



Viscous Dissipation Impact on Hydromagnetic Flow on a Stretching Surface: A Numerical Study

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Abstract. The influence of magnetic field and viscous dissipation on a non-Newtonian fluid flowing across a nonlinear stretching sheet is investigated in this investigation. Researchers use similarity transformations to make the governing nonlinear *partial differential equations* (PDE) into *ordinary differential equations* (ODE) and then solve them using the ND Solve code in Mathematica. In the process of enhance the values of Eckert number, the temperature profile gets enhanced, while the rise in magnetic parameter decreases the velocity *boundary layer* (BL) thickness. The applications of this investigation are found in several heating devices and industrial processes such as incandescent light bulbs, food production, and many more.

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1. Introduction

Nanofluid (NF) contains “nanometre-sized particles”, and it has colloidal discontinuities. Nanoparticles utilised in nanofluids are often comprised of oxides, carbon Nano tubes, metals, and carbides, among other materials. The flow and heat transfer study caused by a stretching medium is extremely essential in various industrialised developments. For example, in the process of rubber and plastic sheets manufacturing etc. In the circumstances mentioned above,

flow and heat transfer investigations are critical since the ultimate product quality is decided at the bulk level by the coefficient of skin friction and heat transfer surface rate. Several researchers discussed the various characteristics of the stretched flow problem. Crane [10], Chaim [5], Liao and Pop [18], Khan and Sanjayanand [16], and Fang *et al.* [14] are a few of them.

Heat transfer and BL flow of NFs are the focus of current study in engineering and fluid science. Many studies looked at the flow of NF through the convective BL as it passed through a stretched sheet nanotechnology advancements are predicted to have a huge impact on our lives in the future. Choi [8] was the first to propose the concept of “nanofluids” and to present a paper on the heat transfer properties of NFs. Derjaguin and Yalamov [12] investigated the effect of thorough exposure on thermophoretic flux. Chamkha and Issa [7] investigated “the heat and mass transmission of an MHD thermophoretic stream above a planar surface”. Tsai [25] examined the effect of thermophoresis on aerosol particles.

Without a doubt, viscous dissipation causes a significant jump up in fluid temperature. This would occur due to the kinetic motion of the fluid while being converted to thermal energy. In a flow environment with a high gravitational field, viscous dissipation is unavoidable. MHD heat and mass transport phenomena over a permeable stretching sheet under the influence of stree work and internal energy was investigated by Khan *et al.* [17]. Gebhart and Mollendroff [15] analised the impact of viscous dissipation on external natural convection flow over a stretching media, whereas Duwairi [13] discussed “the effects of Joule heating and viscous dissipation on forced convection flow with thermal radiation”. Chamka and Khaled [6] studied Hiemenz flow across porous medium in the presence of a magnetic field. Sriramalu *et al.* [24] examined the impact of the heat transfer for an incompressible viscous fluid with porous type species over a stretching surface under steady conditions. The effects of magnetohydrodynamics on heat transfer and convective mass flow were investigated by Ali *et al.* [2]. They found that the temperature profile is unaffected by the thermophysical phenomena affecting a small number of particles. In [1, 3, 4, 20, 23], several other magnetohydrodynamic research are discussed. The findings of Ramya *et al.* [22] have been repeated and extended in this paper by considering viscous dissipation effect. A similar mutation is utilized to convert the acquired arrangement of partial differential equations into non-linear and connected ordinary differential equations. The numerical solution which is obtained by the ODE was brought up by using MATHEMATICA and the results obtained for heterogeneous controlling parameters are displayed in a detailed manner, inform of tables and graphs.

2. Mathematical Formulation

The impact of viscous dissipation and magnetic field on 2-D electrically conducting, incompressible laminar flow of a NF to a stretching surface are studied in this research work in the presence of slip conditions. The physical configuration of this research work is presented in Figure 1. For this investigation, the following assumptions are made.

