Flow and Heat Transfer due to an a Shrinking Sheet with Second Order Slip

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Abstract
This paper considers the study of viscous flow and heat transfer over a shrinking sheet considering the effect of second order slip. The governing partial differential equations of the flow and heat transfer are transferred into nonlinear ordinary differential equations by using suitable similarity transformation. The exponential form of solution for momentum is assumed and governing heat transfer equation is solved analytically by power series method in terms of Kummer’s Hypergeometric function. The effects of various physical parameters on flow and heat transfer are investigated with graphical illustrations.

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1. Introduction
The flow induced by a moving boundary is important in the study of extrusion processes (Sakiadis B.C. 1961). (Sakiadis B.C.1961). (Crane L. J, 1970) and is a subject of considerable interest in the contemporary literature (Miklavcic M, Wang CY, 2006), for both permeable and impermeable stretching sheets. Miklavcic and Wang (Miklavcic M, Wang C.Y.2006).have reported an exact solution of the NS equations for flow over a shrinking sheet. The shrinking sheet problem was also extended to power-law shrinking velocity and other fluids.

In the past decade, fluid flow in micro-electro-mechanical systems (MEMS) has become a hot research topic. Because of the micro-scale dimensions of these devices, the flow behavior deviates significantly from the traditional no-slip flow (Gal-el-Hak M, 1999). Rarefied gas flows with slip boundary conditions are often encountered in micro-scale devices and low-pressure situation (Gal-el-Hak M, 1999). For the flow in the slip regime (Shidlovskiy VP.1967 and Pande GC, Goudas CL 1996), the fluid motion still obeys the Navier-Stokes (NS) equations with slip velocity boundary conditions. In addition, partial slips over moving surface also occurs for fluids with particulate such as emulsions, suspensions, foams, and polymer solutions (Yoshimura A, proteome RK,1988),the slip flows under different flow configurations have been studied in recent years. However, in these papers, only the first order Maxwell slip condition was used. Recently, (Wu L.A, 2008) proposed a new second order slip velocity model, which matches with the Fukui-Kaneko results based on the direct numerical simulation of the linearized Boltzmann equation (Fukui S, Kaneko R. A, 2009.). (Tiegang Fang, Shanshan Yao, ji Zzhang, Abdul Aziz, 2009). Studied the slip flow over a permeable shrinking surface with the newly proposed Wu’s slip velocity model with exact solutions of the governing NS equations. In the present study we have extended the work of (Tiegang Fang, Shanshan Yao, ji Zzhang, Abdul Aziz,2009).considering heat transfer and also with boundary layer approximation.

2. Mathematical formulation and discussion
Consider a steady, two-dimensional laminar flow over a continuously shrinking sheet in a quiescent fluid. The sheet shrinking velocity is \( U_w = -U_0 x \), with \( U_0 \) being a constant and the wall mass transfer velocity is \( V_w = V_w (x) \), which will be determined later.

Fig (1): Schematic diagram of boundary layer slip flow past a shrinking sheet
The x-axis runs along the shrinking surface in the direction opposite to the sheet motion and the y-axis is perpendicular to it. The governing boundary layer equation for the proposed problem can be expressed as
\[
\begin{align*}
\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} &= 0 \tag{1} \\
\frac{u}{\partial x} + v \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} &= v \left( \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} \right) \tag{2}
\end{align*}
\]

