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# Finite Element Analysis for Magneto-Convection Heat Transfer Performance in Vertical Wavy Surface Enclosure: Fin Size Impact

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# ABSTRACT

The goal of this paper is to represent a numerical study of magnetohydrodynamic mixed convection heat transfer in a lid-driven vertical wavy enclosure with a fin attached to the bottom wall. We use a finite element method based on Galerkin weighted residual (GWR) techniques to set up the appropriate governing equations for the present flow model. We have conducted a parametric investigation to examine the impact of Hartmann and Richardson numbers on the flow pattern and heat transmission features inside a wavy cavity. We graphically represent the numerical results, such as isotherms, streamlines, velocity profiles, local and mean Nusselt numbers, and average surface temperature. Comparisons between the results of this work and previously published work in a literature review have been produced to examine the reliability and consistency of the data. The different sizes of the fin surface significantly impact flow creation and temperature fields. Additionally, the long fin size is necessary to enhance the heat transfer rate on the right surface at large Richardson numbers and low Hartmann numbers. Fin surfaces can significantly increase the mixing of fluid inside the enclosure, which can mean reductions in reaction times and operating costs, along with increases in heat transfer and efficiency.

# **KEYWORDS**

Fin surface; finite element method; combined convection; MHD; wavy enclosure

# Nomenclature

- A Amplitude
- $B_0$  Magnetic field strength
- *B* Nondimensional fin thickness,
- *H* Nondimensional fin position
- g Gravitational force,  $m/s^2$



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#### **Greek Symbols**

α	Thermal diffusivity, $m^2/s$
β	A coefficient of thermal expansion, $1/K$
ρ	Local density, $kg/m^3$
μ	Dynamic viscosity, <i>Ns/m</i> <sup>2</sup>
$\theta$	Nondimensional temperature $(T - T_c)/(T_{h-} T_c)$
υ	Kinematic viscosity, $m^2/s$
λ	Number of oscillations
ε	Effectiveness

#### **Subscripts**

avg	Average
С	Cool
h	Hot
f	Fin

#### **1** Introduction

Researchers have become interested in convection heat transition in the driven enclosure due to its diverse range of applications, including solar thermal collectors, float glass manufacture, microelectronic devices, and electrical devices. A vast number of researchers have recognized the focus on lid-driven, various-shaped cavities, both from engineering and theoretical viewpoints. The present model's specific engineering applications may include computer CPU heat sinks, radiators in cars, heat exchangers in power plants, heat transmission devices, and so on. Das et al. [1] examined free convection flow within the wavy frame enclosure. Their findings showed that a wavy surface's amplitude and undulation numbers affect the components that control heat in an enclosure. The natural convection within a vertically wavy wall enclosing an unstable case was statistically modeled by Rostami [2]. Azizul et al. [3] reported the impact of a heat line concept on mixed convection indoors with a wavy surface frame and nanofluids. Free convection via a skewed design wavy porous chamber was examined by Misirlioglu et al. [4]. The impact of wavy base cover on combined convection heat augmentation in a driven chamber was documented by Al-Amiri et al. [5]. They assessed the effect of flow creation and heat removal characteristics on the number of wavy surfaces, the Richardson number, and the appropriateness of a wavy surface. Mushate [6] examined a porous enclosure with

undulations using CFD to predict natural convection. The outcomes showed that the heat change rate improves as the Rayleigh number rises and decreases as the amplitude rises. Mansour et al. [7] used a heated non equilibrium model to explore a free convective porous cavity with a wavy form and the effect of thermic radiation. The coupled convection throw nanofluid flow within a wavy form cage was studied by Nada et al. [8]. They discovered that, with regard to geometry, base surface ratios, and the Richardson number, the heat replacement rate increases with an increase in the nanoparticle volume fraction. Using a nanofluid and Buongiorno's mathematical description, Sheremet et al. [9] scrutinized free convective movement in a non-uniformly heated curvy edge porous enclosure with nanofluid reporting the impacts of thermophoresis and Brownian dispersion was explored by Sheremet et al. [10]. Natural convection inside porous wavy structures, having sinusoidal warming and interior heat generation, was studied by Cheong et al. [11]. Alsabery et al. [12] examined the entropy-generating capabilities of a solid rotating cylinder with heat fluctuation in a warmed porous cavity underneath a curved framework. A recent heat conveyor study on convection inside a triangular wavy structure enclosure was made by Asad et al. [13].