- (i) The sheet is stretched with a set source location at a velocity $uw = ax^n$, where n is a non-linear stretching parameter, a is a constant, and coordinate x is the determined by the stretching shell's side [22]. The stretching surface must be held at the specified surface temperature,

$$T = T_w (= T_\infty + bx^r) \text{ at } y = 0,$$

where b is a constant, r is the surface temperature parameter in the defined boundary condition of the surface temperature along with the temperature of the fluid T_∞ is set at a distance from the surface.

- (ii) In other circumstances, $\gamma = 0$ is used to obtain a constant surface temperature.
- (iii) The induced magnetic field with strength B applied normally to the flow of the fluid compares favorably to applied magnetic fields.

The flow governing equations are [11, 19, 22]:

Equation of Continuity:

$$\left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}\right) + \left(\frac{\partial v}{\partial y}\right) = 0, \tag{2.1}$$

Equation of Momentum:

$$u \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}\right) + v \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}\right) = \nu \left(\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2}\right) - \frac{\sigma^* B}{\rho} u, \tag{2.2}$$

Equation of Thermal Energy:

$$u \left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial x}\right) + v \left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial y}\right) = \alpha \left(\frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial y^2}\right) + \tau \left\{ D_B \left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial y}\right) \left(\frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial y}\right) + \left(\frac{D_T}{T_\infty}\right) \left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial y}\right)^2 \right\} + D_{TC} \left(\frac{\partial^2 C_1}{\partial y^2}\right) + \mu \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}\right)^2 \tag{2.3}$$

Equation of Species Concentration:

$$u \left(\frac{\partial C_1}{\partial x}\right) + v \left(\frac{\partial C_1}{\partial y}\right) = D_S \left(\frac{\partial^2 C_1}{\partial y^2}\right) + D_{CT} \left(\frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial y^2}\right), \tag{2.4}$$

Equation of Nanoparticles Concentration:

$$u \left(\frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial x}\right) + v \left(\frac{\partial \varphi_1}{\partial y}\right) = D_B \left(\frac{\partial^2 \varphi_1}{\partial y^2}\right) + \left(\frac{D_T}{T_\infty}\right) \left(\frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial y^2}\right). \tag{2.5}$$

The boundary conditions associated with this flow are

$$\left. \begin{aligned} u = u_w + u_s, v = \pm v_w, T = T_w, C_1 = C_{1w}, \varphi_1 = \varphi_{1w} \text{ at } y = 0 \\ u \rightarrow 0, T \rightarrow T_\infty, C_1 \rightarrow C_{1\infty}, \varphi_1 \rightarrow \varphi_{1\infty} \text{ as } y \rightarrow \infty \end{aligned} \right\}. \tag{2.6}$$

Here u_s is the speed of slipping and can be stated as

$$u_s = l \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}\right)_{y=0}. \tag{2.7}$$

By using similarity transformations

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \eta = y \left(\sqrt{\frac{a(n+1)}{2\nu}}\right) x^{\left(\frac{n-1}{2}\right)}, u = ax^n f'(\eta), v = -\sqrt{\frac{a(n+1)\nu}{2}} x^{\left(\frac{n-1}{2}\right)} \left[f(\eta) + \left(\frac{n-1}{n+1}\right) \eta f'(\eta) \right], \\ \theta(\eta) = \frac{T - T_\infty}{T_w - T_\infty}, C(\eta) = \frac{C_1 - C_{1\infty}}{C_{1w} - C_{1\infty}}, \phi(\eta) = \frac{\varphi_1 - \varphi_{1\infty}}{\varphi_{1w} - \varphi_{1\infty}} \end{aligned} \right\} \tag{2.8}$$

