

# **A numerical study of Two-Dimensional Magnetized Bioconvective Unsteady fluid flow in two Stretching Parallel Plates with Internal Heating and Chemical Reaction Effects**

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**Abstract:** Driven by scientific development, the bio-convection unsteady nanofluid flow has gained enormous attention in research due to its applications in various disciplines such as biosensors, biological polymer synthesis, pharmaceuticals, microbial improved oil recovery, and environment-friendly applications. As such, this study aims to investigate the mixed bio-convective magnetized and electrically conducting 2-dimensional flow in view of two extended wall channels subjected to MHD, thermal radiation, and binary chemical reaction effects. A mathematical framework is developed underflow of a nonofluid based on certain conditions. The implication of Soret and Dufour impacts is considered in the model problem. Such a nonlinear mathematical model is tackled by invoking similarity solutions for mass conservation, momentum, temperature, concentration, and micro-organisms expressions. The dimensionless principles (ODEs) are addressed by the efficacy Nactsheim-Swigert shooting along with the iteration process, explicitly through shooting technique (RK-4). The outlines of distinguished emerging constraints on flow fields are offered through the plotted graphic visuals. The impact of physical quantities of engineering interest is offered numerically via tabulated values.

## **1. Introduction**

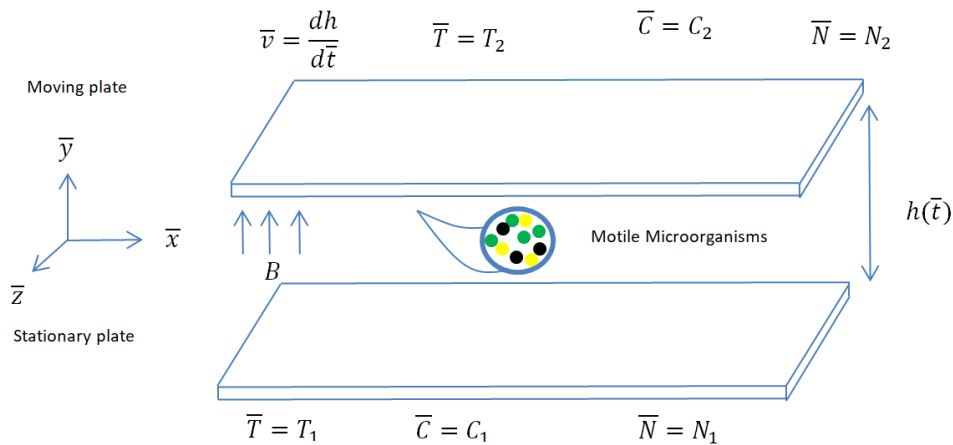
Numerous researchers, mathematicians, engineers, and scientists from several disciplines of science are currently interested in a variety of non-Newtonian fluids known as nano-liquids. Because of their widespread application in different manufacturing units which includes solar steam generation, electronic component freezing, aerospace tribology, and medical suspension sterilisation. According to Pal and Mondal [1], bio-convection improves the stability of the nanofluid flow. Kuznetsov and Avramenko [2] investigated bio-convection in fluid flow with gyrotactic bacteria and nano-size particles. Khan et al. [3] examined the boundary layer nanofluid flow of microorganisms with Naiver slip condition through a vertical channel. The impact of the gyrotactic microbe density factor on bio-convection flow over a stretching surface was studied by Tham et al. [4]. The fully developed flow of nanofluid in a horizontally flat conduit containing gyrotactic bacteria and nanoparticles was studied by Xu et al. [5]. Raees et al. [6] reported an unstable bio convective flow of Newtonian fluid including nanoparticles between two extended plate channels. Fluid flow in a horizontal channel with gyrotactic microorganisms, including nanoparticles, was explored by Mosayebidorcheh et al. [7]. Shen et al. [8] employed

HAM to explore bio-convective nanofluid flow with radiation and velocity slip effects moving motile microorganisms across a stretched surface. The analytical approach assisted Nagaraju et al. [9] in exploring the flow in a cylinder projected vertically under the influence of heat source/sink effects uniformly. Semi analytic solutions were obtained by Yusuf and Gambo [10] while studying the free convective flow of an incompressible liquid including heat source or sink properties over a cylinder with a porous material placed vertically. Dawar et al. [11] noticed attractive results on the stream of viscoelastic and Newtonian liquid with heat generation/absorption. Under the idea of a small Reynolds number and applying Debye-Huckel approximations over the energy and momentum equation, the solution is obtained by Shaheen et al. [12]. Thumma and Mishra [13] worked analytically using the Adomian decomposition method over the Eyring- Powell nanofluid flow over a sheet that is stretched. Temperature and heat sink/source effects were discussed in detail. Cu-water nanofluid is covered in a squared cavity and partial slip effect along the horizontal walls. Shukla et al. [14] investigated heat transfer in bioconvective nanofluid flow under the influence of solar flux, radiation, and oblique magnetic fields. Cheng [15] used the Soret and Dufour effects on a saturated fluid flow in a porous medium to explain natural convection. Hayat et al. [16] investigated the impact of Soret and Dufour on viscoelastic fluid flow through a porous surface in the presence of a magnetic field. Hayat et al. [17] examined hydromagnetic properties in the 3D flow of couple stress nano liquid. Numerical treatment for mixed convective nanoliquid flow in a lid-driven square cavity with three triangular heating blocks is reported by Boulahia et al. [18]. Hayat et al. [19] discussed the impact of the hydromagnetic 3D flow of nanoliquid induced by a nonlinear actuating sheet with the convective condition. Nanomaterial transport impact on hydromagnetic mixed convective nanofluids flow in micro-annuli with temperature-dependent thermophysical features is scrutinized by Malvandi et al. [20]. Hayat et al. [21] elaborated Darcy-Forchheimer 3D flow of Williamson nanofluid over a convectively heated nonlinearly moving surface. Numerical treatment for Magnetohydrodynamic three-dimensional radiative slip flow of nanofluids induced by a nonlinear accelerating surface is performed by Mahanthesh et al. [22]. Liu et al. [23] used lattice Boltzmann theory to create a dual-diffusion natural convective flow based on multi-relaxation phenomena with Soret and Dufour effects. They showed how to leverage the Soret and Dufour influences to create double-diffuse natural convection flow. In a Carreau fluid flow with Soret and Dufour effects, Sardar et al. [24] examined mixed convection processes. Bilal Ashraf et al. [25] addressed the mixed convective MHD viscoelastic fluid flow with Soret and Dufour impacts. Jiang et al. [26] have good results in simultaneous heat and mass transmission processes with Soret and Dufour effects. Hafeez et al. [27] investigated fluid flow across a disc exhibiting thermophoresis, Soret, and Dufour effects. Hannes Alfven was the first to invent and introduce magneto hydrodynamics in 1970. Drug targeting, astrophysics, MHD pumps, metallurgy, ship propulsion, turbulent drag reduction, and fusion reactors are examples of MHD uses in health sciences and engineering. The aforementioned utilizations of MHD motivate scientists to develop novel models in the field of fluid dynamics [28–31]. MHD flow across a variety of geometries relevant to engineering is a fascinating and worthwhile subject of

research. Patel and Singh [32] investigated MHD, micropolar fluid flow with Brownian diffusion, and the convective boundary condition. A steady MHD hybrid nanofluid flow was examined by Aly and Pop [33] over a permeable flat plate. Rashid et al. [34] investigated the effects of radiation on the MHD boundary layer flow over a porous shrinking sheet. Waini et al. [35] explored magnetic field interactions with steady fluid flow through a permeable wedge. Sheikhpour et al. [36] analyzed nanofluids usage in biomedical, imaging, drug delivery as well as anti-bacterial fields. In recent years, transmission in porous media is an interesting incident, so it was utilized by Khanafer and Vafai [37] for investigation of uses regarding nanofluids. Heat transfer, as well as flow features of nanofluid flow having forced and free convection, was reviewed by Wang and Mujumdar [38].

