

## Entropy Optimized Hydro-Magnetic Flow Darcy-Forchheimer Viscous Fluid

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Here hydromagnetic flow of an incompressible Darcy-Forchheimer fluid over a curved stretching surface is addressed. Heat source/sink and dissipation effects are considered in heat equation. Entropy generation is discussed through thermodynamics law. Bejan number is calculated. The proposed system are modeled in curvilinear coordinates. Partial differential system are reduced to ordinary one through transformation. ND-solve method is implemented to solve the given system. Graphical outcomes of velocity, entropy rate, temperature and Bejan number against flow variables are discussed. Numerical outcomes of drag force against pertinent variables are examined through table. Higher Hartman number decreases velocity field. A reverse effect for velocity is observed through porosity and curvature variables. An improvement in temperature is seen for curvature variable. An augmentation in entropy rate is noted for Brinkman number.

**Keywords :** darcy-forchheimer flow, curved stretching surface, heat source/sink, viscous dissipation, entropy generation and bejan number

### 1. Introduction

Darcy's law discussed the flow of fluid falling a porous space. Henry Darcy gives concept of Darcy's law on basis of experimental result [1]. The situation of flow transport in porous medium is concern of modern progress in geophysical and engineering processes. These actions are experienced in demand like system of ground water, nuclear reactors cooling, cleaning vessels of gas, grain storage gas and many others. Hong *et al.* [2] reported the non-Darcian effect in convective flow towards nonuniform porous vertical plate. Hayat *et al.* [3] considered the cubic autocatalysis reaction in radiative Darcy-Forchheimer flow over nonlinear stretched surface. Ganesh *et al.* [4] scrutinized hydromagnetic Darcy-Forchheimer nanofluid flow by a shrinking/stretching sheet with Ohmic dissipation. Influence of second order slip in Darcy-Forchheimer micropolar ferrofluid flow subject to stretchable surface is illustrated by Khan *et al.* [5]. Seth *et al.* [6] scrutinized entropy rate in Darcy-Forchheimer flow of CNTs over

stretched sheet. Some pertinent analyses about Darcy-Forchheimer flow are constructed in Refs. [7-20].

It is known fact that entropy rate is directly proportional to the degraded energy in a thermodynamic system. Therefore significant amount of energy is reduced when entropy optimization occurs. This concept is significant in air conditioners heat pumps, heat engines and power plants. Entropy generation (EG) depends mainly on the following factors: heat transfer, chemical reactions, mass transfer, power transmission, viscosity losses and simultaneous effects of thermal and solutal transfer Initially Bejan [21, 22] discussed the entropy problems in convective flow. Irreversibility and melting heat analysis in dissipative flow Newtonian nanofluid towards a stretched surface is analyzed by Khan *et al.* [23]. Some investigation about irreversibility problem is highlighted in Refs. [24-35].

The main theme of this article is to analyze the irreversibility analysis in MHD flow of Newtonian fluid over a stretching surface. Heat expression is communicated through heat source/sink and dissipation. Physical feature of entropy generation through second law of thermodynamics. Both cases PST and PHF for heat transportation phenomena are discussed. Similarity trans-

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formation is used to get ordinary equation. The given system is solved through ND-solve method. Prominent effect of flow variables on velocity profile, Bejan number, temperature and entropy generation are discussed. Computational outcomes of drag force for pertinent variables are scrutinized through table.

## 2. Statement

Here two-dimensional magnetohydrodynamic flow of Darcy-Forchheimer viscous fluid subject to curved surface is addressed. Heat source/sink and dissipation in heat equation is scrutinized. Physical feature of entropy rate is discussed through second law of thermodynamics. Bejan number is calculated. Consider  $u = as$  stretching velocity with positive rate constant ( $a > 0$ ). Magnetic force of constant strength ( $B_0$ ) is applied in  $r$ -direction. Flow sketch is presented in Fig. 1.

