

## EFFECT OF NON-LINEAR DENSITY TEMPERATURE VARIATION ON CONVECTIVE HEAT AND MASS TRANSFER FLOW OF A VISCOUS DISSIPATIVE FLUID IN A RECTANGULAR CAVITY

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**Abstract:** In this paper an attempt has been made to discuss the combined influence of radiation and dissipation on the convective heat and mass transfer flow of a viscous fluid through a porous medium in a rectangular cavity using Darcy model with non-linear density temperature variation. Making use of the incompressibility the governing non-linear coupled equations for the momentum, energy and diffusion are derived in terms of the non-dimensional stream function, temperature and concentration. The Galerkin finite element analysis with linear triangular elements is used to obtain the Global stiffness matrices for the values of stream function, temperature and concentration. These coupled matrices are solved using iterative procedure and expressions for the stream function, temperature and concentration are obtained as a linear combinations of the shape functions. The behaviour of temperature, concentration, Nusselt number and Sherwood number are discussed computationally for different values of the governing Parameters  $N_1$  and  $Ec$ .

**Keywords :** Dissipation, Porous medium, Radiation and Viscous fluid.

**Introduction:** Convective heat transfer in a Rectangular porous duct whose vertical walls are maintained at two different temperatures and horizontal walls insulated, is a problem which has received attention by many investigators. The investigation of heat transfer in enclosures containing porous media began with the experimental work of Verschoor and Greebler [10]. Teomann Ay Han et. al., [8] have considered heat transfer and flow structure in a rectangular channel with wing-type Vortex Generator. Chitti Babu et. al., [3] has discussed convective flow in a porous rectangular duct with differentially heated side wall using Brinkman model.

When heat and mass transfer occur simultaneously, it leads to complex fluid motion called double-diffusive convection. Double-diffusion occurs in a wide range of scientific fields such as oceanography, astrophysics, geology, biology and chemical processes. Ostrich [4] and Viskanta et. al., [11] reported complete reviews on the subject. Bejan [2] reported fundamental study of scale analysis relative to heat and mass transfer with in cavities submitted to horizontal combined and pure temperature and concentration gradients. unsteady double-diffusive convection in a rectangular enclosure with aiding and opposing temperature and concentration gradients that were in good agreement with reported experimental results.

Literature suggests that the effect of viscous dissipation on heat transfer as been studied for different geometries. The study showed that the viscous dissipation effect on natural convection in a porous cavity and found that the heat transfer rate at hot surface decreases with increase of viscous dissipation parameter. Thermal radiation plays a

significant role in the overall surface heat transfer where convective heat transfer is small. Recently Padmavathi [5] has analyzed the conductive heat transfer through a porous medium in a rectangular cavity with heat sources and dissipation under varied conditions. By using Galerkin finite element analysis, the governing equations are solved. Reddaih et. al., [6] have analyzed the effect of viscous dissipation on convective heat and mass transfer flow of a viscous fluid in a duct of rectangular cross section by employing Galerkin finite element analysis. Recently Shanti [7] has investigated double diffusive flow in a rectangular cavity with linear density temperature variation.

In this paper an attempt has been made to discuss the combined influence of radiation and dissipation on the convective heat and mass transfer flow of a viscous fluid through a porous medium in a rectangular cavity using Darcy model with non-linear density temperature variation. Making use of the incompressibility the governing non-linear coupled equations for the momentum, energy and diffusion are derived in terms of the non-dimensional stream function, temperature and concentration. The Galerkin finite element analysis with linear triangular elements is used to obtain the Global stiffness matrices for the values of stream function, temperature and concentration. These coupled matrices are solved using iterative procedure and expressions for the stream function, temperature and concentration are obtained as a linear combinations of the shape functions. The behaviour of temperature, concentration, Nusselt number and Sherwood number are discussed computationally for different values of the governing Parameters  $N_1$  and  $Ec$ .

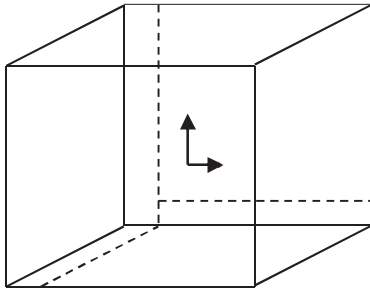


Fig. I  
SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM OF THE FLOW MODEL

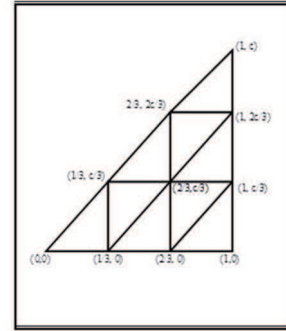


Fig. II  
SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM OF THE CONFIGURATION

2. Formulation:

We consider the mixed convective heat and mass transfer flow of a viscous incompressible fluid in a saturated porous medium confined in the rectangular duct (Fig. 1) whose base length is a and height b. The heat flux on the base and top walls is maintained constant.