Many engineering applications, including vacuum cleaners, washing machines, and blenders, all feature electric components that operate using magnetic principles. Ashorynejad et al. [14] explored combined nanofluid in a MHD convective wavy frame open enclosure. They followed the rule that the Nusselt number declines with an increase in a Hartmann number, but increases with a rise in Rayleigh number and nanoparticle size. Rahman et al. [15] studied the collective impacts of joule heating on magnetohydrodynamic convection within a driven frame enclosure. These authors and those of the references [16–19] emphasized that the Hartmann number significantly influences the thermal fluctuations of the flow. Additionally, Joule heating factors influence flow design and isotherms. Öztop et al. [20] provided a summary of coupled magneto-convection in a lid-driven, differentially heated, wavy-walled structure occupied with nanofluid. They showed that the rate of heat removal declines as the Hartmann number increases. Additionally, depending on Hartmann (Ha) and Richardson values, the nanoparticles might cause the heat substitution rate to climb or fall. There are more recent studies on square, wavy, and triangle cavities under the effect of a hydromagnetic field in [21–24].

A fin like computer CPU heat sinks, a radiator in a car, heat exchangers in power plants, and heat shifting devices are only a few examples of engineering applications that also incorporate flow construction and heat substitution inside the enclosure. In addition, cutting-edge technologies like fennec canines and hydrogen fuel cells work by discharging heat. Nag et al. [25] reviewed free convective flow in a differential thermal enclosure amidst a horizontal block on a hot wall. Tasnim et al. [26] investigated how free convection heat changed when a baffle was joined to a heated wall. They discovered that fin length and Rayleigh number have a massive effect on the influence of fin position on the rate of heat removal. Sun et al. [27] reported of mix-convection applying triangular conductive fins in a driven chamber. A triangular fin was recommended as a useful parameter for flow design and heat transport speed. The effect of baffles and their length on free convection within transition enclosures was examined by Xu et al. [28]. They determined that at a critical (Ra) level sensitive to fin length, the stream pattern near the fin surface changes from a steady to intermittently unstable flow. By affixing a vertical fin to the lower wall of the standard cage by Asad et al. [29]. Laminar natural convection was generated by Elatar et al. [30] in a square chamber with a special horizontal fin enclosed at various positions and heights connected to a heated surface. They investigated how flow design and heat removal components were affected by the length and position of the fins. Siddiqui et al. [31] studied combined convection in a micro-polar liquid sliding wall cavity. In open enclosures, the effects

of parallel insulated baffles were examined by Palaniappan et al. [32]. According to the literature, further activities related to this study are [33–35]. Asad et al. [36] investigated the analytical modeling of the MHD boundary layer circulation of a chemically reacting upper convective Maxwell fluid via a vertical surface exposed to many stratifications with different characteristics. The performance of free convection and heat transfer in a curve-shaped enclosure was scrutinized by Asad et al. [37].

To the best of the researcher's knowledge, this indicates that no question about the enclosure with a vertical fin and a wavy form on both sides has been examined. This surviving study will numerically scrutinize the influence of fin size on magneto-combined convective heat transition in a moving-wall, wavy-shaped wall enclosure attached to a vertical fin.

#### 2 Problem Specifications with Mathematical Model

For the current investigation, a physical wavy model with boundary conditions estimates a wavy frame enclosure, as shown in Fig. 1. The thermo-physical characteristics of a fluid are maintained constant, with the exception of density variations in a buoyancy expression, which are controlled using the Boussinesq approximation. The dominance of viscous diffusion and radiation are also disregarded at the same time. The Newtonian, incompressible, steady, and laminar flow is generally assumed to represent the enclosing liquid.



