

# Numerical Solutions of Peristaltic Flow of a Jeffrey-Six Constant Fluid with Variable Magnetohydrodynamic

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In the present article we have studied the magnetohydrodynamic (MHD) peristaltic flow of a Jeffrey-six constant fluid in an endoscope. We have simplified the governing equations of such a fluid under the assumptions of long wave length and low Reynolds number approximation. The reduced momentum equations are solved by (i) the homotopy analysis method (HAM) and (ii) the shooting method. The comparison of both solutions is presented. Velocity profile, streamlines, and convergence region are discussed graphically for different values of Hartmann number  $M$ , and Jeffrey parameter  $\lambda_1$  and  $\lambda_2$ .

*Key words:* Peristaltic Flow; Jeffrey-Six Constant Fluid; Endoscope; HAM Solution; Numerical Solution; Variable MHD.

## 1. Introduction

The peristaltic flow is a form of fluid transport which occurs in many biological systems such as urine transport from kidney to bladder through the ureter, movement of chyme in the gastrointestinal tract, movement of spermatozoa in the ducts afferents of the male reproductive tract and the ovum in the female fallopian tube, locomotion of some worms, transport of lymph in the lymphatic vessels, and vasomotion of small blood vessels such as arterioles, venules, and capillaries. This mechanisms of fluid transport has received considerable attention in recent times in engineering as well as in physiological sciences due to its wide range of applications in industry and physiology. Some recent investigations which studies the peristaltic phenomena according to different flow geometries are studied in [1–8]. The magnetohydrodynamic (MHD) flow of a fluid in a tube or channel with peristalsis is of interest in connection with certain problems of the movement of conductive physiological fluids, e. g., the blood in blood pump machines and with the need for theoretical research on the operation of a peristaltic MHD compressor. Hydromagnetic flow of fluid with variable viscosity in a uniform tube with peristalsis was studied by Hakeem et al. [9], and they analyzed that the magnetic field accelerates the speed of blood. T. Srinivas et al. [10] considered the influence of slip conditions, wall properties and heat transfer on MHD third-grade

fluid in a deformable tube. Some other papers dealing with MHD flows of peristaltic are [11–15]. Recently, Srinivas and Kothandapani [16] have discussed the mixed convection with heating effects in a vertical porous annulus with radially varying magnetic field. Such a field is important in engineering.

To see the importance of radially varying MHD we have studied the peristaltic flow of a Jeffrey-six constant fluid model [17] with variable MHD in an endoscope. The governing equations have been simplified using the assumption of long wave length and low Reynolds number approximation. Analytical and numerical solutions have been derived for both constant and variable MHD cases. The physical behaviour of the velocity profile has been discussed for various parameters of interest.

## 2. Mathematical Formulation

Let us consider the peristaltic transport of an incompressible six-constant Jeffreys fluid in two concentric tubes. The flow is generated by sinusoidal wave trains propagating with constant speed  $c_1$  along the walls of the tubes. The geometry of the wall surface is defined as

$$\bar{R}_1 = a_1, \quad (1)$$

$$\bar{R}_2 = a_2 + b_1 \sin \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} (\bar{Z} - c_1 \bar{t}), \quad (2)$$

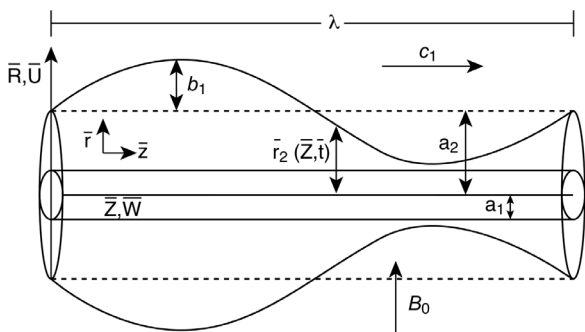


Fig. 1. Geometry of the problem.

where  $a_1$  and  $a_2$  are the radius of the inner and outer tubes at inlet,  $b_1$  is the wave amplitude,  $\lambda$  is the wavelength,  $c$  is the propagation velocity, and  $\bar{t}$  is the time. We are considering the cylindrical coordinate system  $(\bar{R}, \bar{Z})$ , such that the  $\bar{Z}$ -axis lies along the center line of the tubes, and  $\bar{R}$  is transverse to it.

The governing equations in the fixed frame for an incompressible flow are

$$\frac{\partial \bar{U}}{\partial \bar{R}} + \frac{\bar{U}}{\bar{R}} + \frac{\partial \bar{W}}{\partial \bar{Z}} = 0, \tag{3}$$

$$\rho \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{t}} + \bar{U} \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{R}} + \bar{W} \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{Z}} \right) \bar{U} = -\frac{\partial \bar{P}}{\partial \bar{R}} + \frac{1}{\bar{R}} \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{R}} (\bar{R} \bar{T}_{RR}) + \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{Z}} (\bar{T}_{RZ}) - \frac{\bar{T}_{\theta\theta}}{\bar{R}}, \tag{4}$$

$$\rho \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{t}} + \bar{U} \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{R}} + \bar{W} \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{Z}} \right) \bar{W} = -\frac{\partial \bar{P}}{\partial \bar{Z}} + \frac{1}{\bar{R}} \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{R}} (\bar{R} \bar{T}_{RZ}) + \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{Z}} (\bar{T}_{ZZ}) - \sigma (B_0(r))^2 \bar{W}. \tag{5}$$

