

## Appendix

Following [georges1991expand] let's define energy as:

$$E = - \sum_{ij} w_{ij} s_i s_j - \sum_i \theta_i s_i \quad (1)$$

and introduce the following operator:

$$U \equiv E - \mathbb{E}(E) - \sum_i \frac{\partial \lambda_i(\beta)}{\partial \beta} (s_i - m_i) \quad (2)$$

which poses useful property  $-\mathbb{E}(U) = 0$ . For any other operator  $O$  we then have:

$$\frac{\partial \mathbb{E}(O)}{\partial \beta} = \mathbb{E} \left( \frac{\partial O}{\partial \beta} \right) - \mathbb{E}(OU). \quad (3)$$

Now, the first derivative from the Taylor expansion is:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial(\beta F)}{\partial \beta} &= \frac{\sum_{\mathbf{s}} \exp \left( \beta \sum_{(ij)} w_{ij} s_i s_j + \beta \sum_i \theta_i s_i + \sum_i \lambda_i(\beta) (s_i - m_i) \right) \left( \sum_{(ij)} w_{ij} s_i s_j + \sum_i \theta_i s_i + \sum_i \frac{\partial \lambda_i(\beta)}{\partial \beta} (s_i - m_i) \right)}{\sum_{\mathbf{s}} \exp \left( \beta \sum_{(ij)} w_{ij} s_i s_j + \sum_i \theta_i s_i + \sum_i \lambda_i(\beta) (s_i - m_i) \right)} \\ &= \sum_{(ij)} w_{ij} \mathbb{E}(s_i s_j) + \sum_i \theta_i \mathbb{E}(s_i) + \frac{\partial \lambda_i(\beta)}{\partial \beta} \sum_i \mathbb{E}(s_i - m_i). \end{aligned}$$

In the case of  $\beta = 0$  we have:

$$\left. \frac{\partial(\beta F)}{\partial \beta} \right|_{\beta=0} = \sum_{(ij)} w_{ij} m_i m_j + \sum_i \theta_i m_i.$$

Using 3 we obtain:

$$\frac{\partial m_i}{\partial \beta} = 0 = \frac{\partial \mathbb{E}(s_i)}{\partial \beta} = \mathbb{E} \left( \frac{\partial s_i}{\partial \beta} \right) - \mathbb{E}(s_i U) = -\mathbb{E}(s_i U) = -\mathbb{E}(U(s_i - m_i)). \quad (4)$$

The first derivative of the operator  $U$  has the form:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial U}{\partial \beta} &= \frac{\partial E}{\partial \beta} - \frac{\partial \mathbb{E}(E)}{\partial \beta} - \sum_i \frac{\partial^2 \lambda_i(\beta)}{\partial \beta^2} (s_i - m_i) \\ &= \mathbb{E}(U^2) - \sum_i \frac{\partial^2 \lambda_i(\beta)}{\partial \beta^2} (s_i - m_i) \end{aligned} \quad (5)$$

and the second derivative is:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^2 U}{\partial \beta^2} &= 2\mathbb{E} \left( \frac{\partial U}{\partial \beta} U \right) - \mathbb{E}(U^3) - \sum_i \frac{\partial^3 \lambda_i(\beta)}{\partial \beta^3} (s_i - m_i) \\ &= -\mathbb{E}(U^3) - \sum_i \frac{\partial^3 \lambda_i(\beta)}{\partial \beta^3} (s_i - m_i) \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

The expansion of free energy using formulas derived above can now be reformulated in terms of the operator  $U$ :

$$\frac{\partial(\beta F)}{\partial \beta} = \mathbb{E}(E) - \sum_i \frac{\partial \lambda_i(\beta)}{\partial \beta} \mathbb{E}(s_i - m_i) = \mathbb{E}(E) \quad (7)$$

and the higher orders:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^2(\beta F)}{\partial \beta^2} &= \mathbb{E} \left( \frac{\partial E}{\partial \beta} \right) - \mathbb{E}(EU) = -\mathbb{E}(U^2), \\ \frac{\partial^3(\beta F)}{\partial \beta^3} &= -2\mathbb{E} \left( U \frac{\partial U}{\partial \beta} \right) + \mathbb{E}(U^3) = \mathbb{E}(U^3). \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

Taylor expansion was considered around point  $\beta = 0$ . Using derivations from 7 we obtain again a 'naive' term:

$$\left. \frac{\partial(\beta F)}{\partial \beta} \right|_{\beta=0} = \mathbb{E}_{\beta=0}(E) = - \sum_{(ij)} w_{ij} m_i m_j - \sum_i \theta_i m_i = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_i \sum_j w_{ij} m_i m_j - \sum_i \theta_i m_i. \quad (9)$$

