



Hiemenz stagnation point flow with computational modelling of variety of boundary conditions

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ABSTRACT

This work explains the flow of a $G-H_2O$ nanofluid under the special case of MHD stagnation point flow, and the detailed investigation of the Navier's stokes equations extracted analytically. The main methodology is given work of PDEs is converted into ODEs using the appropriate similarity transformations. The momentum equations solved analytically to derive the solution domain, the impact of thermal radiation is seen in energy equation, four different scenarios are used to solve the energy equation. Aim of the present work is to study the theoretical analysis and it can be discussed for dual nature behavior by providing different physical parameters, these parameters control the domain, momentum and heat transpiration. In the heat transfer analysis solutions are derived in terms of incomplete gamma function and confluent hypergeometric form. The current work is examined using graphene nanoparticles, and the value of Pr is fixed at 6.2. The present problem is the benchmark solution for the results and it is significance in industrial and technological applications in fluid-based systems involving shrinkable/stretchable materials. At the end we get Velocity decreases with increases of V_c for upper branch of solution and increases with increases of V_c for lower branch of solution in the case shrinking sheet.

1. Introduction

Numerous researchers are interested in the problem of momentum and heat transfer due to its numerous industrial applications, including polymer extrusion, paper manufacturing, metal cooling, glass blowing, etc., [1]. Sakiadis [2,3] looks at stretching sheet issues initially. Crane [4] extended this issue with a 2-D flow resulting from a stretched sheet that was moving in its own plane at a variable speed. Numerous studies on the issues of stretching sheets have been conducted in part as a result of these works. In the presence of a magnetic field and radiation, Aly [5] studied the 2-D incompressible steady flow with metallic and non-metallic nanoparticles. Mahabaleshwar *et al.* [6] explained the theoretical investigation for unsteady flow due to impulsive stretching sheet problem. In the presence of a stretching sheet, Andersson *et al.* [7,8] investigated the magneto hydrodynamic flow of a power law and viscoelastic fluid. Mahabaleshwar *et al.* [9–12] examine the MHD effect for different types of fluid flow by using variety of boundary conditions with various physical parameters.

These experiments are restricted to the stretching sheet problems

with different boundary conditions, further the investigations carried out with nanofluids. Most of all agree that nanofluid term is first introduced by Choi [13]. Nanofluids are the mixture of base fluids with nanoparticles. Nanoparticles are added to base fluids to obtain nanofluids. By using these nanofluids many investigations are carried out, Mahabaleshwar *et al.* [14] studied the nanofluid flow in the presence of magneto hydrodynamics with suction. In order to explain the thermal conductivity and viscosity of nanofluids, Sharifpur *et al.* [15,16] and Benos *et al.* [17] developed an asymptotic solution for nanofluid in a porous media that contained three different types of nanofluids: Cu , Al_2O_3 , and TiO_2 . See some other examples of nanofluids in [40–41]. One of the most beneficial nanomaterials is graphene, which combines two of the best qualities of materials: strength and thinness. For further information, check Reference [18]. Different physical properties and applications of graphene are clearly detailed in the references [19–20]. It is a better thermal and electrical conductor and optically transparent material when compared to other materials. The exact solutions of graphene water nanofluid flow across a stretching/shrinking sheet in the presence of suction/injection heat source/sink in the presence of dual nature were also examined by Aly [21]. Additionally, take a look at Singh *et al.* [22].

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Nomenclature

b	Constants (–)
$B(x, t)$	Magnetic field strength (Tesla)
C_p	Specific heat at constant pressure ($Jkg^{-1}K^{-1}$)
G	Graphene (–)
k^*	Mean absorption coefficient (–)
M	Kummer's function (–)
P	pressure (Nm^{-2})
q_r	Radiative heat flux (–)
q_w	Local heat flux (Wm^{-2})
R	Radiation parameter (–)
V_C	Mass transpiration (–)
T	Temperature (K)
(u, v)	Components of velocities (ms^{-1})
(x, y)	Coordinates (m)
V_w	Mass transfer velocity (ms^{-1})

Greek symbols

α	Wall moving parameter (–)
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β	Solution domain (–)
ν	Kinematic viscosity (m^2s^{-1})
μ	Dynamic viscosity ($kgm^{-1}s^{-1}$)
κ	Thermal conductivity (W/mK)
ξ	A variable (–)
σ	Electrical conductivity (Sm^{-1})
σ^*	Stefan Boltzmann constant ($Wm^{-2}K^{-4}$)
ρ	Density (kgm^{-3})

Subscripts

w	Condition at wall (–)
∞	Condition at free stream (–)
η	Differentiation with respect to η (–)

Abbreviations

MHD	Magneto hydrodynamics (–)
PST	Prescribed surface temperature (–)
PHF	Prescribed heat flux (–)

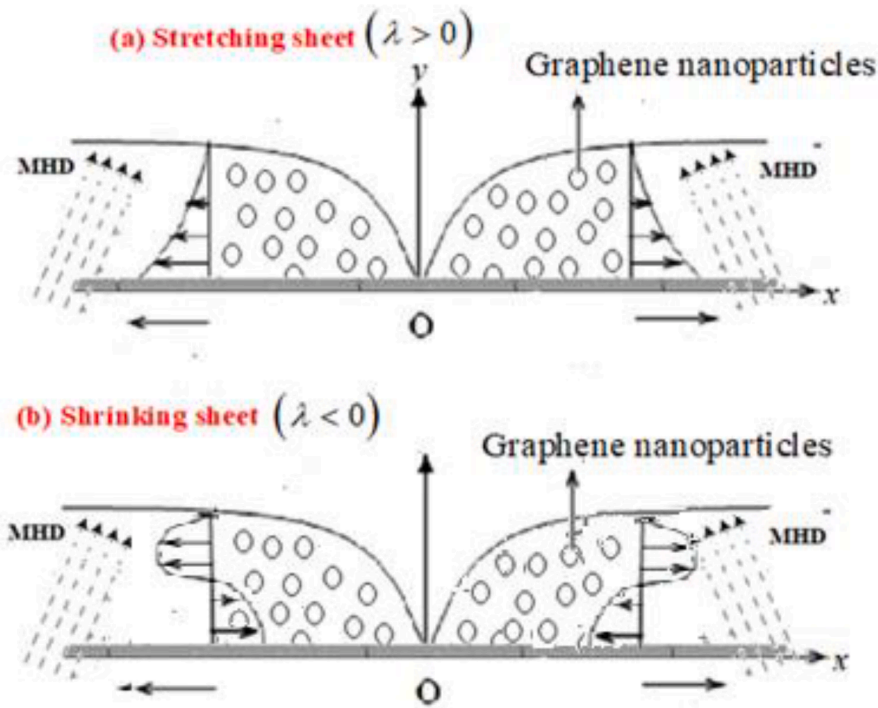


Fig. 1. Schematic diagram of fluid flow.

Based on the aforementioned research, the current work provides an explanation for the unsteady stagnation point flow caused by MHD sheet stretching and contracting along with thermal radiation and mass transpiration. Graphene nanoparticles are used to analyse the present analysis. The main methodology used in the current analysis is the energy equations are also solved under four different cases and represented in terms of incomplete gamma function as well as Kummer's function to provide the solution domain for the resultant ODEs. Analysing the results of the present can be done by employing different regulating parameters. The flow's dual nature can also be verified. It is possible to draw conclusions from the results using graphical representations. Fang

et al. are effectively argued in the current study [23]. The scientific contribution of the present work is used in the field of crystal growing, continuous cooling, glass fibre production and entropy generation. Also, the significance of nanoparticles with the fluid flow enhanced the convective heat transfer and lowered the friction characteristics, also higher flow rates the heat transfer characteristics and friction decreases.

2. Physical model and solution

In order to achieve the current analysis, we are considering the following assumptions it helps to understand the effect on fluid flow.

Table 1

Base fluid and nanoparticle thermophysical characteristics (See [30–31]).

	C_p (J/kgK)	ρ (kg/m ³)	k (W/mK)	σ (Ω/m) ⁻¹	Pr
Pure water (H ₂ O)	4179	997.1	0.613	0.05	6.2
Graphene(G)	2100	2250	2500	1×10^7	

- A laminar MHD two-dimensional unsteady stagnation point flow with a free stream velocity $U_\infty = bxt^{-1}$ is considered in the present analysis, here b is constant.
- $B(x, t)$ denotes the strength of magnetic field applied perpendicular to the surface and it is defined by $B(x, t) = B_0/t$.
- The physical scenario is schematically represented at Fig. 1. The x-axis moves away towards the free stream direction, and the y-axis runs perpendicular to it.
- Physical quantities of these nanofluids are represented at Table 1.
- $U_w = \frac{abx}{t}$ is x-direction velocity. The temperature at the wall is kept constant at T_w or with heat flux $\frac{q_w}{\sqrt{t}}$. T_∞ is the constant temperature of the free stream fluid.
- The governing 2-D Navier's stokes equation is given by (See Mahabaleswar et al. [23], Anusha et.al.[24], Bhatti et al. [32], Hassan et al. [33]).