The extra stress tensor for a six-constant Jeffreys fluid model is given by [17]

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{T} + \varepsilon_1 \left[ \frac{d\bar{T}}{dt} - W \cdot \bar{T} + \bar{T} \cdot W + d(\bar{T} \cdot D + D \cdot \bar{T}) \right. \\ \left. + b\bar{T} : D\mathbf{I} + cD\text{tr}\bar{T} \right] = \\ 2\mu \left[ D + \varepsilon_2 \left( \frac{dD}{dt} - W \cdot D + D \cdot W \right. \right. \\ \left. \left. + 2dD \cdot D + bD : D\mathbf{I} \right) \right], \end{aligned} \tag{6}$$

where

$$D = \frac{\nabla \bar{\mathbf{V}} + (\nabla \bar{\mathbf{V}})^T}{2}, \quad W = \frac{\nabla \bar{\mathbf{V}} - (\nabla \bar{\mathbf{V}})^T}{2}. \tag{7}$$

$D$  is the symmetric part of the velocity gradient,  $W$  the antisymmetric part of the velocity gradient,  $d, b, c$  are material constant of the six-constant Jeffreys fluid model,  $\varepsilon_1$  is the relaxation time, and  $\varepsilon_2$  is the delay time.

Introducing a wave frame  $(\bar{r}, \bar{z})$  moving with velocity  $c_1$  away from the fixed frame  $(\bar{R}, \bar{Z})$  by the transformations

$$\bar{z} = \bar{Z} - c_1 \bar{t}, \quad \bar{r} = \bar{R}, \tag{8}$$

$$\bar{w} = \bar{W} - c_1, \quad \bar{u} = \bar{U}, \tag{9}$$

where  $\bar{U}, \bar{W}$  and  $\bar{u}, \bar{w}$  are the velocity components in the radial and axial directions in the fixed and moving coordinates, respectively.

The corresponding boundary conditions are the no-slip at both walls

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{u} = 0, \quad \bar{w} = -c_1 \quad \text{at } \bar{r} = \bar{r}_1, \\ \bar{u} = -c_1 \frac{d\bar{r}_2}{dz}, \quad \bar{w} = -c_1 \\ \text{at } \bar{r} = \bar{r}_2 = a + b_1 \sin \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}(\bar{z}). \end{aligned} \tag{10}$$

Further, we define

$$\begin{aligned} R = \frac{\bar{R}}{a_2}, \quad r = \frac{\bar{r}}{a_2}, \quad Z = \frac{\bar{Z}}{\lambda}, \quad z = \frac{\bar{z}}{\lambda}, \\ W = \frac{\bar{W}}{c_1}, \quad w = \frac{\bar{w}}{c_1}, \quad T = \frac{a_2 \bar{T}}{c_1 \mu}, \quad U = \frac{\lambda \bar{U}}{a_2 c_1}, \\ u = \frac{\lambda \bar{u}}{a_2 c_1}, \quad P = \frac{a_2^2 \bar{P}}{c_1 \lambda \mu}, \quad t = \frac{c_1 \bar{t}}{\lambda}, \\ \delta = \frac{a_2}{\lambda}, \quad \text{Re} = \frac{\rho c_1 a_2}{\mu}, \quad r_2 = \frac{\bar{r}_2}{a_2}, \\ \lambda_1 = \frac{\varepsilon_1 c_1}{a_2}, \quad \lambda_2 = \frac{\varepsilon_2 c_1}{a_2}, \quad \varepsilon = \frac{b_1}{a_2} \ll 1, \end{aligned} \tag{11}$$

$$M = \sqrt{\frac{\sigma}{\mu}} B_0 a_2.$$

Using the above non-dimensional quantities and the transformation given in (8) and (9), the resulting equations can be written as

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + \frac{u}{r} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} = 0, \tag{12}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Re} \delta^3 \left( u \frac{\partial}{\partial r} + w \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) u = \\ -\frac{\partial P}{\partial r} + \frac{\delta}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r T_{rr}) + \delta^2 \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (T_{rz}) - \frac{\delta T_{\theta\theta}}{r}, \end{aligned} \tag{13}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Re} \delta \left( u \frac{\partial}{\partial r} + w \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) w = & \\ - \frac{\partial P}{\partial z} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r T_{rz}) + \delta \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (T_{zz}) - (M(r))^2 (w + 1), & \end{aligned} \tag{14}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} T_{rz} &= \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \left[ 1 + \lambda_1 \lambda_2 (1 - d(d+b)) - \frac{c}{2} (2d+3b) \right] \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \right)^2 \\ &\cdot \left[ 1 + \lambda_1^2 (1 - d(d+b)) - \frac{c}{2} (2d+3b) \right] \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \right)^2 \right)^{-1}, \\ T_{rr} &= \lambda_2 \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \right)^2 (1 + d + b) \\ &- \lambda_1 \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \right) (1 + d + b) T_{rz}, \\ T_{zz} &= \lambda_2 \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \right)^2 (-1 + d + b) \\ &- \lambda_1 \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \right) (-1 + d + b) T_{rz}, \\ T_{\theta\theta} &= \lambda_2 \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \right)^2 b - \lambda_1 \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \right) b T_{rz}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\delta$  and  $\text{Re}$  represent the wave and the Reynolds number, respectively.