We assume that

- i) The convective fluid and the porous medium are everywhere in local thermodynamic equilibrium.
- ii) There is no phase change of the fluid in the medium.
- iii) The properties of the fluid and of the porous medium are homogeneous and isotropic.
- iv) The porous medium is assumed to be closely packed so that Darcy's momentum law is adequate in the porous medium.
- v) The Boussinesq approximation is applicable.

Under these assumption the governing equations are given by

$$\frac{\partial u'}{\partial x'} + \frac{\partial v'}{\partial y'} = 0 \tag{2.1}$$

$$u' = -\frac{k}{\mu} \left( \frac{\partial p'}{\partial x'} \right) \tag{2.2}$$

$$v' = -\frac{k}{\mu} \left( \frac{\partial p'}{\partial y'} + \rho' g \right) \tag{2.3}$$

$$\rho_\sigma c_p \left( u' \frac{\partial T'}{\partial x'} + v' \frac{\partial T'}{\partial y'} \right) = K_1 \left( \frac{\partial^2 T'}{\partial x'^2} + \frac{\partial^2 T'}{\partial y'^2} \right) + \left( \frac{\mu}{K} \right) (u'^2 + v'^2) \tag{2.4}$$

$$\rho_\sigma c_p \left( u' \frac{\partial C}{\partial x'} + v' \frac{\partial C}{\partial y'} \right) = D_1 \left( \frac{\partial^2 C}{\partial x'^2} + \frac{\partial^2 C}{\partial y'^2} \right) \tag{2.5}$$

$$\rho' = \rho_0 \left\{ 1 - \beta_0 (T' - T_0) - \beta_1 (T' - T_0)^2 - \beta^* (C' - C_0) \right\} \tag{2.6}$$

$$T_0 = \frac{T_h + T_c}{2}, C_0 = \frac{C_h + C_c}{2}$$

where  $u'$  and  $v'$  are Darcy velocities along  $\theta(x, y)$  direction.  $T'$ ,  $C, p'$  and  $g'$  are the temperature, Concentration, pressure and acceleration due to gravity,  $T_c, C_c$  and  $T_h, C_h$  are the temperature and Concentration on the cold and warm side walls respectively.  $\rho', \mu, \nu,$  and  $\beta$  are the density, coefficients of viscosity, kinematic viscosity and thermal expansion of the fluid,  $k$  is the permeability of the porous medium,  $K_1$  is the thermal conductivity,  $C_p$  is the specific heat at constant pressure,  $\beta^*$  is the volume coefficient of expansion with mass fraction concentration and  $q_r$  is the radiative heat flux..

The boundary conditions are

$$u' = v' = 0$$

on the boundary of the duct

$$T' = T_c, C = C_c$$

on the side wall to the left

$$T' = T_h, C = C_h$$

on the side wall to the right

$$\frac{\partial T'}{\partial y} = 0, \frac{\partial C}{\partial y} = 0$$

on the top ( $y = 0$ ) and bottom

$$u = v = 0$$

walls ( $y = 0$ ) which are insulated.

We now introduce the following non-dimensional variables

$$x' = ax; \quad y' = by \quad ;$$

$$c = b/a$$

$$u' = (v/a) u \quad ; \quad v' = (v/a) v \quad ;$$

$$p' = (v^2 \rho / a^2) p$$

$$T' = T_o + \theta (T_h - T_c) \quad C' = C_o + \phi (T_h - T_c) \tag{2.8}$$

The governing equations in the non-dimensional form are

$$u = -\left(\frac{K}{a^2}\right) \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} \tag{2.9}$$

$$v = -\frac{k}{a^2} \frac{\partial p}{\partial y} - \frac{kag}{v^2} + \frac{kag\beta_0(T_h - T_c)\theta}{v^2} + \frac{kag\beta_1(T_h - T_c)^2\theta^2}{v^2} + \frac{kag\beta_1(C_h - C_c)\phi}{\beta_0 v^2} \tag{2.10}$$

$$P\left(u \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} + v \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y}\right) = \left(\frac{\partial^2 \theta}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \theta}{\partial y^2}\right) + E_c(u^2 + v^2) \tag{2.11}$$

$$Sc\left(u \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + v \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y}\right) = \left(\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y^2}\right) \tag{2.12}$$