## 2. Mathematical Formulation

Assuming an unsteady hydro-magnetic and electrically conducting bio-convective 2D flow of nanofluid between two extended plates channel subject to first order binary reaction, and the impact of Dufour and Soret are considered in modeling the flow problem. Figure 1 portrays the geometry and coordinate system selected in such a way that the  $x$ -direction is taken in the direction of the lower plate and  $y$ -axis normal to flow. The magnetic field is assumed in the normal direction. The plates are at  $y = h(\bar{t}) = (\nu(1-at)/b)^{0.5}$  distance apart, and the upper plate is move away from the lower plate with  $\bar{v}(\bar{t}) = dh/d\bar{t}$ . Where,  $\bar{t}$  is time,  $\nu$  kinetic viscosity, and  $a, b$  are constants. Moreover,  $1-at \geq 0$  shows that  $\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac} 1/t > 0$ . Obviously,  $a = 0$  designates plates are stationary,  $0 < a < 1/t$  show that upper plate is squeezed against the lower one, and  $a < 0$  show that the upper plate is move away from the lower plate. It is considered that both walls are preserved at a constant binary reaction concentration  $C_1$  and  $C_2$ , constant temperatures  $T_1$ ,  $T_2$  and constant microorganisms  $N_1$  and  $N_2$ .



**Fig. 1** Flow configuration of the problem

The constitutive flow system under specified assumptions is as follows:

$$\nabla \cdot \bar{V} = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial \bar{V}}{\partial t} + (\nabla \cdot \bar{V}) \bar{V} = \nu \nabla^2 \bar{V} + \frac{1}{\rho} (J \times B) - \frac{1}{\rho} \nabla p \quad (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial \bar{T}}{\partial t} + \bar{V} \cdot \nabla \bar{T} = \alpha \nabla^2 \bar{T} + \frac{Q_s(\bar{t})}{\rho c_p} (\bar{T} - \bar{T}_0) + J \quad (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial \bar{C}}{\partial t} + \bar{V} \cdot \nabla \bar{C} = D \nabla^2 \bar{C} + k(\bar{t}) (\bar{C} - \bar{C}_0) + R \quad (4)$$

$$\frac{\partial \bar{N}}{\partial t} = -\nabla \cdot j \quad (5)$$

Where  $B$ ,  $J$ ,  $\bar{V}$ ,  $p$ ,  $\rho$ ,  $\nu$ ,  $\alpha$ ,  $\bar{T}$ ,  $\bar{T}_0$ ,  $D$ ,  $\bar{C}$ ,  $\bar{C}_0$ ,  $Q_s(\bar{t})$ ,  $\bar{N}$ ,  $K(\bar{t})$  and  $j$  are magnetic field, electric current density, velocity vector, pressure, fluid density, kinematic viscosity, thermal diffusivity, temperature, reference temperature, mass diffusivity, concentration, reference concentration, volumetric heat generation rate, motile microorganism, chemical reaction, and heat flux. Herein  $j = \rho DK_t / C_s \nabla^2 \bar{C}$  is the Dufour effect given by Frick's law,  $R$  is the flux concentration due to the temperature difference known as Soret effect from Fourier's law,  $R_c = q/A = DK_t / T_m \nabla^2 \bar{T}$ ,  $K_t$ ,  $D$ , and  $T_m$  is the thermal diffusion ratio, coefficient of diffusion, and mean temperature.

The respective component form of Eq. (2) for 2-dimenssional fluid flow may be expressed as:

$$\frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} = \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} + \nu \left( \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial x^2} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial y^2} \right) - \frac{\sigma}{\rho} B^2(t) \bar{u} \quad (6)$$

$$\frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial y} = -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial p}{\partial y} + \nu \left( \frac{\partial^2 \bar{v}}{\partial x^2} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial^2 \bar{v}}{\partial y^2} \right) \quad (7)$$

By simplifying Eqs. (6) and (7), the following transformation is used given in Eq. (8):

$$\varsigma = \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} = -\nabla \xi \quad (8)$$

In view of the above assumptions the resulting equations may be expressed as:

Mass conservation relation

$$\frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial y} = 0 \quad (9)$$

Momentum expression

$$\frac{\partial \bar{\zeta}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{\zeta}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{\zeta}}{\partial y} = \nu \left( \frac{\partial^2 \bar{\zeta}}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{\zeta}}{\partial y^2} \right) - \frac{\sigma}{\rho} B^2(t) \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} \quad (10)$$

Energy appearance

$$\frac{\partial \bar{T}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{T}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{T}}{\partial y} = \frac{k}{\rho c_p} \left( \frac{\partial^2 \bar{T}}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{T}}{\partial y^2} \right) + \frac{1}{\rho c_p} Q_s(t) (\bar{T} - \bar{T}_0) + \frac{Dk_t}{c_s c_p} \left( \frac{\partial^2 \bar{C}}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{C}}{\partial y^2} \right) \quad (11)$$

Concentration equation

$$\frac{\partial \bar{C}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{C}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{C}}{\partial y} = D \left( \frac{\partial^2 \bar{C}}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{C}}{\partial y^2} \right) + K(t) (\bar{C} - \bar{C}_0) + \frac{Dk_t}{T_m} \left( \frac{\partial^2 \bar{T}}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{T}}{\partial y^2} \right) \quad (12)$$

Motile gyrotactic microorganisms

$$\frac{\partial \bar{N}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \bar{N} \tilde{v}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{N} \tilde{v}}{\partial y} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{N}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{N}}{\partial y} = D_m \left( \frac{\partial^2 \bar{N}}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{N}}{\partial y^2} \right) \quad (13)$$

Conditions are:

$$\begin{cases} \bar{y} = 0: \bar{u} = 0, \bar{v} = 0, \bar{T} = T_1, \bar{C} = C_1, \bar{N} = N_1 \\ \bar{y} = h(\bar{t}): \bar{u} = 0, \bar{v} = \frac{dh}{dt}, \bar{T} = T_2, \bar{C} = C_2, \bar{N} = N_2 \end{cases} \quad (14)$$

where  $\bar{u} = \frac{\partial \bar{\xi}}{\partial y}$  and  $\bar{v} = -\frac{\partial \bar{\xi}}{\partial x}$  are velocity factors,  $\bar{\zeta} = -\nabla^2 \bar{\xi}$  is the vorticity function,  $\bar{N}$  is the microorganisms density,  $W_c$  is the cell moment,  $\tilde{v} = b_c W_c / (C_1 - \bar{C}_0) \partial \bar{C} / \partial \bar{y}$  denote the microorganisms average velocity,  $b_c$  constant, and  $D_m$  diffusivity of microorganisms.