Under the assumption of long wave length approximation and low Reynold number above equations take the form

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial P}{\partial r} &= 0, \\ \frac{\partial P}{\partial z} &= \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( r \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \right) + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left[ r (1 - d(d+b)) \right. \\ &- \frac{c}{2} (2d+3b) \left. \right] (\lambda_1 \lambda_2 - \lambda_1) \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \right)^3 \\ &+ r (-\lambda_1^3 \lambda_2) (1 - d(d+b)) \\ &- \frac{c}{2} (2d+3b) \left. \right)^2 \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \right)^5 \Big] - (M(r))^2 (w + 1). \end{aligned} \tag{15}$$

The corresponding boundary conditions in dimensionless form are defined as

$$\begin{aligned} w &= -1 \text{ at } r = r_1, \\ w &= -1 \text{ at } r = r_2 = 1 + \phi \sin 2\pi z. \end{aligned} \tag{17}$$

The corresponding stream function can be calculated as

$$u = -\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial z} \text{ and } w = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial r}. \tag{18}$$

### 3. Solution of the Problem

#### 3.1. HAM solution

Since (16) is a highly nonlinear equation its exact solution may be not possible. So in this section, we have found the HAM solution of (15) to (17). We choose

$$\begin{aligned} w_0 &= -1 + \left( \frac{r^2}{4} + \frac{r_1^2 - r_2^2}{4(\ln r_2 - \ln r_1)} \ln r \right. \\ &- \left. \frac{r_1^2 \ln r_2 - r_2^2 \ln r_1}{4(\ln r_2 - \ln r_1)} \right) \frac{\partial P}{\partial z} \end{aligned} \tag{19}$$

as the initial guess. Further, the auxiliary linear operator for the problem is taken as

$$\mathcal{L}_{wr} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( r \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \right) \tag{20}$$

which satisfies

$$\mathcal{L}_{wr}(w_0) = 0. \tag{21}$$

We can define the following zeroth-order deformation problems:

$$(1 - q) \mathcal{L}_{wr} [\bar{w}(r, q) - w_0(r)] = q \hbar_w N_{wr} [\bar{w}(r, q)], \tag{22}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{w}(r, q) &= -1 \text{ at } r = r_1, \\ \bar{w}(r, q) &= -1 \text{ at } r = r_2. \end{aligned} \tag{23}$$

In (22) and (23),  $\hbar_w$  denote the non-zero auxiliary parameter,  $q \in [0, 1]$  is the embedding parameter and

$$\begin{aligned} N_{wr} [\bar{w}(r, q)] &= \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{w}}{\partial r^2} + \frac{1}{r} \alpha \alpha_1 \left( \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial r} \right)^3 \\ &+ 3 \alpha \alpha_1 \left( \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial r} \right)^2 \frac{\partial^2 \bar{w}}{\partial r^2} + 5 \alpha_2 \alpha^2 \left( \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial r} \right)^4 \frac{\partial^2 \bar{w}}{\partial r^2} \\ &+ \frac{1}{r} \alpha_2 \alpha^2 \left( \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial r} \right)^5 - \frac{dP}{dz} - (M(r))^2 (w + 1) \end{aligned} \tag{24}$$

in which

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha &= 1 - d(d+b) - \frac{c}{2} (2d+3b), \\ \alpha_1 &= \lambda_1 \lambda_2 - \lambda_1, \quad \alpha_2 = -\lambda_1^3 \lambda_2. \end{aligned}$$

Obviously,

$$\hat{w}(r, 0) = w_0, \quad \hat{w}(r, 1) = w(r), \tag{25}$$

when  $q$  varies from 0 to 1, then  $\hat{w}(r, q)$  varies from the initial guess to the solution  $w(r)$ . Expanding  $\hat{w}(r, q)$  in Taylor series with respect to the embedding parameter  $q$ , we have

$$\hat{w}(r, q) = w_0(r) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} w_n(r)q^n, \tag{26}$$

$$w_m = \frac{1}{m!} \left. \frac{\partial^m \hat{w}(r, q)}{\partial q^m} \right|_{q=0}. \tag{27}$$

