Blume-Emery-Griffths Model of Mixed Ising Spin System of S=1 and R=2

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Abstract.

The phase diagram and magnetic properties such as the magnetizations $\langle S_z \rangle$ and $\langle R_z \rangle$, thermal averages $\langle S_z \rangle^2$ and $\langle R_z \rangle^2$, the Curie temperature T_c and the ground state (GS) spin structures of the mixed Ising spin system (S=1 and R=2) on two-dimensional square lattice with the bilinear exchange interaction $J_1S_{iz}R_{jz}$, the biquadratic exchange interaction $J_2S_{iz}^2R_{jz}^2$ and the single-ion anisotropies DS_{iz}^2 and DR_{jz}^2 have been discussed by making use of the Monte Carlo simulation. In this Ising spin system, we have determined the conditions of phase transitions and phase diagram. Furthermore, it is confirmed that these conditions of phase transition agree well with those obtained from a comparison of energies per one spin for various spin structures with low energy. The characteristic temperature dependence of the magnetizations $\langle S_z \rangle$ and $\langle R_z \rangle$, thermal averages $\langle S_z \rangle^2$ and $\langle R_z \rangle^2$ and the ground state (GS) spin structures are investigated for various values of parameters of J_2/J_1 and D/J_1 .

Keywords: Ising model; biquadratic interaction; mixed spin system; Monte Carlo simulation

1. Introduction

In Heisenberg and Ising ferromagnets, the existence and the importance of such higher-order exchange interactions as the biquadratic exchange interaction $J_2(S_i \cdot S_j)^2$, the three-site fourspin interaction $J_3(S_i \cdot S_j)(S_j \cdot S_k)$, the four-site fourspin interaction $J_4(S_i \cdot S_j)(S_k \cdot S_l)$ have been discussed extensively by many investigators [1-4]. Theoretical explanations of the origin of these interactions have been given in the theory of the super exchange interaction, the magnetoelastic effect, the perturbation expansion and the spin-phonon coupling [4].

It was pointed out that the higher-order exchange interactions are smaller than the bilinear ones for the 3d group ions [4], and comparable with the bilinear ones in the rare-earth compounds [5,6]. On the other hand, in solid helium and some

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other materials showing such phenomena as quadrupolar ordering of molecules (solid hydrogen, liquid crystal) or the cooperative Jahn Teller phase transitions, the higher-order exchange interactions turned out to be the main ones [7]. Furthermore, the four-site four-spin interaction has been pointed out to be important to explain the magnetic properties of the solid helium [8,9] and the magnetic materials such as NiS₂ and C₆Eu [10].

The Ising system of S=1 with the bilinear interaction $J_1S_{iz}S_{jz}$ and the biquadratic exchange interaction $J_2S_{iz}^2S_{jz}^2$ and the single-ion anisotropy DS_{iz}^2 is quite famous as so-called Blume-Emery-Griffiths (BEG) model [1] and applied for many problems, e.g. super-liquid helium, magnetic material, semiconductor, alloy, lattice gas and so on. This interaction J_2 is expected to have significant effects on magnetic properties and spin arrangements in the low-temperature region for the case of J_2 not negligible compared to J_1/S^2 [11].

Recently, present authors have investigated the effects of the three-site and the four-site four-spin interactions on magnetic properties and the ground state (GS) spin structure of the Ising ferromagnet [12,13] with S=1 by making use of

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the Monte Carlo (MC) simulation. Furthermore, we have applied this MC simulation to the Ising spin system of large spin S=2 with interaction J_2 , and investigated more precisely the growth of spin ordering and the GS spin structures [14]. We have also developed this MC simulation to the mixed Ising spin system with spins of S=1 and R=3/2, and investigated precisely the growth of spin ordering and the ground state (GS) spin structures.

Therefore, in the present study, the effects of the biquadratic exchange interaction $J_2S_{iz}^2R_{jz}^2$ and the single-ion anisotropies DS_{iz}^2 and DR_{jz}^2 on the magnetizations $\langle S_z \rangle$ and $\langle R_z \rangle$, the thermal averages $\langle S_z^2 \rangle$ and $\langle R_z^2 \rangle$ and the ground state (GS) spin structure of the mixed Ising spin system of S = 1 and R=2 on two-dimensional square lattice are investigated by making use of the MC simulation. Here, spins S and R are situated on each two interpenetrating sub-lattices. obtained phase diagram is discussed the GS conjunction with spin structures evaluations. determined by energy temperature dependences of the magnetizations $\langle S_z \rangle$ and $\langle R_z \rangle$, the thermal averages $\langle S_z^2 \rangle$ and $\langle R_z^2 \rangle$ and the spin structure are also studied for various values of parameters J_2/J_1 and D/J_1 .

In Section 2, the spin Hamiltonian is given for present mixed Ising system with S=1 and R=2. Furthermore, the method of the MC simulation is explained briefly. The energies per one spin of spin structures with lower energy are also obtained from this spin Hamiltonian. In Section 3, phase diagram is obtained for parameters J_2/J_1 and D/J_1 by the MC simulation of this Ising system. In the latter part of Section 3, the magnetic properties and the spin ordering are investigated for various temperatures. In the last Section 4, new interesting results obtained here are summarized.

2. Spin Hamiltonian, Methods of Simulation and Energy Estimation

The spin Hamiltonian for the present mixed Ising spin system with S=1 and R=2 on two-dimensional square lattice can be written as follows:

$$H = -J_{1} \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} S_{iz} R_{jz} - J_{2} \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} S_{iz}^{2} R_{jz}^{2}$$
$$-D \sum_{i} S_{iz}^{2} - D \sum_{j} R_{jz}^{2} \qquad (1)$$

Here, $\langle ij \rangle$ denotes the sum on the nearest neighboring spin pairs on two-dimensional square lattice. Furthermore, S_z and R_z in above expression represent $S_z = \pm 1$, 0 and $R_z = \pm 2$, ± 1 , 0, respectively. From a consideration of the Hamiltonian (1), magnetic properties and spin arrangements of this mixed Ising spin system of S=1 and R=2 on two-dimensional square lattice are calculated by the MC simulation.