In view of the equation of continuity we introduce the stream function  $\psi$  as

$$u = \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y} ; \quad v = -\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} \tag{2.13}$$

Eliminating  $p$  from the equation (2.9) and (2.10) and making use of (2.13) the equations in terms of  $\psi$  and  $\theta$  are

$$\nabla^2 \psi - M_1^2 \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2} = -Ra\left(\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} + N \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x}\right) \tag{2.14}$$

$$P\left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y} \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y}\right) = \left(\frac{\partial^2 \theta}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \theta}{\partial y^2}\right) + E_c\left(\left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x}\right)^2\right) \tag{2.15}$$

$$Sc\left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y}\right) = \left(\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y^2}\right) \tag{2.16}$$

where

$$G = \frac{g\beta(T_h - T_c)a^3}{v^2}$$

(Grashof number)

$$P = \mu c_p / K_1$$

(Prandtl number)

$$Ra = \frac{\beta g(T_g - T_c)Ka}{v^2}$$

(Rayleigh Number)

$$Sc = \frac{v}{D}$$

(Schmidt Number)

$$N = \frac{\beta^*(C_h - C_c)}{\beta(T_h - T_c)}$$

(Buoyancy ratio)

$$Ec = \left(\frac{a^4}{\mu K K_1 \Delta T}\right)$$

(Eckert number)

$$\gamma = \frac{\beta_1(C_h - C_c)\phi}{\beta_0 v^2}$$

(Density ratio)

The boundary conditions are

$$\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} = 0, \quad \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y} = 0 \quad \text{on } x = 0 \text{ \& 1}$$

(2.17)

$$\theta = 1 \quad \phi = 1 \quad \text{on } x = 0$$

$$\theta = 0 \quad \phi = 0 \quad \text{on } x = 1$$

(2.18)

### 3. Finite Element Analysis and Solution of the Problem:

The region is divided into a finite number of three node triangular elements, in each of which the element equation is derived using Galerkin weighted residual method. In each element  $f_i$  the approximate solution for an unknown  $f$  in the variational formulation is expressed as a linear combination of shape function.  $(N_k^i)_{k=1,2,3}$ , which are linear polynomials in  $x$  and  $y$ .

Let  $\psi^i$ ,  $\theta^i$  and  $\phi^i$  be the approximate values of  $\psi$ ,  $\theta$  and  $\phi$  in an element  $\theta_i$ .

$$\psi^i = N_1^i \psi_1^i + N_2^i \psi_2^i + N_3^i \psi_3^i \tag{3.1a}$$

$$\theta^i = N_1^i \theta_1^i + N_2^i \theta_2^i + N_3^i \theta_3^i \tag{3.1b}$$

$$\phi^i = N_1^i \phi_1^i + N_2^i \phi_2^i + N_3^i \phi_3^i \tag{3.1c}$$

Substituting the approximate value  $\psi^i$ ,  $\theta^i$  and  $\phi^i$  for  $\psi$ ,  $\theta$  and  $\phi$  respectively in (2.13),

Repeating the above process with each of  $s$  elements, we obtain sets of such matrix equations. Introducing the global coordinates and global values for  $\theta_p^i$  and making use of inter element continuity and boundary conditions relevant to the problem the above stiffness matrices are assembled to obtain a global matrix equation. This global matrix is  $r \times r$  square matrix if there are  $r$  distinct global nodes in the domain of flow considered.

Similarly substituting  $\psi^i$ ,  $\theta^i$  and  $\phi^i$  in (2.12) and defining the error

and following the Galerkin method we obtain

$$\int_{\Omega} E_3^i \psi_j^i d\Omega = 0$$

(3. 2)

In the problem under consideration, for computational purpose, we choose uniform mesh of 10 triangular element (Fig. ii). The domain has vertices whose global coordinates are (0,0), (1,0) and (1,c) in the non-dimensional form. Let  $e_1, e_2, \dots, e_{10}$  be the ten elements and let  $\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_{10}$  be the global values of  $\theta$  and  $\psi_1, \psi_2, \dots, \psi_{10}$  be the global values of  $\psi$  at the ten global nodes of the domain (Fig. ii).

The 3x3 matrix equations are assembled using connectivity conditions to obtain a 8x8 matrix equations for the global nodes  $\psi_p, \theta_p$  and  $\phi_p$ . The global matrix equations are coupled and are solved under the following iterative procedures. The three equations are thus solved under iteration process until two consecutive iterations differ by a preassigned percentage.