Figure 1: Model with boundary conditions is schematically demonstrated

In accordance with the presumptions, the relevant governing equations (see reference [17]) are as follows:

Continuity equation: 
$$\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial X} + \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial Y} = 0,$$
 (1)

Momentum equation in x-direction: 
$$\psi \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial X} + \varphi \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial Y} = -\frac{\partial P}{\partial X} + \frac{1}{Re} \nabla^2 \psi,$$
 (2)

Momentum equation in y-direction: 
$$\psi \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial X} + \varphi \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial Y} = -\frac{\partial P}{\partial Y} + \frac{1}{Re} \nabla^2 \varphi + \frac{Gr}{Re^2} \theta - \frac{Ha^2 \varphi}{Re},$$
 (3)

Energy equation: 
$$\psi \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial X} + \varphi \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial Y} = \frac{1}{PrRe} \nabla^2 \theta$$
. (4)

The topical variables of the Eqs. (1)–(4) described above are, *Pr*, *Ha*, *Gr*, *Re*, and *Ri*, each of which is represented as

$$Pr = \frac{\nu}{\alpha}, Re = \frac{\psi_{lid}W}{\nu}, Gr = \frac{g\beta (T_h - T_c)W^3}{\nu^2}, Ri = \frac{Gr}{Re^2}, Ha = B_0W\sqrt{\frac{\sigma}{\mu}} \text{ and } \theta = \frac{T_h - T_c}{\Delta T}$$
(5)

#### 2.1 Boundary Conditions

For fin surface: 
$$0 \le Y \le L$$
,  $\psi = \varphi = 0$ ;  $X = H + \frac{B}{2}$  and  $X = H - \frac{B}{2}$  (see references [26] and [30]) (6a)

For the top wall : 
$$\psi_{lid} = -1, \varphi = 0, \theta = 1$$
 (6b)

For the bottom wall : 
$$\psi = \varphi = 0, \theta = 1$$
 (6c)

For left surface : 
$$\psi = \varphi = 0, \theta = 0; A (1 - \cos(2\pi\lambda X))$$
 (6d)

For right surface : 
$$\psi = \varphi = 0, \theta = 0; 1 - A(1 - \cos(2\pi\lambda X))$$
 (6e)

where H = (h/W) is a dimensionless fin location, L = (l/W) is a dimensionless fin size and B = (b/W) is a dimensionless fin thickness.

#### 2.2 Calculation of Nusselt Number

The Nusselt number and global Nusselt number are induced as follows by incorporating the dimensionless parameters in Eq. (5):

$$Nu_L = -\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial N}\Big|_S$$
 and  $Nu_{avg} = \int_0^W \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial N}\Big|_S ds$  (7)

#### **3** Numerical Technique with Validation

The pertinent governing Eqs. (1)–(4) jointly amidst Eqs. (6a)–(6e) are constructed computationally using a Galerkin finite element approach. First, using the  $\gamma$  (penalty variable) and the incompressibility review of Eq. (1) as follows:

$$P = -\gamma \left(\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial X} + \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial Y}\right) \tag{8}$$

The following conservations of momentum Eqs. (2), (3) using Eq. (8), we get

$$\psi \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial X} + \varphi \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial Y} = \gamma \left( \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial X} + \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial Y} \right) + \frac{1}{Re} \nabla^2 \psi$$
(9)

$$\psi \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial X} + \varphi \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial Y} = \gamma \left( \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial X} + \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial Y} \right) + \frac{1}{Re} \nabla^2 \varphi + Ri\theta - \frac{Ha^2 \varphi}{Re}$$
(10)

Secondly, the progression of momentum and energy in Eqs. (9), (10) and (4) sequentially utilizing Eqs. (6a)–(6e) are organized by selecting the Galerkin finite element policy [38–40].

The engagement function estimates flow  $(\psi, \varphi)$ , and heat qualities  $(\theta)$  using a main set:  $\{\phi_i\}_{i=1}^k$  as

$$\psi \approx \sum_{i=1}^{k} \psi_i \phi_i(X, Y); \ \varphi \approx \sum_{i=1}^{k} \varphi_i \phi_i(X, Y) \text{ and } \theta \approx \sum_{i=1}^{k} \theta_i \phi_i(X, Y)$$
(11)

A Galerkin weighted residual approach and finite element techniques are employed within the inner node domain  $(\Omega)$ , integrating them across the computational domain to derive the nonlinear Eqs. (9), (10), and (4), which are then discretized using small free triangular meshes as illustrated in Fig. 2.