The governing equations satisfy [1-5]:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial r}((r + R)v) + R \frac{\partial u}{\partial s} = 0, \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial p}{\partial r} - \frac{\rho}{r + R} u^2 = 0, \quad (2)$$

$$\rho \left( v \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + \frac{uR}{r + R} \frac{\partial u}{\partial s} + \frac{uv}{r + R} \right) = -\frac{R}{r + R} \frac{\partial p}{\partial s} + \mu \left( \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial r^2} + \frac{1}{r + R} \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} - \frac{u}{(r + R)^2} \right) - \sigma B_0^2 u - \frac{\mu}{k^*} u - Fu^2 \quad (3)$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} v \frac{\partial T}{\partial r} + \frac{uR}{r + R} \frac{\partial T}{\partial s} &= \frac{k}{(\rho c_p)} \left( \frac{1}{r + R} \frac{\partial T}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial r^2} \right) \\ + \frac{\mu_f}{(\rho c_p)} \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + \frac{u}{r + R} \right)^2 &+ \frac{Q_0}{(\rho c_p)} (T - T_\infty) \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (4)$$

with boundary conditions [44-46]:

$$\left. \begin{aligned} u = u_w = as, \quad v = 0, \\ \left\{ \begin{aligned} T = T_w \text{ for PST case} \\ -k \frac{\partial T}{\partial r} = D \left( \frac{s}{l} \right)^2 \text{ for PHF case} \end{aligned} \right\} \text{ at } r = 0 \\ u \rightarrow 0, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} \rightarrow 0, \quad T = T_\infty, \text{ as } r \rightarrow \infty. \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (5)$$

Considering the transformation

$$\left. \begin{aligned} u = asf'(\eta), \quad v = -\frac{R}{r + R} \sqrt{av_f} f(\eta), \quad p = \rho_f a^2 s^2 P(\eta), \quad \eta = \sqrt{\frac{a}{v}} r. \\ \left\{ \begin{aligned} \theta(\eta) = \frac{T - T_\infty}{T_w - T_\infty}, \text{ for PST} \\ T - T_\infty = \frac{D}{k} \left( \frac{s}{l} \right)^2 \sqrt{\frac{v}{a}} g(\eta), \text{ for PHF} \end{aligned} \right\} \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (6)$$

One can write

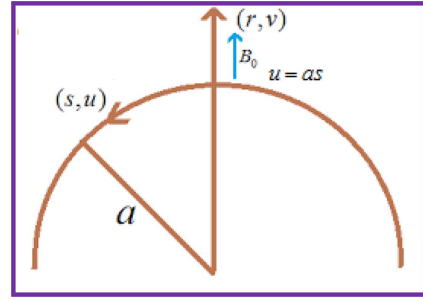


Fig. 1. (Color online) Flow sketch.

$$P' = \frac{f'^2}{(\eta + K)}, \quad (7)$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \frac{2K}{(\eta + K)} P = f''' + \frac{1}{(\eta + K)} f'' - \frac{K}{(\eta + K)} f' - \frac{K}{(\eta + K)} f'^2 \\ + \frac{K}{(\eta + K)} ff'' + \frac{K}{(\eta + K)^2} ff', \quad -\beta f' - Fr f'^2 - Mf'. \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (8)$$

$$\theta'' + \frac{1}{(\eta + K)} \theta' + \frac{PrK}{(\eta + K)} f \theta' + Br \left( f'' + \frac{1}{(\eta + K)} f' \right)^2 + Pr Q \theta = 0, \quad (9)$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} f(0) = 0, \quad f'(0) = 1, \\ \left\{ \begin{aligned} \theta(0) = 1, \text{ for PST} \\ g'(0) = -1, \text{ for PHF} \end{aligned} \right\} \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (10)$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} f'(\infty) = 0, \quad f''(\infty) = 0, \\ \left\{ \begin{aligned} \theta(\infty) = 0, \text{ for PST} \\ g(\infty) = 0, \text{ for PHF} \end{aligned} \right\} 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (11)$$

Here dimensionless parameters are  $K (= \sqrt{\frac{a}{v}} R)$ ,  $\beta (= \frac{v}{ak^*})$ ,  $M (= \frac{\sigma B_0^2}{a\rho})$ ,  $Fr (= \frac{C_b}{\sqrt{k^*}})$ ,  $Pr (= \frac{v}{\alpha})$ ,  $Q (= \frac{Q_0}{a(\rho c_p)})$ ,  $Ec (= \frac{a^2 s^2}{c_p(T_w - T_\infty)})$  and  $Br (= Pr Ec)$ .