With the boundary conditions
\[
U(x, 0) = U_0 x + U_{\text{slip}}, \quad V(x, 0) = U_w(x), \quad \text{and} \quad u(x, \infty) = 0, \tag{3}
\]
where \( u \) and \( v \) are the velocity components in the \( x \) and \( y \) directions. \( V \) is the kinematic coefficient of viscosity, \( \rho \) is the fluid density, and \( U_{\text{slip}} \) is the velocity slip at the wall. The Wu’s slip velocity model used in this paper is valid for arbitrary Knudsen numbers, \( K_n \), and is given as follows (Wu, 2008):
\[
U_{\text{slip}} = \frac{2}{3} \left( \frac{3 - \alpha l^3}{\alpha} - \frac{3 - 1 - l^2}{2} \right) \lambda \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} - \frac{1}{4} \left[ l^2 + \frac{2}{K_n^2} (1 - l^2) \right] \lambda^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = A \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + B \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2}, \tag{4}
\]

where \( l = \min \left\{ \frac{1}{K_n}, 1 \right\} \), \( \alpha \), is the momentum accommodation coefficient with \( 0 \leq \alpha \leq 1 \), and \( \lambda \) is the molecular mean free path. Based on the definition of \( l \), it is noticed that any given value of \( K_n \) we have \( 0 \leq 1 \leq 1 \). The molecular mean free path is always positive. Thus we know that \( B > 0 \) and positive. The stream function and similarity variable can be assumed in the following form,
\[
\psi(x, y) = f(\eta) x \sqrt{\nu U_0}, \quad \eta = \frac{y}{\sqrt{\nu U_0}} \tag{5}
\]

With these transformations, the velocity components are expressed as
\[
u = U_0 x f'(\eta) \quad \text{and} \quad v = -\sqrt{\nu U_0} f(\eta). \tag{6}
\]

The wall mass transfer velocity becomes \( v_w(x) = -\sqrt{\nu U_0} f(0) \).

Using equations (5) and (6) in equations (1) and (2) we obtain the transformed form of boundary layer equations of motion,
\[
f'' + ff' - f^2 = 0 \tag{8}
\]

Similarly, the boundary conditions equation (3) takes the form
\[
f(0) = s, \quad f'(0) = -1 + \gamma f''(0) + \delta f'''(0) = 0, \quad \text{and} \quad f'(\infty) = 0, \tag{9}
\]
where \( s \) is the wall mass transfer parameter showing the strength of the mass transfer at the surface, \( \gamma \) is the first order velocity slip parameter with \( 0 < \gamma = A \frac{U_0}{\nu} \), and \( \delta \) is the second order velocity slip parameter with
\[
0 > \delta = B \frac{U_0}{\nu}, \tag{10}
\]

we derive a closed form exact solution of Eq.(8) subject to the BCs of Eq. (9). We assume a solution of the form \( f(\eta) = a + be^{-\beta \eta} \). The application of boundary condition (9) gives the values for \( a \) and \( b \) as mentioned below.
\[
b = \frac{1}{\beta + \gamma \beta^2 - \delta \beta^3}, \tag{10}
\]
\[
a = \frac{1}{\beta + \gamma \beta^2 - \delta \beta^3}. \tag{11}
\]

Substituting the assumed solution into Eq.(9) yields \( a = \beta \). The use of this relationship in Eq. (11) leads to the following fourth order algebraic equation for \( \beta \),
\[
\delta \beta^4 - (\gamma + \delta s) \beta^3 + (\gamma s - 1) \beta^2 + s \beta - 1 = 0. \tag{12}
\]
\( \beta \) should be least positive value.

Then the solution reads as
\[ f(\eta) = s - \frac{1}{\beta + \gamma \beta^3 - \delta \beta^3} + \frac{1}{\beta + \gamma \beta^3 - \delta \beta^3} e^{-\beta \eta}, \] 
\[ \text{and} \]
\[ f(\eta) = -\frac{1}{1 + \gamma \beta - \delta \beta^2} e^{-\beta \eta}, \] 
Based on the results in Eq. (14), it is easy to show that
\[ f''(0) = \frac{\beta}{1 + \gamma \beta - \delta \beta^2} = \beta^2 (s - \beta) \] 

3. Heat transfer analysis:

The thermal boundary layer equation, with work done by deformation, and internal heat generation or absorption is given by
\[ u \frac{\partial T}{\partial x} + v \frac{\partial T}{\partial y} = \frac{k}{\rho c_p} \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial y^2} \] 
where \( c_p \) is the specific heat, \( \rho \) is density, \( k \) is thermal conductivity

3.1 Constant surface temperature (CST)

The boundary conditions in case of CST is given by
\[ T = T_w \text{ at } y = 0; \]
\[ T \rightarrow T_\infty \text{ as } y \rightarrow \infty \] 
where \( T_w \) is the temperature of the sheet and \( T_\infty \) is the temperature of the fluid far away from the sheet.