The MC simulations based on the Metropolis method are carried out assuming periodic boundary condition for two dimensional square lattice with linear lattice size up to L=240. For fixed values of various parameters J_1 , J_2 and D, we start the simulation at high temperatures adopting random, ferromagnetic, antiferromagnetic initial configurations, respectively, and gradually advance this simulation to lower temperature. We use the last spin configuration as an input for the calculation at the next point. The magnetizations $\langle S_z \rangle$ and $\langle R_z \rangle$ and the thermal averages $\langle S_z^2 \rangle$ and $\langle R_z^2 \rangle$ estimated from the energy fluctuation are calculated using 2 ×10⁵ MC steps per spin (MCS/s) after discarding first 3×10^5 MCS/s.

In order to check the reliability of these obtained average values, the thermal averages are also calculated separately for each interval of 0.5×10^5 MCS/s in the above mentioned total interval of 2×10^5 MCS/s. In the following section, results in the largest system of L=240 are given without showing error bars which were found to be negligibly small in our calculation at whole temperature range.

By taking Hamiltonian (1) into consideration, the energies per one spin are obtained for various spin structures with low energy (see e.g. [15]). The GS spin structures are determined for this mixed Ising spin system with interactions J_I and J_2 , and with single-ion anisotropy D by comparing these energies per one spin with each other. The GS spin structures with low energy obtained for this spin system of S = 1 and R = 2 with positive interaction J_I are shown in Fig. 1. The spin structures S(a) and S(b) are consisted of two kinds of spins $S_z = 1$

and R_z =2, S_z =1 and R_z =1. Furthermore, the spin structures S(c) \sim S(e) are consisted of two kinds of spins S_z =0 and R_z = ± 2 , ± 1 , 0, and spins S_z =0 and R_z = ± 2 , and spins S_z =0 and R_z =0, respectively. Let us define parameters x and y as J_z/J_1 and D/J_1 , respectively. The energies per one spin for the spin structures S(a) \sim S(e) of this mixed Ising spin system with S=1 and R=2 are given as $E(a) = E_a/NJ_1 = -8x - 5y/2 - 4$, $E(b) = E_b/NJ_1 = -2x - y - 2$, $E(c) = E_c/NJ_1$ =0, $E(d) = E_d/NJ_1$ = -2y, $E(e) = E_c/NJ_1$ =0, respectively.

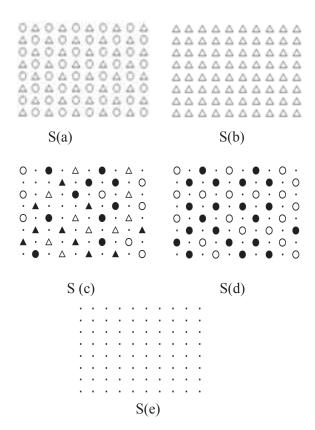


Fig. 1 The GS spin structures S(a), S(b), S(c), S(d) and S(e) for the mixed Ising spin system of S=1 and R=2 with interactions J_I , J_2 and anisotropy D. Open and closed circles, and open and closed triangles denote $R_Z = \pm 2$ and $R_Z = S_Z = \pm 1$, and dot denote $R_Z = S_Z = 0$, respectively.

3. Results of Simulation and Discussion

3.1 Phase Diagram of Mixed Ising Spin System

Let us calculate magnetic properties and spin structures by making use of the MC simulation and investigate the condition of phase transitions, and determine the GS spin structures of the Ising spin system with biquadratic interaction J_2 in the range of $-1.5 \le J_2/J_1 \le 1.0$ and the anisotropy D/J_1 in the range of $-1.2 \le D/J_1 \le 1.2$. In this calculation, the interaction parameter J_1 was treated as a positive constant value. The phase diagram is obtained for this mixed Ising spin system on two-dimensional lattice and the result for both parameters J_2/J_1 in the range of $-1.2 \le J_2/J_1 \le 0.2$ and D/J_1 in the range of $-1.2 \le D/J_1 \le 1.2$ is shown in Fig.2.

The GS spin structures of magnetic phases (a) \sim (e) in Fig.2 determined by the MC simulation are confirmed to be the spin structures S(a) \sim S(e) shown in Fig.1 obtained by the energy comparison, respectively. For the case of D=0, the conditions of phase transition are determined to be J_2/J_1 =-1/3 and -1 by this MC simulation. These conditions of phase transition for D=0 are confirmed to agree well with those obtained from the equations of E(a)= E(b) and E(b)= E(c) given in the previous section under the condition of D/J_1 =0, respectively.

By comparing by the energies E(a) and E(b)given in the previous section, the condition of phase transition between magnetic phases (a) and (b) as y = -4x-4/3. This condition agrees well with that obtained by the MC simulation shown in Fig.2. The conditions of phase transition between magnetic phases (b) and (d), and magnetic phases (b) and (e) are given by the MC simulation as y=10x/7+10/7 and y=-2x-2. On the other hand, the conditions obtained by the energy comparison of E(b) and E(d), and E(b) and E(e) are y=2x+2and y = -2x-2. The condition of phase transition between magnetic phases (b) and (e) obtained by this energy comparison is completely agree with simulation. that by the MC The slight disagreement of the condition of phase transition between magnetic phases (b) and (d) may be confirmed in the later section to be occurred by spin arrangement on the S-site.

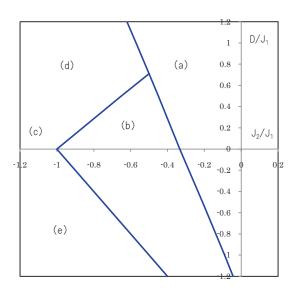


Fig. 2 Phase diagram of mixed Ising spin system on twodimensional square lattice with exchange parameter $x(J_2/J_1)$ in the range of $-1.2 \le x \le 0.2$ and anisotropy $y(D/J_1)$ in the range of $-1.2 \le y \le 1.2$.