The domain consists three horizontal levels and the solution for  $\Psi$  &  $\theta$  at each level may be expressed in terms of the nodal values as follows,

In the horizontal strip  $0 \leq y \leq \frac{c}{3}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi &= (\Psi_1 N_1^1 + \Psi_2 N_2^1 + \Psi_7 N_7^1) H(1 - \tau_1) \\ &= \Psi_1 (1 - 4x) + \Psi_2 \left(4x - \frac{y}{c}\right) + \Psi_7 \left(\frac{4y}{c} - 1\right) H(1 - \tau_1) \end{aligned}$$

$(0 \leq x \leq \frac{1}{3})$

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi &= (\Psi_2 N_2^3 + \Psi_3 N_3^3 + \Psi_6 N_6^3) H(1 - \tau_2) \\ &+ (\Psi_2 N_2^2 + \Psi_7 N_7^2 + \Psi_6 N_6^2) H(1 - \tau_3) \quad \left(\frac{1}{3} \leq x \leq \frac{2}{3}\right) \\ &= (\Psi_2 2(1 - 2x) + \Psi_3 (4x - \frac{4y}{c} - 1) + \Psi_6 (\frac{4y}{c})) H(1 - \tau_2) \end{aligned}$$

$$+ (\Psi_2 (1 - \frac{4y}{c}) + \Psi_7 (1 + \frac{4y}{c} - 4x) + \Psi_6 (4x - 1)) H(1 - \tau_3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi &= (\Psi_3 N_3^5 + \Psi_4 N_4^5 + \Psi_5 N_5^5) H(1 - \tau_3) \\ &+ (\Psi_3 N_3^4 + \Psi_5 N_5^4 + \Psi_6 N_6^4) H(1 - \tau_4) \quad \left(\frac{2}{3} \leq x \leq 1\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (\Psi_3 (3 - 4x) + \Psi_4 (2x - \frac{2y}{c} - 1) + \Psi_6 (\frac{4y}{c} - 4x + 3)) H(1 - \tau_3) \\ &+ \Psi_3 (1 - \frac{4y}{c}) + \Psi_5 (4x - 3) + \Psi_6 (\frac{4y}{c}) H(1 - \tau_4) \end{aligned}$$

Along the strip  $\frac{c}{3} \leq y \leq \frac{2c}{3}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi &= (\Psi_7 N_7^6 + \Psi_6 N_6^6 + \Psi_8 N_8^6) H(1 - \tau_2) \quad \left(\frac{1}{3} \leq x \leq 1\right) \\ &+ (\Psi_6 N_6^7 + \Psi_9 N_9^7 + \Psi_8 N_8^7) H(1 - \tau_3) + (\Psi_6 N_6^8 + \Psi_5 N_5^8 + \Psi_9 N_9^8) H(1 - \tau_4) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi &= (\Psi_7 2(1 - 2x) + \Psi_6 (4x - 3) + \Psi_8 (\frac{4y}{c} - 1)) H(1 - \tau_2) \\ &+ \Psi_6 (2(1 - \frac{2y}{c}) + \Psi_9 (\frac{4y}{c} - 1) + \Psi_8 (1 + \frac{4y}{c} - 4x)) H(1 - \tau_4) \\ &+ \Psi_6 (4(1 - x) + \Psi_5 (4x - \frac{4y}{c} - 1) + \Psi_9 (2(\frac{2y}{c} - 1))) H(1 - \tau_5) \end{aligned}$$

Along the strip  $\frac{2c}{3} \leq y \leq c$

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi &= (\Psi_8 N_8^9 + \Psi_9 N_9^9 + \Psi_{10} N_{10}^9) H(1 - \tau_6) \\ &\quad \left(\frac{2}{3} \leq x \leq 1\right) \\ &= \Psi_8 (4(1 - x) + \Psi_9 (4x - \frac{y}{c}) + \Psi_{10} (2(\frac{4y}{c} - 3))) H(1 - \tau_6) \end{aligned}$$

where  $\tau_1 = 4x$ ,  $\tau_2 = 2x$ ,  $\tau_3 = \frac{4x}{3}$ ,

$$\tau_4 = 4(x - \frac{y}{c}), \quad \tau_5 = 2(x - \frac{y}{c}), \quad \tau_6 = \frac{4}{3}(x - \frac{y}{c})$$

and H represents the Heaviside function.