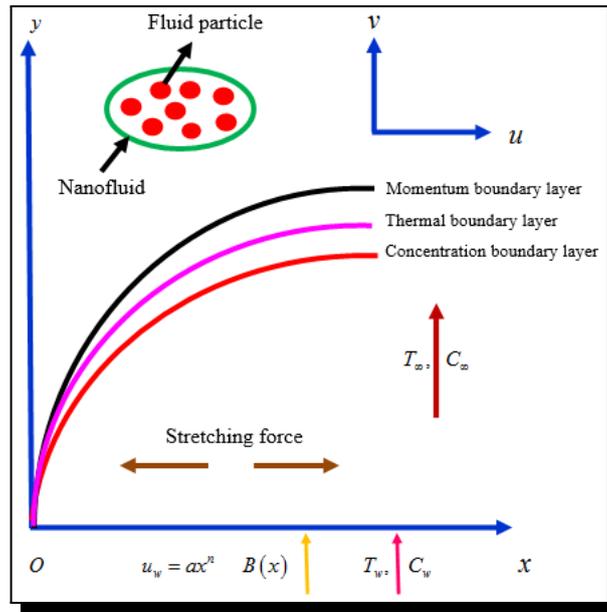


Figure 1. Physical model and system of coordinate (Narender et al. [19])

Using eq. (2.8), the fundamental eqs. (2.1) to (2.5) become

$$f''' + ff'' - \left(\frac{2n}{n+1}\right)f'^2 - Mf' = 0, \tag{2.9}$$

$$\frac{1}{Pr}\theta'' + f\theta' - \left(\left(\frac{2n}{n+1}\right)f'\theta + Nb\theta'\varphi' + Nt\theta'^2 + NdC''\right) + Ec(f'')^2 = 0, \tag{2.10}$$

$$g'' + Lefg' + Ld\theta'' = 0, \tag{2.11}$$

$$\phi'' + Ln f\phi' + \frac{Nt}{Nb}\theta'' = 0, \tag{2.12}$$

and the related boundary conditions (2.6) become

$$\left. \begin{aligned} f = f_w, f' = 1 + \lambda f'', \theta = 1, C = 1, \phi = 1 \text{ at } \eta = 0 \\ f' \rightarrow 0, \theta \rightarrow 0, C \rightarrow 0, \phi \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } \eta \rightarrow \infty \end{aligned} \right\}, \tag{2.13}$$

where primes indicate differentiation in relation to η , the physical parameters are

$$\left. \begin{aligned} Pr = \frac{\nu}{\alpha}, Ln = \frac{\nu}{DB}, Le = \frac{\alpha}{DS}, Nb = \frac{\tau DB(\varphi_{1w} - \varphi_{1\infty})}{\nu}, Nt = \frac{\tau DB(T_w - T_\infty)}{T_\infty \nu}, \\ Nd = \frac{DTC(C_{1w} - C_{1\infty})}{\alpha(T_w - T_\infty)}, f_w = -\frac{v_w}{\sqrt{\frac{ax^{n-1}\nu(n+1)}{2}}}, \lambda = l\sqrt{\frac{ax^{n-1}(n+1)}{2\nu}}, \\ Ld = \frac{DCT(T_w - T_\infty)}{\alpha(C_{1w} - C_{1\infty})}, M = \frac{\sigma B}{\rho\alpha}, Ec = \frac{\mu_w^2}{\rho(T_w - T_\infty)} \end{aligned} \right\} \tag{2.14}$$

It should be noticed that the boundary for non-straight extending (n) and the surface facilitate (x) which are found in the f_w and λ keep an eye on breakdown the likeness arrangement. Our conditions are compelled to be tackled locally by this boundary. Reconsidering f_w and λ depend on the non-linear term, P_{nx} yields an independent f_w and λ from x and n as the following:

$$f_w = \frac{F_w}{\sqrt{P_{nx}}} \text{ and } \lambda = \lambda_1 \sqrt{P_{nx}} \tag{2.15}$$

where $F_w = \frac{v_w}{\sqrt{av}}$ and $\lambda_1 = l\sqrt{\frac{a}{v}}$ are parameters for pull/infusion and slip, in view of P_{nx} which are free from x and n . In this way, there is an acceptable opportunity to illustrate these boundaries by $(f_w$ and $\lambda)$ avoiding challenges of the reliance of F_w and λ_1 on n and x . Consequently, for the various estimations of the tough boundaries mentioned, the answer to the issue of neighborhood comparability for fixed estimations of the neighborhood organize x , varying n , will be significant.