3.2 Magnetic Properties of Mixed Ising Spin System of S=1 and R=2

(A) Magnetic Properties of Spin System without anisotropy ($D/J_I=0$)

Let us investigate the magnetic properties such as the magnetizations $\langle S_z \rangle$ and $\langle R_z \rangle$, and the thermal averages $\langle S_z^2 \rangle$ and $\langle R_z^2 \rangle$ of the mixed Ising spin system of S=1 and R=2 without anisotropy D=0 by making use of the MC simulation. The temperature dependences of $\langle R_z \rangle / R$ and $\langle S_z \rangle / S$ (= $\langle S_z \rangle$) of the mixed spin system for various values of interaction J_2 in the range of $-1.0 \leq J_2/J_1 \leq -0.1$ are shown in Fig.3 and Fig.4, respectively.

As can be seen from Fig.3, the values of $\langle R_z \rangle / R$ at T=0 are 1.0, 0.5 and 0 for the interaction J_2 in the range of $-1/3 \langle J_2/J_1$, $-1 \langle J_2/J_1 \langle -1/3 \rangle$ and $J_2/J_1 \leq -1$, respectively. These facts suggest that the phase change occurs at $J_2/J_1=-1/3$ and -1. It is remarkable that the temperature dependence curves of $\langle R_z \rangle / R$ show characteristic behavior for the interaction J_2 near the condition of phase change $(J_2/J_1=-1/3)$. It should be noticeable that for the interaction in the range of $-1 \langle J_2/J_1 \langle -1/2 \rangle$, the curve of $\langle R_z \rangle / R$ show linear dependence in the middle temperature range below T_c .

It can be seen from Fig.4 that the temperature dependence curves of $\langle S_z \rangle / S$ show rapid increase

just below T_c for the interaction J_2 near the condition of phase change $(J_2/J_1=-1/3)$. As can be seen from Fig.3 and Fig.4, not only magnetizations $\langle S_z \rangle$ and $\langle R_z \rangle$ but also T_c varnish at the same time under the condition of phase transition $(J_2/J_1=-1)$.

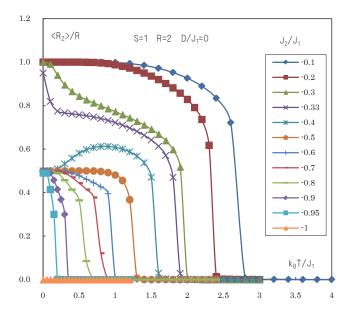


Fig. 3 Temperature dependence of $\langle R, \rangle / R$ of the mixed spin system with S=1 and R=2 calculated by the MC simulation for various values J_2 of in the range of $-1.0 \le J_2/J_1 \le -0.1$.

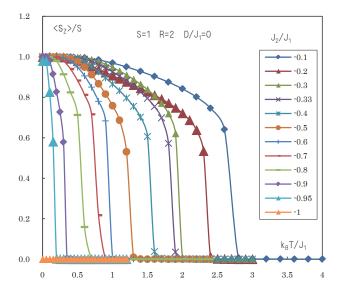


Fig.4 Temperature dependence of $\langle S_2 \rangle / S$ of the mixed spin system with S=1 and R=2 calculated by the MC simulation for various values J_2 of in the range of $-1.0 \le J_2/J_1 \le -0.1$.

Next, we have investigated the changes of spin structure with the GS spin structures S(a) and S(b) for various values of temperature by making use of the MC simulation and visualized the change of this structure. The changes of spin structure S(a) with J_2/J_1 =-0.3 are shown in Fig.5 for various temperatures in the range of $0.1 \le k_B T/J_1 \le 2.0$. As the Curie temperature for J_2/J_1 =-0.3 is $k_B T_c/J_1$ =1.95, the spin structure (a) is at a paramagnetic state and the spin structures (b), (c), (d) are at an ordered state.

The rates of occupation of a spin S_z =1 on S-spin site in ordered state below T_c are 72%, 95%, 100% at temperatures k_BT/J_I =1.8, 1.0, 0.1, respectively. On the other hand, the rates of occupation of a spin R_z =2 on R-spin site are 40%, 55%, 98% at temperatures k_BT/J_I =1.8, 1.0, 0.1, respectively. It is interesting that the rates of the occupation of S_z =1 on S-spin site are larger than those of R_z =2 on R-spin site at any temperature below T_c .

The changes of spin structure S(b) with J_2/J_1 = -0.36 are shown in Fig.6 for various temperatures in the range of $0.1 \le k_B T/J_1 \le 2.0$. As the Curie temperature for J_2/J_1 =-0.36 is $k_B T_c/J_1$ =1.8, the spin structure (a) is at a paramagnetic state and the spin structures (b), (c), (d) are at an ordered state.

The rates of occupation of a spin S_z =1 on S-spin site in ordered state below T_c are 66%, 93%, 100% at temperatures k_BT/J_I =1.7, 0.9, 0.1, respectively. On the other hand, the rates of occupation of a spin R_z =1 on R-spin site are 40%, 64%, 96% at temperatures k_BT/J_I =1.7, 0.9, 0.1, respectively. It is remarkable that the rates of the occupation of S_z =1 on S-spin site are larger than those of R_z =1 on R-spin site at any temperature below T_c . The rates of occupation of a spin R_z =2 on R-spin site are 38%, 35%, 4% at temperatures k_BT/J_I =1.7, 0.9, 0.1, respectively.

Therefore, the rise just below T_c of the $< R_z >$ curve may be understood by considering the facts that a large number of spins with R_z =2 exist just below T_c and decrease gradually with decreasing temperature.

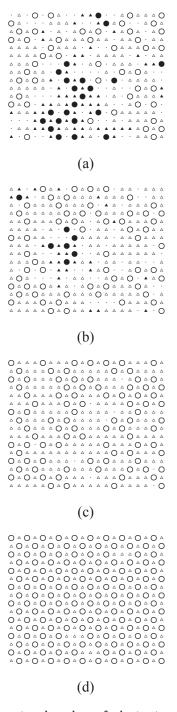


Fig. 5 Temperature dependence of spin structure S(a) of the mixed spin system of S=1 and R=2 with $J_2/J_1=-0.3$ calculated by the MC simulation for various temperatures in the range of $0.1 \le k_B T/J_1 \le 2.0$. (a), (b), (c), (d) represent the spin structures at $k_B T/J_1=2.0$, 1.8, 1.0, 0.1, respectively. Open and closed circles, and open and closed triangles denote $R_Z=\pm 2$ and $R_Z=S_Z=\pm 1$, and dot denote $R_Z=S_Z=0$, respectively.