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$\rho_{nf} \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + u \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + v \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \right) = -\frac{\partial P}{\partial x} + \mu_{nf} \left(\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} \right) + \sigma_{nf} B^2(x, t)(U_\infty - u) \quad (2)$$

$$\rho_{nf} \left(\frac{\partial v}{\partial t} + u \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} + v \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \right) = -\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} + \mu_{nf} \left(\frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial y^2} \right) \quad (3)$$

$$(\rho C_p)_{nf} \left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial t} + u \frac{\partial T}{\partial x} + v \frac{\partial T}{\partial y} \right) = \kappa_{nf} \left(\frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial y^2} \right) - \frac{\partial q_r}{\partial y} \quad (4)$$

the suitable boundary conditions as

$$\left. \begin{aligned} u(x, 0, t) &= \frac{abx}{t}, \\ v(x, 0, t) &= V_w(x, t), \\ u(x, \infty, t) &= \frac{bx}{t} \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (5)$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} T &= T_w, \quad T \rightarrow T_\infty \quad \text{for PST case} \\ -\kappa \frac{\partial T}{\partial y} &= \frac{q_w}{\sqrt{t}}, \quad T \rightarrow T_\infty \quad \text{for PHF case} \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (6)$$

The Nomenclature contains definitions of the terms used in Eqs. (1) to (6).

Similarity variables can be defined as

$$\psi(x, y, t) = bf(\eta)x\sqrt{\frac{\nu}{t}}\eta = \frac{y}{\sqrt{\nu t}}, \quad \theta(\eta) = \frac{T - T_\infty}{T_w - T_\infty} \quad (7)$$

These are the components of velocity that can be defined using the stream function:

$$u = \frac{bx}{t}f'(\eta), \quad v = -b\sqrt{\frac{\nu}{t}}f(\eta) \quad (8)$$

The velocity of wall transpiration is also provided by

$$V_w(x, t) = V_w(t) = -b\sqrt{\frac{\nu}{t}}f(0) \quad (9)$$

3. Solution of pressure term

The term $\frac{\partial P}{\partial y}$ is the function of t and y it can be calculated by Eq.(3), it means $\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = \Phi(t, y)$, the integration of this derivative yields to get the following result

$$P = \int \Phi(t, y) + \psi(t, x) \quad (10)$$

here, $\psi(t, x)$ is constant of integration.

Again differentiate Eq. (10) to get the equation as $\frac{\partial P}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial \psi(t, x)}{\partial x}$, this is free from y . then applying x-momentum with $u = U_\infty$, $\frac{\partial P}{\partial x}$ can be derived as

$$-\frac{1}{\rho_{nf}} \frac{\partial P}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial U_\infty}{\partial t} + U_\infty \frac{\partial U_\infty}{\partial x} = -\frac{bx}{t^2} + \frac{b^2x}{t^2} \quad (11)$$

The pressure gradient in the y-direction is similarly provided by

$$-\frac{1}{\rho_{nf}} \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial t} + v \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} - \nu_{nf} \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial y^2} \quad (12)$$

The pressure can be derived from integrating Eq. (11) and (12), then the equation becomes

$$\frac{1}{\rho_{nf}} (P_0 - P) = -\frac{bx^2}{2t^2} + \frac{b^2x^2}{2t^2} + \frac{bv}{2t}f(\eta)\eta + \frac{b^2\nu_{nf}}{2t}f_\eta(\eta) + \frac{b\nu_{nf}}{t}f_\eta(\eta) \quad (13)$$

where, P_0 is constant obtained from the integration.

4. Exact solution for velocity

The following can be obtained by applying the similarity variables defined at Eqs. (7) and (8) in Eq. ODE

$$\frac{\varepsilon_1}{\varepsilon_2}f_{\eta\eta\eta} + \left(bf + \frac{\eta}{2}\right)f_{\eta\eta} + (1 - bf_\eta)f_\eta + (b - 1) + \frac{\varepsilon_3}{\varepsilon_2}bQ(1 - f_\eta) = 0 \quad (14a)$$

The boundary condition associated with this equation also reduced as

$$f_\eta(0) = \alpha, \quad f(0) = V_C, \quad f_\eta(\infty) = 1 \quad (14b)$$

Here, $\alpha = \frac{U_w}{U_\infty}$ is the wall stretching parameter, $Q = \frac{\sigma_f B_0^2}{\rho_f b t}$ is the Chandrasekhar's number, $V_C = \frac{V_w(x, t)}{b\sqrt{\nu/t}}$ represents mass transpiration, and the values of b determine mass transpiration.

We now explore a unique case considering $b = -1/2$, in Eq.(14a), then we yield

$$\frac{\varepsilon_1}{\varepsilon_2}f_{\eta\eta\eta} + \left(-\frac{1}{2}f + \frac{\eta}{2}\right)f_{\eta\eta} + \left(1 + \frac{1}{2}f_\eta\right)f_\eta + \left(-\frac{1}{2} - 1\right) + \frac{\varepsilon_3}{\varepsilon_2}\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)Q(1 - f_\eta) = 0 \quad (15)$$

Defining a new transformation $F(\eta) = f(\eta) - \eta$, substituting this transformation in Eq. (15), then it becomes

$$\varepsilon_1 F_{\eta\eta\eta} - \frac{\varepsilon_2}{2} F F_{\eta\eta} + 2\varepsilon_2 F_\eta + \frac{\varepsilon_2}{2} F_\eta^2 - \frac{\varepsilon_3}{2} Q F_\eta = 0 \quad (16)$$

Eq. (14) of the corresponding boundary conditions also reduces to

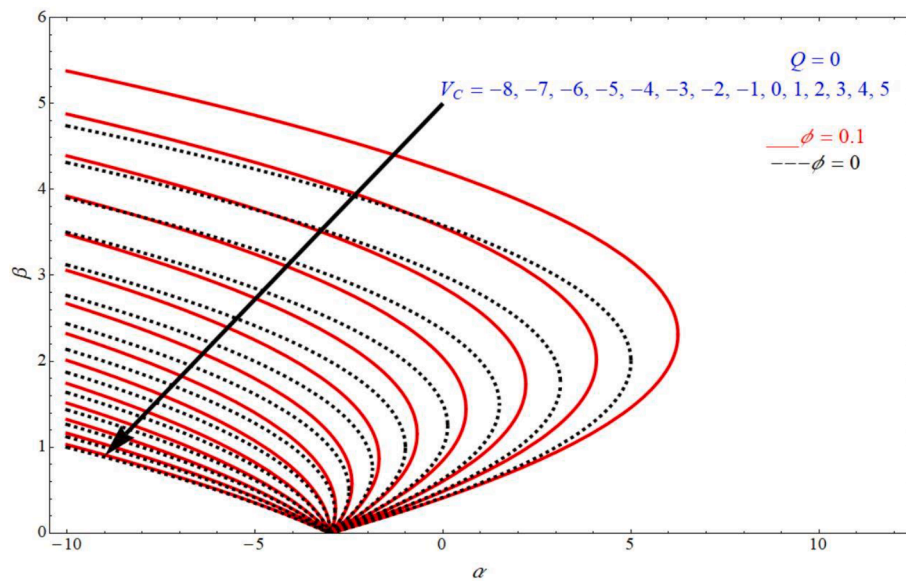
$$F(0) = V_C, \quad F_\eta(0) = \alpha - 1, \quad F_\eta(\infty) = 0 \quad (17)$$