Differentiating the zeroth-order deformation  $m$ -times with respect to  $q$  and then dividing by  $m!$  and finally setting  $q = 0$ , we get the following  $m$ th-order deformation problem:

$$\mathcal{L}_w[w_m(r) - \chi_m w_{m-1}(r)] = \hbar_w R_{wr}(r), \tag{28}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} R_{wr} = & w''_{m-1} + \frac{1}{r} w'_{m-1} + \frac{1}{r} \alpha \alpha_1 \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} w'_{m-1-k} \sum_{l=0}^k w'_{k-l} w'_l \\ & + 3\alpha \alpha_1 \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} w'_{m-1-k} \sum_{l=0}^k w'_{k-l} w''_l \\ & + 5\alpha \alpha_2 \alpha^2 \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} w'_{m-1-k} \sum_{l=0}^k w'_{k-l} \sum_{j=0}^l w'_{l-j} \sum_{i=0}^j w'_{j-i} w''_i \\ & + \frac{1}{r} \alpha_2 \alpha^2 \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} w'_{m-1-k} \sum_{l=0}^k w'_{k-l} \sum_{j=0}^l w'_{l-j} \sum_{i=0}^j w'_{j-i} w'_i \\ & - \frac{dP}{dz} (1 - \chi_m) (M(r))^2 (w + 1) \end{aligned} \tag{29}$$

with

$$\chi_m = \begin{cases} 0, & m \leq 1, \\ 1, & m > 1. \end{cases} \tag{30}$$

Now two cases of MHD have been taken into account, namely

(i)  $M(r) = M$  and (ii)  $M(r) = \frac{M}{r}$ .

The solution for constant MHD can be calculated with the help of Mathematica and is presented as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} w_m(r) = & \lim_{M \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \sum_{m=0}^M a_{m,0}^0 + \sum_{n=1}^{2M+1} \left( \sum_{m=n-1}^{2M} \sum_{k=1}^{2m+1-n} a_{m,n}^k r^n \ln r \right) \right] \\ & + \lim_{M \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \sum_{n=1}^{2M+1} \left( \sum_{m=n-1}^{2M} \sum_{k=0}^{2m+1-n} a_{m,n}^k r^{4n+2} \right) \right], \end{aligned} \tag{31}$$

where  $a_{m,0}^0$  and  $a_{m,n}^k$  are constants.

Table 1. Comparison of solutions by various methods for constant MHD case.

$r$	Numerical	HAM	Error
0.1	-1.00000	-1.00000	0.00000
0.2	-1.02988	-1.02972	0.00015
0.3	-1.04606	-1.04580	0.00024
0.4	-1.05338	-1.05307	0.00029
0.5	-1.05623	-1.05591	0.00030
0.6	-1.05565	-1.05534	0.00029
0.7	-1.05165	-1.05137	0.00026
0.8	-1.04538	-1.04514	0.00022
0.9	-1.03679	-1.03660	0.00018
1.0	-1.02468	-1.02457	0.00010
1.1	-1.01159	-1.01153	0.00005
1.18	-1.00000	-1.00000	0.00000

Table 2. Comparison of solutions by various methods for variable MHD case.

$r$	Numerical	HAM	Error
0.1	-1.00000	-1.00000	0.00000
0.2	-1.03235	-1.03171	0.00062
0.3	-1.05212	-1.05151	0.00058
0.4	-1.06290	-1.06234	0.00052
0.5	-1.06873	-1.06821	0.00048
0.6	-1.07023	-1.06974	0.00045
0.7	-1.06723	-1.06676	0.00044
0.8	-1.06053	-1.06008	0.00042
0.9	-1.05016	-1.04974	0.00040
1.0	-1.03440	-1.03406	0.00032
1.1	-1.01643	-1.01624	0.00018
1.18	-1.00000	-1.00000	0.00000

### 3.2. Numerical Solution

The present problem consisting of (16) to (18) is also solved numerically by employing the shooting method. The numerical results are compared with the HAM results, and we have found a very good agreement between both results (see Table 1).

The solution for variable MHD case can be calculated with the help of Mathematica and is presented as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} w_m(r) = & \lim_{M \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \sum_{m=0}^M l_{m,0}^0 + \sum_{n=1}^{2M+1} \left( \sum_{m=n-1}^{2M} \sum_{k=1}^{2m+1-n} l_{m,n}^k r^n \ln r \right) \right] \\ & + \lim_{M \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \sum_{n=1}^{2M+1} \left( \sum_{m=n-1}^{2M} \sum_{k=0}^{2m+1-n} l_{m,n}^k r^{4n+2} \right) \right], \end{aligned} \tag{32}$$

where  $l_{m,0}^0$  and  $l_{m,n}^k$  are constants.

## 4. Numerical Results and Discussion

To observe the convergence region and the variations in the velocity profile caused by the relaxation

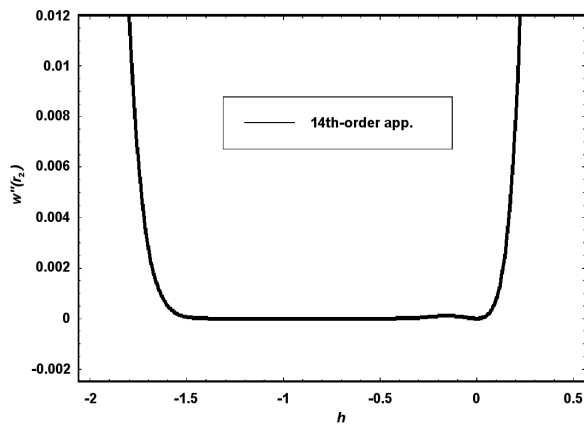


Fig. 2.  $h$ -curve for the velocity profile for  $\varepsilon = 0.1$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 0.5$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 0.5$ ,  $z = 0.1$ ,  $dP/dz = 0.35$ ,  $\phi = 0.3$ ,  $d = 0.1$ ,  $b = 0.4$ ,  $c = 0.4$ .

