

SHEET 4.

Exercise 1

Prove that $\Theta : [0, 1) \rightarrow [0, 1)$ is right continuous.

Exercise 2

Let $p < p_c$. Prove that $E_p[|C_0|] < \infty$.

Exercise 3 (Percolation with long-range interactions.)

Let $(J_{x,y})_{x,y \in \mathbb{Z}^d}$ be a family of non-negative translation-invariant numbers: i.e. $J_{x,y} \geq 0$ and $\forall x,y,z \in \mathbb{Z}^d, J_{x,y} = J_{x+z,y+z}$.

Let P_β be the bond percolation measure on \mathbb{Z}^d defined as follows: for $x,y \in \mathbb{Z}^d$ (not necessarily neighbours), $\{x,y\}$ is open with probability $1 - e^{-\beta J_{x,y}}$, closed with probability $e^{-\beta J_{x,y}}$.

1. Define the analogues $p_c, \tilde{p}_c, \varphi_\beta(s)$ of $p_c, \tilde{p}_c, \varphi_\beta(s)$ in this context.
2. Show that there exists $c > 0$ s.t. $\forall \beta \geq \tilde{p}_c, P_\beta[0 \leftrightarrow \infty] \geq c(\beta - \tilde{p}_c)$
3. If the interactions are finite-range (i.e. $\exists R$ s.t. $J_{x,y} = 0$ if $|x-y| \geq R$) then show that $\forall \beta < \tilde{p}_c, \exists c > 0$ s.t. $P_\beta[0 \leftrightarrow \partial \Lambda_n] \leq e^{-cn}$.
4. In the general case, show that for any $\beta < \tilde{p}_c, \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^d} P_\beta[0 \leftrightarrow x] < \infty$.

Hint: Consider s s.t. $\varphi_\beta(s) < 1$ and show that for $n \geq 1$

$$\forall x \in \Lambda_n, \sum_{y \in \Lambda_n} P_\beta[x \leftrightarrow y] \leq \frac{|S|}{1 - \varphi_\beta(s)}$$