The expressions for  $\theta$  are

In the horizontal strip  $0 \leq y \leq \frac{c}{3}$

$$\begin{aligned} \theta &= [\theta_1 (1 - 4x) + \theta_2 (4x - \frac{y}{c}) + \theta_7 (\frac{4y}{c})] H(1 - \tau_1) \\ &\quad \left(0 \leq x \leq \frac{1}{3}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \theta &= (\theta_2 (2(1 - 2x) + \theta_3 (4x - \frac{4y}{c} - 1) + \theta_6 (\frac{4y}{c})) H(1 - \tau_2) \\ &+ \theta_2 (1 - \frac{4y}{c}) + \theta_7 (1 + \frac{4y}{c} - 4x) + \theta_6 (4x - 1)) H(1 - \tau_3) \\ &\quad \left(\frac{1}{3} \leq x \leq \frac{2}{3}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \theta &= \theta_3 (3 - 4x) + 2\theta_4 (2x - \frac{2y}{c} - 1) + \theta_6 (\frac{4y}{c} - 4x + 3) H(1 - \tau_3) \\ &+ (\theta_3 (1 - \frac{4y}{c}) + \theta_5 (4x - 3) + \theta_6 (\frac{4y}{c})) H(1 - \tau_4) \\ &\quad \left(\frac{2}{3} \leq x \leq 1\right) \end{aligned}$$

Along the strip  $\frac{c}{3} \leq y \leq \frac{2c}{3}$

$$\begin{aligned} \theta &= (\theta_7 (2(1 - 2x) + \theta_6 (4x - 3) + \theta_8 (\frac{4y}{c} - 1)) H(1 - \tau_2) \\ &\quad \left(\frac{1}{3} \leq x \leq \frac{2}{3}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$+ (\theta_6 (2(1 - \frac{2y}{c}) + \theta_9 (\frac{4y}{c} - 1) + \theta_8 (1 + \frac{4y}{c} - 4x)) H(1 - \tau_4)$$

$$+(\theta_6(4(1-x))+\theta_5(4x-\frac{4y}{c}-1)+\theta_9 2(\frac{4y}{c}-1)) H(1-\tau_5)$$

Along the strip  $\frac{2c}{3} \leq y \leq 1$

$$\theta = (\theta_8 4(1-x) + \theta_9 4(x-\frac{y}{c}) + \theta_{10}(\frac{4y}{c}-3)) H(1-\tau_6)$$

$$(\frac{2}{3} \leq x \leq 1)$$

The expressions for  $\phi$  are

$$\phi = [\phi_1(1-4x) + \phi_2 4(x-\frac{y}{c}) + \phi_7 (\frac{4y}{c})] H(1-\tau_1)$$

$$(0 \leq x \leq \frac{1}{3})$$

$$\phi = (\phi_2(2(1-2x)) + \phi_3(4x-\frac{4y}{c}-1) + \phi_6(\frac{4y}{c})) H(1-\tau_2)$$

Along the strip  $\frac{2c}{3} \leq y \leq 1$

$$\phi = (\phi_8 4(1-x) + \phi_9 4(x-\frac{y}{c}) + \phi_{10}(\frac{4y}{c}-3)) H(1-\tau_6)$$

$$(\frac{2}{3} \leq x \leq 1)$$

The dimensionless Nusselt numbers (Nu) and Sherwood Numbers (Sh) on the non-insulated boundary walls of the rectangular duct are calculated using the formula

$$Nu = (\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x})_{x=1} \text{ and } Sh = (\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x})_{x=1}$$

Nusselt Number on the side wall  $x=1$  in different regions are

$$Nu_1 = 2-4\theta_3 \quad (0 \leq y \leq h/3)$$

$$Nu_2 = 2-4\theta_5 \quad (h/3 \leq y \leq 2h/3)$$

$$Nu_3 = 2-4\theta_7 \quad (2h/3 \leq y \leq h)$$

$$+\phi_2(1-\frac{4y}{c}) + \phi_7(1+\frac{4y}{c}-4x) + \phi_6(4x-1) H(1-\tau_3)$$

$(\frac{1}{3} \leq x \leq \frac{2}{3})$

$$\phi = \phi_3(3-4x) + 2\phi_4(2x-\frac{2y}{c}-1) + \phi_6(\frac{4y}{c}-4x+3) H(1-\tau_3)$$

$$+(\phi_3(1-\frac{4y}{c}) + \phi_5(4x-3) + \phi_6(\frac{4y}{c})) H(1-\tau_4) \quad (\frac{2}{3} \leq x \leq 1)$$