Assume Eq. (16) has a solution that takes the form

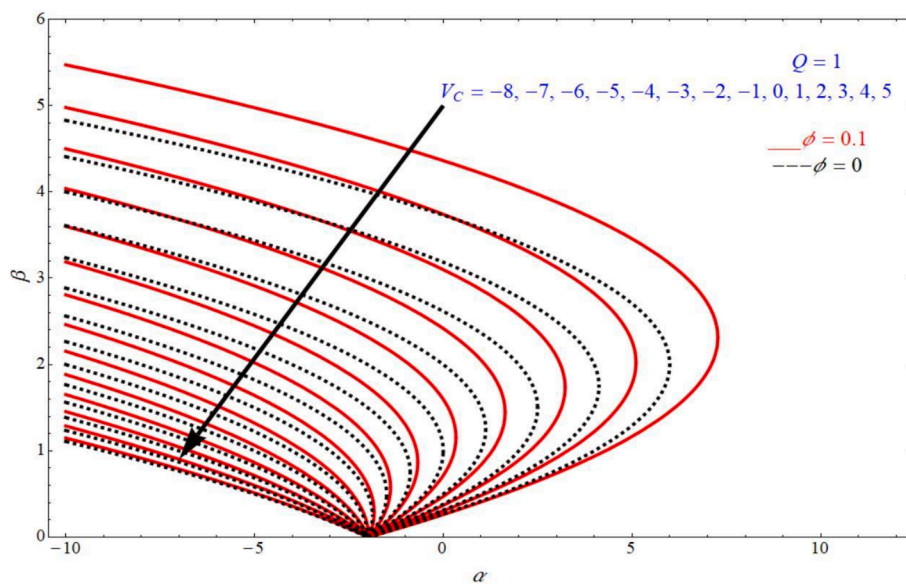
$$F(\eta) = c + d \exp(-\beta\eta) \quad (18)$$

By using Boundary conditions defined at Eq. (17) the following results can be found

$$d = \frac{1 - \alpha}{\beta}, \quad c = V_C + \frac{1 - \alpha}{\beta} \quad (19)$$

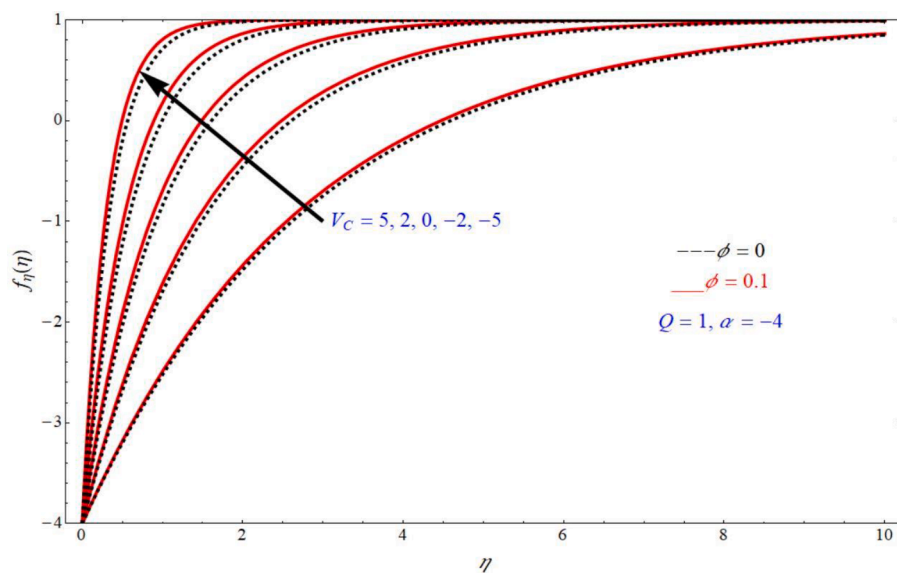


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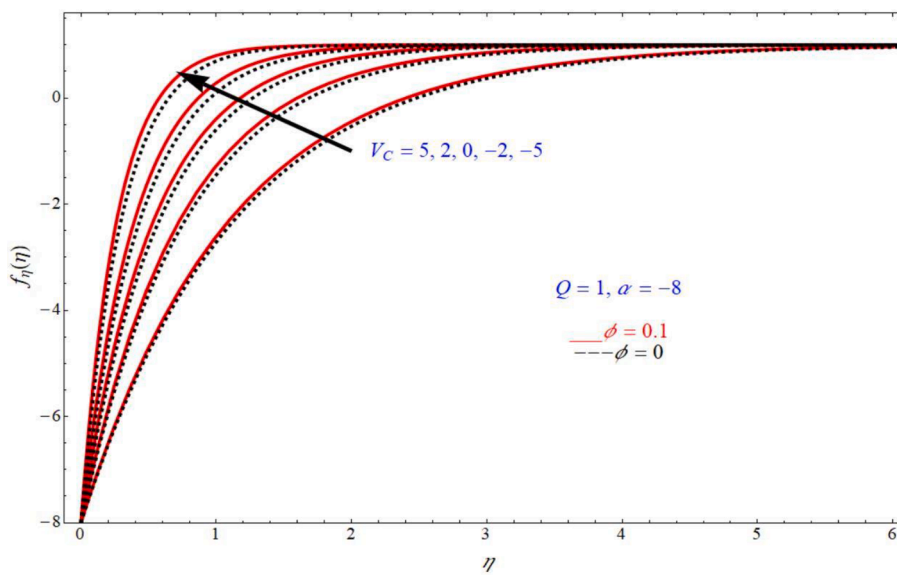


(b)

Fig. 2. β versus α for different V_C values.



(a)



(b)

Fig. 3. $f_\eta(\eta)$ verses η for various V_C values at different α .

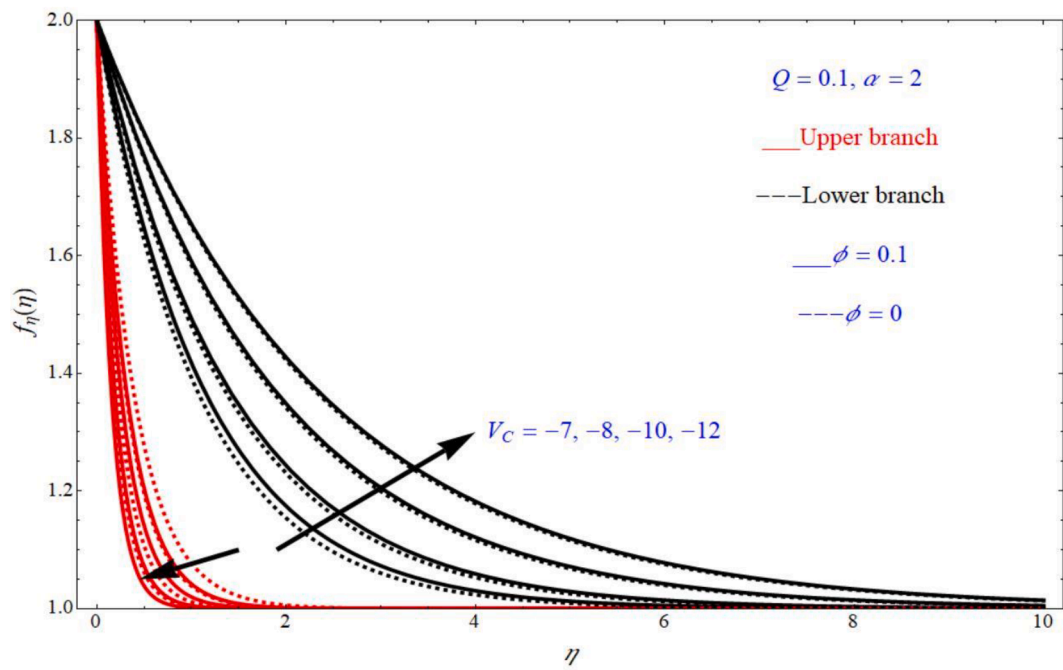
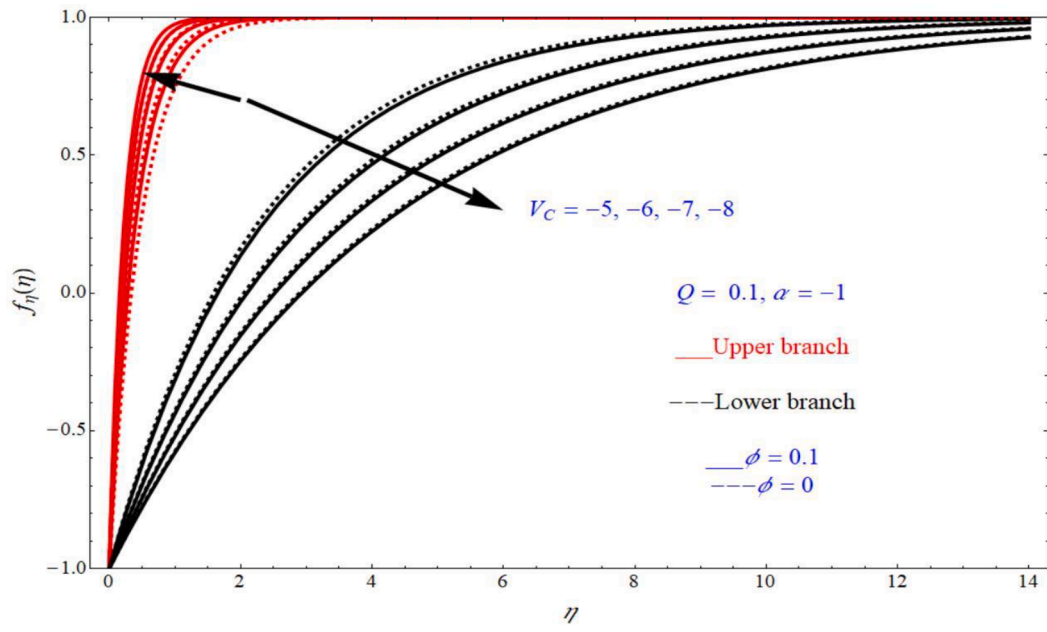


Fig. 4. $f_{\eta}(\eta)$ versus η for different choices of V_C .