Following similarity variables are suggested:

$$\xi(\bar{x}, \bar{y}) = \left( \frac{b\nu}{1-at} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} x F(\chi), \quad \bar{u} = \frac{bx}{1-at} F'(\chi), \quad \bar{v} = - \left( \frac{b\nu}{1-at} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} F(\chi), \quad \chi = \left( \frac{b}{\nu(1-at)} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \bar{y}, \quad (15)$$

$$T(\chi) = \frac{\bar{T} - \bar{T}_0}{T_1 - \bar{T}_0}, \quad C(\chi) = \frac{\bar{C} - \bar{C}_0}{C_1 - \bar{C}_0}, \quad w(\chi) = \frac{\bar{N}}{N_1}$$

One gets the resulting nonlinear couples system of equations with aid of Eq. (15) in Eqs. (9)–(12) in the dimensionless form as:

$$F'''' - MF'' - \beta\chi F''' - 3\beta F' - F''F' + F'''F = 0 \quad (16)$$

$$T'' + \text{Pr}(QT - \beta\chi T' + FT' + D_f C') = 0 \quad (17)$$

$$C'' - Sc(KrC - \beta\chi C' + FC' + SrT'') = 0 \quad (18)$$

$$w'' - Sc(\beta\chi w' - Fw') - Pe(\chi C'' + C'w') = 0 \quad (19)$$

with extremes conditions:

$$\begin{cases} \chi = 0: F = 0, F' = 0, T = 1, C = 1, w = 1 \\ \chi = 1: F = \beta, F' = 0, T = \delta_T, C = \delta_C, w = \delta_w \end{cases} \quad (20)$$

Here, the symbols/parameters

$$\beta = \frac{2}{2b}, \quad M = \frac{\sigma}{\nu\rho B_0^2}, \quad \text{Pr} = \frac{\rho C_p \nu}{k}, \quad Df = \frac{Dk_{\bar{T}}(C_1 - \bar{C}_0)}{\nu C_p (T_1 - \bar{T}_0)}, \quad Q = \frac{Q_0}{\rho C_p}, \quad St = \frac{Dk_{\bar{T}}(T_1 - \bar{T}_0)}{\nu \bar{T}_m (C_1 - \bar{C}_0)},$$

$$Le = \frac{\alpha}{D}, \quad Sc = \frac{\nu}{D}, \quad Kr = (b/1-at)^{-1} k(\bar{t}) \text{ and } Pe \text{ whereas } \delta_T = T_2 - \bar{T}_0 / T_1 - \bar{T}_0,$$

$$\delta_C = C_2 - \bar{C}_0 / C_1 - \bar{C}_0, \quad \delta_w = N_2 / N_1$$

Labeled as squeezing parameter, magnetic field, Dufour number, heat generation parameter, Soret number, Lewis number, Schmidt number, chemical reaction parameter, and bio convection Peclet number respectively, whereas  $\delta_T$ ,  $\delta_C$ ,  $\delta_w$  are constants. The magnetic field strength and internal heating is defined as  $B_0 = (b/\nu(1-at))^{-\frac{3}{4}} B(\bar{t})$  and  $Q_0 = (b/1-at)^{-1} Q_s(\bar{t})$ .

### 3. Solution methodology

There are numerous methods for addressing nonlinear problems. Solving analytically these types of equations are so tedious due to nature complexity. Thus an efficient and validated numerical algorithm through shooting method references [39-42]. Because of its rapid convergence, it is preferred over many other analytical and numerical approaches. The RK-4 method is intrinsically stable and convergent. In general, this technique has been employed for the BVP because of their exceptionally good stability qualities and fourth-order precision. The iterative procedure is continued until the required results are achieved to meet the convergence requirement up to accuracy point  $10^{-6}$  by taking the step size is 0.01. The preliminary stage needs to shift all the ODEs Eqs. (7)- (10) into first order ODEs. For the convenience of the reader the flow path of the computational framework shown in Fig. 2.

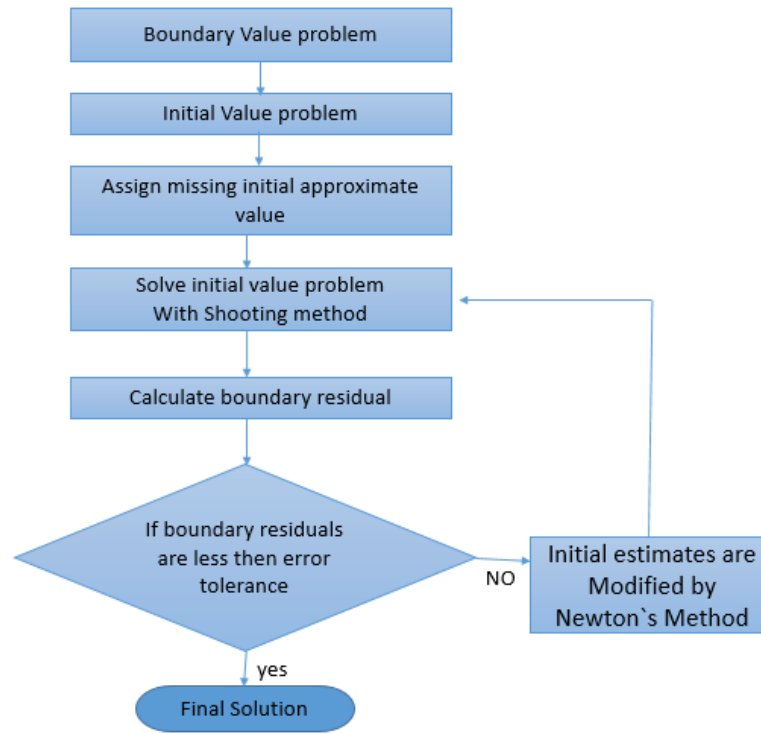
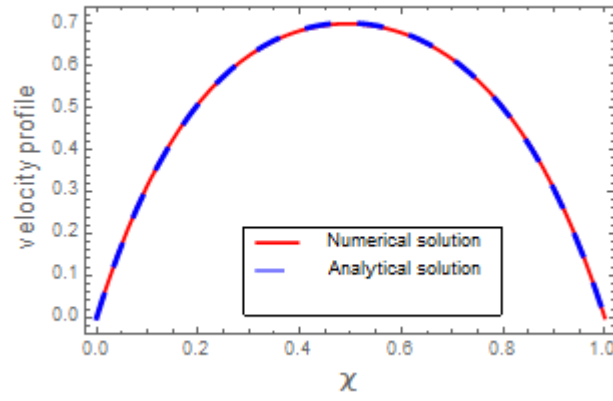


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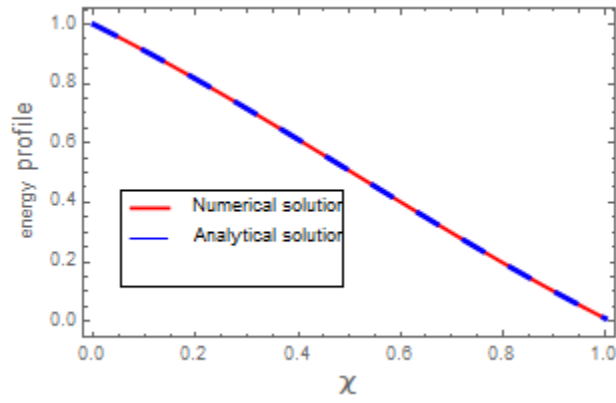
### 3.1 Verification of Code

The correctness of the numerical method is measured by comparison the numerical outcomes on velocity, temperature and nanofluid-concentration from the analytical approach against the current consequences obtained and summarizes the comparison of analytic (HAM) and numerical solution is presented through plotted graphs Fig.3 and tabulated values given in table 1.