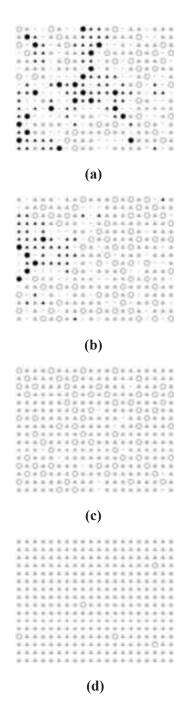


Fig. 6 Temperature dependence of spin structure S(b) of the mixed spin system of S=1 and R=2 with $J_2/J_1=-0.36$ calculated by the MC simulation for various temperatures in the range of $0.1 \le k_B T/J_1 \le 2.0$. (a), (b), (c), (d) represent the spin structures at $k_B T/J_1=2.0$, 1.7, 0.9, 0.1, respectively.

Next, we have investigated the thermal averages $\langle S_z^2 \rangle$ and $\langle R_z^2 \rangle$ of the mixed Ising spin system of S=1 and R=2 with the GS spin structure

S(c). The temperature dependences of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ and $\langle S_z^2 \rangle / S^2 (=\langle S_z^2 \rangle)$ of the mixed spin system for various values of interaction J_2 in the range of -2.0 $\leq J_2/J_1 \leq$ -1.0 are shown in Fig.7 and Fig.8, respectively.

As can be seen from Fig.7, the value of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ at T=0 are 0.49 for the interaction J_2 in the range of $-2.0 < J_2 / J_1 < -1.0$. This fact may suggest that the number of spins of $R_z=0$ are slightly larger than those of $R_z=\pm 2$ or $R_z=\pm 1$. The value of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ at T=0 are 0.35 for the interaction J_2 with $J_2 / J_1 = -1.0$. This fact is understood by considering that the number of spins of $R_z=1$ are larger than those of $R_z=\pm 2$ or $R_z=-1$ or $R_z=0$, as the phase transition between S(b) and S(c) occurs at this condition of $J_2 / J_1 = -1.0$. The interaction J_2 turns out not to give a significant effect on the temperature dependence of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$.

As can be seen from Fig.8, the value of $\langle S_z^2 \rangle / S^2$ at T=0 are 0.005 for the interaction J_2 in the range of $-2.0 < J_2/J_1 < -1.0$. This fact may suggest that the GS spin structure with $S_z=0$ on S-site contains a slight number of spin of $S_z=1$. The value of $\langle S_z^2 \rangle / S^2$ at T=0 are 0.14 for the interaction J_2 with $J_2/J_1=-1.0$. This fact is understood by considering that a large number of spins of $S_z=1$ exist, as the phase transition between S(b) and S(c) occurs at this condition of $J_2/J_1=-1.0$. The existence of $S_z=1$ on S-site are consistent with that of larger number of spins of $R_z=0$ on R-site. The interaction J_2 turns out to give larger effects on the temperature dependence of $\langle S_z^2 \rangle / S^2$ than that of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$.

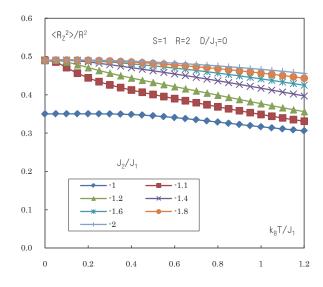


Fig. 7 Temperature dependence of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ of the mixed spin system with S=1 and R=2 calculated by the MC simulation for various values J_2 of in the range of $-2.0 \le J_2/J_1 \le -1.0$.

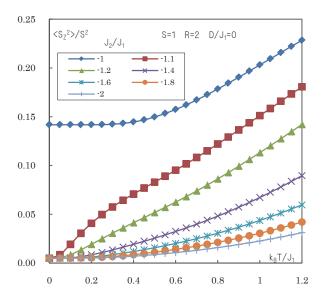


Fig. 8 Temperature dependence of $\langle S_z^2 \rangle / S^2$ of the mixed spin system with S=1 and R=2 calculated by the MC simulation for various values J_2 of in the range of $-2.0 \le J_2/J_1 \le -1.0$.

Next, we have investigated the changes of spin structure with the GS spin structure S(c) for various values of temperature by making use of the MC simulation and visualized the change of this structure. The changes of spin structure S(c) with interaction J_2/J_1 =-1.2 are shown in Fig.9 for various temperatures in the range of $0.1 \le k_B T/J_1 \le 1.2$.

The rates of occupation of a spin S_z =0 and S_z =1 on S-spin site are 86%, 91%, 96%, 99.5% and 14%, 9%, 4%, 0.5% at temperatures k_BT/J_I =1.2, 0.8, 0.4 and 0.1, respectively. On the other hand, the rates of occupation of a spin R_z =0 on R-spin site are 40% and 21.6% at temperatures k_BT/J_I =1.2 and 0.1, respectively. It is interesting that the increase of the rates of occupation of a spin S_z =1 on S-spin site is related with that of a spin S_z =0 on R-spin site with increasing temperature.

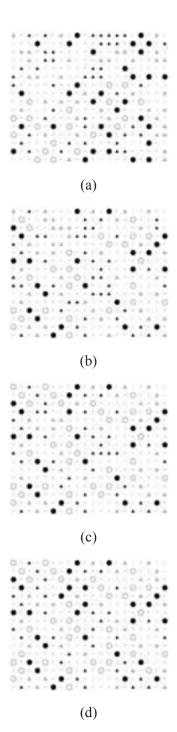


Fig. 9 Temperature dependence of spin structure S(c) of the mixed spin system of S=1 and R=2 with $J_2/J_j=-1.2$ calculated by the MC simulation for various temperatures in the range of $0.1 \le k_B T/J_1 \le 1.2$. (a), (b), (c), (d) represent the spin structures at $k_B T/J_j=1.2$, 0.8, 0.4, 0.1, respectively.