Nusselt number Nu_x , skin friction coefficient C_f and Sh_x are expressed as:

$$Nu_x = \frac{xq_w}{k(T_w - T_\infty)}, C_f = \frac{\tau_w}{\rho U_w^2}, P_{nx} = \frac{x^{n-1}(n+1)}{2} \text{ and } Sh_x = \frac{xq_m}{D_B(C_w - C_\infty)}, \tag{2.16}$$

where τ_w is the shear stress, q_m is the wall mass flux from the surface, and q_w is the heat flux at the wall surface, given by:

$$q_w = -k\left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial y}\right)_{y=0}, q_m = -D_B\left(\frac{\partial C}{\partial y}\right)_{y=0}. \tag{2.17a}$$

Using the dimensionless variables, we get

$$\frac{Nu_x}{\sqrt{R_x}} = -\theta'(0), \frac{Sh_x}{\sqrt{R_x}} = -\theta'(0). \tag{2.17b}$$

3. Solution Process

To identify the solution for ODE's (2.9)-(2.12) and related numerical beginning and boundary conditions (2.13), the domain $[0, \infty)$ has been replaced by the bounded domain $[0, \eta_\infty]$ where η_∞ is the required finite real number which should be chosen in this fashion the solution fulfills the domain. (2.9)-(2.12) likewise builds up a firmly nonlinear coupled starting limit esteem issue of third and second order ODEs.

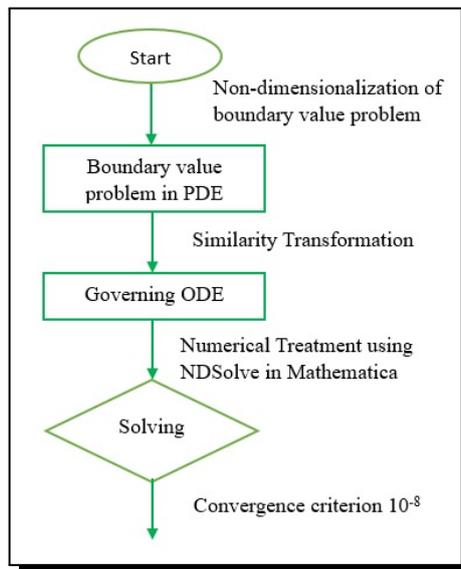


Figure 2. Flow chart of the numerical method

We are thus developing the most efficient numerical technique in accordance with the fourth order Runge-Kutta scheme. The symbolic programme Mathematica was used to arrive at the numerical solution.

Throughout the statistical simulation, the step size is to be $\Delta\eta = 0.001$ to acquire the result. The convergence criterion is 10^{-6} . We choose $\eta_{\max} = 4$ such that on all the parameters, our solution converges. The following method is visualized by means of Figure 2.

4. Program Code Validation

To guarantee that the current code is correct, the said values of $\theta'(0)$ using the Runge–Kutta method in NDSolve (Mathematica) are given in Table 1 for different non-linear stretching parameter values (n). From this Table 1, The information provided by the current code and those of Cortell [9] have been found to be well-organized, and the mathematical code's use is justified.