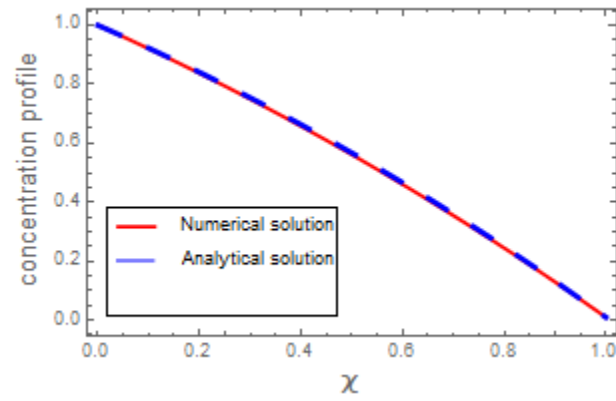
Fig. 3(a–d) Graphical comparisons of  $F'(\chi)$ ,  $T(\chi)$ ,  $C(\chi)$  and  $w(\chi)$  functions



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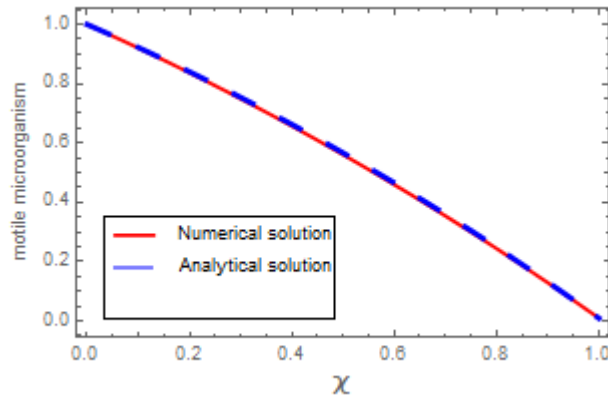


(b)



(c)





(d)

Table 1(a–d) Numerical comparison for velocity, energy, concentration, and motile microorganism

$\eta$	HAM solution	Numerical soltuion	Absolute Error
0.	$-2.71051 \times 10^{-20}$	0.000000	$2.7105 \times 10^{-20}$
0.1	0.315400	0.313749	0.001651
0.2	0.510029	0.509174	0.000855
0.3	0.624514	0.625047	0.000533
0.4	0.683397	0.685000	0.001602
0.5	0.699910	0.701867	0.001957
0.6	0.678548	0.680047	0.001500
0.7	0.615914	0.616275	0.000361
0.8	0.499986	0.498950	0.001035
0.9	0.307648	0.305879	0.001769
1.0	$5.8102 \times 10^{-8}$	$4.8261 \times 10^{-8}$	$9.84119 \times 10^{-9}$

(a)

$\eta$	HAM solution	Numerical soltuion	Absolute Erro
0.	1.000000	1.000000	0.000000
0.1	0.910434	0.910728	0.000295
0.2	0.815189	0.815606	0.000417
0.3	0.715304	0.715698	0.000394
0.4	0.612101	0.612366	0.000266
0.5	0.507096	0.507175	0.000079
0.6	0.401903	0.401789	0.000114
0.7	0.298147	0.297884	0.000263
0.8	0.197370	0.197052	0.000318
0.9	0.100949	0.100708	0.000240
1.0	0.010000	0.010000	$3.588050 \times 10^{-11}$

(b)

$\eta$	HAM solution	Numerical soltuion	Absolute Error
0.0	1.000000	1.000000	0.000000
0.1	0.920602	0.922540	0.001938
0.2	0.837148	0.840714	0.003566
0.3	0.749489	0.754331	0.004842
0.4	0.657506	0.663230	0.005724
0.5	0.561103	0.567267	0.006164
0.6	0.460198	0.466313	0.006115
0.7	0.354719	0.360245	0.005526
0.8	0.244591	0.248938	0.004347
0.9	0.129726	0.132249	0.002524
1.0	0.010000	0.010000	$1.6405 \times 10^{-10}$

(c)

$\eta$	HAM solution	Numerical soltuion	Absolute Error
0.0	1.000000	1.000000	0.000000
0.1	0.920602	0.920797	0.000195
0.2	0.837148	0.837507	0.000359
0.3	0.749489	0.749975	0.000486
0.4	0.657506	0.658080	0.000574
0.5	0.561103	0.561720	0.000617
0.6	0.460198	0.460809	0.000611
0.7	0.354719	0.355270	0.000552
0.8	0.244591	0.245024	0.000433
0.9	0.129726	0.129977	0.000251
1.0	0.010000	0.010000	$1.61663 \times 10^{-11}$

(d)

#### 4. Consequences and discussion

In this section, the numerical solutions of coupled ordinary differential Eqs. (16) – (19) with boundary conditions Eq. (20) are obtained through shooting Fehlberg method. Our central concern is to debate the variation of the parameters such as squeezing parameter  $\beta$ , dimensionless magnetic field  $M$ , heat generation parameter  $Q$ , Dufour number  $Df$ , Soret number  $Sr$ , Schmidt number  $Sc$ , chemical reaction parameter  $K_0$ , and Peclet number  $Pe$  on velocity, energy, concentration, and motile microorganism outlines is presented in Figures 3–16.

From Figure 3, the outlines of  $M$  on the  $F'(\chi)$  profile. It is observed that fluid velocity  $F'(\chi)$  improves quickly with the higher estimation of magnetic parameter, whereas an increase in  $M$  values enhances  $F'(\chi)$  in the vicinities of upper and lower plates, yields decay in  $F'(\chi)$  profile between the plates. Physically, larger magnetic parameter interacts with electrically conductive nanofluid which drags of fluid flow due to Lorentz force. In consequences fluid velocity  $F'(\varsigma)$

