

# Heat Transfer of Combined Free and Forced Convection in a Cylinder whose Cross – Section Is A Sector

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**Abstract-** The purpose of this paper is to analyze the problem of the heat transfer of combined free and forced convection in a cylinder whose cross- section is a sector. The solutions are obtained in terms of Lommel, Bessel and associate functions.

## I. INTRODUCTION

The problem of fully develop Laminar convection flow of incompressible viscous fluid under pressure gradient in a vertical circular cylinder with varying was solved by Tao (1) and Morton (2) and Dalip Singh (3) discussed the flow in incompressible viscous fluid under a pressure gradient in a vertical elliptical cylinder.

Here we have obtained solutions for fully developed laminar flow through a vertical cylinder whose cross section is a sector with boundaries  $\theta=0, \theta=\alpha, r=a$  of Linear axial wall temperature gradient with and without generation are treated. The solution are obtained in

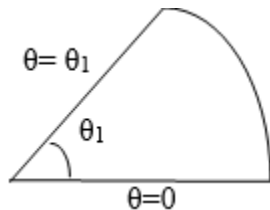


FIGURE: - SECTOR

terms of Lommel , Bessel and associated functions , corresponding values of  $Ra$  ,  $E$  and  $Nu$  are tabulated for  $F=0$  and  $F=1$  . The graphs have also been drawn in the above cases,

## II. EQUATION OF MOTION

The flow is assumed to be fully developed study and in compressible and to have constant physical properties except density taking Z-axis along the axis

of the cylinder the equation of continuity momentum for fully developed flow of in compressible viscous fluid in vertical cylinder of linearly varying wall temperature with heat sources are (Tao 1).

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = 0 \quad \text{..... (1)}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\rho g \beta T}{\mu} = \frac{1}{\mu} \left[ \frac{\partial p}{\partial z} + (\rho w - \rho_0) y \right] \quad \text{..... (2)}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial y^2} - \frac{\rho C_p C_1 u}{K} = - \frac{Q}{K} + T \quad \text{..... (3)}$$

Where  $p$  is the pressure,  $\rho$  is the density ,  $\mu$  the viscosity,  $g$  the acceleration due to gravity,  $\beta$  the expansivity ,  $C_p$  the specific heat at constant pressure ,  $K$  the thermal conductivity ,  $Q$  the heat source intensity , and  $C_1$  the wall temperature gradient ,  $u$  is the axial velocity,  $T$  the difference of local and wall temperature.

Following tao the dimensionless forms of (2) and (3) are

$$\frac{\partial^2 U}{\partial X^2} + \frac{\partial^2 U}{\partial Y^2} + Ra \phi = E \quad \text{..... (4)}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial X^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial Y^2} - U = - F \quad \text{..... (5)}$$

Where  $X = \frac{x}{a}$  ,  $Y = \frac{y}{a}$  ,  $U = \frac{u}{u_m}$

$$Ra = \frac{\rho g \beta C_1 a^3}{K \mu} , \phi = \frac{KT}{\rho C_p C_1 u_m \sigma^2}$$

$$E = \frac{\sigma^2}{\mu u_m} \left[ \frac{\partial p}{\partial z} + (\rho m - \rho_0) g \right]$$

$$F = \frac{Q}{\rho C_p C_1 u_m}$$

$R_a$  being Raileigh number  $u_m$  the average velocity

Equation (4) and (5) in polar coordination's transform to

$$\frac{\partial^2 U}{\partial r^2} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial U}{\partial r} + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2 U}{\partial \theta^2} + R_a \phi = E \quad \dots\dots\dots (6)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial r^2} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial r} + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial \theta^2} - U = -F \quad \dots\dots\dots (7)$$

We shall consider that fluid is obtained in the cylinder whose boundaries are  $r=0, \theta=0, \theta = \theta_1$

• BOUNDARY CONDITIONS

$U=0, \phi = 0$ , when  $\theta=0, \theta = \alpha$

$U=0, \phi = 0$ , when  $r=1$

• SOLUTION OF THE PROBLEM

For solving equation (6) multiply the equation by  $\sin p\theta$  and integrate within the limits 0 to  $\alpha$ .