Figure 2: Distribution of the grid size of (a) 1702 and (b) 13273 elements

$$R_{1}^{i} \approx \sum_{i=1}^{k} \psi_{i} \int_{\Omega} \left[ \left( \sum_{i=1}^{k} \psi_{i} \phi_{i} \right) \frac{\partial \phi_{i}}{\partial X} + \left( \sum_{i=1}^{k} \varphi_{i} \phi_{i} \right) \frac{\partial \phi_{i}}{\partial Y} \right] \phi_{j} dX dY + \gamma \sum_{i=1}^{k} \psi_{i} \int_{\Omega} \frac{\partial \phi_{j}}{\partial X} \frac{\partial \phi_{i}}{\partial X} dX dY + \gamma \sum_{j=1}^{k} \varphi_{i} \int_{\Omega} \frac{\partial \phi_{j}}{\partial X} \frac{\partial \phi_{i}}{\partial Y} dX dY + \frac{1}{Re} \sum_{i=1}^{k} \psi_{i} \int_{\Omega} \left[ \frac{\partial \phi_{j}}{\partial X} \frac{\partial \phi_{i}}{\partial Y} + \frac{\partial \phi_{j}}{\partial Y} \frac{\partial \phi_{i}}{\partial Y} \right] dX dY$$

$$R_{2}^{i} \approx \sum_{i=1}^{k} \varphi_{i} \int_{\Omega} \left[ \left( \sum_{i=1}^{k} \psi_{i} \phi_{i} \right) \frac{\partial \phi_{i}}{\partial X} + \left( \sum_{i=1}^{k} \varphi_{i} \phi_{i} \right) \frac{\partial \phi_{i}}{\partial Y} \right] \phi_{j} dX dY + \gamma \sum_{i=1}^{k} \psi_{i} \int_{\Omega} \frac{\partial \phi_{j}}{\partial Y} \frac{\partial \phi_{i}}{\partial X} dX dY + \gamma \sum_{i=1}^{k} \varphi_{i} \int_{\Omega} \frac{\partial \phi_{j}}{\partial Y} \frac{\partial \phi_{i}}{\partial Y} dX dY + \frac{1}{Re} \sum_{i=1}^{k} \psi_{i} \int_{\Omega} \left[ \frac{\partial \phi_{j}}{\partial X} \frac{\partial \phi_{i}}{\partial X} + \frac{\partial \phi_{j}}{\partial Y} \frac{\partial \phi_{i}}{\partial X} \right] dX dY + Ri \int_{\Omega} \left( \sum_{i=1}^{k} \theta_{i} \phi_{i} \right) \phi_{j} dX dY - \frac{Ha^{2}}{Re} \int_{\Omega} \left( \sum_{i=1}^{k} \varphi_{i} \phi_{i} \right) \phi_{j} dX dY + \frac{1}{PrRe} \sum_{i=1}^{k} \theta_{i} \int_{\Omega} \left[ \frac{\partial \phi_{i}}{\partial X} \frac{\partial \phi_{i}}{\partial X} + \frac{\partial \phi_{j}}{\partial Y} \frac{\partial \phi_{i}}{\partial Y} \right] dX dY$$

$$(12)$$

where the iteration, residual, and node numbers k, j, and i are listed consecutively. The procedures that came after Eqs. (12)–(14) were carried out using the Gaussian quadrature technique.

Lastly, Newton Raphson's iteration scheme was engaged to find out residual equations iteratively. The elaborate clarification may be exposed in a literature review [13,37]. After a convergence inquiry, the computational approach's convergence policies are realized and regarded as

$$\left|\frac{\Pi^{n+1} - \Pi^n}{\Pi^{n+1}}\right| \le 10^{-5} \tag{15}$$

where *n* is an N-R iteration loop and  $\Pi$  is a function of velocity and temperature.