profile is diminished. Figure 4 displays the effect of squeezing parameter  $\beta$  on  $F'(\chi)$  outlines. It can be interpreted that velocity profile enhances with the increasing values of the  $\beta$ . This is due to the fact that the accelerated fluid has a greater velocity  $F'(\chi)$ . Figure 5 unveils the outcome of heat generation parameter  $Q$  on thermal field profile  $T(\chi)$ . It can be observed that  $T(\chi)$  rises through the growing values of  $Q$  parameter. Physically, higher estimation of  $Q$  increase the internal energy due to which the kinetic energy of the nanofluid particles increases yields an increment in the thermal boundary layer as well the in the thermal field. Figure 6 designates the result of the binary reaction parameter  $Kr$  on energy  $T(\chi)$  field. It can be perceived that thermal field curve develops with the growing values of  $Kr$  parameter. Attributes of Dufour number  $Df$  on energy field curves  $T(\chi)$  is outlines in Figure 7. It can be witnessed from plot that the energy field is strengthened with the increasing values of Dufour number. An increment in  $Df$  number yields to enhance the concentration. Inconsequence a rapid diffusion in is happened, due to which energy transfer increases in nanoparticles. Consequently,  $T(\chi)$  profile increases. Figure 8 discloses the influence of Soret number  $St$  on temperature curves  $T(\chi)$ . As noticed that the incrementing values of  $St$  number develops the energy field curves  $T(\chi)$ . Figure 9 describes the effect of heat generation parameter  $Q$  on concentration  $C(\chi)$  profile. It is clear from this plot that both  $C(\chi)$  profile and the associated boundary layer thickness are diminishing subject to higher estimation of the heat generation parameter  $Q$ . Figure 10 explains the upshot of the binary reaction parameter  $Kr$  upon  $C(\chi)$  outlines. It can be observed that the changing values of  $Kr$  decreasing the concentration profile as well as the concentration boundary layer. Physically, this decrease in  $C(\chi)$  is because of the decline in molecular diffusivity with larger chemical species. Figure 11 outlines behavior of Dufour number  $Df$  on  $C(\chi)$ . It can be clearly witnessed that concentration profiles dwindles with the expanding values of  $Df$  number. Figure 12 explains the result of Soret number  $St$  on  $C(\chi)$  profile; as noticed that larger estimation of number  $St$  declining the concentration profile. Figure 13 describes  $Sc$  upshot against  $C(\chi)$ . Physically,  $Sc$  and  $D$  are inversely related with each other. Hence, an augmentation in  $Sc$  values reasons decay in the  $C(\chi)$  profile. Physically,  $D$  declines when  $Sc$  number increases. Thus  $C(\chi)$  diminishes for expanding values of  $Sc$ . Figures 14–16 elucidated the consequences of Soret number  $St$  and Dufour number  $Df$  on microorganism's  $w(\chi)$  profile. One can observed a decline trends in  $w(\chi)$  profile for expanding values of both Soret and Dufour numbers is observed in these plots. A greater  $St$  and  $Df$  optimum reduces the density of motile microorganism  $w(\chi)$  profile shown in Figure 14 and 15. Figure 16 explained that the pattern for Peclet number  $Pe$  against motile

microorganism  $w(\chi)$  profile. The increasing values of  $Pe$  parameter there is a decreasing behavior in  $w(\chi)$  profile. The empirical impacts of this propensity are related to a decay in motile-diffusivity due to which a loss in  $w(\chi)$  as well as in decline in the density of microorganism.