Defining the non-dimensional temperature \( \theta(\eta) \) as
\[ \theta(\eta) = \frac{T - T_\infty}{T_w - T_\infty} \] 
Using (18), Eq. (16) can be written in the form
\[ \theta'(\eta) + \text{Pr} f(\eta) \theta'(\eta) = 0 \] 
where \( \text{Pr} = \frac{\mu C_p}{k} \) is the Prandtl number.

Consequently the boundary conditions (17) take the form
\[ \theta(\eta) = 1 \text{ at } \eta = 0 \]
\[ \theta(\eta) \to 0 \text{ as } \eta \to \infty \] 
Introducing the new independent variable
\[ \xi = -\text{Pr} e^{-\beta \eta} \] 
and substituting in Eq. (19) we obtain
\[ \xi \theta''(\xi) + \theta'(\xi) - P_1 \theta'(\xi) + P_{12} \xi \theta'(\xi) = 0 \] 
where \( P_{11} = \frac{a \text{Pr}}{\beta} \), \( P_{12} = \frac{b}{\beta} \) and \( \beta = \text{Pr} e^{-\beta \eta} \)

The corresponding boundary conditions are
\[ \theta(\xi) = 1 \text{ at } \xi = -\text{Pr} e^{-\beta \eta} \]
\[ \theta(\xi) \to 0 \text{ as } \xi \to 0 \]

The solution of Eq. (21) subject to the boundary conditions (22) is given by
\[ \theta(\eta) = C_1 \left[ -\text{Pr} e^{-\beta \eta} \right]^\text{Pr} M \left[ \left( \frac{-a \text{Pr}}{\beta} - k + 1 \right) \left( \frac{b}{\beta} \right)^k, \left( \frac{a \text{Pr}}{\beta} + k \right); -\text{Pr} e^{-\beta \eta} \right] \]  

(23)

where

\[ C_1 = \frac{1}{\left[ -\text{Pr} e^{-\beta \eta} \right]^\text{Pr} M \left[ \left( \frac{-a \text{Pr}}{\beta} - k + 1 \right) \left( \frac{b}{\beta} \right)^k, \left( \frac{a \text{Pr}}{\beta} + k \right) \right]} \]

3.2 The Prescribed surface temperature (PST case)

The boundary conditions in case of PST are given by

\[ T = T_w = T_\infty + A \left( \frac{x}{l} \right)^2 \text{ at } y = 0 \]  
\[ T = T_\infty \text{ at } y \to \infty \]

(24)

where \( A \) is constant. \( T_w \) is temperature at the wall. \( T_\infty \) is temperature away from the sheet.

We define non-dimensional temperature as

\[ \phi(\eta) = \frac{T - T_\infty}{T_w - T_\infty} \]

(25)

So that the equation (16) reduces to the form

\[ \phi''(\eta) = \text{Pr} 2f''(\eta) \phi(\eta) - \text{Pr} f(\eta) \phi'(\eta) \]

(26)

the corresponding boundary conditions (24) reduces to

\[ \eta = 0 \quad \phi = 1 \]
\[ \eta = \infty \quad \phi = 0 \]

(27)

Using the new independent variable defined as

\[ t = -\text{Pr} e^{-\beta \eta} \]

and substituting in equation (26) we obtain

\[ t \phi''(t) + \left[1 - P_{11} + P_{12}t\right] \phi'(t) - 2\beta = 0 \]

(28)