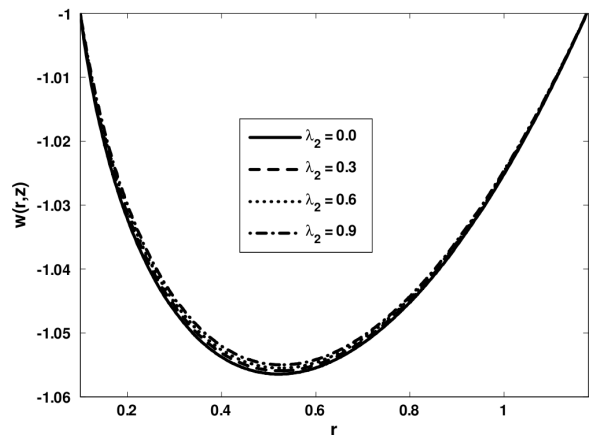


Fig. 5. Velocity field for  $\varepsilon = 0.1$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1$ ,  $z = 0.1$ ,  $dP/dz = 0.35$ ,  $\phi = 0.3$ ,  $d = 0.01$ ,  $b = 0.3$ ,  $c = 0.5$ ,  $M = 0.6$ .

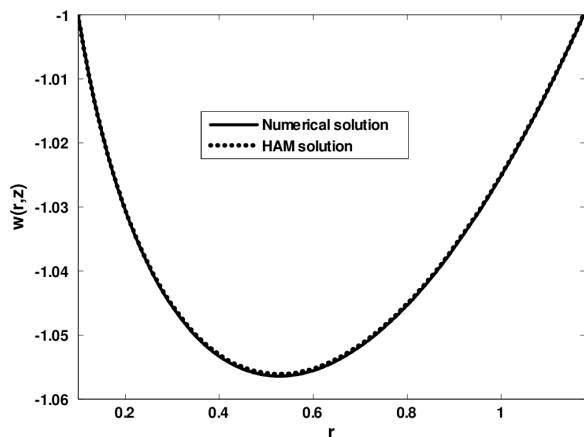


Fig. 3. Comparison of the velocity field for  $\varepsilon = 0.1$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 0.5$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 0.5$ ,  $z = 0.1$ ,  $dP/dz = 0.35$ ,  $\phi = 0.3$ ,  $h = -1$ ,  $d = 0.1$ ,  $b = 0.4$ ,  $c = 0.4$ ,  $M = 0.6$ .

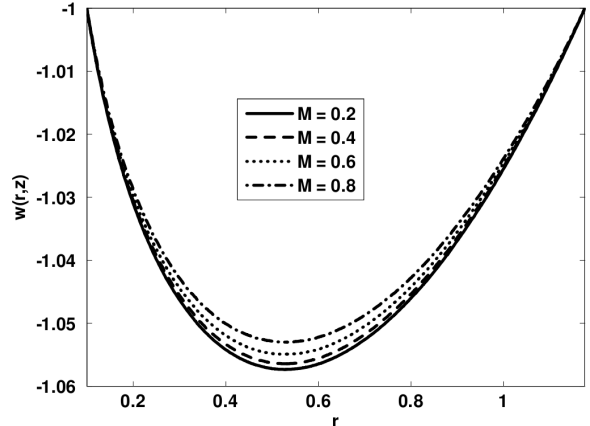


Fig. 6. Velocity field for  $\varepsilon = 0.1$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 0.5$ ,  $z = 0.1$ ,  $dP/dz = 0.35$ ,  $\phi = 0.3$ ,  $d = 0.01$ ,  $b = 0.3$ ,  $c = 0.5$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 0.5$ .

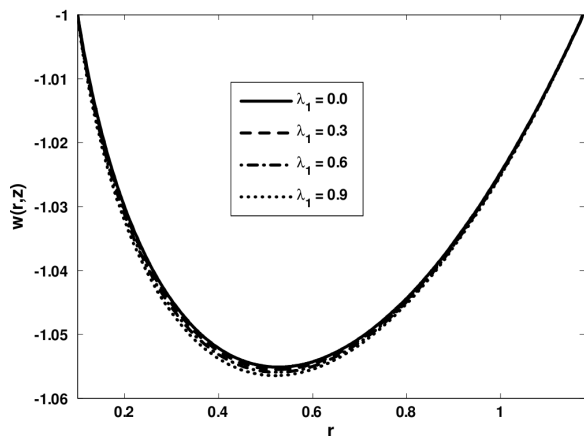


Fig. 4. Velocity field for  $\varepsilon = 0.1$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 1$ ,  $z = 0.1$ ,  $dP/dz = 0.35$ ,  $\phi = 0.3$ ,  $d = 0.01$ ,  $b = 0.3$ ,  $c = 0.5$ ,  $M = 0.6$ .