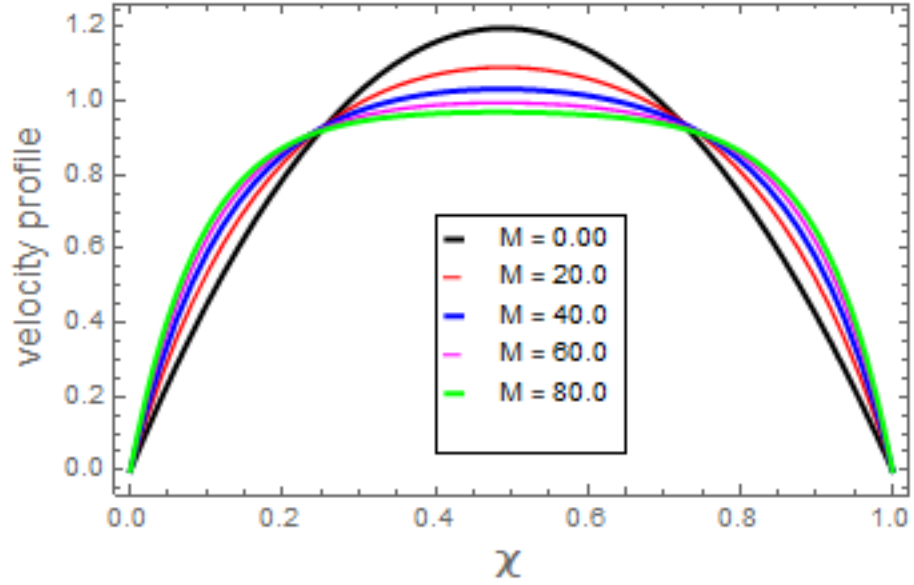


Fig. 3 Result of  $M$  against  $F'(\chi)$

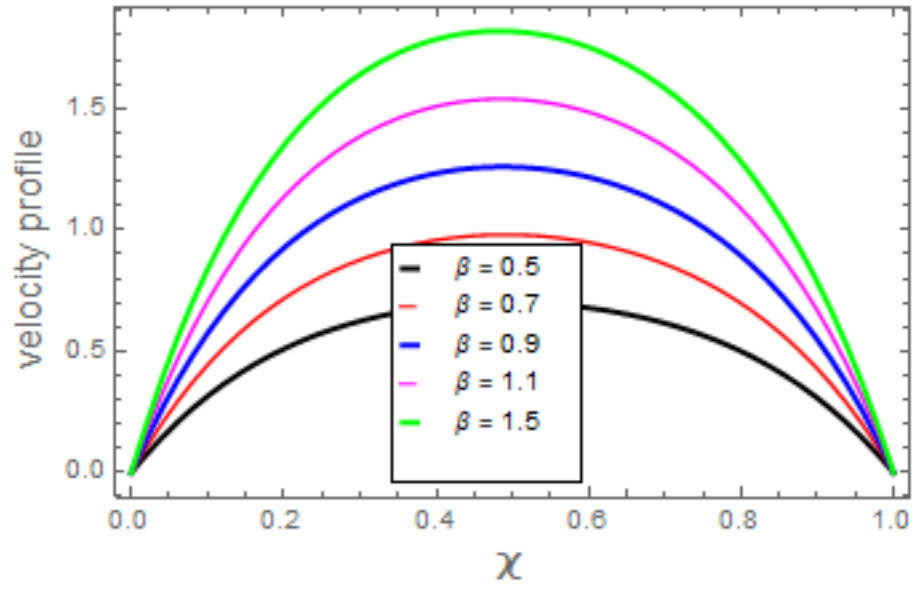


Fig. 4 Result of  $\beta$  against  $F'(\chi)$

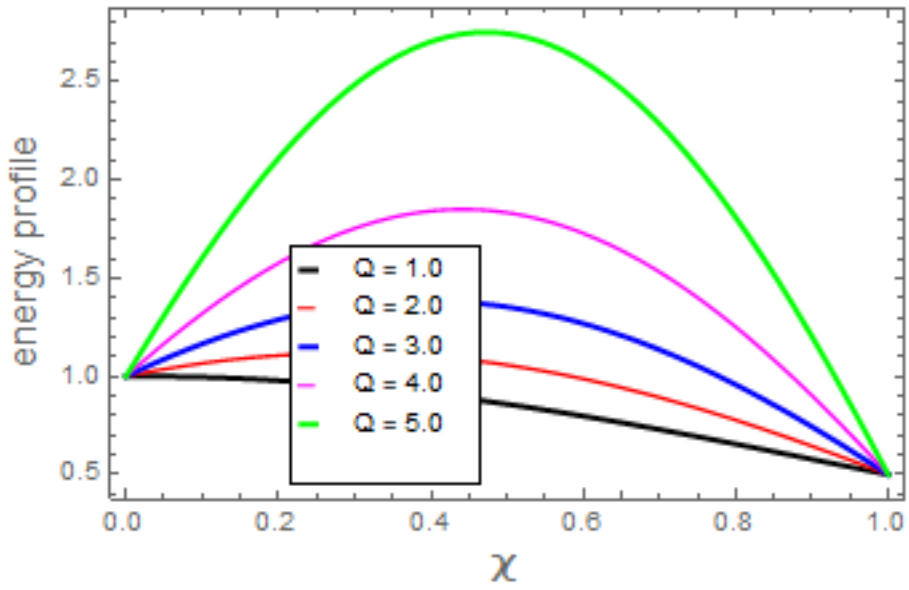


Fig. 5 Result of  $Q$  against  $T(\chi)$

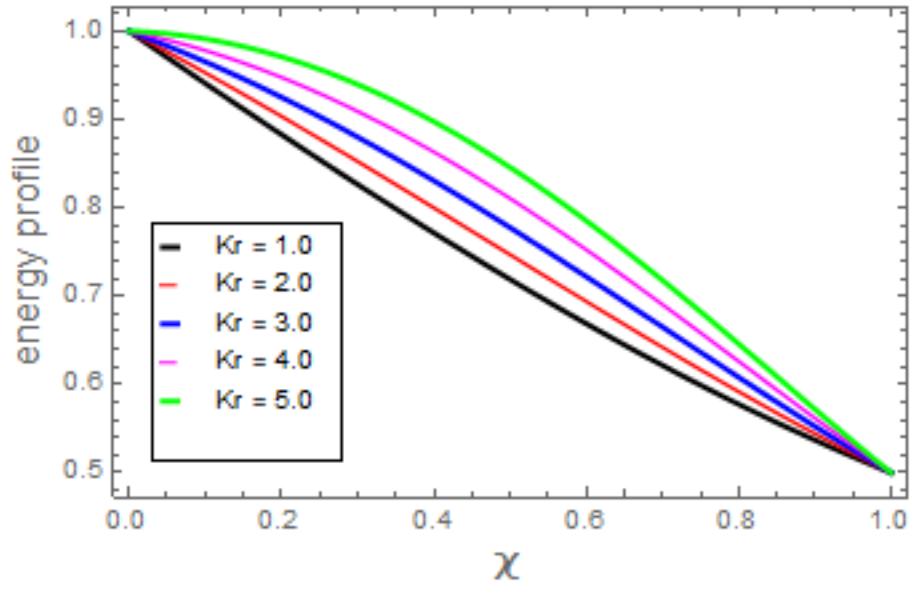


Fig. 6 Result of  $Kr$  against  $T(\chi)$

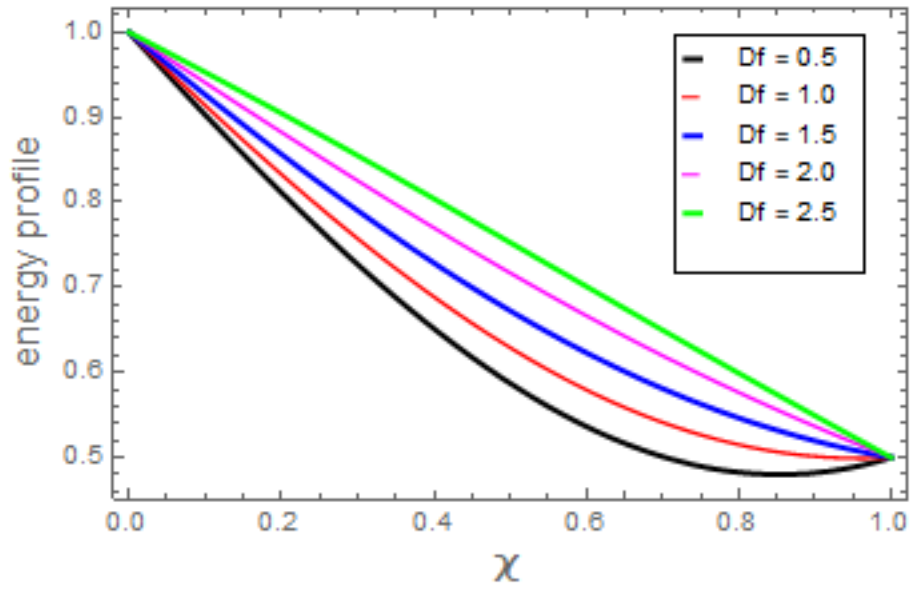


Fig. 7 Result of  $Df$  against  $T(\chi)$

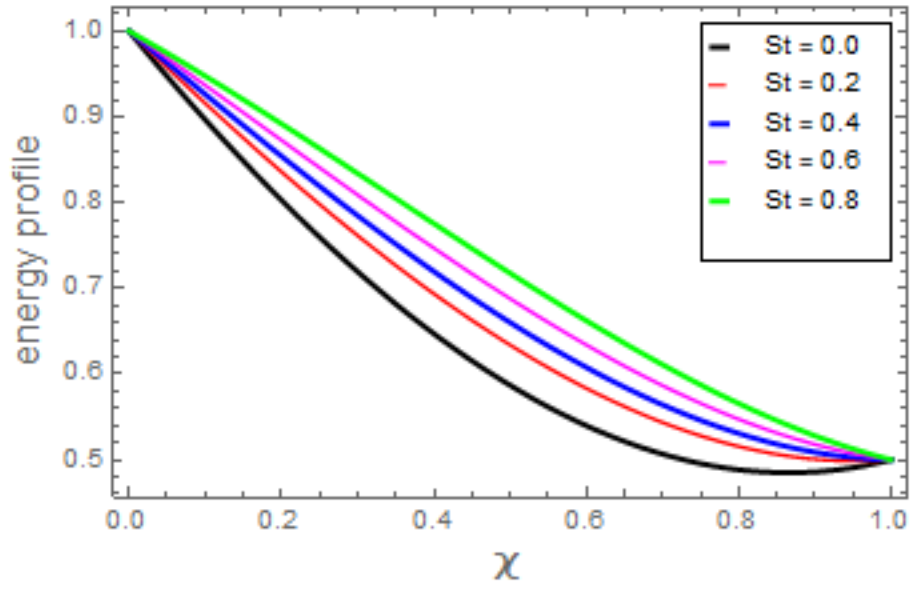


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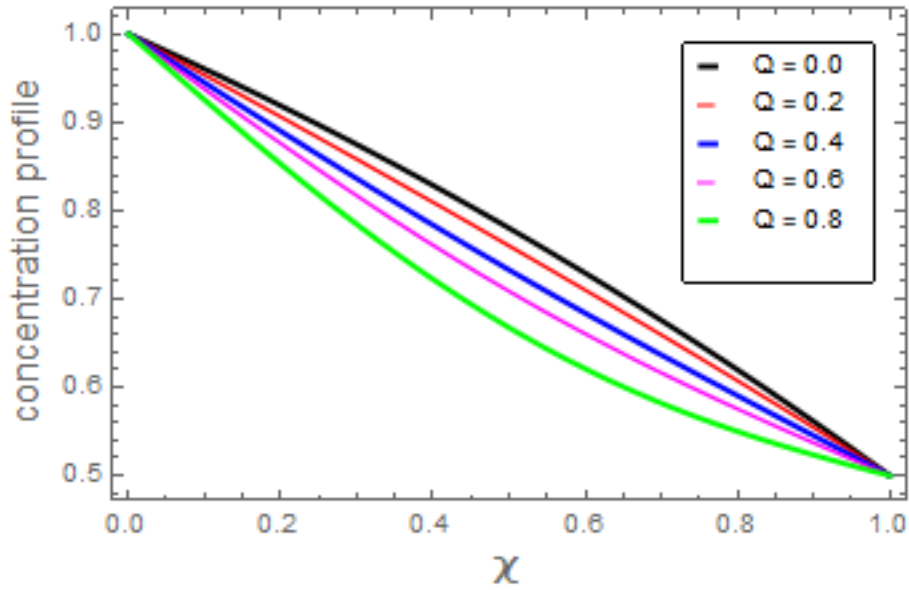