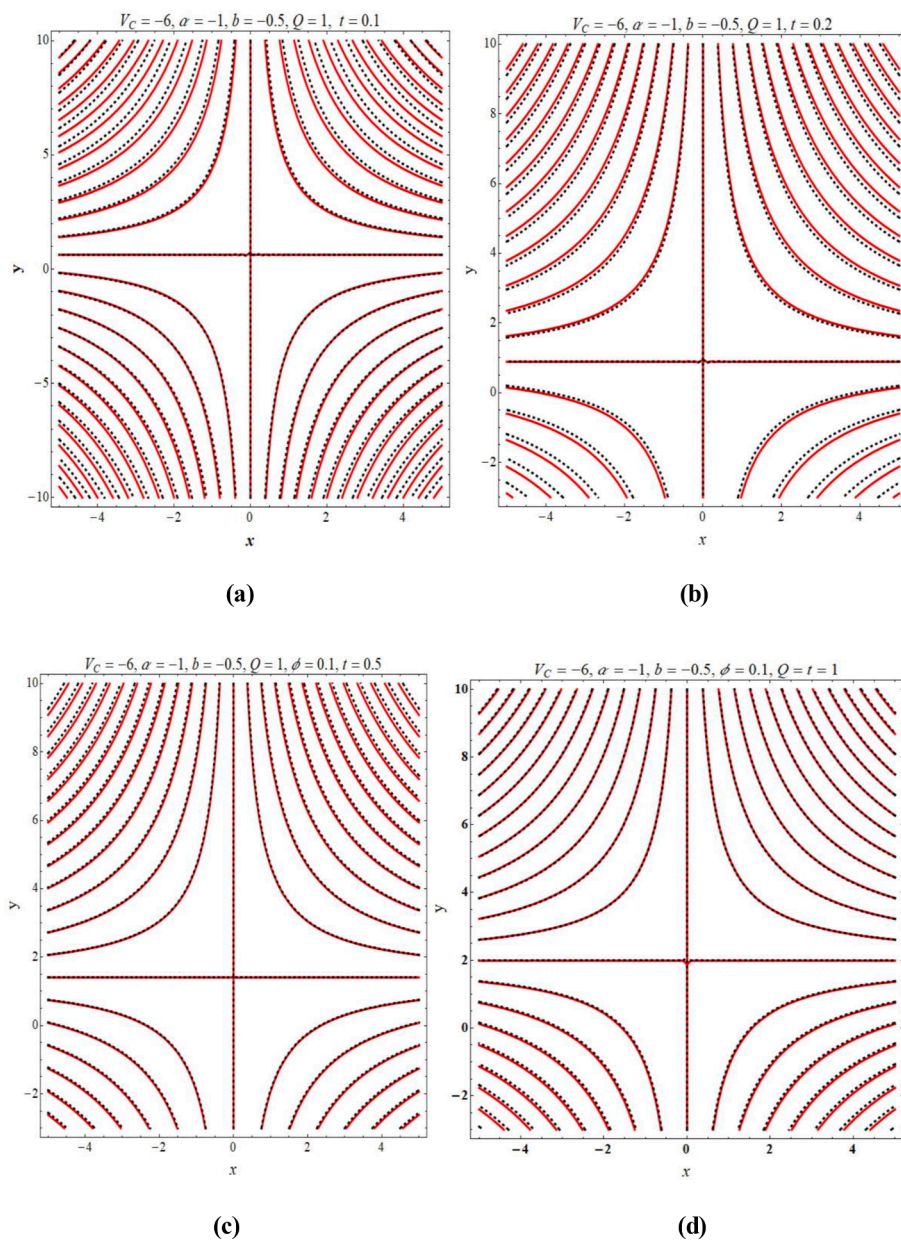


Fig. 5. Streamline patterns at different time for lower branch of solution.

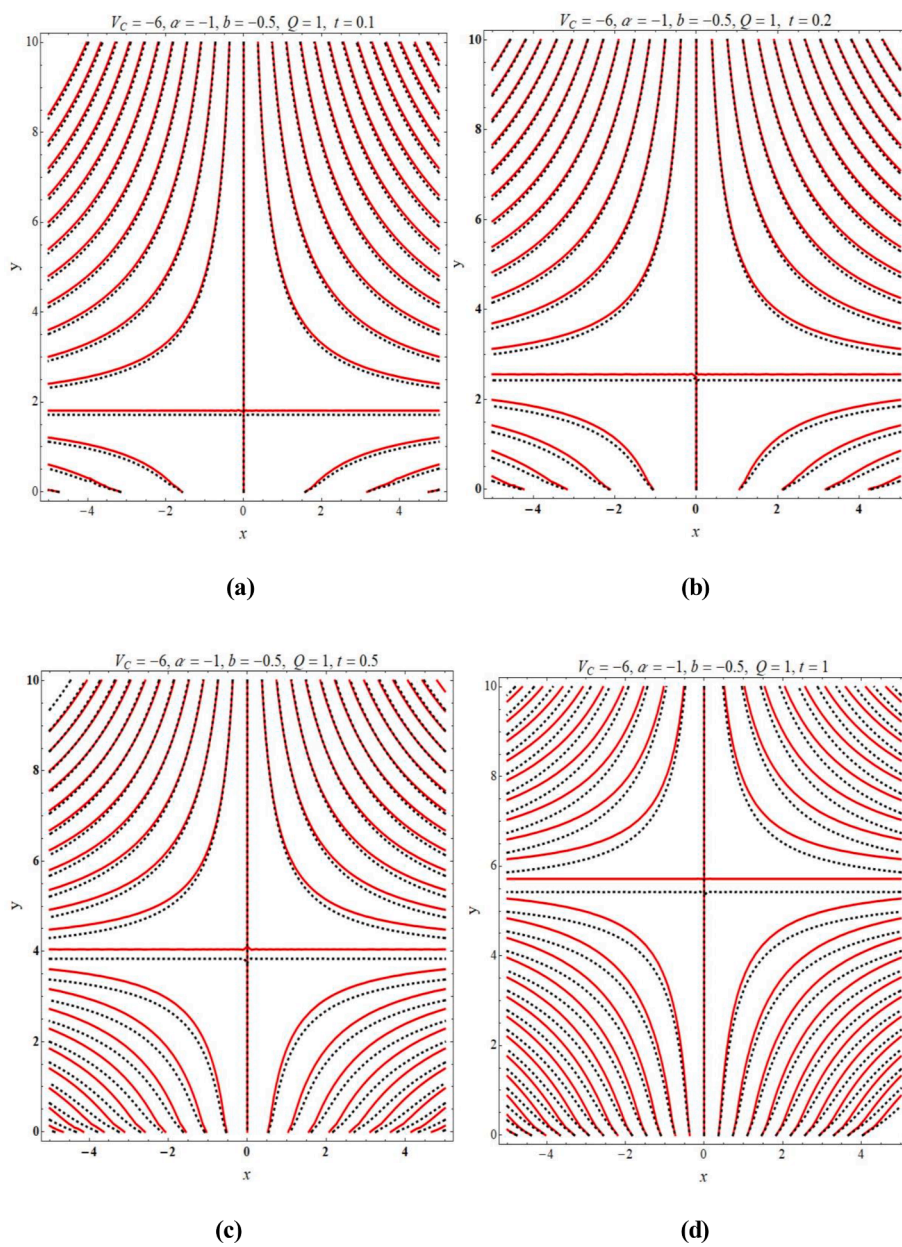


Fig. 6. streamline patterns at different time for upper branch of solution.