Table 1. Comparison of the values $\theta'(0)$ for different n values

Pr	n	Cortell [9]	Present study
1.0	0.2	0.610262	0.6095521
	0.5	0.595277	0.5862013
	1.5	0.574537	0.5601232
5.0	0.2	1.607175	0.5901223
	0.5	1.586744	1.5782003
	1.5	1.557463	1.5460233

5. Results and Discussion

The structure of ODE (2.9)-(2.12) subjected to the boundary conditions (2.13) for the different values of physical emerging strictures such as “velocity slip parameter” (λ), “Magnetic parameter” (M), “Brownian motion parameter” (Nb), Eckert number (Ec), “thermophoresis parameter” (Nt), “Lewis number” (Le), “Thermal diffusion parameter” (Ld) and Diffusion thermo parameter (Nd) on Streamwise velocity, temperature, concentration and nanoparticles concentration profiles discussed through graphs from Figure 3 to Figure 12, after solving numerically using Mathematica.

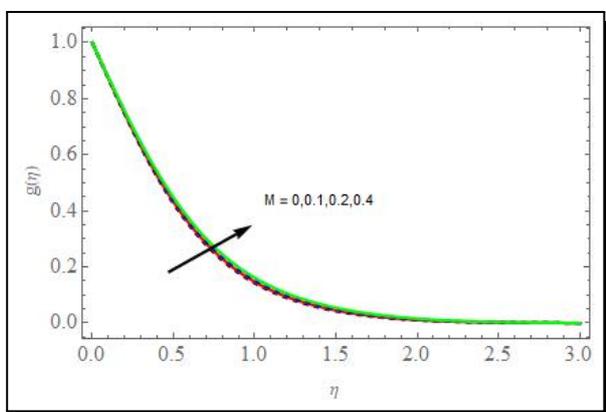


Figure 3. Influence of M on $f'(\eta)$

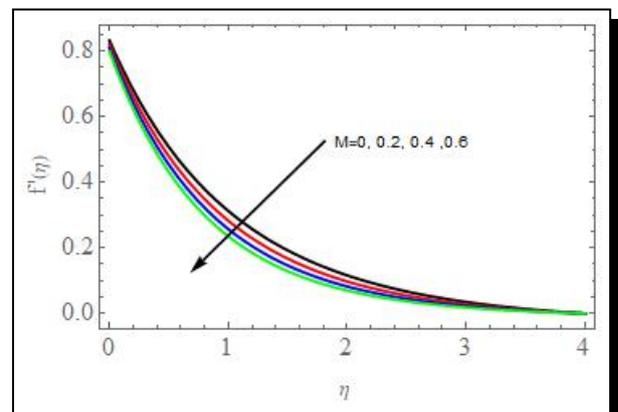


Figure 4. Influence of M on $g(\eta)$

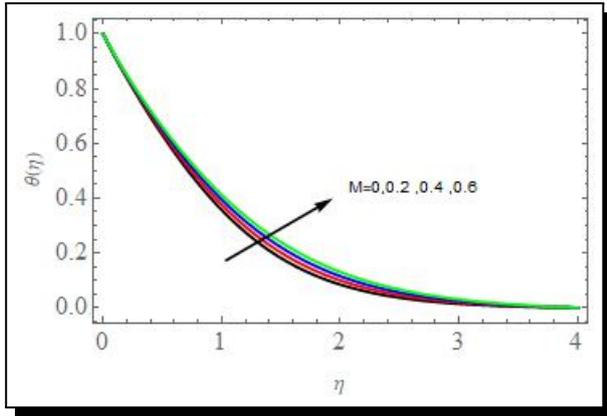


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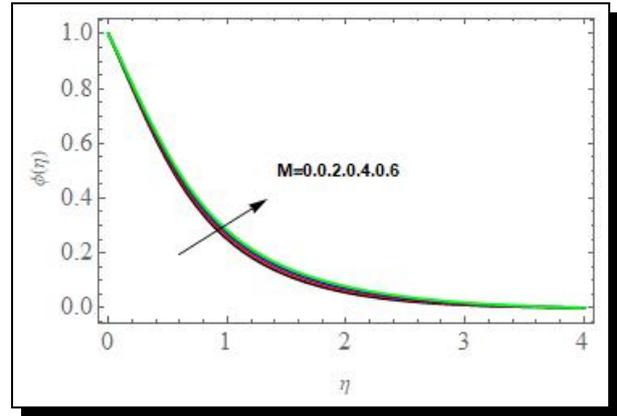