(B) Magnetic Properties of Spin System with Positive Anisotropy $(D/J_1>0)$

Next, let us investigate the magnetic properties such as the magnetizations $\langle S_z \rangle$ and $\langle R_z \rangle$, and the thermal averages $\langle S_z^2 \rangle$ and $\langle R_z^2 \rangle$ of the mixed Ising spin system of S=1 and R=2 with positive anisotropy D>0 by making use of the MC simulation. The temperature dependences of $\langle R_z \rangle / R$ and $\langle S_z \rangle / S$ (= $\langle S_z \rangle$) of the mixed spin system with anisotropy D=0.5 for various values of interaction J_2 in the range of $-0.7 \leq J_2/J_1 \leq -0.1$ are shown in Fig.10 and Fig.11, respectively.

As can be seen from Fig.10, the values of $\langle R_z \rangle / R$ at T=0 are 1.0, 0.5 and 0 for the interaction J_2 in the range of $-0.45 \le J_2/J_1$, $-0.65 < J_2/J_1 < -0.45$ and $J_2/J_1 \le -0.65$, respectively. These facts suggest that the phase change occurs at $J_2/J_1 = -0.45$ and -0.65. It should be noticeable that for the interaction in the range of $-0.65 < J_2/J_1 < -0.45$ which correspond to the spin structure S(b), the curve of $< R_z > / R$ show rapid increase just below T_c and negative temperature dependence in the middle temperature range.

It is remarkable that the temperature dependence curves of $\langle S_z \rangle / S$ for $J_4/J_1 = -0.45$ at the phase transition show a depression at low temperatures. As can be seen from Fig.11, for the interaction in the range of $-0.65 < J_2/J_1 < -0.45$, the curve of $\langle S_z \rangle / S$ show rapid increase just below T_c and linear dependence in the middle temperature range. Furthermore, for the interaction in this range of $-0.65 < J_2/J_1 < -0.45$, the values of $\langle S_z \rangle / S$ are constant and take one for the temperature of $k_B T/J_1 < 0.3$.

It is interesting that the curves of $\langle S_z \rangle / S$ for the interaction in the range of $-0.65 \langle J_2/J_1 \langle -0.45 \rangle$ have the same temperature dependence for the temperature of $k_B T/J_1 \langle 0.6 \rangle$. The Curie temperature turns out to disappear suddenly at the same time of disappearing of $\langle R_z \rangle / R$ and $\langle S_z \rangle / S$.

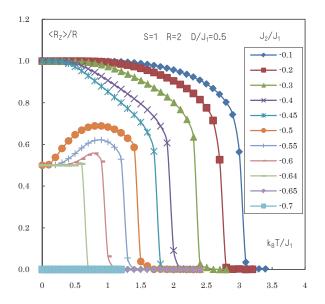


Fig. 10 Temperature dependence of $\langle R, \rangle / R$ of the mixed spin system of S=1 and R=2 with anisotropy D=0.5 calculated by the MC simulation for various values J_2 of in the range of $-0.7 \le J_2/J_1 \le -0.1$.

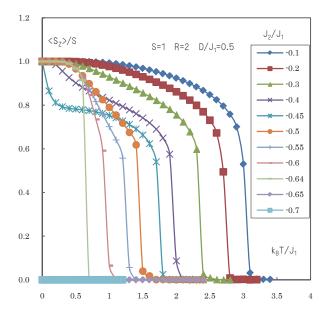
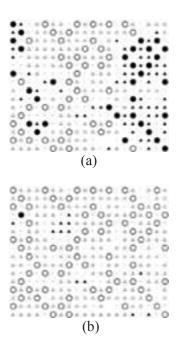


Fig.11 Temperature dependence of $\langle S_z \rangle / S$ of the mixed spin system of S=1 and R=2 with anisotropy D=0.5 calculated by the MC simulation for various values J_2 of in the range of $-0.7 \le J_2/J_1 \le -0.1$.

Next, we have investigated the changes of spin structure with the GS spin structures S(b) for various values of temperature by making use of the MC simulation and visualized the change of this structure. The changes of spin structure S(b) with J_2/J_1 =-0.5 and D/J_1 =0.5 is shown in Fig.12 for various temperatures in the range of 0.1 $\leq k_B T/J_1 \leq 1.6$. As the Curie temperature for J_2/J_1 =-0.3 is $k_B T_c/J_1$ =1.5, the spin structure (a) is at a paramagnetic state and the spin structures (b), (c), (d), (e) are at an ordered state.

The rates of occupation of a spin S_z =1 on S-spin site in an ordered state below T_c are 62%,86%, 99%, 100% at temperatures k_BT/J_I =1.4, 0.8, 0.4, 0.1, respectively. On the other hand, the rates of occupation of a spin R_z =2 on R-spin site are 18%, 38%, 23%, 1% at temperatures k_BT/J_I =1.4, 0.8, 0.4, 0.1, respectively. It is interesting that the rates of the occupation of S_z =1 on S-spin site are larger than 99% for low temperature range of $k_BT/J_I \le 0.4$.

It should be noticeable that the rate of occupation of a spin R_z =2 on R-spin site for the GS spin structure S(b) with S_z =1 and R_z =1 is very large and 38% at the temperature k_BT/J_I =0.8. Moreover, this large value of the rate of a spin R_z =2 keeps in the wide temperature range. The GS spin structure on R-site appears only at very low temperatures of k_BT/J_I <0.05.



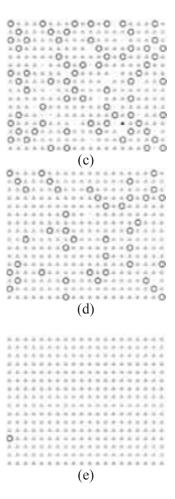


Fig. 12 Temperature dependence of spin structure S(b) of the mixed spin system of S=1 and R=2 with $J_2/J_1=0.5$ and $D/J_1=0.5$ calculated by the MC simulation for various temperatures in the range of $0.1 \le k_B T/J_1 \le 1.6$. (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) represent the spin structures at $k_B T/J_1=1.6$, 1.4, 0.8, 0.4, 0.1, respectively.