then the wall's heat flux is determined by

$$\theta_\eta(0) = \frac{-\beta \left(\frac{(1-\alpha)Pr}{2\beta^2} \right) \left(\frac{\varepsilon_1}{\varepsilon_2} + \frac{2\varepsilon_2 - \varepsilon_3 Q}{\beta^2} \right) \text{Exp} \left(-\frac{(1-\alpha)Pr}{2\beta^2} \right)}{\Gamma \left[\frac{Pr}{(\varepsilon_5+R)} \left(\frac{\varepsilon_1}{\varepsilon_2} + \frac{2\varepsilon_2 - \varepsilon_3 Q}{\beta^2} \right), 0 \right] - \Gamma \left[\frac{Pr}{(\varepsilon_5+R)} \left(\frac{\varepsilon_1}{\varepsilon_2} + \frac{2\varepsilon_2 - \varepsilon_3 Q}{\beta^2} \right), \varepsilon_4 \frac{(1-\alpha)Pr}{2\beta^2} \right]} \quad (36)$$

5.2. Uniform heat flux case

Defining $h(\eta) = \frac{T-T_w}{\frac{9\mu}{8\sqrt{b}}}$, adding this to the energy equation will provide the following equation:

$$(\varepsilon_5 + R)h_{\eta\eta} + \frac{1}{2}\varepsilon_4 Pr(\eta - f)h_\eta = 0 \quad (37)$$

using solution of momentum in Eq. (37) to yield

$$(\varepsilon_5 + R)h_{\eta\eta} - \frac{1}{2}Pr\varepsilon_4 \left(V_c - \frac{(1-\alpha)}{\beta} + \frac{(1-\alpha)}{\beta} \text{Exp}(-\beta\eta) \right) h_\eta = 0 \quad (38)$$

Since Eq. (38) and Eq. (30) are comparable, and Eq. (34) and Eq. (30) have the same solution, the general answer to Eq. (38) is obtained as

$$h(\xi) = C_1 + C_2 \frac{Pr}{(\varepsilon_5 + R)} \left(\frac{\varepsilon_1}{\varepsilon_2} + \frac{2\varepsilon_2 - \varepsilon_3 Q}{\beta^2} \right) \frac{\text{Exp} \left(-\frac{(1-\alpha)Pr}{2\beta^2} \right)}{\frac{Pr}{(\varepsilon_5+R)} \left(\frac{\varepsilon_1}{\varepsilon_2} + \frac{2\varepsilon_2 - \varepsilon_3 Q}{\beta^2} \right)} \quad (39)$$

By incorporating the boundary conditions from Eq. (27b) into Eq. (39), the following equation is produced.

$$h(0) = \frac{\Gamma \left[\frac{Pr}{(\varepsilon_5+R)} \left(\frac{\varepsilon_1}{\varepsilon_2} + \frac{2\varepsilon_2 - \varepsilon_3 Q}{\beta^2} \right), 0 \right] - \Gamma \left[\frac{Pr}{(\varepsilon_5+R)} \left(\frac{\varepsilon_1}{\varepsilon_2} + \frac{2\varepsilon_2 - \varepsilon_3 Q}{\beta^2} \right), \varepsilon_4 \frac{(1-\alpha)Pr}{2\beta^2} \right]}{\beta \left(\frac{(1-\alpha)Pr}{2\beta^2} \right) \left(\frac{\varepsilon_1}{\varepsilon_2} + \frac{2\varepsilon_2 - \varepsilon_3 Q}{\beta^2} \right) \text{Exp} \left(-\frac{(1-\alpha)Pr}{2\beta^2} \right)} \quad (40)$$

Given as follows is the dimensionless wall heat flux:

$$h(0) = \frac{\Gamma \left[\frac{Pr}{(\varepsilon_5+R)} \left(\frac{\varepsilon_1}{\varepsilon_2} + \frac{2\varepsilon_2 - \varepsilon_3 Q}{\beta^2} \right), 0 \right] - \Gamma \left[\frac{Pr}{(\varepsilon_5+R)} \left(\frac{\varepsilon_1}{\varepsilon_2} + \frac{2\varepsilon_2 - \varepsilon_3 Q}{\beta^2} \right), \varepsilon_4 \frac{(1-\alpha)Pr}{2\beta^2} \right]}{\beta \left(\frac{(1-\alpha)Pr}{2\beta^2} \right) \left(\frac{\varepsilon_1}{\varepsilon_2} + \frac{2\varepsilon_2 - \varepsilon_3 Q}{\beta^2} \right) \text{Exp} \left(-\frac{(1-\alpha)Pr}{2\beta^2} \right)} \quad (41)$$

On the analysis of this result, it is observed that $h(0) = -\frac{1}{\theta_\eta(0)}$.

5.3. Power law wall temperature for general case

The conditions used in the above literature is very rare to investigate the temperature at wall. But in this section we discussed the general situation by taking power law depended on both time and distance and it is given by

$$T = T_\infty + (T_w - T_\infty)x^n t^m \theta(\eta) \quad (42)$$

$$-\theta_\eta(0) = \delta\beta + \frac{(\alpha-1)(\delta-n)Pr}{\beta(\varepsilon_5+R)(2(\varepsilon_5+R)-A+2\delta(\varepsilon_5+R))} \frac{M(\delta-n+1, \gamma+1, \frac{(\alpha-1)Pr}{2(\varepsilon_5+R)\beta^2})}{M(\delta-n, \gamma, \frac{(\alpha-1)Pr}{2(\varepsilon_5+R)\beta^2})} \quad (54)$$

The following ODE, which has no relation to Eq. (4), is obtained by substituting this new definition into Eq. (26)

$$(\varepsilon_5 + R)\theta_{\eta\eta} + \varepsilon_4 Pr \left(bf + \frac{1}{2}\eta \right) \theta_\eta - \varepsilon_4 Pr(bnf_\eta + m)\theta = 0 \quad (43)$$

The boundary conditions associated with Eq. (43) as

$$\theta(0) = 1, \quad \theta(\infty) = 0 \quad (44)$$

Put $b = -1/2$ in Eq.(43), then Eq.(43) becomes

$$(\varepsilon_5 + R)\theta_{\eta\eta} + \varepsilon_4 \frac{Pr}{2}(\eta - f)\theta_\eta + \varepsilon_4 \frac{Pr}{2}(\eta f_\eta - 2m)\theta = 0 \quad (45)$$

using $\xi = \frac{(\alpha-1)}{2Pr\beta^2} \text{Exp}(-\beta\eta)$ in Eq.(45) to yield as

$$\xi(\varepsilon_5 + R) \frac{\partial^2 \theta}{\partial \xi^2} + ((\varepsilon_5 + R) - A - \xi) \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial \xi} + \left(\frac{B}{\xi} + n \right) \theta = 0 \quad (46)$$

here, $A = Pre_4 \left(1 + \frac{2\varepsilon_2 - \varepsilon_3 M}{\beta^2} \right)$, $B = \frac{1}{\beta^2} Pre_4 \left(\frac{n}{2} - m \right)$.

Boundary conditions defined in Eq. (44) reduces as

$$\theta \left(\frac{Pr(\alpha-1)}{2\beta^2} \right) = 1, \quad \theta(0) = 0 \quad (47)$$

Now we define

$$\theta(\xi) = \xi^\delta \psi(\xi) \quad (48)$$

On applying Eq. (48) in Eq. (46), then it transformed as

$$\xi(\varepsilon_5 + R) \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial \xi^2} + (\gamma - \xi) \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial \xi} + \left\{ \frac{1}{\xi} (\delta^2 (\varepsilon_5 + R) - A\delta + B) - \delta + n \right\} \psi(\xi) = 0 \quad (49)$$

here, $\delta = \frac{A \pm \sqrt{A^2 - 4B(\varepsilon_5 + R)}}{2(\varepsilon_5 + R)}$, which requires $A^2 - 4B(\varepsilon_5 + R) \geq 0$, and $\frac{Pre_4}{\beta^2} (\beta^2 \varepsilon_1 + 2\varepsilon_2 - \varepsilon_3 Q)^2 \geq 2n - 4m$, with $\omega = \delta - n$.