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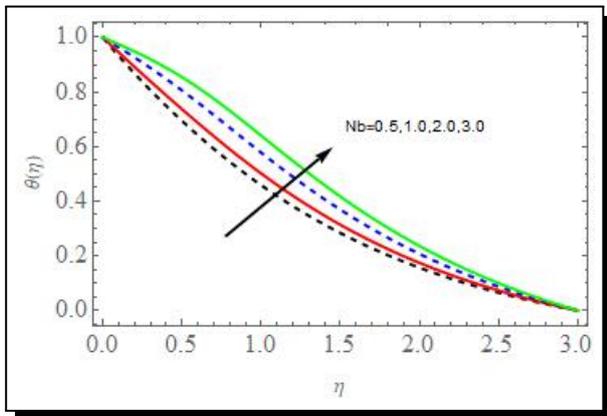


Figure 7. Influence of Nb on $\phi(\eta)$

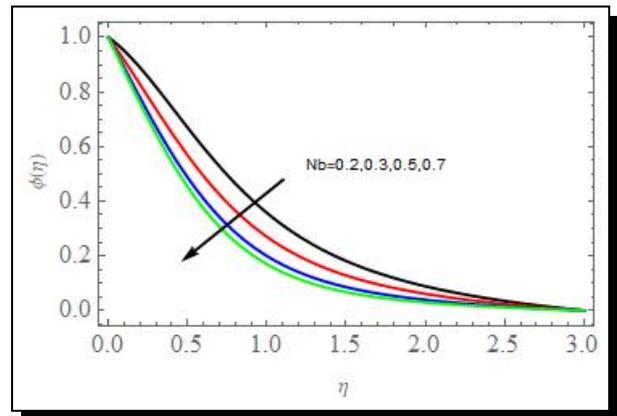


Figure 8. Influence of Nb on $\theta(\eta)$

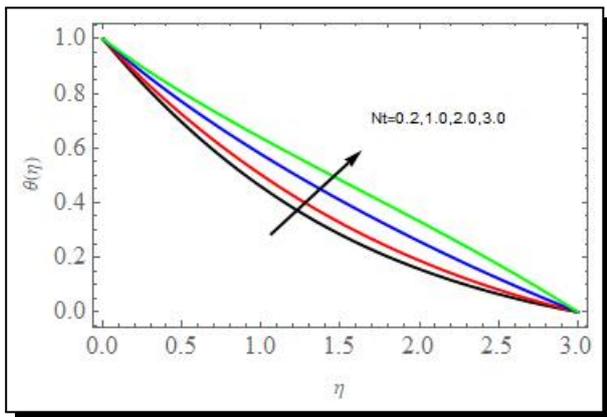


Figure 9. Influence of Nt on $\phi(\eta)$

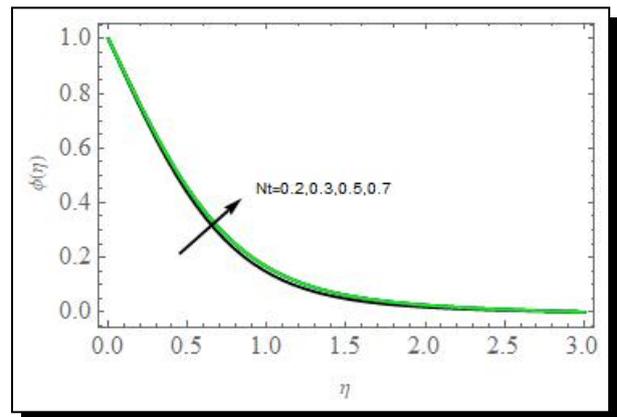


Figure 10. Influence of Nt on $\theta(\eta)$

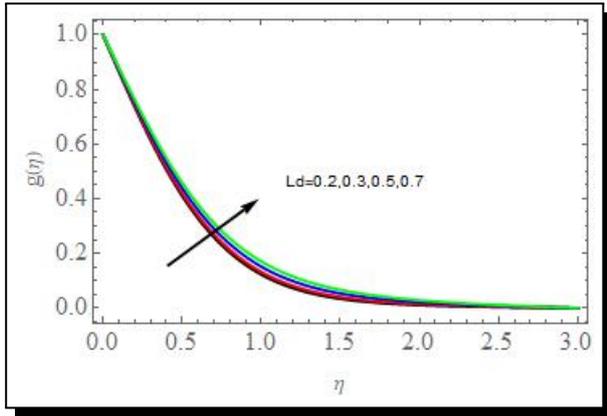


Figure 11. Ld impact on $\theta(\eta)$

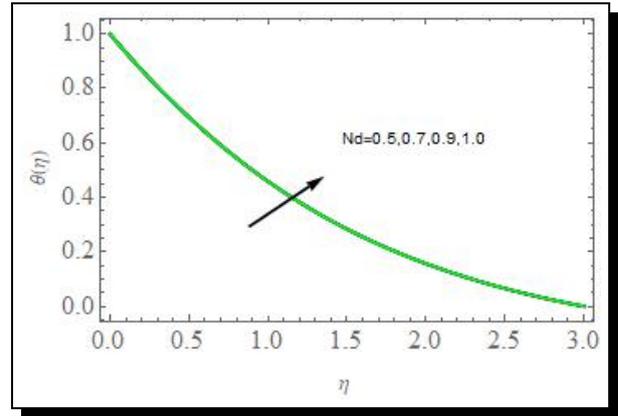


Figure 12. Ld impact on $g(\eta)$

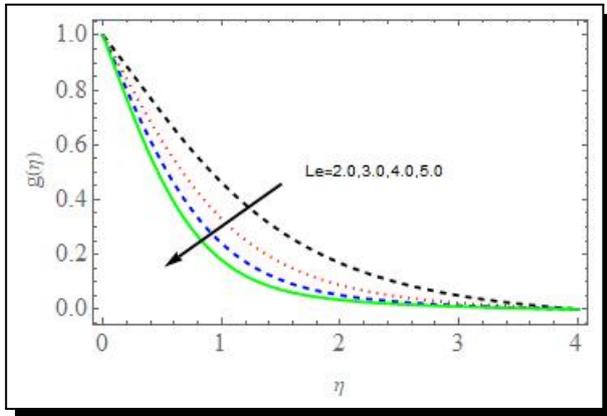


Figure 13. Le impact on $g(\eta)$

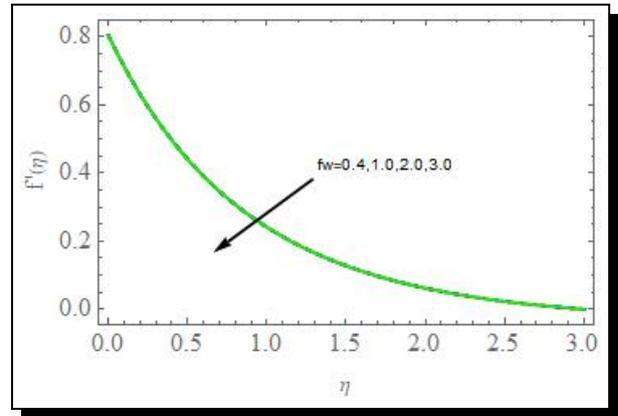


Figure 14. fw impact on $f'(\eta)$

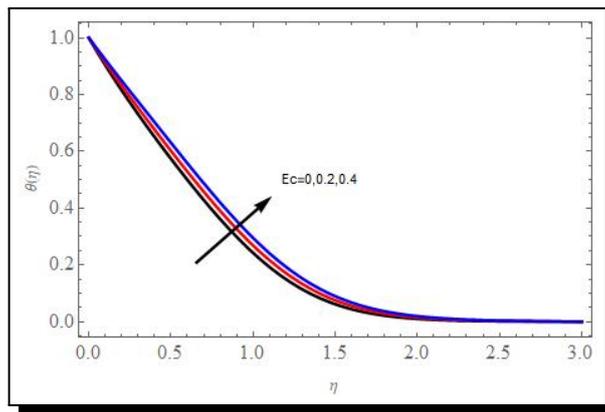


Figure 15. Ec impact on $\theta(\eta)$

- Figure 3 depicts the behaviour of M on a velocity profile. It can be observed that the effects of the *velocity profile* (VP) decrease with raising M value, due to the returned “Lorentz force”.

- Figures 4, 5 and 6 shows the variations in $g(\eta)$, $\theta(\eta)$ and $\theta(\eta)$ for different approximations of M . It is analyzed that the $\theta(\eta)$, $g(\eta)$ and thermal BL thickens are expanding functions of M .
- Figures 7-10 show the Nb and Nt results on dimensionless temperature and nanoparticle concentration profiles. The temperature profile increases as the Nb values grow, whereas the nanoparticle concentration profile drops. The similar result was found by Ramya et al. [22].