By neglecting P from Eqs. (8) and (7), we have

$$\left. \begin{aligned} f^{iv} + \frac{2}{(\eta + K)} f''' - \frac{1}{(\eta + K)^2} f'' + \frac{1}{(\eta + K)^3} f' + \frac{K}{(\eta + K)} (ff''' - f'f'') \\ + \frac{K}{(\eta + K)^2} (ff'' - f'^2) - \frac{K}{(\eta + K)^3} ff' - \beta \left( f'' - \frac{1}{(\eta + K)} f' \right) \\ - Fr \left( 2ff'' + \frac{1}{(\eta + K)} f'^2 \right) - M \left( f'' - \frac{1}{(\eta + K)} f' \right) \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (12)$$

## 3. Surface Drag Force

It is given by

$$C_{fs} = \frac{\tau_{rs}}{\rho(u_w)^2}, \quad (13)$$

shear stress  $\tau_{rs}$  satisfy

$$\tau_{rs} = \mu_f \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + \frac{R}{r+R} \frac{\partial v}{\partial s} - \frac{u}{r+R} \right) \Big|_{r=0} \quad (14)$$

or

$$C_{fs} \text{Re}_s^{1/2} = f''(0) - \frac{f'(0)}{K} = f''(0) - \frac{1}{K}. \quad (15)$$

### 4. Entropy Modeling

It is expressed as

$$E_G = \frac{k}{T_\infty^2} \left( \frac{\partial T}{\partial r} \right)^2 + \frac{\mu_f}{T_\infty} \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + \frac{u}{r+R} \right)^2 + \frac{\mu}{k^* T_\infty} u^2, \quad (16)$$

one can have

$$S_G = \alpha_1 \theta'^2 + Br \left( f'' + \frac{1}{(\eta+K)} f' \right)^2 + MBrf'^2 + \beta Brf'^2. \quad (17)$$

Bejan number mathematically satisfy

$$Be = \frac{\alpha_1 \theta'^2}{\alpha_1 \theta'^2 + Br \left( f'' + \frac{1}{(\eta+K)} f' \right)^2 + \beta Brf'^2}. \quad (18)$$

Here dimensionless parameters are  $\alpha_1 \left( = \frac{\Delta T}{T_\infty} = \frac{T_w - T_\infty}{T_\infty} \right)$  and  $S_G \left( = \frac{E_G T_\infty v}{ak(T_w - T_\infty)} \right)$ .

### 5. Discussion

Influence of velocity, Bejan number, temperature and entropy rate versus various sundry parameters are examined. Computational outcomes of drag force are discussed through table.

#### 5.1. Velocity

Influence of Hartman number on velocity is interpreted in Fig. 2. An intensification in Hartman number corresponds to rises resistive force. Therefore velocity is reduced. Fig. 3 drafted to show the influence of velocity against porosity variable. Higher porosity reduces the velocity profile ( $f'(\eta)$ ). Effect of Forchheimer number on velocity is demonstrated in Fig. 4. Clearly one can found that velocity is declined through Forchheimer.