Fig. 9 Result of  $Q$  against  $C(\chi)$

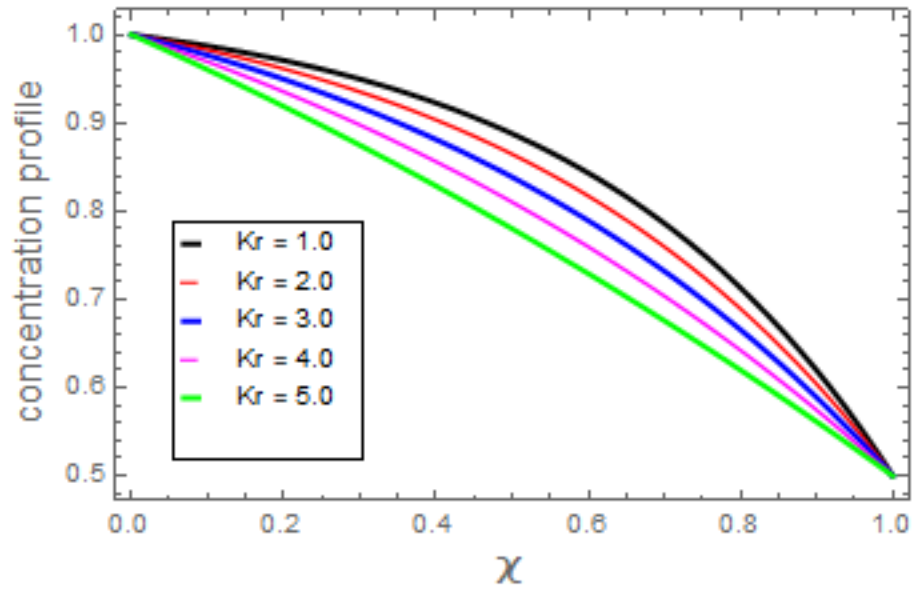


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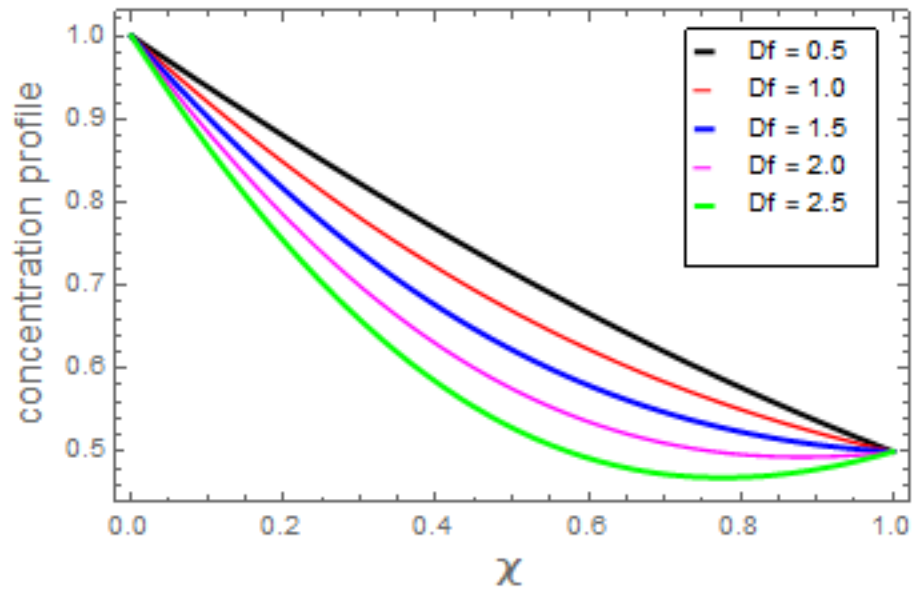


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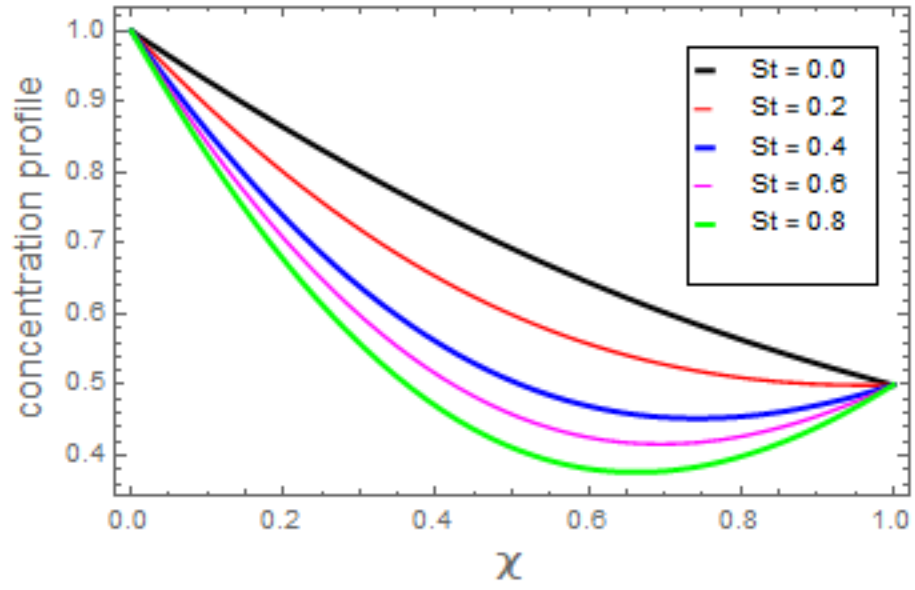


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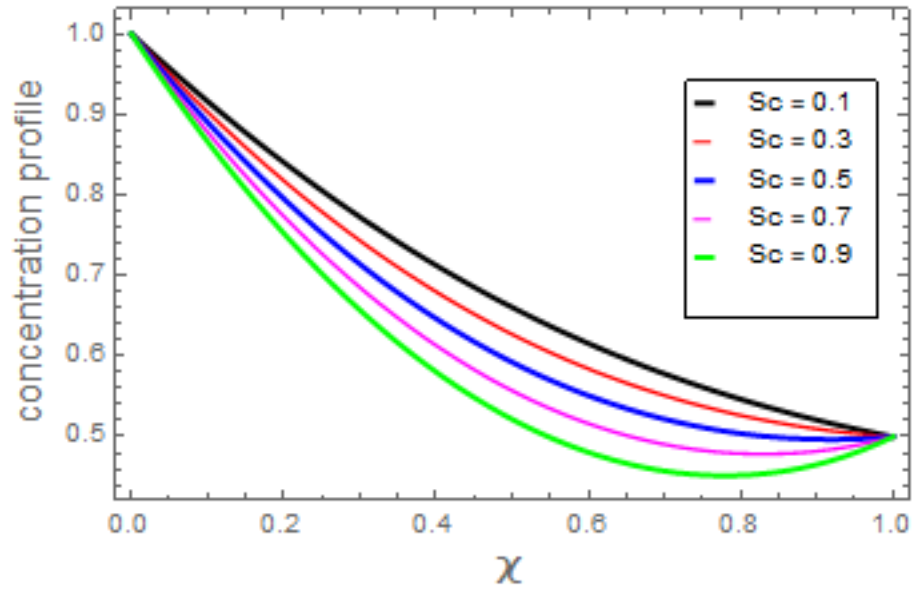


