Derivation of $\frac{\delta F}{\delta E_{ij}^*}$ in terms of $\underline{\underline{E}}$, $\underline{\underline{\Pi}}$ and their derivatives

1 Final comments on how it is done here

So after a lot of deliberation, I am pretty confident that there are a couple ways to get the functional derivatives, but the general rule is based on simply $\frac{\delta E_{ij}}{\delta E_{ab}} = \delta_{ia}\delta_{jb}$. If one is to symmetrize it, a factor of $\frac{1}{2}$ should be used and the result should be equivalent to simply symmetrizing the possibly asymmetric result, doing $\frac{\delta F}{\delta E_{ij}} + \frac{\delta F}{\delta E_{ji}}$. When it comes to the second order gradient "symmetry", essentially the same applies, when using the "integral/delta function" method, the problem doesn't come up and equaling the two gives something along the lines of $\frac{\partial \psi_{,ij}}{\partial \psi_{,ab}} = \delta_{ia}\delta_{jb}$, though if one uses the symmetrized version with a $\frac{1}{2}$ factor, it gives the same result.

Next about the asymmetries that seem to occur in our F, they would come up anywhere where there is a term with $E_{ij,...}^*$ without a matching $E_{ij,...}$ in the term. Notably, this doesn't happen in any of the terms used by Jack, or the expression for $\underline{\underline{\Pi}}$ that he used, however the other $\underline{\underline{\Pi}}$ expression which has $\underline{\underline{E}}^*$ occuring does have this happen, thus it leads to asymmetries that would need to be fixed.

In this document I will only use the square root version of $\underline{\underline{\Pi}}$ and so we do not need to worry about asymmetry there, this document is meant as a reference for the code implementation without too much commentary, just correct results, split in smaller terms.

2 Final, cheatsheet

$$\Pi_{kl} = \frac{sE_{kl}}{\sqrt{E_{ab}E_{ab}}} + \frac{\delta_{kl}}{d} \tag{1}$$

$$\Pi_{kl,m} = \frac{s}{\sqrt{E_{ab}E_{ab}}} \left(E_{kl,m} - \frac{E_{kl}E_{cd}E_{cd,m}}{E_{ab}E_{ab}} \right) \tag{2}$$

$$\Pi_{kl,mn} = \frac{s}{\sqrt{E_{ab}E_{ab}}} \left(E_{kl,mn} - \frac{E_{kl,n}E_{cd}E_{cd,m} + E_{kl,m}E_{cd}E_{cd,n} + E_{kl}(E_{cd,n}E_{cd,m} + E_{cd}E_{cd,mn})}{E_{ab}E_{ab}} \right)$$
(3)

$$+3\frac{E_{kl}E_{cd}E_{cd,m}E_{ef}E_{ef,n}}{(E_{ab}E_{ab})^2}$$
(4)

$$f_{\text{bulk}} = AE_{ij}E_{ij}^* + \frac{C}{2}(E_{ij}E_{ij}^*)^2$$
 (5)

$$f_{\text{comp}} = b_1^{\parallel} \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,k} E_{ij,l}^* + b_1^{\perp} T_{kl} E_{ij,k} E_{ij,l}^*$$
(6)

$$f_{\text{curv}} = b_2^{\parallel} \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,lk} \Pi_{mn} E_{ij,nm}^* + b_2^{\perp} T_{kl} E_{ij,lk} T_{mn} E_{ij,nm}^* + b_2^{\parallel \perp} (\Pi_{kl} E_{ij,lk} T_{mn} E_{ij,nm}^* + T_{kl} E_{ij,lk} \Pi_{mn} E_{ij,nm}^*)$$
(7)

$$\frac{\delta F_{\text{bulk}}}{\delta E_{ij}^*} = (A + CE_{ab}E_{ab}^*)E_{ij} \tag{8}$$