Therefore, Eq. (49) becomes

$$\xi(\varepsilon_5 + R) \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial \xi^2} + (\gamma - \xi) \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial \xi} - \omega \psi(\xi) = 0 \quad (50)$$

Given that Eq. (50) is a basic confluent hypergeometric differential equation, the following is its solution:

$$\psi(\xi) = C_1 M \left(\omega, \gamma, \frac{\xi}{(\varepsilon_5 + R)} \right) \quad (51)$$

By using the boundary condition $\theta(0) = 1$ the constant C_1 can be determined

$$C_1 = \frac{\left((\alpha-1) \frac{Pr}{2\beta^2} \right)^{-\delta}}{M \left(\omega, \gamma, \frac{(\alpha-1)Pr}{2(\varepsilon_5+R)\beta^2} \right)} \quad (52)$$

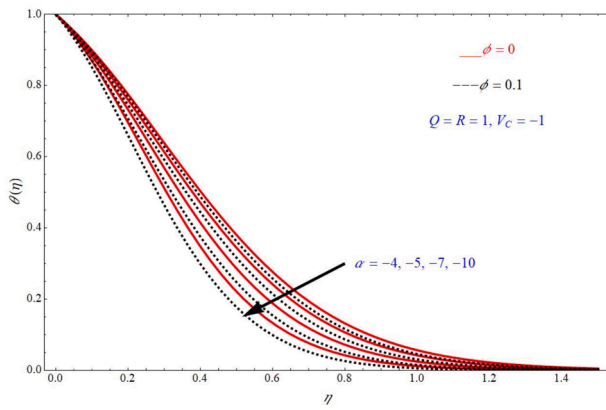
then using $\psi(\xi)$ in Eq.(48) to yield the result as

$$\theta(\eta) = \frac{\text{Exp}(-\beta\delta\eta) M \left(\delta - n, \gamma, \frac{(\alpha-1)Pr}{2(\varepsilon_5+R)\beta^2} \text{Exp}(-\beta\eta) \right)}{M \left(\delta - n, \gamma, \frac{(\alpha-1)Pr}{2(\varepsilon_5+R)\beta^2} \right)} \quad (53)$$

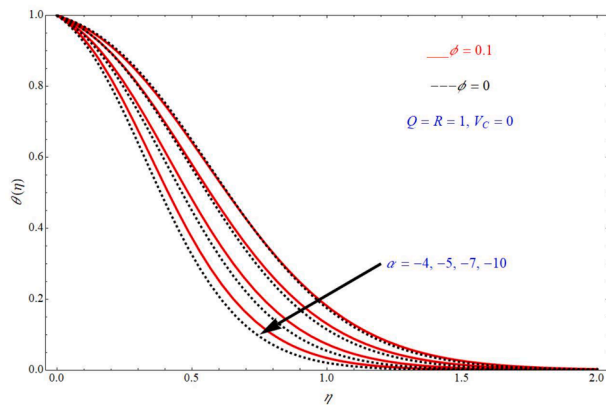
The wall heat flux is then presented as

5.4. Power law heat flux for general case

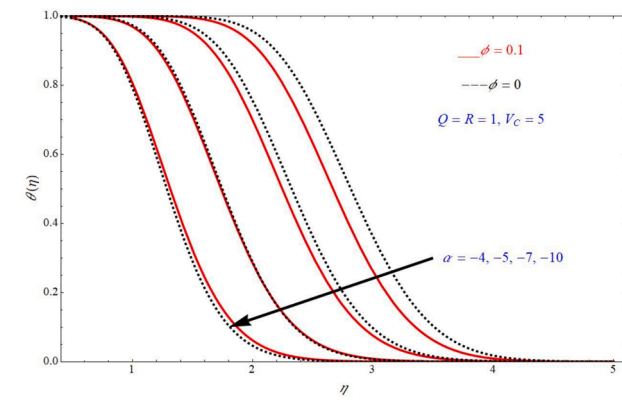
Let us assume that power law heat flux at wall heat flux depended on both time and distance as



(a)



(b)



(c)

Fig. 7. Impact of $\theta(\eta)$ on η for various α values at (a) injection ($V_C < 0$) (b) no permeability ($V_C = 0$) and (c) suction ($V_C > 0$).

$$-\kappa \frac{\partial T}{\partial y} = q_w x^n t^{m-\frac{1}{2}} \quad (55)$$

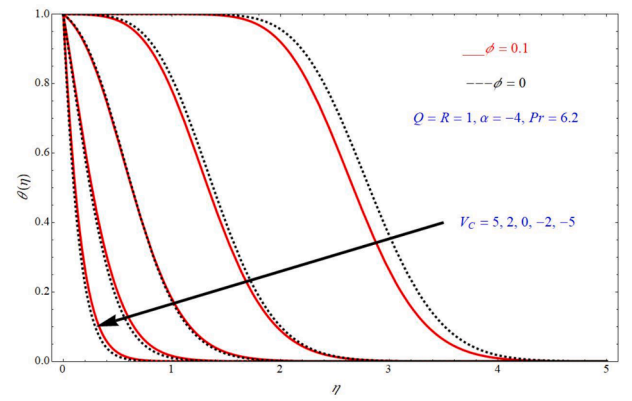
therefore, dimensionless temperature is given by

$$T = T_\infty + \frac{q_w}{\kappa} \sqrt{\nu x^n} t^m h(\eta) \quad (56)$$

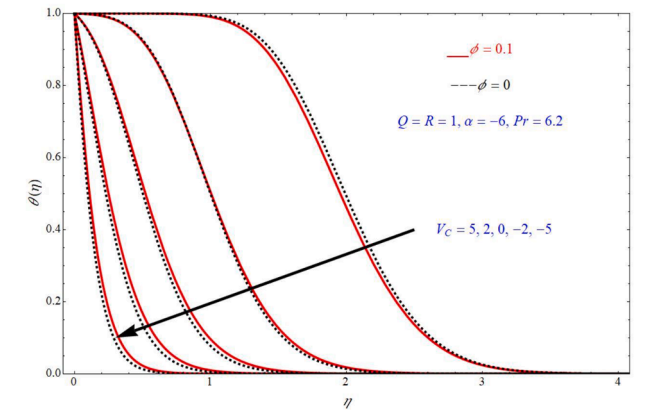
when this is substituted into Equation (4), the resulting equation is

$$(\varepsilon_5 + R)h_{\eta\eta} + \varepsilon_4 Pr \left(bf + \frac{1}{2}\eta \right) h_\eta - \varepsilon_4 Pr (bnf_\eta + m)h = 0 \quad (57)$$

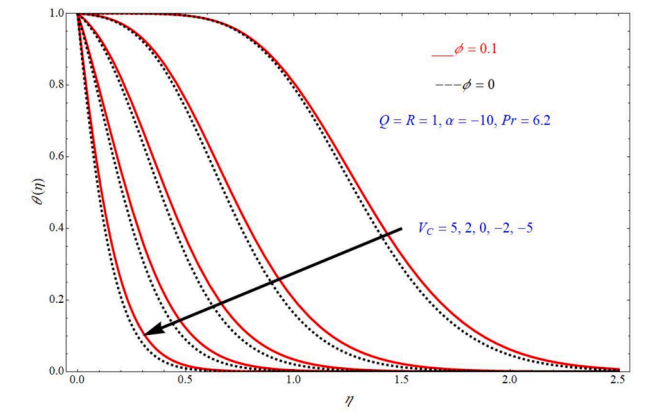
consider $b = -1/2$ in Eq.(57) then it is changed as



(a)



(b)



(c)

Fig. 8. Impact of $\theta(\eta)$ on η for various V_C values at (a) $\alpha = -4$ (b) $\alpha = -6$ (c) $\alpha = -10$ and (d) $\alpha = -12$.

$$(\varepsilon_5 + R)h_{\eta\eta} + \varepsilon_4 \frac{Pr}{2} (\eta - f)h_\eta + \varepsilon_4 \frac{Pr}{2} (nf_\eta - 2m)h = 0 \quad (58)$$

The associated boundary conditions of Eq. (58) reduced to

$$h_\eta(0) = -1, \quad h(\infty) \rightarrow 0 \quad (59)$$

Since Eq. (58) is similar to Eq. (45) in this case and the answer up to Eq. (51) is identical to Eq. (45), the solution to Eq. (58) is given by

$$\psi(\xi) = C_1 M \left(\omega, \gamma, \frac{\xi}{(\varepsilon_5 + R)} \right) \quad (60)$$