Considering the current investigation at Pr = 0.71, L = 0.45, Ri = 1,  $\lambda = 2$ , and H = 0.50, identify the appropriate grid size. Table 1 displays the average Nusselt number of a fin, while Fig. 3 illustrates it. We examined a grid sensitivity assessment with various types of meshes and found an appropriate

answer for the current research. Table 1 and Fig. 3 show that the grid size of 6844 nodes and 13,273 elements provided a satisfactory solution for the present numerical investigation.

Grid size	Grid name	Nodes	Elements	Nu <sub>avg</sub>	Time (s)	Residual error (%)
Grid-1	Normal	931	1702	5.1290	7	
Grid-2	Fine	1213	2245	5.2303	10	1.936791
Grid-3	Finer	1823	3421	5.3952	13	3.056420
Grid-4	Extra fine	6844	13,273	5.6491	21	4.494521
Grid-5	Extremely fine	25,133	49,464	5.6617	48	0.222548

**Table 1:** Grid refinement is required at L = 0.45, Ri = 1, Pr = 0.71, and H = 0.50



Figure 3: Grid survey for several elements

The mean Nusselt number on the right surface was compared between Elatar et al. [30] and Nag et al. [25] values at  $Ra = 10^6$  and L = 0.20 to confirm the accuracy of the current model's analytical results. With the largest derivation of less than 3.0%, the mean Nusselt number examined in Table 2 demonstrates the outstanding acceptance of those queries. Besides, a matching of local Nusselt numbers adjusted for the instant results with Elatar et al. [30] variant Ra (10<sup>3</sup>, 10<sup>4</sup>, 10<sup>5</sup>, and 10<sup>6</sup>) and H (0.25, 0.50, and 0.75) at L = 0.5 and B = 0.01 as exhibited in Fig. 4. The local Nusselt number can highlight the significant adjustment of instant results by Elatar et al. [30], as viewed in Fig. 4.

B	Nag et al. [25]	Elatar et al. [30]	Present result
0.1	9.033	8.947	8.985
0.02	8.861	8.672	8.783
0.04	8.888	8.710	8.838

**Table 2:** Code validation of  $Nu_{avg}$  for L = 0.20 and  $Ra = 10^6$ 



In this research, our laptop configuration was Intel (R), Core (TM) i5-8350U, CPU @ (1.70–1.90) GHz, 8.00 GB (RAM), 64-bit operating system, x64-based processor.

Figure 4: Comparison of  $Nu_L$  variant H and Ra at L = 0.5 and B = 0.01

# **4** Result on Discussions

The present numerical outcomes have been executed by employing the weighted residual tactics finite element scheme for exploring combined magneto-convection temperature substitution and flow field into a two-sided wavy surface enclosure to dominate the uniform magnetic field. The numerical

findings of variant parameters like Richardson number (Ri), fin size (L), and Hartmann number are performed to determine the properties of flow patterns and temperature transport using streamlines, isotherms, and the average Nusselt number. The mean fluid temperature removal effectiveness inside the enclosure for three variant fin sizes of thermal cases is presented in graphical and tabulator form.

# 4.1 Impact of Hartmann Number

The results are visualized as streamlines in Fig. 5; isotherms in Fig. 6; and velocity outlines in Fig. 7 are scrutinized, acquiring the following ranges: are Hartmann number (Ha = 0, 20, 40, 60), fin size (L = 0.25, 0.35, 0.45), fin location (H = 0.50) with number of amplitude (A = 0.10), oscillations ( $\lambda = 2.0$ ), and thickness of fin (B = 0.04) at Ri = 1.0. The buoyancy force within the cavity is stronger when Ha = 0, as can be seen in Fig. 5. Two vortices also develop inside the cavity, one of which is a main vortex caused by moving the top wall, and the other is a minor vortex generated by the right half of an enclosure. Again, the buoyancy force inside the cavity is strong for Ha = 20 and 40, and two vortices can be seen there. Another vortex occurred inside the hollow created by the movement of the moving wall at Ha = 60. Additionally, raising the fin surfaces also raises the flow patterns. The underlying physical reality is that, when the Hartmann number rises, the flow circulation diminishes. This is since using a magnetic field tends to slow down internal fluid dynamics. This indicates that a magnetic field impact has a massive impact on the flow field.