time  $\lambda_1$ , retardation time  $\lambda_2$ , and Hartmann number  $M$ , we have plotted Figures 2 to 11. Figures 2 to 6 show the physical behaviour of different parameters for constant MHD case. Figure 2 shows the convergence region for the velocity profile. Figure 3 represents the comparison of the velocity profile for both HAM and numerical results. The graph shows a very good agreement between both results. It is seen from Figures 4 to 6 that with the increase in the values  $M$  and  $\lambda_2$ , the velocity profile increases while an increase in  $\lambda_1$  causes decrease in the velocity profile. Figure 7a,b illustrate the streamline graphs for different values of Hartmann number  $M$ . It is observed that when we increase  $M$  the size of trapped bolus increases. Figure 7c,d show the streamlines for  $\lambda_1$  (Jeffrey parameter). It is analyzed that with increasing  $\lambda_1$  the number of trapped bolus

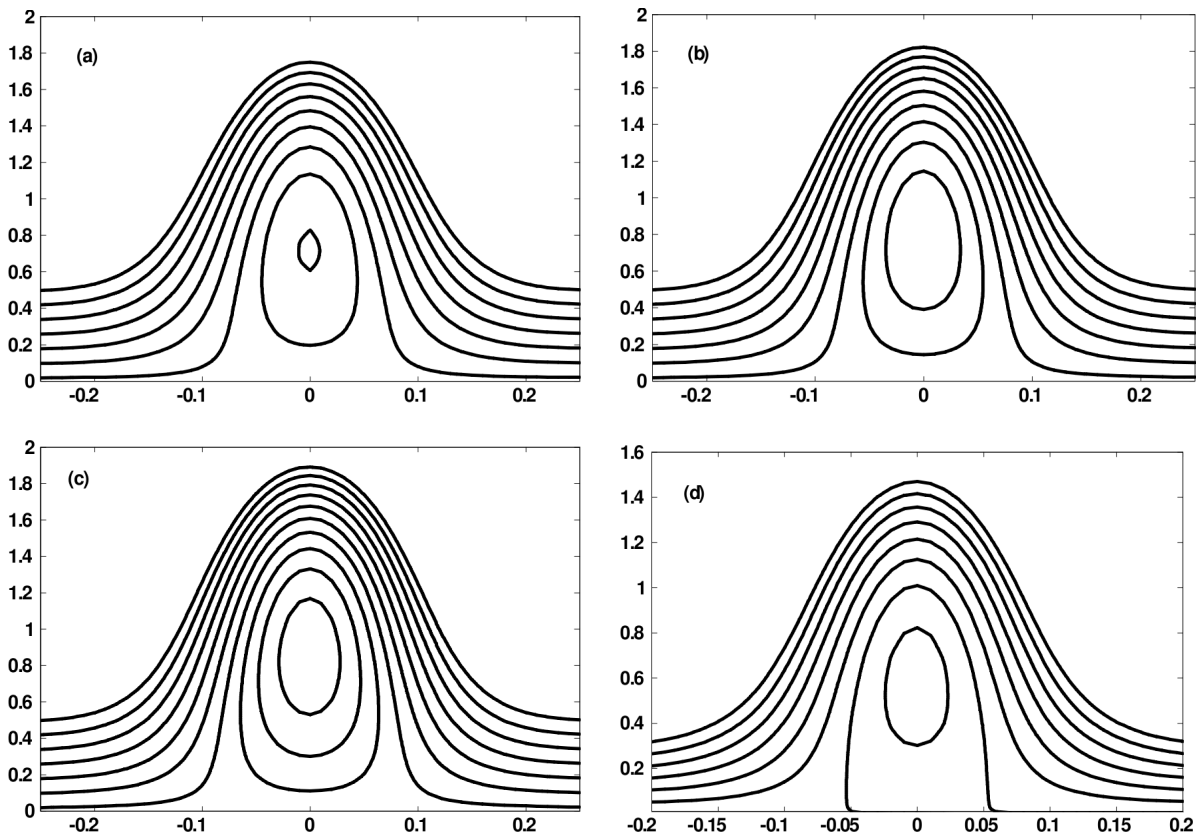


Fig. 7. Streamlines for different values of  $M = 1$  (a) and  $M = 2$  (b). The other parameters are  $\varepsilon = 0.1$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 1$ ,  $z = 0.1$ ,  $dP/dz = 0.35$ ,  $\phi = 0.3$ ,  $d = 0.01$ ,  $b = 0.3$ ,  $c = 0.5$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 0.2$ . Streamlines for different values of  $\lambda_1 = 0.1$  (c) and  $\lambda_1 = 0.2$  (d). The other parameters are  $\varepsilon = 0.1$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 1$ ,  $z = 0.1$ ,  $dP/dz = 0.35$ ,  $\phi = 0.3$ ,  $d = 0.01$ ,  $b = 0.3$ ,  $c = 0.5$ ,  $M = 2$ .