#### 5.2. Temperature

Physical feature of Brinkman number on temperature ( $\theta(\eta)$  and  $g(\eta)$ ) for both PST and PHF cases is demon-

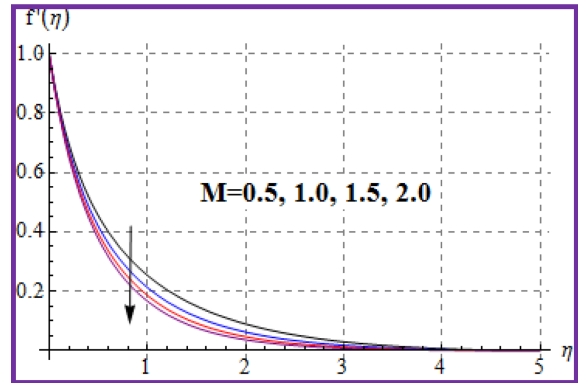


Fig. 2. (Color online)  $f'(\eta)$  via  $M$ .

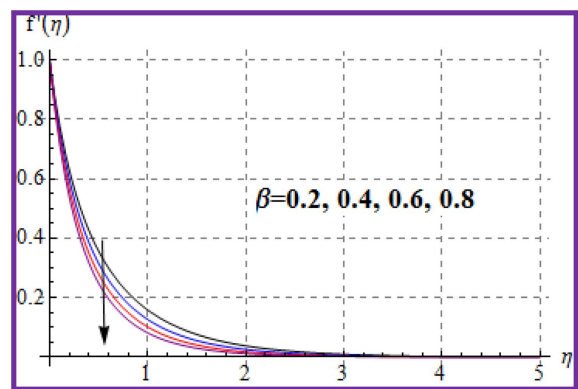


Fig. 3. (Color online)  $f'(\eta)$  via  $\beta$ .

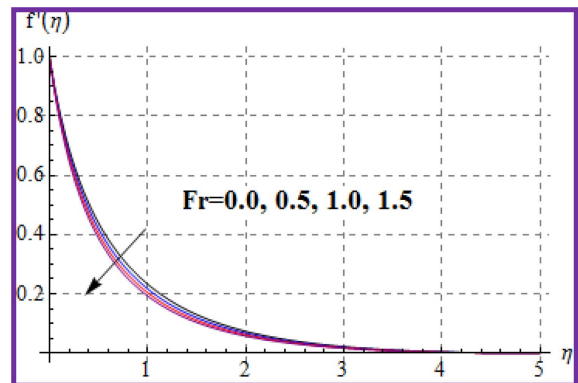


Fig. 4. (Color online)  $f'(\eta)$  via  $Fr$ .

strated in Figs. 5, 6. An amplification in Brinkman number improves the temperature for both PST and PHF cases. Figs. 7, 8 sketched to see the impact of curvature variable on temperature ( $\theta(\eta)$  and  $g(\eta)$ ). Clearly noted that higher curvature variable lead to augments temperature for both PST and PHF cases. Influence of heat generation variable on temperature for both PST and PHF is demonstrated in Figs. 9, 10. An intensification in heat generation variable corresponds to improve the temperature for both PST and PHF cases.

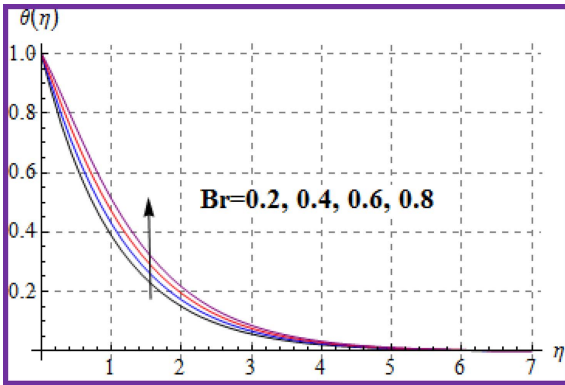


Fig. 5. (Color online)  $g(\eta)$  via  $Br$ .

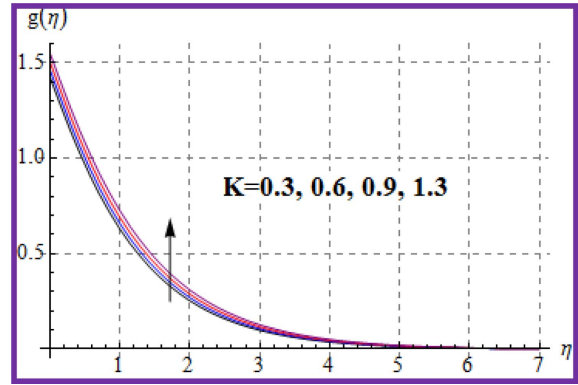


Fig. 8. (Color online)  $g(\eta)$  via  $K$ .