**Figure 5:** Streamlines for several *Ha* and *L* at A = 0.10,  $\lambda = 2.0$  and Ri = 1.0



**Figure 6:** Isotherms for several *Ha* and *L* at A = 0.10,  $\lambda = 2.0$  and Ri = 1

On the other hand, due to the larger values of Hartmann number, conduction-dominant heat transmission is seen from isotherms that are nearly identical and evenly dispersed in Fig. 6, which is consistent with the influence of the magnetic field. Fig. 7 shows the impact of the vertical component of the velocity contours at the enclosure variant's horizontal midline at Ha, L, and Ri = 1. It is evident that the varying rate of velocity is distinct for each fin surface but comparable for each Hartmann number. Furthermore, as the Hartmann number decreases, the absolute value of the supreme and infimum velocities improves, raising the buoyancy force.



**Figure 7:** Velocity sketches for different *L* and *Ha* at A = 0.10,  $\lambda = 2.0$  and Ri = 1.0

# 4.2 Impact of Richardson Number

The results are displayed as streamlines in Fig. 8; isotherms in Fig. 9; and velocity sketches in Fig. 10. The subsequent range, as Richardson number, fin size (L = 0.25, 0.35, 0.45), fin location (H = 0.50), number of amplitude (A = 0.1) with oscillations number ( $\lambda = 2.0$ ), and fin thickness (B = 0.04) at Ha = 20 were taken into consideration for flow inside a vertical, wavy frame cavity, and then visually graphically. Fig. 8 shows that one vortex occurs within the lid wall-created enclosure when Ri = 0.1 and for all sizes of fins.

This buoyancy force strength is high within a wavy cavity. Again, the flow configuration is comparable to Ri = 0.1 when Ri = 1.0 and for all sizes of fin, but two vortices emerge on the on the interior side of the wavy structure enclosure: a minor vortex and a major vortex. Furthermore, for all fin surfaces with extended Richardson numbers (Ri = 5 and 10), the buoyancy force has a stronger influence, and two vortices appear to be moving along the left and right of a wave-shaped hollow. The physical basis for this is that the buoyancy force's impact on the flow area is more strongly influenced by the Richardson numbers and fin length. Fig. 9 shows that exposed isotherms show heat amplification caused mostly by conduction. It is clear that if heated and fin surfaces are present, a thick thermic frame layer is present, and that layer becomes thinner as Ri increases until it reaches 10 for all fin surfaces. Rising Ri and L enhance the curvature of isotherms, and heat lines are squeezed to the fin surface and vertical sides of wavy walls, which results in expanded heat replacement by convection. Fig. 10 illustrates the effects of velocity sketches on the horizontal center line for various fin sizes and Richardson's number in relation to fin placement (H = 0.50), Ha = 20, and Pr = 0.71 of the cavity. Lower *Ri and* more subtle fluctuations in the velocity contours are the telltale signs of it. But the most dramatic difference is in the drawings with greater RI velocities. Furthermore, when Ri increases for all baffles, the absolute value of infima and dominance of a velocity increase.



**Figure 8:** Streamlines for several *L* and *Ri* at A = 0.10,  $\lambda = 2.0$  and Ha = 20



Figure 9: (Continued)



**Figure 9:** Isotherms for several *L* and *R*i at A = 0.10,  $\lambda = 2.0$  and Ha = 20



**Figure 10:** Velocity outlines for variant *L* and *Ri* at A = 0.10,  $\lambda = 2.0$  and Ha = 20

# 4.3 Heat Transfer

Fig. 11 presents the mean fluid temperature ( $\theta_{avg}$ ) for several L, Ri, and Ha, whereas the value of the other parameter is kept constant. Fig. 11 shows that the mean liquid temperature rises steadily

with an increase in the value of Ri when Ha is fixed. Additionally, it should be highlighted that when Ha reduces, the mean fluid temperature rises. Table 3 analyzes the statistical value of the mean fluid temperature inside the enclosure. Moreover, from Table 3, the highest mean fluid temperature inside the enclosure is 0.53403, found at L = 0.45, B = 0.50, Ha = 0, and Ri = 10.