Along the strip  $\frac{c}{3} \leq y \leq \frac{2c}{3}$

$$\phi = (\phi_7(2(1-2x)) + \phi_6(4x-3) + \phi_8(\frac{4y}{c}-1)) H(1-\tau_3)$$

$$(\frac{1}{3} \leq x \leq \frac{2}{3})$$

$$+(\phi_6(2(1-\frac{2y}{c})) + \phi_9(\frac{4y}{c}-1) + \phi_8(1+\frac{4y}{c}-4x)) H(1-\tau_4)$$

$$+(\phi_6(4(1-x)) + \phi_5(4x-\frac{4y}{c}-1) + \phi_9 2(\frac{4y}{c}-1)) H(1-\tau_5)$$

Sherwood Number on the side wall  $x=1$  in different regions are

$$Sh_1 = 2-4\phi_3 \quad (0 \leq y \leq h/3)$$

$$Sh_2 = 2-4\phi_5 \quad (h/3 \leq y \leq 2h/3)$$

$$Sh_3 = 2-4\phi_7 \quad (2h/3 \leq y \leq h)$$

For  $\gamma = 0$  the results are in good agreement with Shanthi (7).

4. Discussion of The Numerical Results:

In this analysis we investigate the effect of non-linear density temperature variation on double diffusive convective heat transfer flow of the viscous fluid through a porous medium in a rectangular cavity in the presence of constant heat source with radiation. The equations governing the flow heat and mass transfer are solved by employing by a finite element Galerkin method with three noded triangular element.