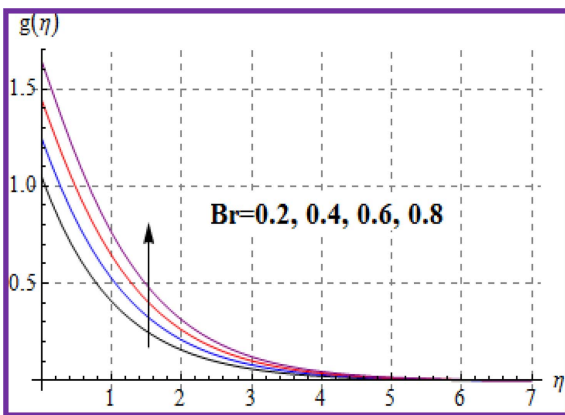


Fig. 6. (Color online)  $g(\eta)$  via  $Br$ .

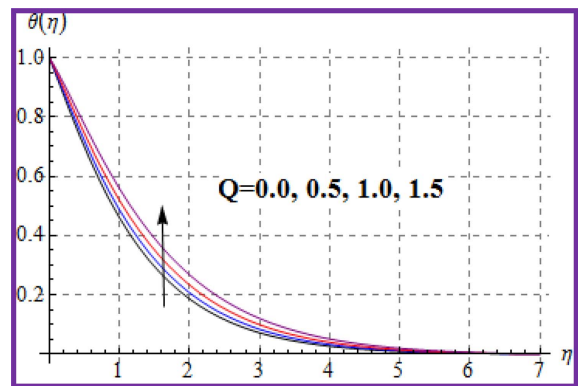


Fig. 9. (Color online)  $\theta(\eta)$  via  $Q$ .

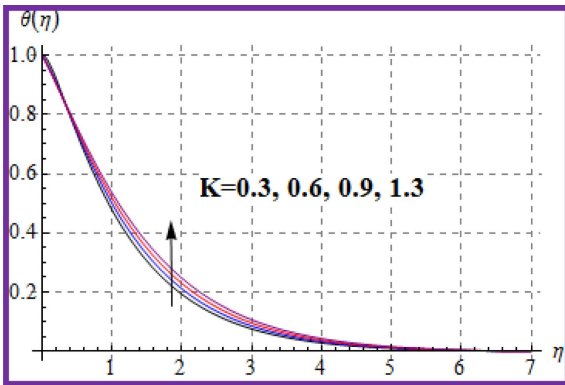


Fig. 7. (Color online)  $\theta(\eta)$  via  $K$ .

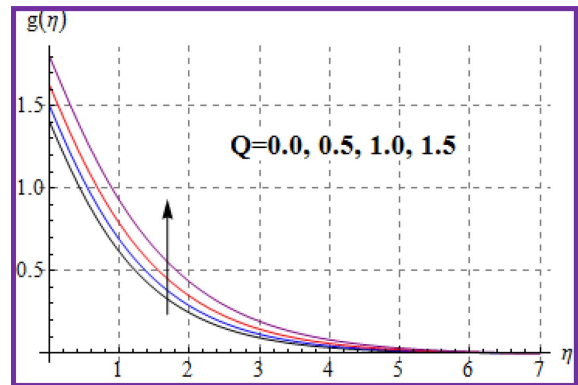


Fig. 10. (Color online)  $g(\eta)$  via  $Q$ .