**Figure 11:**  $\theta_{avg}$  for different *Ha*, *L* and *Ri* at *A* = 0.10,  $\lambda = 2.0$ 

**Table 3:**  $\theta_{avg}$  for numerous *Ha*, *L* and *Ri* at Pr = 0.71, A = 0.10 and  $\lambda = 2.0$ 

		Μ	Mean fluid temperature ( $\theta_{avg}$ )					
L	Ri	Ha = 0	Ha = 20	Ha = 40	Ha = 60			
L = 0.25	0.1	0.44621	0.44362	0.44253	0.44227			
	1	0.45074	0.44907	0.44849	0.44837			
	5	0.47049	0.46671	0.46457	0.46388			
	10	0.47290	0.46795	0.46513	0.46423			

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Table 3 (continued)							
		Mean fluid temperature ( $\theta_{avg}$ )					
L	Ri	Ha = 0	Ha = 20	Ha = 40	Ha = 60		
L = 0.35	0.1	0.47661	0.47465	0.47373	0.47348		
	1	0.48250	0.48091	0.48014	0.47993		
	5	0.50282	0.49889	0.49654	0.49577		
	10	0.50690	0.50181	0.49879	0.49780		
L = 0.45	0.1	0.50535	0.50380	0.50300	0.50276		
	1	0.51077	0.50924	0.50839	0.50813		
	5	0.52929	0.52568	0.52345	0.52270		
	10	0.53403	0.52920	0.52627	0.52530		

A plot of the mean Nusselt number for several fin sizes (*L*), Hartmann numbers (*Ha*), and Richardson numbers (Ri) shows that, at the same time, the values of the other parameters are maintained at their default values, as observed in Fig. 12 and numerical values in Table 4. As exposed in Fig. 12, the mean Nusselt number rises firmly when the Hartmann number reduces for a unique fin length. Moreover, raising the Richardson number improved the mean Nusselt number on the right surface. *Ri* rises at a constant fin size; the buoyancy force expands and gains a heat replacement rate. Table 4 explores the statistical value of the mean Nusselt number through the right wall surface for several *Ri*, *Ha*, and *L*. As reported in Table 4, it proves that the value of heat removal performance rate is improved by inflating *Ri* and reducing *Ha* and *L*. Moreover, from Table 4, the supreme  $Nu_{avg}$  is 7.6491 along the right cool surface exposed at L = 0.45, B = 0.50, and Ri = 10.

# 4.4 Calculation of Fin Surface Effectiveness

Fin surface effectiveness is a variation that assesses an improvement in heat conversion within the cavity with fin surfaces compared to a case without fin surfaces, as pursued by Elatar et al. [30] as follows:

$$\varepsilon_f = \frac{Q_{fin}}{Q_{withoutfin}} \tag{16}$$

Fig. 13 exhibits fin effectiveness regarding distinct fin lengths  $(0.25 \le L \le 0.45)$ , Hartmann number (Ha = 0, 20, 40, 60), and Richardson number  $(0.1 \le Ri \le 10)$  at Pr = 0.71, A = 0.10,  $\lambda = 2.0$ . Fig. 13 shows that fin efficiency steadily increases with increasing *Ri* for a different fin size, while the magnetic domain declines for all fin sizes. Moreover, a key component of controlling the heat replacement rate is fin blockage, which is produced when convective heat fluctuation and an extended fin length start to convert the dominating supporting conduction.

As a result, to increase the rate of heat release for individually fin length, a relatively high Richardson number is required. Table 5 shows the statistical value of fin effectiveness noted that the  $\varepsilon_f > 1$  for all L. This means, based on the numerical data, the fin placement affects their efficacy for all fin surfaces. Moreover, from Table 5, the best fin effectiveness is 1.211730 audited at L = 0.45, H = 0.50, Ha = 0 and Ri = 10.