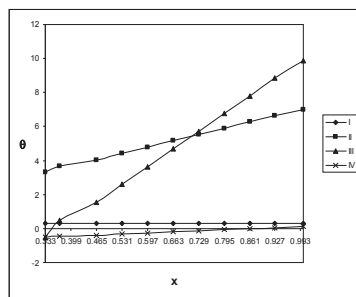


Fig. 1: Variation of  $\theta$  with  $N_i$  at  $y = \frac{h}{3}$  level

I	II	III	IV	
$N_i$	0.01	0.03	0.05	0.07

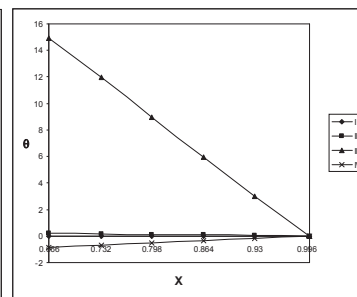


Fig. 2: Variation of  $\theta$  with  $N_i$  at  $y = \frac{2h}{3}$  level

I	II	III	IV	
$N_i$	0.01	0.03	0.05	0.07

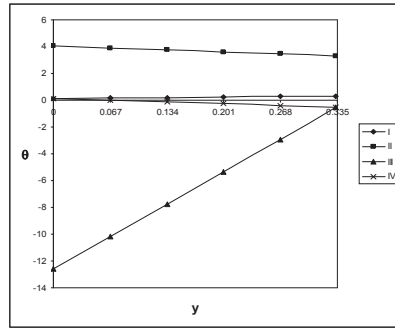


Fig. 3 : Variation of  $\theta$  with  $N_1$  at  $x = \frac{1}{3}$  level

	I	II	III	IV
$N_1$	0.01	0.03	0.05	0.07

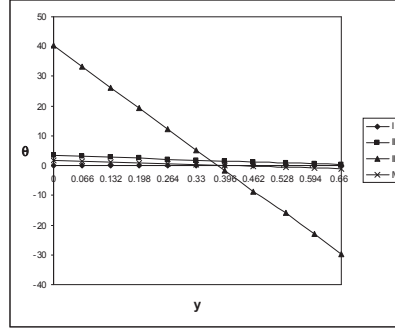


Fig. 4 : Variation of  $\theta$  with  $N_1$  at  $x = \frac{2}{3}$  level

	I	II	III	IV
$N_1$	0.01	0.03	0.05	0.07

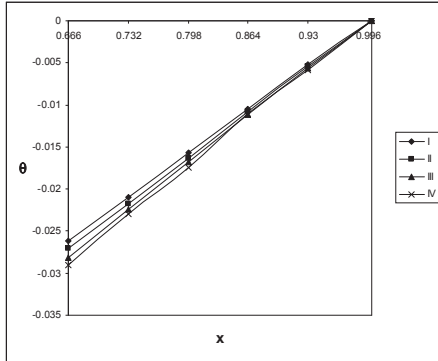


Fig. 5 : Variation of  $\theta$  with  $Ec$  at  $y = \frac{h}{3}$  level

	I	II	III	IV
$Ec$	0.001	0.003	0.005	0.007

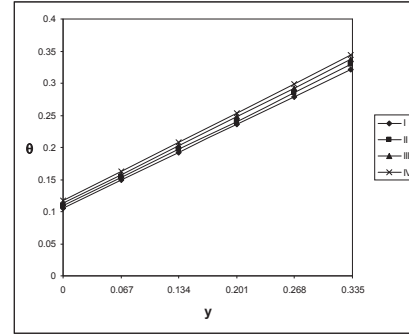


Fig. 6 : Variation of  $\theta$  with  $Ec$  at  $x = \frac{1}{3}$  level

	I	II	III	IV
$Ec$	0.001	0.003	0.005	0.007

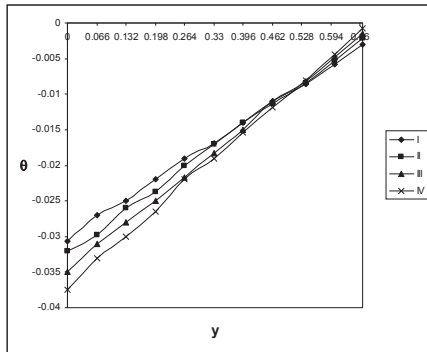


Fig. 7 : Variation of  $\theta$  with  $Ec$  at  $x = \frac{2}{3}$  level

	I	II	III	IV
$Ec$	0.001	0.003	0.005	0.007

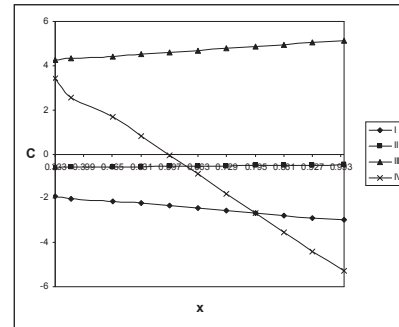


Fig. 8 : Variation of  $C$  with  $N_1$  at  $y = \frac{h}{3}$  level

	I	II	III	IV
$N_1$	0.01	0.03	0.05	0.07

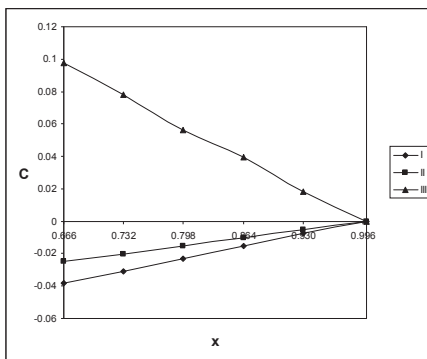


Fig. 9 : Variation of  $C$  with  $N_1$  at  $y = \frac{2h}{3}$  level

	I	II	III	IV
$N_1$	0.01	0.03	0.05	0.07

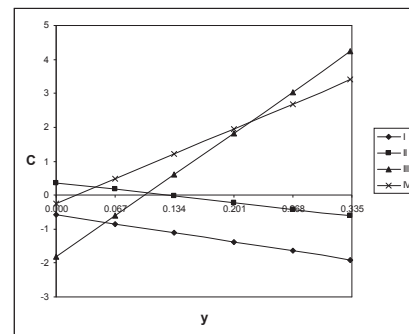


Fig. 10 : Variation of  $C$  with  $N_1$  at  $x = \frac{1}{3}$  level

	I	II	III	IV
$N_1$	0.01	0.03	0.05	0.07

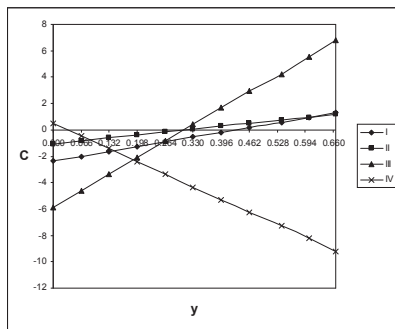


Fig. 11 : Variation of C with  $N_1$  at  $x = \frac{2}{3}$  level  
 I II III IV  
 $N_1$  0.01 0.03 0.05 0.07

