 0$. Now we perform in (A2.1) the change of variables

$$\nu_{\bar{l}} = x_{\bar{l}} - \frac{i}{2}a',$$

which leads to the cubic term vanishing in the exponent of (A2.1)

$$J_l(\eta_{\bar{l}}) = \exp\left(\mu_2 \frac{a'}{2} \eta_{\bar{l}} + E_0\right) \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx_{\bar{l}} e^{i\mu_2 \eta_{\bar{l}} x_{\bar{l}} - iE_1 x_{\bar{l}} - E_2 x_{\bar{l}}^2 - g x_{\bar{l}}^4}, \quad (\text{A2.2})$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} E_0 &= -\frac{1}{4}a'^2 \approx -\frac{1}{2}s_0^d \mathcal{M}_1^2; \\ E_1 &= b'a'^2 = -\frac{2}{3}s_0^{-d} a'^3 \approx -\frac{4}{3}a' \mathcal{M}_1^2; \\ E_2 &= 1 - \frac{3}{4}a'b' = 1 + \mathcal{M}_1^2 \approx \mathcal{M}_2^{-1}. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A2.3})$$

Then we perform in (A2.2) the change of variables

$$dx_{\bar{l}} = \xi dy_{\bar{l}}, \quad \xi = \mathcal{M}_2^{1/2}$$

and obtain

$$J_l(\eta_{\bar{l}}) = \xi e^{E_0} e^{\frac{1}{2}a'\eta_{\bar{l}}\mu_2} \int dy_{\bar{l}} e^{-y_{\bar{l}}^2 - g'y_{\bar{l}}^4 - ia''y_{\bar{l}}} \exp(i\mu_2' \eta_{\bar{l}} y_{\bar{l}}), \quad (\text{A2.4})$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} g' &= g\mathcal{M}_2 \approx g_0 \mathcal{M}_2^4; & g_0 &= \frac{1}{3}s_0^{-d}; \\ a'' &= E_1 \mathcal{M}_2^{1/2} = b'(a')^2 \approx -\frac{4}{3}s_0^{d/2} \sqrt{2} \mathcal{M}_1^3; \\ \mu_2' &= \mu_2 \xi = \sqrt{2}. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A2.5})$$

Integrand in (A2.4) coincides with the expression

$$J_l^{(I)}(\eta_l) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\nu_{\bar{l}}^2 - g\nu_{\bar{l}}^4 - ia'\nu_{\bar{l}}} e^{i\mu_2 \eta_{\bar{l}} \nu_{\bar{l}}} d\nu_{\bar{l}}, \quad (\text{A2.6})$$

which corresponds to the first odd cumulant approximation where the coefficients g , a' , and μ_2 in (A2.6) are replaced by g' , a'' , and μ_2' , respectively. Then equations (1.25) still hold in the second odd cumulant approximation. We write (A2.4) in the form

$$J_l(\eta_{\bar{l}}) = e^{a_0''} \exp\left(-\sum_{n=1}^4 \frac{a_n''}{n!} \eta_{\bar{l}}^n\right). \quad (\text{A2.7})$$

Then the expressions for the coefficients a_n'' take the form

$$\begin{aligned}
 e^{a''_0} &= \mathcal{M}_2^{1/2} e^{E_0} \sqrt{\pi} \left(1 - \frac{3}{4} g' \right) \approx \sqrt{\pi} \left(1 - \frac{1}{4} s_0^{-d} - \mathcal{M}_1^2 \left(\frac{1}{2} s_0^d + \frac{1}{2} - s_0^{-d} \right) \right); \\
 a_1'' &= -\frac{1}{2} a' \mu_2 - \frac{1}{2} a'' \mu_2 (1 - 3g') \approx -s_0^{d/2} \mathcal{M}_1 \left[1 - \frac{1}{3} \mathcal{M}_1^2 + \frac{4}{3} s_0^{-d} \mathcal{M}_1^2 \right]; \\
 a_2'' &= 1 - 3g' \approx 1 - s_0^{-d} + 4s_0^{-d} \mathcal{M}_1^2; \\
 a_3'' &= -\frac{3}{2} (\mu_2')^3 a'' g' \approx \frac{8}{3} s_0^{-d/2} \mathcal{M}_1^3; \\
 a_4'' &= 6g' \approx 2s_0^{-d} - 8s_0^{-d} \mathcal{M}_1^2.
 \end{aligned} \tag{A2.8}$$

Therefore, the calculation of the coefficient a_n in the second odd cumulant approximation leads to the statement that a_3'' is proportional to h^3 while the first odd cumulant approximation gives $a_3' \sim h$.

It is easy to see that the third odd cumulant approximation ($\mathcal{M}_1 \neq 0$, $\mathcal{M}_3 \neq 0$, $\mathcal{M}_5 \neq 0$) leads to such dependences $a_1''' \sim h'$, $a_3''' \sim h'$, which are typical for the first odd cumulant approximation.

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Рекурентні співвідношення тривимірного магнетика при наявності зовнішнього поля

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Запропонований метод розрахунку статистичної суми граткової моделі магнетика в зовнішньому полі поблизу критичної точки. Знайдені рекурентні співвідношення та їхній явний розв'язок поблизу фіксованої точки. Показано, що в границі, коли величину поля спрямувати до нуля, приходимо до результатів, отриманих раніше в методі колективних змінних у випадку відсутності зовнішнього поля. Розрахована температура фазового переходу (при $h = 0$) та знайдена її залежність від параметрів потенціалу взаємодії.

Ключові слова: *ізингоподібна система, колективні змінні, вільна енергія Ландау, параметр порядку*

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