The boundary conditions stated in Eq. (59) allow the determination of C_1

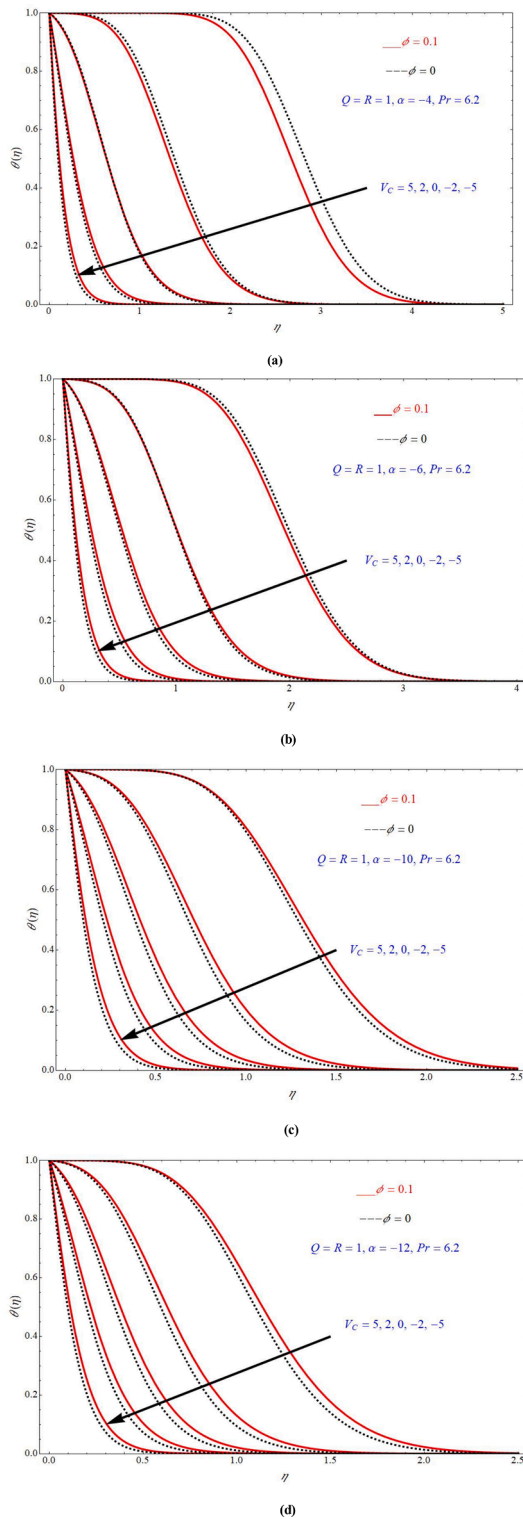


Fig. 9. Impact of $-\theta_{\eta}(0)$ on R , as a function of (a) V_C (b) Pr .

$$C_1 = \frac{\left(\frac{(\alpha-1)Pr}{2\beta^2}\right)^{-1}}{\left\{\delta\beta M\left(\omega, \gamma, \frac{(\alpha-1)Pr}{2(\varepsilon_5+R)\beta^2}\right) + \frac{\omega Pr(\alpha-1)}{2\beta\gamma} M\left(\omega+1, \gamma+1, \frac{(\alpha-1)Pr}{2(\varepsilon_5+R)\beta^2}\right)\right\}} \quad (61)$$

Using C_1 in Eq. (60) to get

$$h(\eta) = \frac{\text{Exp}(-\beta\delta\eta)M\left(\omega, \gamma, \frac{(\alpha-1)Pr}{2(\varepsilon_5+R)\beta^2}\text{Exp}(-\beta\eta)\right)}{\left\{\delta\beta M\left(\omega, \gamma, \frac{(\alpha-1)Pr}{2(\varepsilon_5+R)\beta^2}\right) + \frac{\omega Pr(\alpha-1)}{2\beta\gamma} M\left(\omega+1, \gamma+1, \frac{(\alpha-1)Pr}{2(\varepsilon_5+R)\beta^2}\right)\right\}} \quad (62)$$

$$h(0) = \frac{M\left(\omega, \gamma, \frac{(\alpha-1)Pr}{2(\varepsilon_5+R)\beta^2}\right)}{\left\{\delta\beta M\left(\omega, \gamma, \frac{(\alpha-1)Pr}{2(\varepsilon_5+R)\beta^2}\right) + \frac{\omega Pr(\alpha-1)}{2\beta\gamma} M\left(\omega+1, \gamma+1, \frac{(\alpha-1)Pr}{2(\varepsilon_5+R)\beta^2}\right)\right\}} \quad (63)$$

6. Results and discussion

Results obtained from the 2-D unsteady fluid flow with transpiration and radiation is analysed using different controlling parameters. Velocity equation is solved exactly to yield solution domain, here the dual nature characteristics. This domain helps to solve the heat equation and also put this in terms of incomplete gamma function and also in terms of confluent hypergeometric equation.

6.1. Discussion for flow problem

The plots of β verses α for different V_C at $Q = 0$ and $Q = 1$ respectively studied at Fig. 2a and b, here domain move towards the positive values of α if we decreases the values of mass transpiration V_C . The solution domain is little bit more value for $Q = 1$, compare to $Q = 0$. For $V_C \geq 0$, there is one solution for $\alpha = -3$. The flow problem exist two solution for $V_C < 0$. Fig. 3a and b represents the effect of $f_{\eta}(\eta)$ on η for different V_C , at $\alpha = -4$, and $\alpha = -8$, respectively. These two plots represent the shrinking sheet case because $\alpha < 0$ here the velocity decays on raising the V_C values. Impact of mass transpiration V_C on velocity is represented at Fig. 4a and b for upper branch of solution(ubs) and lower branch of solution(lbs) respectively, red lines depict ubs and black lines depict lbs. Fig. 4a indicates shrinking sheet case because $\alpha = -1$, here velocity decays on raising the values of V_C for upper branch of solution and increases with increases of V_C for lower branch of solution. Similarly, Fig. 4b depict the stretching sheet case because $\alpha = 2$. In this velocity increases with increase of V_C for upper branch of solution and decreases with increase of V_C for lower branch of solution. In these figures dotted lines for $\phi = 0$, and solid lines for $\phi = 0.1$. Fig. 5a to d depict the pattern of stream lines for lower branch of solution at varying time. On the basis of the definitions the formula of stream function is given by

$$\psi(x, y, t) = -\frac{1}{2}f\left(\frac{y}{t}\right)x\sqrt{\frac{1}{t}}$$

Fig. 6a–d depict the pattern of stream lines for upper branch of solution at different time. From these two branches it is cleared that stagnation points of upper and lower solution branch moving away from the wall.

6.2. Discussion for energy equation

Energy equation is discussed under four different cases, these cases are examined analytically, these analytical results are verified with graphical arrangements. Figs. 7–9 graphs are related to constant wall temperature case. Fig. 7a–c depicts the plots of $\theta(\eta)$ verses η for different α values respectively at injection ($V_C < 0$), no-permeability ($V_C = 0$) and suction ($V_C > 0$). Here $\theta(\eta)$ raises for raising the values of α for all the cases of injection, no-permeability and suction. The boundary value thickness is more wider for large values of V_C . Effect of $\theta(\eta)$ on η for various choices of V_C at different $\alpha = -4, -6, -10, -12$ respectively indicated at Fig. 8a–d. Here $\theta(\eta)$ raises for raising the values of V_C . Fig. 9a–b depicts the effect of $-\theta_{\eta}(0)$ on R as a function of V_C and Pr , respectively. In both conditions the value of R more for more values of Pr