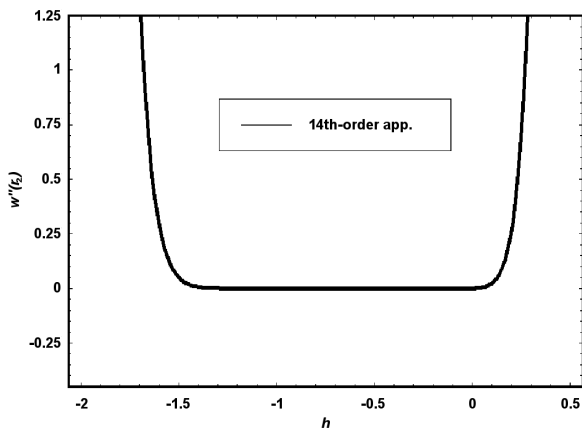


Fig. 8.  $h$ -curve for the velocity profile for  $\varepsilon = 0.1$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 0.5$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 2$ ,  $z = 0.1$ ,  $dP/dz = 0.56$ ,  $\phi = 0.3$ ,  $d = 0.1$ ,  $b = 0.3$ ,  $c = 0.4$ .

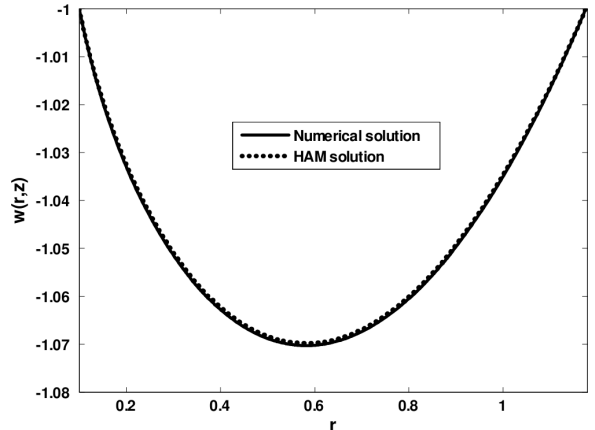


Fig. 9. Comparison of the velocity profile for  $\varepsilon = 0.1$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 0.5$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 2$ ,  $z = 0.1$ ,  $dP/dz = 0.56$ ,  $\phi = 0.3$ ,  $d = 0.1$ ,  $b = 0.3$ ,  $c = 0.4$ ,  $h = -1$ .

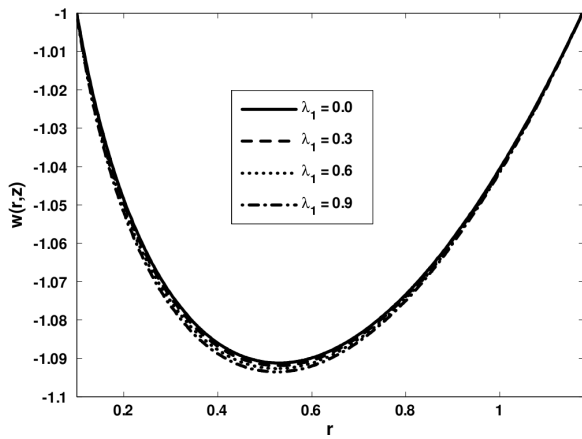


Fig. 10. Velocity field for  $\epsilon = 0.1$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 0.5$ ,  $z = 0.1$ ,  $dP/dz = 0.56$ ,  $\phi = 0.3$ ,  $d = 0.01$ ,  $b = 0.3$ ,  $c = 0.5$ ,  $M = 0.05$ .

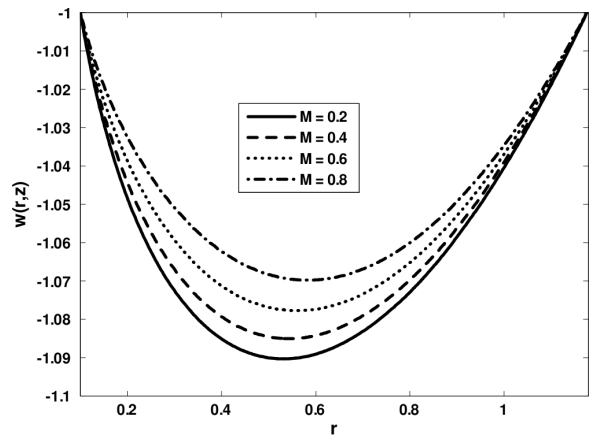


Fig. 12. Velocity field for  $\epsilon = 0.1$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 0.5$ ,  $z = 0.1$ ,  $dP/dz = 0.56$ ,  $\phi = 0.3$ ,  $d = 0.01$ ,  $b = 0.3$ ,  $c = 0.5$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 0.5$ .