Next, we have investigated the thermal averages $\langle S_z^2 \rangle$ and $\langle R_z^2 \rangle$ of the mixed Ising spin system of S=1 and R=2 with the GS spin structure S(d). The temperature dependences of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ and $\langle S_z^2 \rangle / S^2 (=\langle S_z^2 \rangle)$ of the mixed spin system with $D/J_I=0.5$ for various values of interaction J_2 in the range of $-1.2 \leq J_2/J_1 \leq -0.65$ are shown in Fig.13 and Fig.14, respectively.

As can be seen from Fig.13, the dependence of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ on the interaction parameter J_2 is small even at high temperatures. The value of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ is one in the temperature range of $0 \le k_B T / J_1 \le 0.2$ regardless of the interaction J_2 . On the other hand, the interaction J_2 gives large effects on the value of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ at high temperatures. Furthermore, the temperature ranges with $\langle S_z^2 \rangle = 0$ depend

largely on the interaction J_2 , and are $k_BT/J_1 \le 0.35$, 0.45, 0.6, 0.7, 0.8, 0.9, 0.98 for the interaction J_2/J_1 =-0.65, -0.7, -0.8, -0.9, -1.0, -1.1, -1.2, respectively.

The temperature dependences of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ and $\langle S_z^2 \rangle / S^2 (=\langle S_z^2 \rangle)$ of the mixed spin system with $D/J_I=1.0$ for various values of interaction J_2 in the range of $-1.0 \le J_2/J_1 \le -0.57$ are shown in Fig.15 and Fig.16, respectively.

As can be seen from Fig.15, the values of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ don't show effective dependence on the interaction parameter J_2 even at high temperatures. The value of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ is one in the temperature range of $0 \le k_B T / J_1 \le 0.4$ regardless of the interaction J_2 . On the other hand, the interaction J_2 gives large effects on the value of $\langle S_z^2 \rangle / S^2$ at high temperatures. Furthermore, the temperature ranges with $\langle S_z^2 \rangle = 0$ depend largely on the interaction J_2 , and are $k_B T_c / J_1 \le 0.01$, 0.15, 0.45, 0.75, 0.95, 1.1 for the interaction $J_2 / J_1 = -0.57$, -0.6, -0.7, -0.8, -0.9, -1.0, respectively. Therefore, the complete spin ordering with $S_z = 0$ on S-site appears at higher temperature than that with $R_z = 2$ on R-site for the interaction $J_2 / J_1 \le -0.7$.

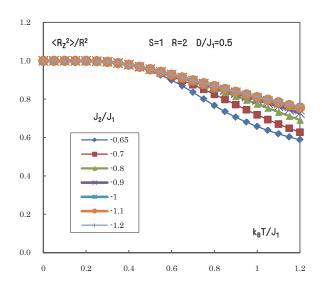


Fig. 13 Temperature dependence of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ of the mixed spin system of S=1 and R=2 with $D/J_i=0.5$ calculated by the MC simulation for various values J_2 of in the range of $-1.2 \le J_2/J_1 \le -0.65$.

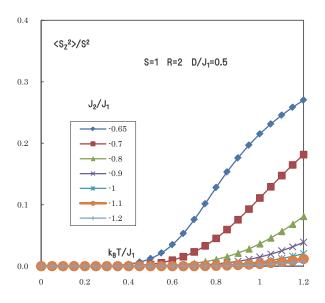


Fig. 14 Temperature dependence of $\langle S_z^2 \rangle / S^2$ of the mixed spin system of S=1 and R=2 with $D/J_J=0.5$ calculated by the MC simulation for various values J_2 of in the range of $-1.2 \le J_2/J_1 \le -0.65$.

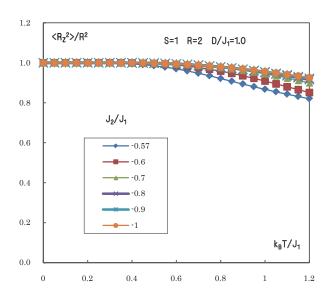


Fig. 15 Temperature dependence of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ of the mixed spin system of S=1 and R=2 with $D/J_i=1.0$ calculated by the MC simulation for various values J_2 of in the range of $-1.0 \le J_2/J_1 \le -0.57$.

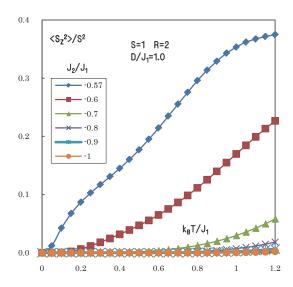


Fig. 16 Temperature dependence of $\langle S_z^2 \rangle / S^2$ of the mixed spin system of S=1 and R=2 with $D/J_1=1.0$ calculated by the MC simulation for various values J_2 of in the range of $-1.0 \le J_2/J_1 \le -0.57$.

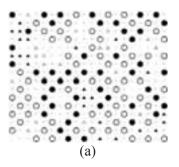
Next, we have investigated the changes of spin structure with the GS spin structure S(d) for various values of temperature by making use of the MC simulation and visualized the change of this structure. The changes of spin structure S(d) with J_2/J_1 =-0.8 and D/J_1 =0.5 are shown in Fig.17 for various temperatures in the range of $0.2 \le k_B T/J_1 \le 1.2$.

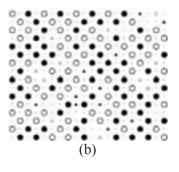
The rates of occupation of a spin S_z =0 and S_z =1 on S-spin site are 92%, 99%, 100%, 100% and 8%, 1%, 0%, 0% at temperatures k_BT/J_I =1.2, 0.8, 0.4 and 0.2, respectively. On the other hand, the rates of occupation of spins R_z = ± 2 on R-spin site are 68%, 87%, 97% and 100% at temperatures k_BT/J_I =1.2, 0.8, 0.4 and 0.1, respectively. It is interesting that the rates of occupation of a spin S_z =0 on S-spin site are much larger than that of a spin R_z = ± 2 on R-spin site at any temperatures.

The changes of spin structure S(d) with J_2/J_1 =-0.8 and D/J_1 =1.0 are shown in Fig.18 for various temperatures in the range of $0.4 \le k_B T/J_1 \le 1.2$.