Where \( P_{11} = \frac{a \text{Pr}}{\beta} \), \( P_{12} = b \beta \)

The corresponding boundary conditions will be

\[ \phi(t) = 1 \text{ at } t = -\text{Pr} e^{-\beta \eta} \]
\[ \phi(t) \to 0 \text{ as } t \to 0 \]

(29)

We obtain the solution of above equation (26) by using power series method and in terms of Kummer’s function is as mentioned below,

\[ \phi(\eta) = \frac{e^{-\text{Pr} a \eta} M \left[ 2\beta - b\beta \left( 2 + \frac{a \text{Pr}}{\beta} \right), \left( 1 + \frac{a \text{Pr}}{\beta} \right), -\frac{\text{Pr}}{\beta} e^{-\text{Pr}} \right]}{M \left[ 2\beta - b\beta \left( 2 + \frac{a \text{Pr}}{\beta} \right), \left( 1 + \frac{a \text{Pr}}{\beta} \right), -\frac{\text{Pr}}{\beta^2} \right]} \]

(30)
4. Results and Discussion

In this problem, we proposed to investigate the flow and heat transfer characteristics of a viscous fluid with second order slip. The governing equations for momentum and heat transfer are partial differential equations which are converted into ordinary differential equations by using suitable similarity transformations. An analytical solution [exponential solution] for flow has been assumed, and this assumed solution is used to solve the heat transfer equations by power series method and expressed in terms of Kummer’s hyper geometric functions. The results are depicted graphically from graph Fig 2 to 12.

Fig 2. Shows the effect of mass suction parameter s on considered flow. It shows that as there is increase in the parameter value of s, velocity $f'$ is decreases.

Fig 3. Shows the effect of first order slip parameter $\gamma$ on velocity profile $f'$. It is noticed that as first order slip parameter $\gamma$ increases velocity profile $f'$ decreases.

Similarly in Fig 4, we notice that the effect of second order slip parameter $\delta$ is to sustain velocity profile $f'$ in the boundary layer.
Fig (5) and (6), Shows the effect of mass suction parameter on temperature profile in CST and PST cases. It is observed from these two graphs that as mass suction parameter $s$ increases temperature decreases.

Fig (7) and (8), Shows the effect of second order slip parameter $\delta$ in CST and PST cases. It is observed from these two graphs that as $\delta$ decreases temperature increases.

Fig. (9) and (10), Shows the effect Pr in CST and PST cases. It is observed from these two graphs that as Pr increases temperature decreases.

Fig (11) and (12), Shows the effect of first order slip parameter $\gamma$ in CST and PST cases. It is observed from these two graphs that as $\gamma$ increases temperature decreases.

**Nomenclature:**

$x$  flow directional coordinate along the stretching sheet  
$y$ distance normal to the stretching sheet  
$u$, $v$ velocity components along x and y direction
\(a, b\)  \text{constants}

\(\beta\)  \text{root value}

\(\gamma\)  \text{first order velocity slip parameter}

\(\delta\)  \text{second order velocity slip parameter}

\(A\)  \text{prescribed constants}

\(c_p\)  \text{specific heat at constant pressure}

\(k\)  \text{thermal Conductivity}

\(T\)  \text{fluid temperature of the moving sheet}

\(T_w\)  \text{wall temperature}

\(Pr\)  \text{Prandtl number}

\(T_\infty\)  \text{temperature far away from the plate}

\(\tau_w\)  \text{wall shearing stress}

\(s\)  \text{mass suction}

\(M\)  \text{Kummer’s Function}

\(\theta\)  \text{dimensionless temperature}

\(\eta\)  \text{dimensionless space variable}

\(\nu\)  \text{Kinematic viscosity}

\(\rho\)  \text{density}

\(\mu\)  \text{coefficient of viscosity}

\(w\)  \text{properties at the plate}

\(\infty\)  \text{free stream condition}

\(\eta\)  \text{differentiation with respect to \(\eta\)}

**Greek symbols**

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