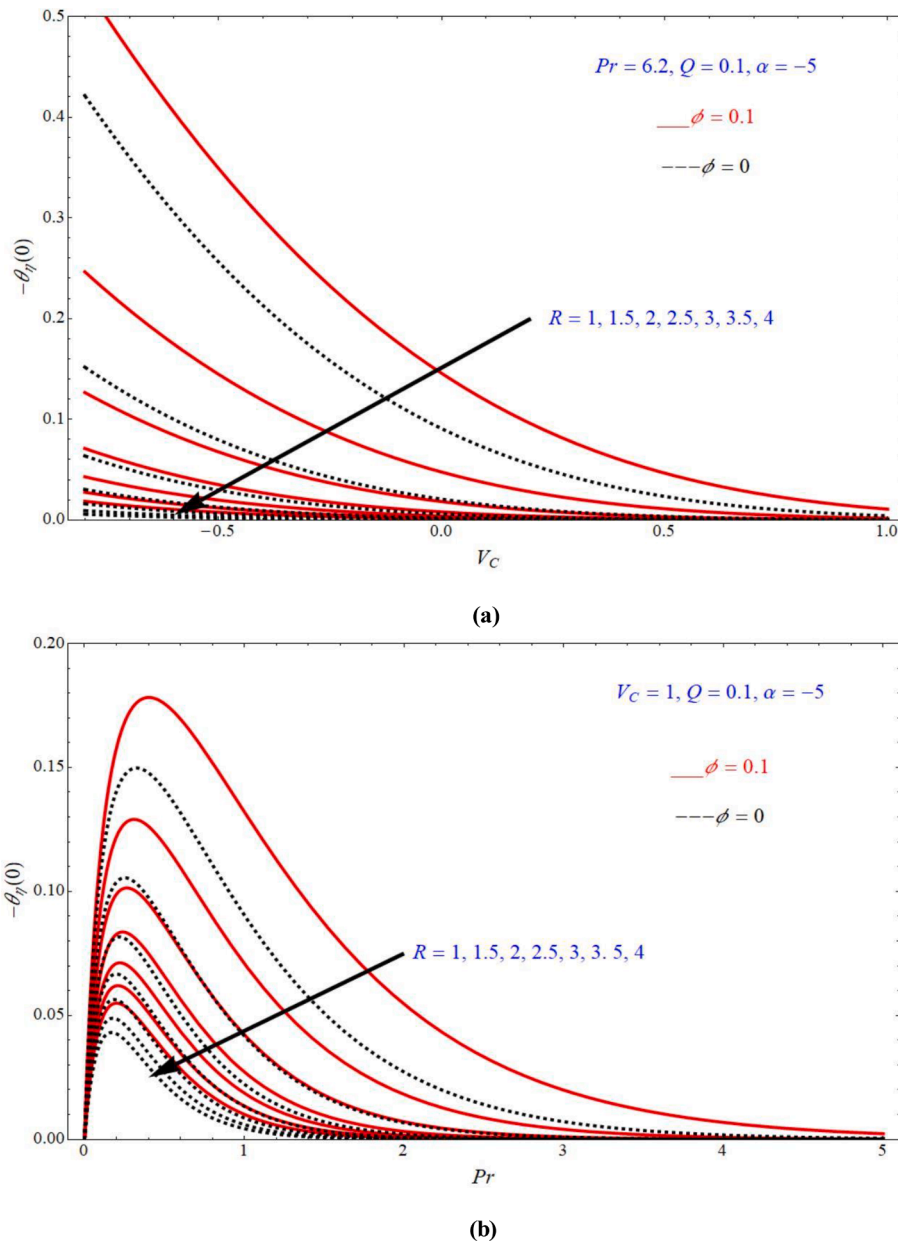


Fig. 10. $h(\eta)$ versus η for various α values at (a) injection (b) no permeability and (c) suction.

and V_C , also the value of $-\theta_\eta(0)$ increases with decreases the values of R . Fig. 10a to c are related to the uniform heat flux case, these graphs portrays plots of $h(\eta)$ on η for various choices of α at injection ($V_C < 0$), no-permeability ($V_C = 0$) and suction ($V_C > 0$) cases respectively. In all the three cases $h(\eta)$ increases for increases the values of α . Fig. 11 exhibit the result of general power-law walls temperature case, it is mathematically represented at Eq. (53). Fig. 11a–c portrays general power-law surface temperature $\theta(\eta)$ on η for different values of m , at $n = -15, -10, -5$ respectively. From these figures it is cleared that the values of m decays the temperature profile value, also boundary value thickness is more wider for more values of n .

7. Concluding remarks

The current work investigates the two-dimensional unsteady stagnation point flow with $G-H_2O$ nanoparticles. Velocity and heat equations solved exactly, then the heat equation solved under PST and PHF conditions. The energy equations are also solved under four different cases

and represented in terms of incomplete gamma function as well as Kummer's function to provide the solution domain for the resultant ODEs. Analysing the results of the present can be done by employing different regulating parameters. The flow's dual nature can also be verified. It is possible to draw conclusions from the results using graphical representations. At the end we get the following results.

- The solution domain of the momentum equation containing two branches of solution namely upper and lower branches.
- Domain value raises for raising the V_C values. Here domain is little bit more value for $Q = 1$, compare to $Q = 0$.
- Velocity decreases with increases of V_C for *ubs* and increases with increases of V_C for lower branch of solution in the case shrinking sheet.
- Velocity decreases with increases of V_C for upper branch of solution and increases with increases of V_C for lower branch of solution in the case of stretching sheet.

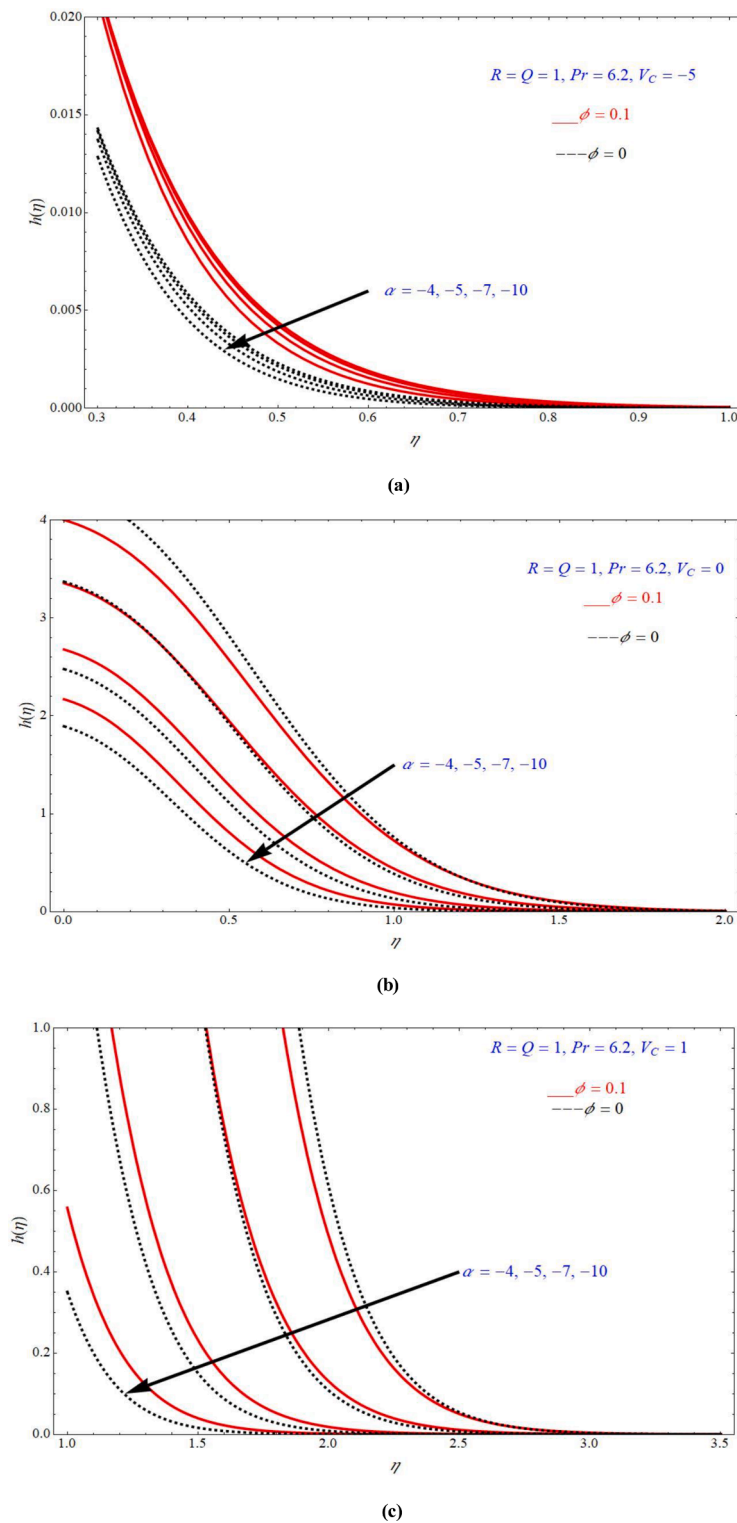


Fig. 11. Impact of general power-law surface temperature $\theta(\eta)$ on η for various m values at (a) $n = -15$ (b) $n = -10$ and (c) $n = -5$.

- $\theta(\eta)$ raises for raising α and V_C values for all the cases of injection, no-permeability and suction.
- In the case constant power law wall temperature the value of R decays on raising Pr and V_C , also the value of $-\theta_\eta(0)$ increases with decreases the values of R
- $h(\eta)$ raises for raising the values of α in the case of uniform heat flux case.

- In the case of general power-law walls temperature, values of m decreases the temperature profile value.

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