### 5.3. Entropy rate and Bejan number

Influence of porosity variable on  $(S_G(\eta))$  and  $(Be)$  is portrayed in Figs. 11, 12. An increment in porosity variable lead to rises both  $(S_G(\eta))$  and  $(Be)$  for both PST and PHF cases. Physically higher  $(\beta)$  leads to augments resistance to the liquid flow and thus entropy boosted. Figs. 13, 14 sketch to show impact of  $(S_G(\eta))$  and  $(Be)$  via curvature variable. An intensification in curvature variable has reverse effect on  $(S_G(\eta))$  and  $(Be)$  for both

PST and PHF cases. Performance of Brinkman number on  $(S_G(\eta))$  and  $(Be)$  is illuminated in Figs. 15, 16. Higher approximation of  $(Br)$  rises the entropy rate for both PST and PHF cases. While opposite effect is observed for Bejan number.

### 5.4. Skin friction coefficient

Physical description of drag force versus curvature variable and Hartman number is discussed in Table 1. An improvement in drag force is seen for Hartman number.

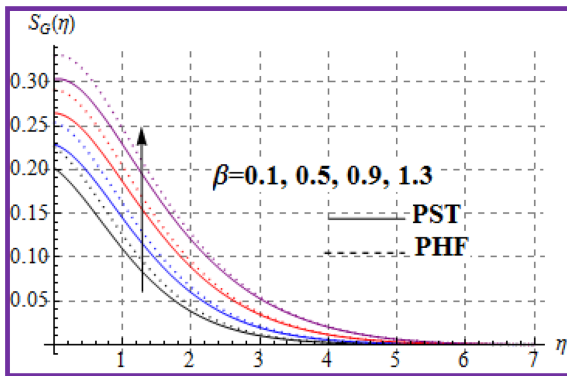


Fig. 11. (Color online)  $S_G(\eta)$  via  $\beta$ .

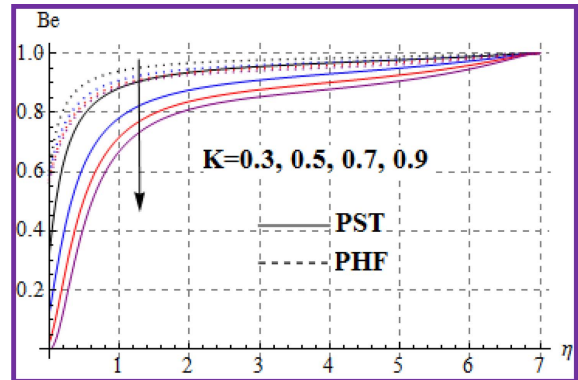


Fig. 14. (Color online)  $Be$  via  $K$ .

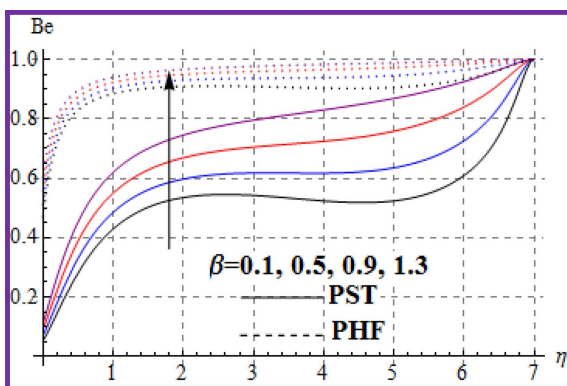


Fig. 12. (Color online)  $Be$  via  $\beta$ .

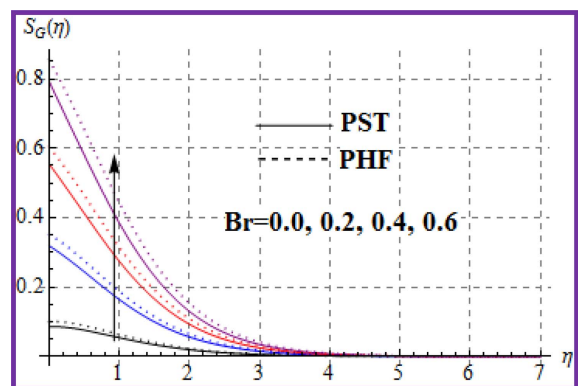


Fig. 15. (Color online)  $S_G(\eta)$  via  $Br$ .