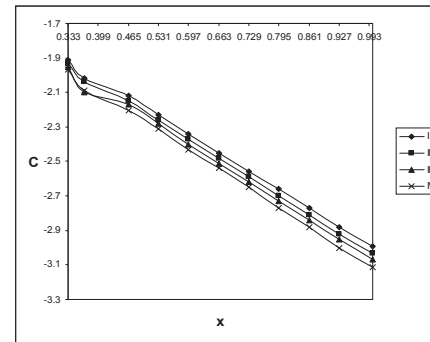


Fig.12: Variation of C with  $Ec$  at  $y = \frac{h}{3}$  level  
 I II III IV  
 $Ec$  0.001 0.003 0.005 0.007

The temperature distribution ( $\theta$ ) is shown in figures 1 –7 for different values of radiation parameter  $N_1$ , and Eckert number  $Ec$  at different horizontal and vertical levels. The influence of radiative heat flux on  $\theta$  is shown in figures 1-4. An increase in  $N_1 \leq 0.05$  results in an enhancement in actual temperature and reduces with higher  $N_1 \geq 0.07$  at all horizontal levels. While at vertical level  $x = 1/3$  the actual temperature enhances with  $N_1 \leq 0.03$  and reduces at  $N_1 = 0.05$  and again enhances with  $N_1 = 0.07$  and at the higher vertical level  $x = 2/3$  the actual temperature enhances with  $N_1 \leq 0.05$  and depreciates with higher  $N_1 \geq 0.07$  (fig.4). The effect of viscous dissipation on  $\theta$  is shown in figures 5-7. It is observed that the actual temperature enhances at  $y = h/3$  level and depreciates at  $y = 2h/3$  level. While it enhances at  $x = 1/3$  level and depreciates at  $x = 2/3$  level. The non-dimensional

concentration  $C$  is shown in figures 8-12 for a different parametric values at horizontal and vertical levels. It is found that at both the horizontal levels the actual concentration enhances with increase in  $N_1 \leq 0.05$  and depreciates with higher  $N_1 \geq 0.07$  (figures 8 & 9). While at the vertical levels the actual concentration enhances with increase in  $N_1 \leq 0.05$  and with higher  $N_1 \geq 0.07$  the actual concentration enhances at  $X = 1/3$  level and depreciates at  $X = 2/3$  level (figures 10 & 11).

Figure 12 represents the variation of  $C$  with Eckert number  $Ec$ . It is found that the actual concentration experiences a depreciation with increase in  $Ec$  with all levels. Thus the greater the dissipative heat smaller the actual concentration in the flow region.

Table – 1  
 Nusselt Number ( $Nu$ ) at  $x=1$

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII
$Nu_1$	2.12293	-11.7616	-15.3216	-4.41056	0.67912	0.651136	0.623036
$Nu_2$	2.06762	-5.40572	-18.8721	0.74653	0.750204	0.72464	0.699704
$Nu_3$	2.01231	0.95015	12.5776	5.90362	0.820696	0.79815	0.77637
$N_1$	0.01	0.03	0.05	0.07	0.01	0.01	0.01
$Ec$	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.003	0.005	0.007

Table – 2  
 Sherwood number ( $Sh$ ) at  $x=1$

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII
$Sh_1$	11.481	6.22932	12.6391	13.027152	9.73188	9.81812	9.91372
$Sh_2$	4.16126	1.76094	3.241536	19.4076	11.92632	12.04908	12.18536
$Sh_3$	-3.1584	-2.7074	-25.156	38.84236	14.12072	14.28008	14.457
$N_1$	0.01	0.03	0.05	0.07	0.01	0.01	0.01
$Ec$	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.003	0.005	0.007

The Nusselt number ( $Nu$ ) at  $X = 1$  is shown in tables 1 at different levels. The variation of  $Nu$  with radiation parameter  $N_1$  and Eckert number  $Ec$  is

exhibited in table-1. It is observed that the rate of heat transfer enhances with increase in the radiation parameter  $N_1 \leq 0.05$  and depreciates with  $N_1$

$\geq 0.07$  at all three quadrants where an increase in  $Ec$  reduces  $Nu$  at all three quadrants.

The rate of mass transfer ( $Sh$ ) at  $X = 1$  at all different levels is shown in Table 2 for different values of  $N_1$  and  $Ec$ . The variation of  $Sh$  with radiation parameter  $N_1$  shows that the rate of mass transfer at

all the quadrants depreciates with  $N_1 \leq 0.03$  and enhances with higher  $N_1 \geq 0.03$ . Also  $Sh$  reduces in the first quadrant with  $Ec \leq 0.03$  and enhances with  $Ec \geq 0.05$  while at the second and upper quadrants  $Sh$  experiences an enhancement with increase in  $Ec$  (table 2).

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