The rates of occupation of a spin S_z =0 and S_z =1 on S-spin site are 98%, 100%, 100%, and 2%, 0%, 0% at temperatures k_BT/J_I =1.2, 0.8, and 0.4, respectively. On the other hand, the rates of occupation of spins R_z = ± 2 on R-spin

site are 91%, 97% and 100% at temperatures k_BT/J_I =1.2, 0.8 and 0.4, respectively. The rates of occupation of a spin S_z =0 on S-spin site and of a spin R_z = ± 2 on R-spin site for D/J_I =1.0 turn out to be much larger than those for D/J_I =0.5 at any temperatures.





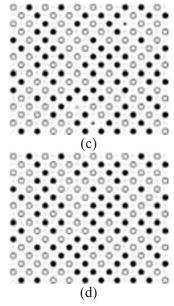
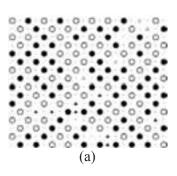
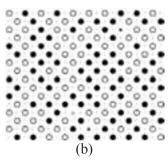


Fig. 17 Temperature dependence of spin structure S(d) of the mixed spin system of S=1 and R=2 with $J_2/J_1=0.8$ and $D/J_1=0.5$ calculated by the MC simulation for various temperatures in the range of $0.2 \le k_B T/J_1 \le 1.2$. (a), (b), (c), (d) represent the spin structures at $k_B T/J_1=1.2$, 0.8, 0.4, 0.2, respectively.





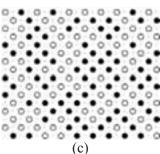


Fig. 18 Temperature dependence of spin structure S(d) of the mixed spin system of S=1 and R=2 with $J_z/J_z=-0.8$ and $D/J_z=1.0$ calculated by the MC simulation for various temperatures in the range of $0.4 \le k_B T/J_z \le 1.2$. (a), (b), (c) represent the spin structures at $k_B T/J_z=1.2$, 0.8, 0.4, respectively.

(C) Magnetic Properties of Spin System with Negative Anisotropy $(D/J_1 < 0)$

Next, let us investigate (C) Magnetic properties such as the magnetizations $\langle S_z \rangle$ and $\langle R_z \rangle$, and the thermal averages $\langle S_z^2 \rangle$ and $\langle R_z^2 \rangle$ of the mixed Ising spin system of S=1 and R=2 with negative

anisotropy D<0 by making use of the MC simulation. The temperature dependences of $\langle R_z \rangle / R$ and $\langle S_z \rangle / S$ (= $\langle S_z \rangle$) of the mixed spin system with anisotropy D=-0.5 for various values of interaction J_2 in the range of $-0.8 \le J_2/J_1 \le -0.1$ are shown in Fig.19 and Fig.20, respectively.

As can be seen from Fig.19, the values of $\langle R_z \rangle / R$ at T=0 are 1.0, 0.5 and 0 for the interaction J_2 in the range of $-0.21 \le J_2/J_1$, $-0.75 < J_2/J_1 < -0.21$ and $J_2/J_1 \le -0.75$, respectively. These facts suggest that the phase change occurs at the conditions of $J_2/J_1=-0.21$ and -0.75. It should be noticeable that for the interaction in the range of $-0.35 < J_2/J_1 < -0.21$ which correspond to the spin structure S(b), the curve of $\langle R_z \rangle / R$ show rapid increase just below T_c and negative temperature dependence in the middle range below T_c .

It should be remarkable that the temperature dependence curves of $\langle S_z \rangle / S$ for $J_2/J_1 = -0.21$ at the phase transition show a depression at low temperatures. As can be seen from Fig.20, for the interaction in the range of $-0.75 < J_2/J_1 < -0.21$, the curve of $\langle S_z \rangle / S$ show rapid increase just below T_c and swift dependence. Furthermore, with approaching the interaction J_2/J_1 to -0.75, the values of $\langle S_z \rangle / S$, $\langle R_z \rangle / R$ and the Curie temperature T_c turns out to disappear at the same time.

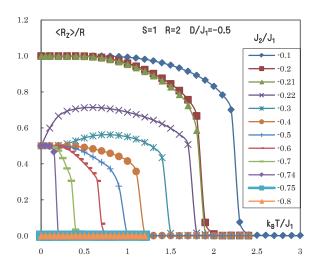


Fig. 19 Temperature dependence of $\langle R, \rangle / R$ of the mixed spin system of S=1 and R=2 with anisotropy D=-0.5 calculated by the MC simulation for various values J_2 of in the range of $-0.7 \le J_2/J_1 \le -0.1$.

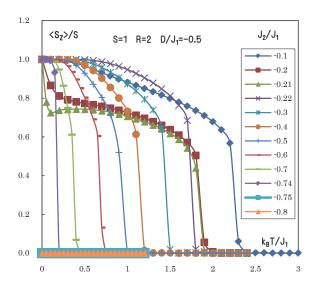


Fig.20 Temperature dependence of $\langle S_z \rangle / S$ of the mixed spin system of S=1 and R=2 with anisotropy D=-0.5 calculated by the MC simulation for various values J_2 of in the range of $-0.7 \le J_2/J_1 \le -0.1$.

Next, we have investigated the thermal averages $\langle S_z^2 \rangle$ and $\langle R_z^2 \rangle$ of the mixed Ising spin system of S=1 and R=2 with the GS spin structure S(e). The temperature dependences of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ and $\langle S_z^2 \rangle / S^2 (=\langle S_z^2 \rangle)$ of the mixed spin system with $D/J_1=-0.5$ for various values of interaction J_2 in the range of $-1.5 \leq J_2/J_1 \leq -0.75$ are shown in Fig.21 and Fig.22, respectively.

As can be seen from Fig.21, the dependence of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ on the interaction parameter J_2 is small especially at high temperatures. For the interaction J_2 in the range of $-0.8 \le J_2/J_1 \le -0.75$, the value of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ shows rapid decrease with decreasing temperature and becomes zero at $k_B T/J_1 = 0.08$. It is quite interesting that the value of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ is zero in the temperature range of $0 \le k_B T/J_1 \le 0.08$ regardless of the interaction J_2 .