$$\frac{\delta E_{ij}}{\delta E_{ij}^*} = -(b_1^{\parallel} - b_1^{\perp})(\Pi_{kl,l} E_{ij,k} + \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,kl}) - b_1^{\perp} E_{ij,kk}$$
(9)

$$\frac{\delta F_{\text{curv}}}{\delta E_{ij}^*} = (b_2^{\parallel} + b_2^{\perp} - 2b_2^{\parallel \perp}) \Big((\Pi_{kl} \Pi_{po,po} + 2\Pi_{kl,o} \Pi_{po,p} + \Pi_{kl,po} \Pi_{po}) E_{ij,lk}$$
(10)

$$+ 2(\Pi_{kl,o}\Pi_{po} + \Pi_{kl}\Pi_{po,o})E_{ij,lkp} + \Pi_{kl}\Pi_{po}E_{ij,lkpo})$$

$$+ (b_2^{\parallel \perp} - b_2^{\perp}) \Big(\Pi_{po,po}E_{ij,kk} + \Pi_{kl,oo}E_{ij,lk}$$

$$+ 2\Pi_{po,o}E_{ij,kkp} + 2\Pi_{kl,o}E_{ij,lko} + 2\Pi_{kl}E_{ij,lkoo} \Big)$$

$$+ b_2^{\perp}E_{ij,kkoo}$$

Brief derivations are below

3 Gradients of Π

$$\underline{\underline{\Pi}} = \sqrt{\frac{d-1}{d\underline{E}}} \underline{\underline{E}} + \underline{\underline{\delta}} \quad \text{or} \quad \Pi_{kl} = \frac{sE_{kl}}{\sqrt{E_{ab}E_{ab}}} + \frac{\delta_{kl}}{d}$$
(11)

gives

$$\Pi_{kl,m} = \frac{sE_{kl,m}}{\sqrt{E_{ab}E_{ab}}} - \frac{sE_{kl}E_{cd}E_{cd,m}}{(E_{ab}E_{ab})^{\frac{3}{2}}} = \frac{s}{\sqrt{E_{ab}E_{ab}}} \left(E_{kl,m} - \frac{E_{kl}E_{cd}E_{cd,m}}{E_{ab}E_{ab}} \right)$$
(12)

$$\Pi_{kl,m} = \frac{sE_{kl,m}}{\sqrt{E_{ab}E_{ab}}} - \frac{sE_{kl}E_{cd}E_{cd,m}}{(E_{ab}E_{ab})^{\frac{3}{2}}} = \frac{s}{\sqrt{E_{ab}E_{ab}}} \left(E_{kl,m} - \frac{E_{kl}E_{cd}E_{cd,m}}{E_{ab}E_{ab}} \right)$$

$$\Pi_{kl,mn} = \frac{sE_{kl,mn}}{\sqrt{E_{ab}E_{ab}}} - \frac{sE_{kl,m}E_{cd}E_{cd,n}}{(E_{ab}E_{ab})^{\frac{3}{2}}} - \frac{s(E_{kl,n}E_{cd}E_{cd,m} + E_{kl}E_{cd,n}E_{cd,m} + E_{kl}E_{cd}E_{cd,mn})}{(E_{ab}E_{ab})^{\frac{3}{2}}}$$

$$+ \frac{3sE_{kl}E_{cd}E_{cd,m}E_{ef}E_{ef,n}}{(E_{ab}E_{ab})^{\frac{3}{2}}} - \frac{s(E_{kl,n}E_{cd}E_{cd,m} + E_{kl}E_{cd,n}E_{cd,m} + E_{kl}E_{cd}E_{cd,mn})}{(E_{ab}E_{ab})^{\frac{3}{2}}}$$
(13)

$$= \frac{s}{\sqrt{E_{ab}E_{ab}}} \left(E_{kl,mn} - \frac{E_{kl,m}E_{cd}E_{cd,n} + E_{kl,n}E_{cd}E_{cd,m} + E_{kl}(E_{cd,n}E_{cd,m} + E_{cd}E_{cd,mn})}{E_{ab}E_{ab}} + 3 \frac{E_{kl}E_{cd}E_{cd,m}E_{ef}E_{ef,n}}{(E_{ab}E_{ab})^2} \right)$$
(14)