Fig. 13 Result of  $Sc$  against  $C(\chi)$

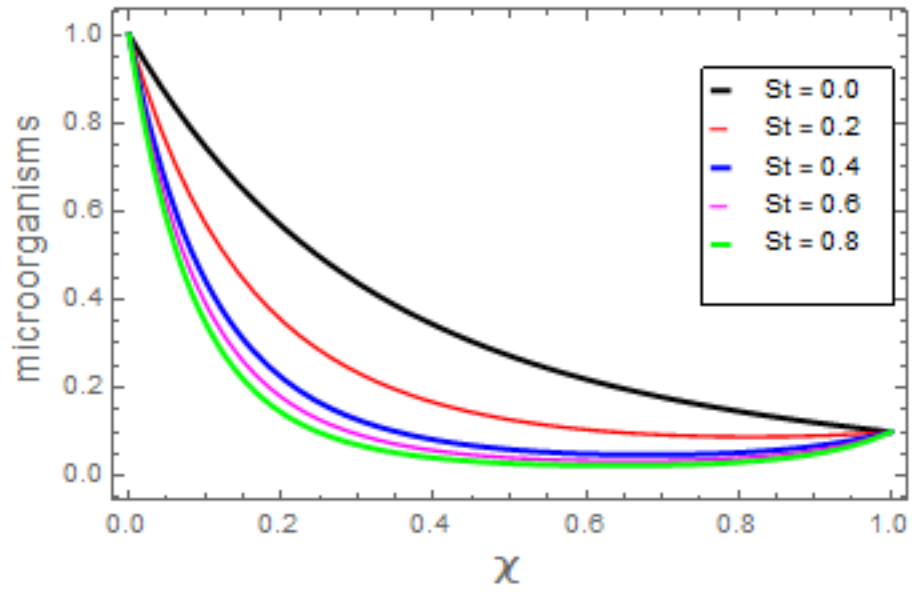


Fig. 14 Result of  $St$  against  $w(\chi)$

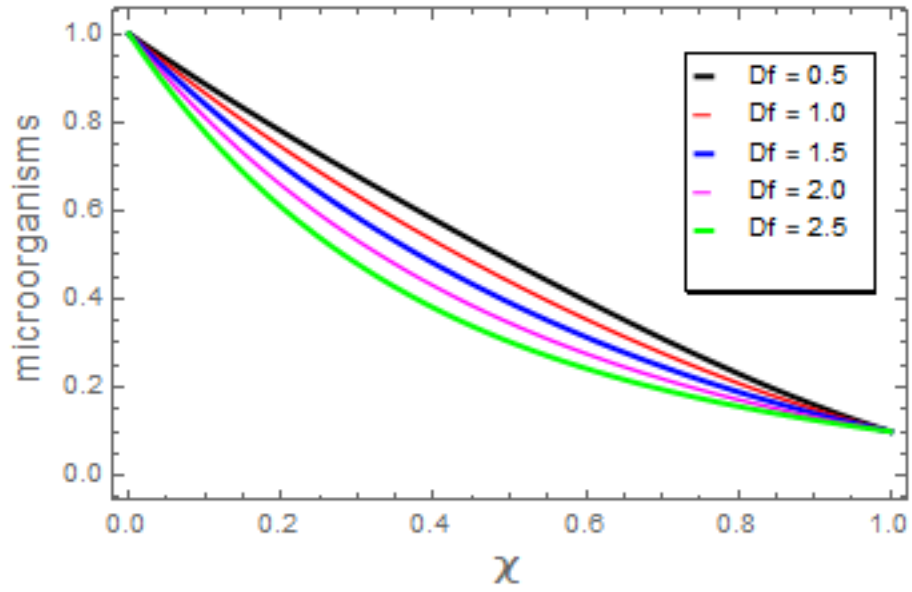


Fig. 15 Result of  $Df$  against  $w(\chi)$

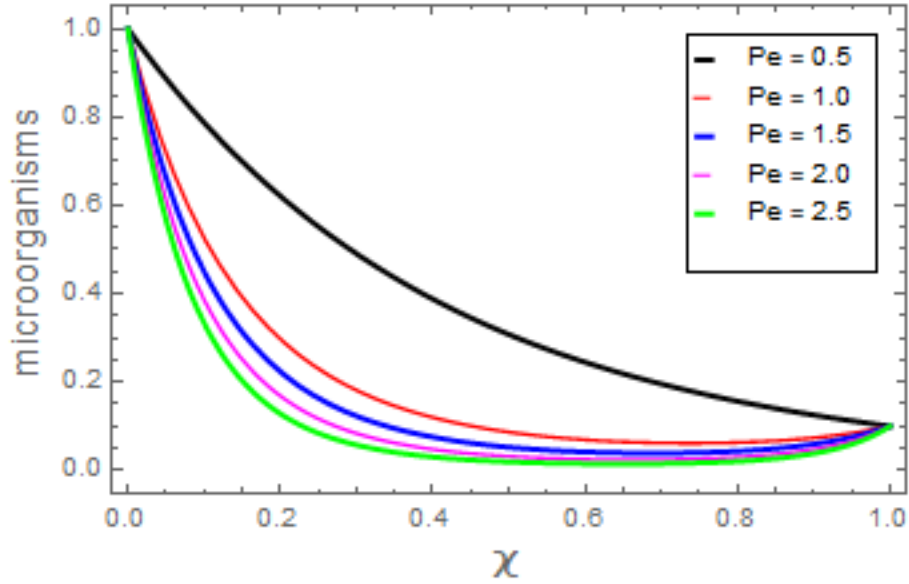


Fig. 16 Result of  $Pe$  against  $w(\chi)$

## 5. Conclusions

The present model explores the role of Soret and Dufour effects in unsteady bio-convective electrically conducting nanofluid between two parallel plates channel containing motile microorganism in a horizontal channel. The model problem described a nonlinear coupled system of ODEs are tackled for numerical solution through an efficient and validated numerical algorithm via shooting technique. The specific outcomes of this study are listed:

- It has been observed that velocity outline is decreased in the middle and increases partially with the parallel walls.
- The expanding squeezing parameter values diminishing the fluid flow significantly within the flow domain.
- An increment in binary reaction parameter, heat generation, and Dufour and Soret constraints developed the thermal field curves.
- The increase in the chemical reaction parameter caused in decline in both concentration and motile microorganism.
- For higher estimation of the Schmidt number, heat generation, and Dufour and Soret parameters increases the concentration profile significantly.
- Motile microorganism curves are dwindled subject to higher values of Dufour and Soret numbers and Peclet number.
- For growing values of Peclet number decline the density of motile microorganism.

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