- In Figure 11 The behavior of the Dufour number (Nd) on the temperature profile is seen as the amount of Dufour increases, with a fall in temperature and thermal boundary layer thickness recorded. A greater gradient of concentration is produced by higher Dufour number values. As a result, mass diffusion occurs at a faster pace, and energy transfer occurs at a faster rate as well. As a result, the temperature profile rises.
- The effect of the thermal diffusion parameter (Ld) on the concentration profile $g(\eta)$ is seen in Figure 12. The concentration of the thickness and boundary layer is increased when the quantity of Soret increases. Soret is a phenomenon in which the temperature gradient affects the concentration distribution. Physically higher Soret number values result in higher temperature gradients and thus higher convective flow, and the concentration distribution widens.
- The effect of the Lewis number on dimensionless concentration is discussed in Figure 13. It is observed that the fraction of the volume of nanoparticles decreases significantly at higher Le values. Le is defined as “the thermal and mass diffusivity ratio”. Therefore, the raising value of Le improves the thickness of the thermal BL and decreases the thickness of the concentration boundary layer.
- Figure 14 depicts the effects of the suction parameter f_w on the Stream wise velocity profile. It is clear from Figure 14 that as the suction parameter is increased, the velocity profiles decrease monotonically, reflecting the normal fact that suction stabilises the growth of the boundary layer, which also reduces the development of velocity profile peaks.
- The impact of Ec on the energy profile is depicted in Figure 15. As the Eckert number rises, so does the energy profile. Because of the accelerating values of Ec , heat energy is retained in due to friction, resulting in a temperature profile enhancement.

6. Conclusions

In this current work, the BL viscous flow of a NF over a non-linear stretching sheet has been studied numerically with the effect of velocity slip and thermal diffusion. The effect on the profiles of Streamwise velocity, temperature, concentration and nanoparticle concentration of the various governing parameters. The findings are as follows:

- (i) The Streamwise velocity profile declines when the velocity slip parameter and the value of M increases.
- (ii) The rise in the Eckert number leads to the improvement in the temperature profile due to the internal energy.
- (iii) Rise in the diffusion thermo parameter, the temperature gets improved and as the thermal flow parameter and the concentration Rises.
- (iv) The temperature rises and the concentration of nanoparticles decreases by improving the Nb .
- (v) As Le increases, the concentration decreases because the Lewi's number is inversely proportional to diffusion coefficient.

Competing Interests

The authors declare that they have no competing interests.

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