Consider now:

$$\left. \frac{\partial(\beta F)}{\partial m_i \partial \beta} \right|_{\beta=0} = - \sum_{j \neq i} w_{ij} m_j - \theta_i. \quad (10)$$

On the other hand:

$$\left. \frac{\partial(\beta F)}{\partial m_i \partial \beta} \right|_{\beta=0} = \left. \frac{\partial(\beta F)}{\partial \beta \partial m_i} \right|_{\beta=0} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \beta} \mathbb{E}(\lambda_i(\beta)) = \left. \frac{\partial \lambda_i(\beta)}{\partial \beta} \right|_{\beta=0} \quad (11)$$

Substituting 11 into 2 gives us:

$$\begin{aligned} U_{\beta=0} &= - \sum_{(ij)} w_{ij} s_i s_j - \sum_i \theta_i s_i + \frac{1}{2} \sum_i \sum_j w_{ij} m_i m_j + \sum_i \theta_i m_i + \sum_i \left( \sum_{j \neq i} w_{ij} m_j + \theta_i \right) (s_i - m_i) \\ &= - \sum_{(ij)} w_{ij} s_i s_j - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{(ij)} w_{ij} m_i m_j + \sum_i \sum_{j \neq i} w_{ij} s_i m_j \\ &= - \sum_{(ij)} w_{ij} (s_i - m_i)(s_j - m_j) = - \sum_l w_l y_l \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

where  $w_l = w_{ij}$  and  $y_l = (s_i - m_i)(s_j - m_j)$  stands for the 'link' operator which poses useful properties:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}(y_l)_{\beta=0} &= \mathbb{E}(s_i s_j) - m_j \mathbb{E}(s_i) - m_i \mathbb{E}(s_j) + m_i m_j = 0 \\ \mathbb{E}(y_l(s_i - m_i))_{\beta=0} &= m_j - m_j - m_i^2 m_j + m_i^2 m_j \\ &\quad - m_i^2 m_j + m_i^2 m_j + m_i^2 m_j - m_i^2 m_j \\ &= 0. \end{aligned} \quad (13)$$

Finally, if  $k \neq l$  then:

$$\mathbb{E}(y_k y_l) = \mathbb{E}(y_k) \mathbb{E}(y_l) = 0$$

while for  $k = l$  we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}((s_i - m_i)^2 (s_j - m_j)^2) &= m_i m_j - 2m_i m_j^2 + m_i m_j^2 - 2m_i^2 m_j + 4m_i^2 m_j^2 \\ &\quad - 2m_i^2 m_j^2 + m_i^2 m_j - 2m_i^2 m_j^2 + m_i^2 m_j^2 \\ &= (m_i - m_i^2)(m_j - m_j^2). \end{aligned} \quad (14)$$

Using properties from  $y_l$  in equations 8 we can derive:

$$\begin{aligned} \left. \frac{\partial^2(\beta F)}{\partial \beta^2} \right|_{\beta=0} &= - \mathbb{E}(U^2)_{\beta=0} \\ &= - \sum_{l_1 l_2} w_{l_1} w_{l_2} \mathbb{E}_{\beta=0}(y_{l_1} y_{l_2}) \\ &= - \sum_{(i,j)} w_{ij}^2 (m_i - m_i^2)(m_j - m_j^2) \end{aligned}$$

which yields the TAP-Onsager term. To obtain the next term in the Taylor expansion we need to compute  $\mathbb{E}(y_{l_1} y_{l_2} y_{l_3})$  term and by definition the structure of the RBM model doesn't admit triangles in its corresponding factor graphs. Thus, we need to consider only the case when  $l_1 = l_2 = l_3$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}((s_i - m_i)^3 (s_j - m_j)^3) &= m_i m_j - 3m_i m_j^2 + 2m_i m_j^2 + 2m_i m_j^3 - 3m_i^2 m_j + 2m_i^3 m_j \\ &\quad + 9m_i^2 m_j^2 - 6m_i^3 m_j^2 - 6m_i^2 m_j^3 + 4m_i^3 m_j^3 \\ &= 4(m_i - m_i^2) \left( \frac{1}{2} - m_i \right) (m_j - m_j^2) \left( \frac{1}{2} - m_j \right) \end{aligned} \quad (15)$$

and the third-order term in the case of the RBM structure:

$$\left. \frac{\partial^3(\beta F)}{\partial \beta^3} \right|_{\beta=0} = \frac{2\beta^3}{3} \sum_{(ij)} w_{ij}^3 (m_i - m_i^2) \left( \frac{1}{2} - m_i \right) (m_j - m_j^2) \left( \frac{1}{2} - m_j \right).$$