or, to check, also do

$$= \frac{s}{\sqrt{E_{ab}E_{ab}}} \left(E_{kl,mn} - \frac{E_{kl,n}E_{cd}E_{cd,m} + E_{kl}E_{cd,n}E_{cd,m} + E_{kl}E_{cd}E_{cd,mn}}{E_{ab}E_{ab}} + 2 \frac{E_{kl}E_{cd}E_{cd,m}E_{ef}E_{ef,n}}{(E_{ab}E_{ab})^2} \right)$$
(15)

$$-\frac{sE_{gh}E_{gh,n}}{(E_{ab}E_{ab})^{\frac{3}{2}}} \left(E_{kl,m} - \frac{E_{kl}E_{cd}E_{cd,m}}{E_{ab}E_{ab}} \right)$$

$$= \frac{s}{\sqrt{E_{ab}E_{ab}}} \left(E_{kl,mn} - \frac{E_{kl,n}E_{cd}E_{cd,m} + E_{kl}E_{cd,n}E_{cd,m} + E_{kl}E_{cd}E_{cd,mn}}{E_{ab}E_{ab}} + 2 \frac{E_{kl}E_{cd}E_{cd,m}E_{ef}E_{ef,n}}{(E_{ab}E_{ab})^2} \right)$$
(16)

$$-\frac{E_{kl,m}E_{cd}E_{cd,n}}{E_{ab}E_{ab}} + \frac{E_{kl}E_{cd}E_{cd,m}E_{ef}E_{ef,n}}{(E_{ab}E_{ab})^2}$$

$$= \frac{s}{\sqrt{E_{ab}E_{ab}}} \left(E_{kl,mn} - \frac{E_{kl,n}E_{cd}E_{cd,m} + E_{kl,m}E_{cd}E_{cd,n} + E_{kl}(E_{cd,n}E_{cd,m} + E_{cd}E_{cd,mn})}{E_{ab}E_{ab}} \right)$$
(17)

$$+3\frac{E_{kl}E_{cd}E_{cd,m}E_{ef}E_{ef,n}}{(E_{ab}E_{ab})^2}$$
 which is the same as above – yay

4 Free energies and their functional derivatives

We start from the following terms, though quickly reorganize them in terms of $\underline{\underline{\Pi}}$ only

$$F = \int f_{\text{bulk}} + f_{\text{comp}} + f_{\text{curv}} \, dV = F_{\text{bulk}} + F_{\text{comp}} + F_{\text{curv}}$$
(18)

$$f_{\text{bulk}} = AE_{ij}E_{ij}^* + \frac{C}{2}(E_{ij}E_{ij}^*)^2$$
(19)

$$f_{\text{comp}} = b_1^{\parallel} \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,k} E_{ij,l}^* + b_1^{\perp} T_{kl} E_{ij,k} E_{ij,l}^*$$
 maybe try adding $b_1^d E_{ij,j} E_{ik,k}^*$ later too (20)

$$f_{\text{curv}} = b_2^{\parallel} \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,lk} \Pi_{mn} E_{ij,nm}^* + b_2^{\perp} T_{kl} E_{ij,lk} T_{mn} E_{ij,nm}^* + b_2^{\parallel \perp} (\Pi_{kl} E_{ij,lk} T_{mn} E_{ij,nm}^* + T_{kl} E_{ij,lk} \Pi_{mn} E_{ij,nm}^*)$$
(21)

leading to

$$f_{\text{comp}} = (b_1^{\parallel} - b_1^{\perp}) \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,k} E_{ij,l}^* + b_1^{\perp} E_{ij,k} E_{ij,k}^*$$
(22)