**Figure 12:**  $Nu_{avg}$  for various *L*, *Ri* and *Ha* at A = 0.10 and  $\lambda = 2.0$ 

		Mean nusselt number $(Nu_{avg})$				
L	Ha	$\overline{Ri = 0.1  Ri = 1}$	Ri = 5	Ri = 10		

**Table 4:**  $Nu_{avg}$  for various *L*, *Ri* and *Ha* at Pr = 0.71, A = 0.10 and  $\lambda = 2.0$ 

		Ivicali nussen number (Ivu <sub>avg</sub> )				
L	Ha	Ri = 0.1	Ri = 1	Ri = 5	Ri = 10	
L = 0.25	0	6.3764	6.4095	6.6872	6.9981	
	20	6.3541	6.3794	6.6539	6.9670	
	40	6.3417	6.3637	6.6471	6.9684	
	60	6.3312	6.3561	6.6327	6.9602	
L = 0.35	0	6.5975	6.6529	6.9985	7.3648	
	20	6.5761	6.6137	6.9367	7.3077	
	40	6.5713	6.6105	6.9271	7.2946	
	60	6.5625	6.6027	6.9129	7.2841	

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Table 4 (continued)								
		Mean nusselt number (Nu <sub>avg</sub> )						
L	На	Ri = 0.1	Ri = 1	Ri = 5	Ri = 10			
L = 0.45	0 20 40 60	6.8217 6.7948 6.7801 6.7693	6.8786 6.8405 6.8277 6.8163	7.2917 7.2264 7.2179 7.2056	7.6491 7.5774 7.5638 7.5490			



**Figure 13:**  $\varepsilon_f$  for various *L*, *Ri* and *Ha* at A = 0.10 and  $\lambda = 2.0$ 

$\overline{L}$	Ri	Fin surface effectiveness $(\varepsilon_f)$				
		Ha = 0	Ha = 20	Ha = 40	Ha = 60	
L = 0.25	0.1	1.081425	1.080930	1.079222	1.075849	
	1	1.087349	1.087252	1.086481	1.084033	
	5	1.103860	1.103765	1.103278	1.101785	
	10	1.118086	1.117703	1.116529	1.114484	
L = 0.35	0.1	1.132538	1.132198	1.130892	1.126286	
	1	1.138264	1.138125	1.138077	1.135724	
	5	1.153317	1.153249	1.153224	1.152160	
	10	1.169180	1.168798	1.167629	1.165381	
L = 0.45	0.1	1.183970	1.183324	1.180897	1.175560	
	1	1.187686	1.187577	1.187263	1.184662	
	5	1.197163	1.197054	1.196953	1.195186	
	10	1.211730	1.211083	1.209867	1.207140	

**Table 5:**  $\varepsilon_f$  for different *L*, *Ri* and *Ha* at A = 0.10 and  $\lambda = 2.0$ 

# 5 Conclusion

The overall destination of this inquiry is to determine the impact of fin size with Richardson number and Hartmann number variance on hydromagnetic mixed convective flow with heat removal performance within a two-side wavy surface enclosure. The numerical method was verified by contrasting the mean Nusselt number and local Nusselt number obtained by the code with previously published data for existing inquiries. Based on the results, the following will be stated:

- These outcomes confirmed that the fin length difference greatly influences the flow features and temperature field within the cavity.
- A higher Richardson number and a lower Hartman number can be achieved by keeping the fin size constant and improving the heat transfer performance rate. As the fin size is extended, the average fluid temperature as well as the heat production speed increase.
- The highest mean fluid temperature inside the cavity is 0.53403, or 11.45% (approx.), found at L = 0.45, B = 0.50, Ha = 0, and Ri = 10.
- When the Richardson number progresses to a uniform fin size, the buoyancy force increases, and the heat transfer rate improves. For a specific fin size, as the value of *Ri*rises and *Ha* decreases, the mean Nusselt number rises. The supreme  $Nu_{avg}$  is 7.6491, or 6.48% (approx.) along the right cool surface exposed at L = 0.45, B = 0.50, and Ri = 10.
- The baffle's effectiveness is improved by raising Ri and reducing Ha for all changes in fin sizes while the fin is in a particular position. The maximum fin effectiveness is 1.211730, or 7.728% (approx.) audited at L = 0.45, H = 0.50, Ha = 0, and Ri = 10.

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