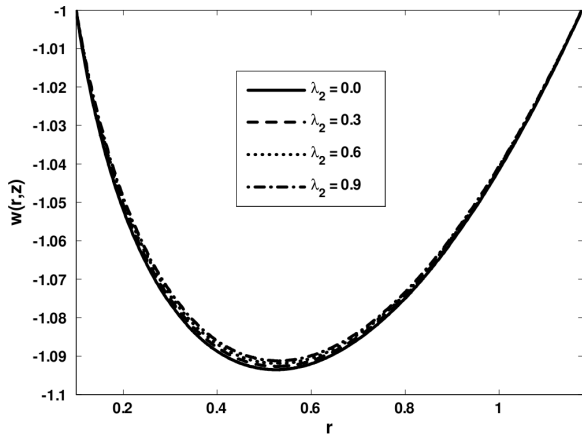


Fig. 11. Velocity field for  $\epsilon = 0.1$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 0.5$ ,  $z = 0.1$ ,  $dP/dz = 0.56$ ,  $\phi = 0.3$ ,  $d = 0.01$ ,  $b = 0.3$ ,  $c = 0.5$ ,  $M = 0.05$ .

decreases but their size increases. The physical behaviour of different parameters for variable MHD case can be seen from Figures 8 to 12. Figure 8 indicates the convergence region for the velocity profile. Figure 9 shows the comparison of the velocity profile for both HAM and numerical results. It is depicted from Figures 10 to 12 that an increase in the values  $M$  and  $\lambda_2$  causes an increase in the velocity profile while with the increase in  $\lambda_1$  velocity profile decreases. Figures 13 plotted to show the effects of Hartmann number  $M$  and Jeffrey parameter  $\lambda_1$  on the streamlines. It is seen that the number of trapped bolus increases and their size decreases with an increase in  $M$  and the size of trapped bolus increases with the increase in  $\lambda_1$ .

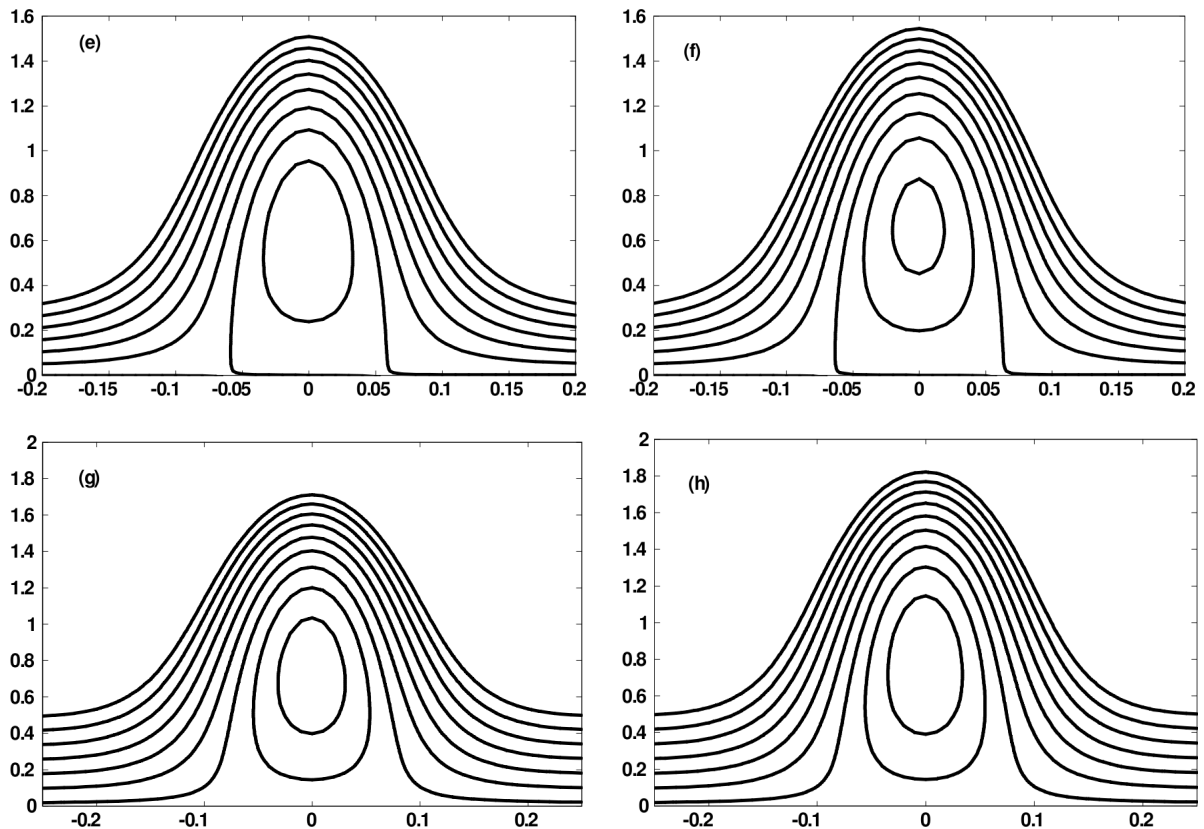


Fig. 13. Streamlines for different values of  $M = 1$  (e) and  $M = 2$  (f). The other parameters are  $\varepsilon = 0.1$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 1$ ,  $z = 0.1$ ,  $dP/dz = 0.35$ ,  $\phi = 0.3$ ,  $d = 0.01$ ,  $b = 0.3$ ,  $c = 0.5$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 0.2$ . Streamlines for different values of  $\lambda_1 = 0.1$  (g) and  $\lambda_1 = 0.2$  (h). The other parameters are  $\varepsilon = 0.1$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 1$ ,  $z = 0.1$ ,  $dP/dz = 0.35$ ,  $\phi = 0.3$ ,  $d = 0.01$ ,  $b = 0.3$ ,  $c = 0.5$ ,  $M = 2$ .

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