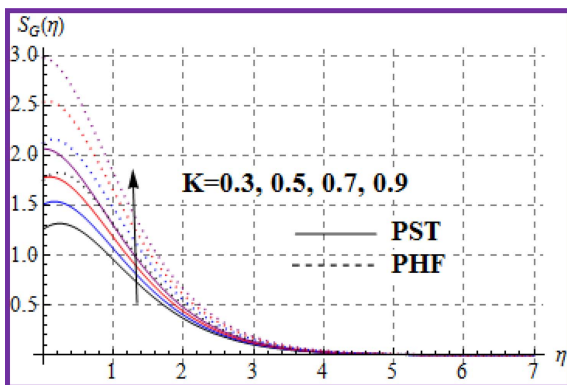


Fig. 13. (Color online)  $S_G(\eta)$  via  $K$ .

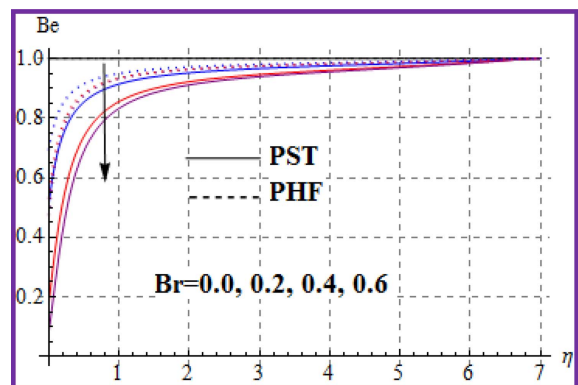


Fig. 16. (Color online)  $Be$  via  $Br$ .

Higher curvature variable leads to improve drag force ( $C_{fs} Re_s^{1/2}$ ).

### 6. Conclusions

The main observations are given below.

- A reverse effect for velocity field in observed via Forchheimer and Hartman numbers.
- As anticipated there is reduction in velocity for porosity variable.

Table 1. Skin friction values via flow parameters.

$K$	$M$	$C_{fs} Re_s^{1/2}$
0.3	0.3	1.03654
0.6	0.3	0.894563
1.0	0.3	0.756321
0.5	1.0	2.23654
	2.0	2.56423
	3.0	2.76532

- Temperature and velocity enhancement is noted through curvature parameter.
- Temperature for heat generation/absorption variable and Brinkman number is augmented.
- Magnetic parameter leads to temperature distribution enhancement.
- An opposite scenario for curvature variable is noticed through Bejan number and entropy generation rate.
- An increment in entropy rate is observed for Brinkman number.
- An enhancement in Bejan number and entropy rate is observed via porosity parameter.
- Hartman number correspond to velocity gradient enhancement.
- Gradient of velocity has enhancing trend for curvature parameter.
- Nusselt number for curvature parameter is reduced.

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### Nomenclature

$u, v$	velocity components
$r, s$	curvilinear coordinates
$p$	pressure
$T$	temperature
$T_w$	wall temperature
$T_\infty$	ambient temperature
$\rho$	density
$\nu$	kinematic viscosity
$\mu$	dynamic viscosity
$k^*$	porous medium permeability
$\sigma$	electrical conductivity
$F$	non-uniform inertia coefficient
$C_b$	drag force
$c_p$	specific heat
$k$	thermal conductivity
$D$	constant
$K$	curvature parameter
$\beta$	porosity parameter
$M$	Hartman number
$Fr$	Forchheimer number
$Pr$	Prandtl number
$Q$	heat generation/absorption parameter
$Ec$	Eckert number

$Br$	Brinkman number
$Cf_s$	skin friction coefficient
$\tau_{rs}$	shear stress
$Nu_s$	Nusselt number
$q_w$	heat flux
$Re_s$	local Reynold number
$S_G$	entropy generation rate
$Be$	Bejan number
$\alpha_1$	temperature difference parameter

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