$$\frac{\partial^2 \bar{U}}{\partial r^2} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial \bar{U}}{\partial r} - \frac{p^2}{r^2} \bar{U} + R_a \phi^- = -\frac{2E}{p} \quad \dots\dots\dots (1.2)$$

$$\bar{U} = \int_0^\alpha U \sin p\theta \, d\theta \quad \dots\dots\dots (1.3)$$

$$\phi^- = \int_0^\alpha \phi \sin p\theta \, d\theta \quad \dots\dots\dots (1.4)$$

And  $p$ 's are the roots of the equation

$$p\alpha = (2n + 1) \pi \quad \dots\dots\dots (1.5)$$

Now multiplying the whole equation (1.2) by  $rJ_p(qr)$  and integrate within the limits 0 to 1 we get

$$-q^2 \bar{U}_H + R_a \phi^-_H + \frac{2E\lambda}{p} = 0 \quad \dots\dots\dots (1.6)$$

Where  $\bar{U}_H$  and  $\phi^-_H$  are Hankels transform of  $\bar{U}$  and  $\phi^-$  respectively and  $q$ 's are the root of

$$J_p(q) = 0 \quad \dots\dots\dots (1.7)$$

Now by Erdelyi (4) page 333 where

$$\lambda = \int_0^1 r J_p(qr) \, dr = \frac{1}{q^2} [p q J_p(q) S_{0,p-1}(q) - q J_{p-1}(q) S_{1,p}(q) + p]$$

and  $S_{\mu, \nu}(r)$  is a Lommels function having its solve

$$S_{\mu, \nu}(r) = \frac{z^{\mu+1}}{(\mu-\nu+1)(\mu+\nu+1)} {}_1F_2(1, \frac{\mu+\nu+3}{2}, \frac{\mu-\nu+3}{2}, -\frac{1}{4z^2})$$

if  $\mu \pm \nu$  is not an odd integer and

$$S_{\mu, \nu}(r) = z^{\mu-1} \{ 1 - [(\mu-1)^2 - \nu^2] z^{-2} + [(\mu-1)^2 - \nu^2][(\mu-3)^2 - \nu^2] z^{-4} + \dots \}$$

If  $\mu \pm \nu$  is an odd integer.

Similarly from equation 7 on undergoing the same process we get

$$q^2 \phi^-_H + \bar{U}_H + \frac{2F\lambda}{p} = 0 \quad \dots\dots\dots (1.8)$$

On solving equation (1.6) and (1.8) we get

$$\phi^-_H = -\frac{2(Fq^2 + E)\lambda}{p(R_a + q^4)} \quad \dots\dots\dots (1.9)$$

$$\bar{U}_H = -\frac{2(FR_a - E q^2)\lambda}{p(R_a + q^4)} \quad \dots\dots\dots (1.10)$$

Now by inversion formula 6.47 of Trainer (5)

$$\phi^- = \frac{-4}{p} \sum_b J_p(qr) \frac{(Fq^2 + E)\lambda}{R_a + q^4} \quad \dots\dots\dots (1.11)$$

By inversion theorem of Snedden (6)

$$\phi = -\frac{8}{\alpha} \sum_b \sum_p J_p(qr) \frac{\lambda(Fq^2 + E) \sin p\theta}{p^2 J^2_{p+1}(q) R_a + q^4} \quad \dots\dots\dots (1.12)$$

Similarly

$$U = -\frac{8}{\alpha} \sum_b \sum_p J_p(qr) \frac{\lambda(FR_a - E q^2) \sin p\theta}{p^2 J^2_{p+1}(q) R_a + q^4} \quad \dots\dots\dots (1.13)$$

Now

$$T = \frac{\ell C_p C_{1u_m} \sigma^2 \phi}{k}$$

Therefore

$$T = - \sum_q \sum_b \frac{\ell C_p C_{1u_m} \sigma^2}{\alpha \beta K \alpha} \frac{Fq^2 + E}{R_a + q^4} \frac{\lambda J_p(qr) \sin p\theta}{J^2_{p+1}(q)} \dots\dots\dots (1.14)$$

$$= -u \sum_q \sum_b \frac{\ell}{\alpha \beta} \frac{FR_a - Eq^2}{R_a + q^4} \frac{\lambda J_p(qr)}{J^2_{p+1}(q)} \dots\dots\dots (1.15)$$