and

$$f_{\text{curv}} = (b_2^{\parallel} + b_2^{\perp} - 2b_2^{\parallel \perp}) \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,lk} \Pi_{mn} E_{ij,nm}^*$$

$$+ (b_2^{\parallel \perp} - b_2^{\perp}) (\Pi_{mn} E_{ij,kk} E_{ij,nm}^* + \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,lk} E_{ij,mm}^*)$$

$$+ b_2^{\perp} E_{ij,kk} E_{ij,mm}^*$$

$$(23)$$

4.1 F_{bulk}

$$\frac{\delta}{\delta E_{ij}^*} \left(A E_{ab} E_{ab}^* + \frac{C}{2} (E_{ab} E_{ab}^*)^2 \right) = (A + C E_{ab} E_{ab}^*) E_{ij}$$
 (24)

(doesn't need symmetrizing, and using the symmetric functional derivative gives the same)

4.2 F_{comp} terms

$$\frac{\delta}{\delta E_{ij}^*} \Pi_{kl} E_{ab,k} E_{ab,l}^* = -\partial_m \Pi_{km} E_{ij,k} = -\Pi_{kl,l} E_{ij,k} - \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,kl}$$
(25)

(note that $\underline{\underline{\Pi}}$ only directly depends on $\underline{\underline{E}}$ meaning any derivatives wrt to $\underline{\underline{E}}^*$ are 0. This was also checked using the "integral/delta function" method, and again needs no symmetrizing and agrees with the previous, more detailed work)

$$\frac{\delta}{\delta E_{ij}^*} E_{ab,k} E_{ab,k}^* = -\partial_l E_{ij,l} = -E_{ij,kk} \tag{26}$$

(symmetric and agrees with previous) so

$$\frac{\delta F_{\text{comp}}}{\delta E_{::}^{*}} = -(b_1^{\parallel} - b_1^{\perp})(\Pi_{kl,l} E_{ij,k} + \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,kl}) - b_1^{\perp} E_{ij,kk}$$
(27)

4.3 $F_{\rm curv}$ terms

$$\frac{\delta}{\delta E_{ij}^{*}} \Pi_{kl} E_{ab,lk} \Pi_{mn} E_{ab,nm}^{*} = \partial_{o} \partial_{p} \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,lk} \Pi_{po} \tag{28}$$

$$= \partial_{o} (\Pi_{kl,p} E_{ij,lk} \Pi_{po} + \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,lkp} \Pi_{po} + \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,lk} \Pi_{po,p}) \tag{29}$$

$$= \Pi_{kl,po} E_{ij,lk} \Pi_{po} + \Pi_{kl,o} E_{ij,lkp} \Pi_{po} + \Pi_{kl,o} E_{ij,lk} \Pi_{po,p} \tag{30}$$

$$+ \Pi_{kl,p} E_{ij,lko} \Pi_{po} + \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,lkpo} \Pi_{po} + \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,lko} \Pi_{po,p}$$

$$+ \Pi_{kl,p} E_{ij,lk} \Pi_{po,o} + \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,lkp} \Pi_{po,o} + \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,lk} \Pi_{po,po}$$

$$= (\Pi_{kl} \Pi_{po,po} + \Pi_{kl,o} \Pi_{po,p} + \Pi_{kl,p} \Pi_{po,o} + \Pi_{kl,po} \Pi_{po}) E_{ij,lk}$$

$$+ (\Pi_{kl,o} \Pi_{po} + \Pi_{kl} \Pi_{po,o}) E_{ij,lkp} + (\Pi_{kl,p} \Pi_{po} + \Pi_{kl} \Pi_{po,p}) E_{ij,lko}$$

$$+ \Pi_{kl} \Pi_{po} E_{ij,lkpo} \quad \text{next step uses symmetry of } \underline{\Pi}$$

$$= (\Pi_{kl} \Pi_{po,po} + 2\Pi_{kl,o} \Pi_{po,p} + \Pi_{kl,po} \Pi_{po}) E_{ij,lk}$$