It can be seen from Fig.22 that the dependence of $\langle S_z^2 \rangle / S^2$ on the interaction parameter J_2 is large at all temperatures. For all interaction J_2 in the range of $J_2/J_1 \leq -0.75$, the value of $\langle S_z^2 \rangle / S^2$ shows rapid decrease with decreasing temperature and becomes zero at $k_BT/J_1=0.08$. It is noticeable that both values of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ and $\langle S_z^2 \rangle / S^2$ is zero in the temperature range of $0 \leq k_BT/J_1 \leq 0.08$ regardless of the interaction J_2 .

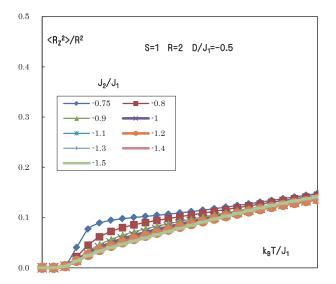


Fig. 21 Temperature dependence of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ of the mixed spin system of S=1 and R=2 with $D/J_1=-0.5$ calculated by the MC simulation for various values J_2 of in the range of $-1.3 \le J_2/J_1 \le -0.75$.

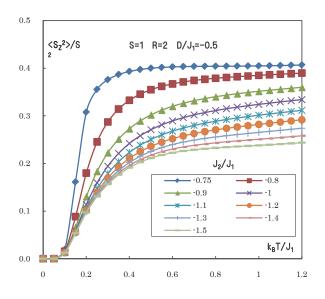
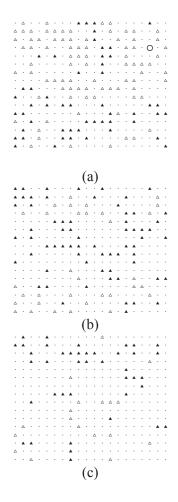


Fig. 22 Temperature dependence of $\langle S_z^2 \rangle / S^2$ of the mixed spin system of S=1 and R=2 with $D/J_1=-0.5$ calculated by the MC simulation for various values J_2 of in the range of $-1.3 \le J_2/J_1 \le -0.75$.

Next, we have investigated the changes of spin structure with the GS spin structures S(e) for various values of temperature by making use of the MC simulation and visualized the change of this structure. The changes of spin structure S(e)

with J_2/J_1 =-0.8 and D/J_1 =-0.5 is shown in Fig.23 for various temperatures in the range of $0.05 \le k_B T/J_1 \le 0.8$.

The rates of occupation of a spin S_z =0 on S-spin site are 62%, 67%, 82%, 91%, 98%, 100% at temperatures k_BT/J_I =0.8, 0.4, 0.2, 0.15, 0.1, 0.05, respectively. On the other hand, the rates of occupation of a spin R_z =0 on R-spin site are 54%, 65%, 82%, 91%, 98%, 100% at temperatures k_BT/J_I =0.8, 0.4, 0.2, 0.15, 0.1, 0.05, respectively. It is interesting that the rates of the occupation of S_z =0 on S-spin site and R_z =0 on R-spin site are the same for low temperature range of $k_BT/J_I \leq 0.4$.



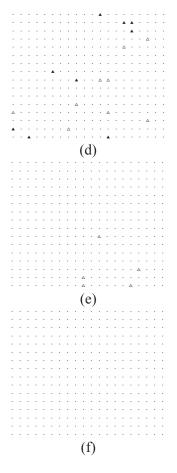


Fig. 23 Temperature dependence of spin structure S(d) of the mixed spin system of S=1 and R=2 with $J_2/J_1=-0.8$ and $D/J_1=-0.5$ calculated by the MC simulation for various temperatures in the range of $0.05 \le k_B T/J_1 \le 0.8$. (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) represent the spin structures at $k_B T/J_1=0.8, 0.4, 0.2, 0.15, 0.1, 0.05$, respectively.

4. Concluding Remarks

In the previous section, for the mixed Ising spin system of S=1 and R=2 with the bilinear exchange interaction $J_1S_{iz}R_{jz}$, the Biquadratic exchange interaction $J_2S_{iz}^2R_{jz}^2$ and a single-ion anisotropy $D(S_{iz}^2 + R_{jz}^2)$, the magnetization $< S_z >$ and $< R_z >$, the Curie temperature T_c and the GS spin structures have been calculated for two-dimensional square lattice by making use of the MC simulation.

Summarizing the present results on twodimensional square lattice, we may conclude as follows:

- (1) The phase diagram of the ground state of the mixed Ising spin system of S=1 and R=2 with interaction J_2/J_1 and anisotropy D/J_1 is obtained by the MC simulation. The conditions of phase transition and the GS spin structures determined by this MC simulation show good agreements with those calculated from the comparison of energies per one spin for various spin structures with low energy except the one between S(b) and S(d).
- (2) The new five magnetic phases $S(a) \sim S(e)$ are found for parameters J_2/J_1 and anisotropy D/J_1 . Especially, three phases S(c), S(d) and S(e) correspond to zero, positive, negative values of anisotropy term D, respectively.
- (3) The anisotropy term D does not give large effects on the temperature dependence of $\langle R_z \rangle / R$, but give significant effects on the temperature dependence of $\langle S_z \rangle / S$. The effects of the anisotropy term D on $\langle S_z \rangle / S$ are large in the middle range for D > 0 and just below T_c for D < 0.
- (4) The temperature dependences of $\langle R_z \rangle / R$ and $\langle S_z \rangle / S$ for S(b) show unique behaviors in the case of positive anisotropy D. From the extrapolation of T_c shown in Fig.10 and in Fig.11, T_c turns out to disappear at the condition of J_2/J_1 =-0.75. This condition agree well with the one obtained from energy comparison.
- (5) For D=0, the values of $\langle R_z^2 \rangle / R^2$ and $\langle S_z^2 \rangle / S^2$ at T=0 are 0.49 and 0.005, but not 0.5 and 0, respectively. These facts suggest that the number of $R_z=0$ is slightly larger than that $R_z=\pm 2$ or ± 1 , and the number of $S_z=\pm 1$ slightly exists in the case of D=0.
- (6) For positive anisotropy (D>0), the complete arrangement of S_z =0 on S-site is

accomplished at higher temperatures than that of R_z = ± 2 on R-site. On the other hand, for negative anisotropy (D<0), the complete arrangements of S_z =0 on S-site and of R_z =0 on R-site are accomplished at the same temperature.

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