In dimensionless form

$$T_M = \frac{\int_0^1 \phi U d_A}{\int_0^1 U d_A} = \frac{\sum_q \sum_b \frac{\ell (Fq^2 + E) \lambda}{\alpha \beta R_a + q^4 J^2_{p+1}(q)} \frac{\sum_q \sum_b \frac{\ell (FR_a - Eq^2) \lambda}{\alpha \beta R_a + q^4 J^2_{p+1}(q)} \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} J_p(qr) J_p(q, r) \sin p\theta \sin p'\theta dr d\theta}{\sum_q \sum_b \frac{\ell (FR_a - Eq^2) \lambda}{\alpha \beta R_a + q^4 J^2_{p+1}(q)} \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} J_p(q) J_p \sin p\theta d\theta dr}}{\dots\dots\dots}$$

Now if  $p = p'$   $\int_0^\pi \sin p\theta \sin p'\theta d\theta = \frac{\alpha}{2}$   
 if  $p \neq p'$   $= 0$

Further by equation (48) page 70 of Erdelyi (6)

$$\int_0^1 r J_p(qmr) J_p(qnr) dr = 0 \text{ if } m \neq n$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} [J_{p+1}(qn)]^2 \text{ if } m=n$$

So

$$T_M = 2 \frac{\alpha \sum_q \sum_b \frac{\ell (Fq^2 + E) \lambda}{\alpha \beta R_a + q^4 J^2_{p+1}(q)} \frac{4}{\alpha \beta R_a + q^4} \frac{FR_a - Eq^2 \lambda}{\dots\dots\dots}}{\sum_q \sum_b \frac{\ell (FR_a - Eq^2) \lambda^2}{\alpha \beta^2 R_a + q^4 J^2_{p+1}}} \dots\dots\dots (1.16)$$

Now Nusselts number in this case is

$$Nu = \frac{\alpha/2}{2+\alpha} \cdot \frac{F-1}{T_M}$$

$$(F-1) \sum_q \sum_b \frac{(FR_a - Eq^2) \lambda^2}{\dots\dots\dots}$$

$$= \frac{\alpha}{4+2\alpha} \cdot \frac{R_a + q^4 \alpha^2 \beta^2 J^2_{p+1}(q)}{\sum_q \sum_b \frac{(Fq^2 + E) \lambda^2 (FR_a - Eq^2)}{\alpha^2 \beta^2 J^2_{p+1}(R_a + q^4)^2}} \dots\dots\dots (1.17)$$

If we consider only the first term we get

$$Nu = \frac{\alpha}{4+2\alpha} \frac{(F-1)(R_a + q^4)}{(Fq^2 + E)} \dots\dots\dots (1.18)$$

Now to evaluate flow rate we here

$$\int_A U d_A = u_m \int d_A$$

$$\sum_q \sum_b \frac{\ell}{\alpha \beta} \frac{FR_a - Eq^2}{R_a + q^4} \frac{\lambda^2}{J^2_{p+1}(q)} \cdot \frac{\alpha}{2} = \frac{\alpha}{2}$$

Or

$$\sum_q \sum_b \frac{\ell}{\alpha \beta} \frac{FR_a - Eq^2}{R_a + q^4} \frac{\lambda^2}{J^2_{p+1}(q)} = 1$$

Or

$$\sum_q \sum_b \frac{\ell}{\alpha \beta} \frac{FR_a}{R_a + q^4} \frac{\lambda^2}{J^2_{p+1}(q)} - \sum_q \sum_b \frac{\ell}{\alpha \beta} \frac{Eq^2 \lambda^2}{R_a + q^4 J^2_{p+1}(q)} = 1$$

Or

$$E = FR_a - \frac{1}{\sum_q \sum_b \frac{\ell}{\alpha \beta} \frac{q^2 \lambda^2}{J^2_{p+1}(q) (R_a + q^4)}} \dots\dots\dots (1.19)$$

If we consider only first term, we get

$$E = FR_a - \frac{\alpha \beta}{8 \lambda^2 q^2} (R_a + q^4) J^2_{p+1}(q) \dots\dots\dots (1.20)$$

To note the behavior how Nusselts number changes with change of E and  $R_a$ . Let us take the case of  $\alpha = \pi/4$ , with heat generation or no heat generation i.e.  $F=1$  and  $F=0$ .

- PARTICULAR CASE I :  
 Let  $\alpha = \pi/4$   
 Here  $p= 4, 10, \dots\dots\dots$  etc  
 And  $\lambda^2 = .01$