$$+ 2(\Pi_{kl,o} \Pi_{po} + \Pi_{kl} \Pi_{po,o}) E_{ij,lkp}$$

$$+ \Pi_{kl} \Pi_{po} E_{ij,lkpo}$$

(same result as previously, the only thing that makes me worried at all is using the symmetry of $\underline{\Pi}$, but I think it's ok)

$$\frac{\delta}{\delta E_{ij}^*} \Pi_{mn} E_{ab,kk} E_{ab,nm}^* = \partial_o \partial_p \Pi_{po} E_{ij,kk}$$
(33)

$$= \Pi_{po,po} E_{ij,kk} + \Pi_{po,p} E_{ij,kko} + \Pi_{po,o} E_{ij,kkp} + \Pi_{po} E_{ij,kkpo}$$
(34)

$$= \Pi_{po,po} E_{ij,kk} + 2\Pi_{po,o} E_{ij,kkp} + \Pi_{po} E_{ij,kkpo}$$
 (35)

$$\frac{\delta}{\delta E_{ij}^*} \Pi_{kl} E_{ab,lk} E_{ab,mm}^* = \partial_o \partial_p \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,lk} \delta_{po}$$
(36)

$$= \partial_o \partial_o \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,lk} \tag{37}$$

$$= \Pi_{kl,oo} E_{ij,lk} + 2\Pi_{kl,o} E_{ij,lko} + \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,lkoo}$$

$$\tag{38}$$

$$\frac{\delta}{\delta E_{ij}^*} E_{ab,kk} E_{ab,mm}^* = \partial_o \partial_o E_{ij,kk} = E_{ij,kkoo}$$
(39)

giving overall

$$\frac{\delta F_{\text{curv}}}{\delta E_{ij}^{*}} = (b_{2}^{\parallel} + b_{2}^{\perp} - 2b_{2}^{\parallel \perp}) \Big((\Pi_{kl} \Pi_{po,po} + 2\Pi_{kl,o} \Pi_{po,p} + \Pi_{kl,po} \Pi_{po}) E_{ij,lk} \\
+ 2(\Pi_{kl,o} \Pi_{po} + \Pi_{kl} \Pi_{po,o}) E_{ij,lkp} + \Pi_{kl} \Pi_{po} E_{ij,lkpo} \Big) \\
+ (b_{2}^{\parallel \perp} - b_{2}^{\perp}) \Big(\Pi_{po,po} E_{ij,kk} + 2\Pi_{po,o} E_{ij,kkp} + \Pi_{po} E_{ij,kkpo} \\
+ \Pi_{kl,oo} E_{ij,lk} + 2\Pi_{kl,o} E_{ij,lko} + \Pi_{kl} E_{ij,lkoo} \Big) \\
+ b_{2}^{\perp} E_{ij,kkoo} \\
\text{after one more simplification from symmetry} \\
= (b_{2}^{\parallel} + b_{2}^{\perp} - 2b_{2}^{\parallel \perp}) \Big((\Pi_{kl} \Pi_{po,po} + 2\Pi_{kl,o} \Pi_{po,p} + \Pi_{kl,po} \Pi_{po}) E_{ij,lk} \\
+ 2(\Pi_{kl,o} \Pi_{po} + \Pi_{kl} \Pi_{po,o}) E_{ij,lkp} + \Pi_{kl} \Pi_{po} E_{ij,lkpo} \Big) \\
+ (b_{2}^{\parallel \perp} - b_{2}^{\perp}) \Big((\Pi_{po,po} E_{ij,kk} + \Pi_{kl,oo} E_{ij,lk} \\
+ 2\Pi_{po,o} E_{ij,kkpo} + 2\Pi_{kl,o} E_{ij,lko} + 2\Pi_{kl} E_{ij,lkoo} \Big) \\
+ b_{2}^{\perp} E_{ij,kkpo}$$
(41)