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# **Heat transport study of ternary hybrid nanofuid fow under magnetic dipole together with nonlinear thermal radiation**

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### **Abstract**

The distinctive enhancement of thermal efficiency and improvement of the energy exchange rate as applied in the dynamics of fuels and cooling in vehicles have led to a growing knowledge of hybrid nanofuid. However, the idea of water-based nanoliquid incorporating triple diferent forms of solid nanoparticles with diferent densities and outlines (known as ternary hybrid nanofuid) remains fantastic. In this work, we investigated the infuence of nonlinear thermal radiation on the MHD (magnetohydrodynamics) fow of a couple stress water-based nano, hybrid, and ternary hybrid nanofuids on a stretching sheet. The nanoparticles  $SiO_2$ ,  $TiO_2$ , and  $Al_2O_3$  are immersed in base fluid  $H_2O$  resulting in ternary hybrid nanofluid  $(SiO<sub>2</sub>+TiO<sub>2</sub>+Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O)$ . Magnetic dipole effects are also factored into the model equation. Employing suitable similarity parameters, the dimensional equations of motion and heat that characterize the aforesaid transfer mechanism were transformed into nonlinear diferential equations. The homotopy analysis method (HAM) is used to solve the transformed model set of equations via Mathematica software. Various graphs are used to evaluate and assess the efects of various identifying model factors on (nano, hybrid, and ternary hybrid nanofuid) velocity and temperature felds. In the presence of a magnetic dipole, a rise in  $\phi$  reduces the fluid velocity and increases the temperature fields. Furthermore, the estimated values of the engineering quantities of importance  $(C_f, Nu)$  are tabulated and explained. It is also be observed that skin friction declines with the larger amount of the nanoparticle volume fractions  $\phi_{SiO_2}$ ,  $\phi_{TiO_2}$ ,  $\phi_{Al_2O_3}$ . Some potential uses for this research include hightemperature and cooling processes, aerospace technologies, medications, metallic coatings, and biosensors, to name a few.

**Keywords** Couple stress · HAM · Magnetic feld · Nonlinear thermal radiation · Magnetic dipole · Ternary-hybrid nanofuid

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# **Introduction**

Nanofuids have recently been acknowledged as having a substantial impact on a wide range of technological industries, including industrial production, scientifc investigation, and various engineering sectors due to their diverse utilizations and applications. Advanced freezing mechanisms, fuel production, modern technique of drugs transportation, various technical machinery and devices, sector of nano-fabrication, and the energy transfer and cooling of various electronics circuit are only a few examples in this direction. On the basis of such a wonderful outcome, a signifcant amount of research into the transportation of energy and fow properties has been carried out all over the world. Researchers have attempted a variety of methods to increase convection heat transmission in liquids via putting some nanomaterials like Cu, Ag, SiO<sub>2</sub>, Fe<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub>, Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, TiO<sub>2</sub>, CNTs, graphene, and various other solid materials in common base fuids



like kerosene oil, water, CH<sub>3</sub>OH, blood,  $C_2H_6O_2$ , and many more. In this direction, Ahmad et al. [\(2021](#page-10-0)) and Yahya et al. [\(2021](#page-11-0)) and many others scientists have produced remarkable research works on nanofluid flow in past few years.

In this consequence, the situation of an exhaustive mixture of conventional fuids containing two sorts of nanomaterials (hybrid nanofuid) has been identifed after the extensive exploration of the above-mentioned fuid (nanofuid). Thermal conductivities, heat, and concentration of molecular densities, as well as the thicknesses and dimension of nanoparticles are all used to characterize the thermal performance of hybrid nanofuids. For hybrid nanofuids, there is no special way or formula for determining the thermal conductivity. For ethylene glycol base hybrid nanoliquids, Jamei et al. ([2020\)](#page-10-1) described conjugate heat transfer assessment. Using a two-step technique, Xian et al. [\(2020](#page-11-1)) synthesized powerful hybrid nanoliquids by combining the  $TiO<sub>2</sub>$  and graphene nanoparticles into purified water. The numerical calculation of stagnation point's mobility of  $Ag + CuO/H<sub>2</sub>O$  hybrid nanoparticles via an extending surface was explored by Arani and Aberoumand [\(2020\)](#page-10-2). Roy et al. ([2020\)](#page-10-3) investigated the efect of viscoelastic distribution on the motion and energy transmission of a Cu – Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/ water hybrid nanofluid via a rotating drum for both assistive and resistive movements. In the literature, various researchers have worked on the fow and energy transmission of hybrid nanofluids, with important applications in engineering and science, including (Algehyne et al. [2020](#page-10-4); Gul et al. [2021](#page-10-5); Sharma et al. [2020](#page-10-6); Mourad et al. [2022;](#page-10-7) Akbar et al. [2017](#page-10-8); Said et al. [2022](#page-10-9); Muhammad and Nadeem [2017](#page-10-10); Chu et al. [2021\)](#page-10-11). The ternary hybrid nanofuid, homogeneous mixing of three kinds of nanomaterials containing a unique base liquid, was recently introduced; however, the results of a few investigations appear interesting and informative. Mousavi et al. ([2019\)](#page-10-12) explored at the subtleties of CuO, MgO, and  $TiO<sub>2</sub>$  transport in H<sub>2</sub>O. In general, the characteristics of ternary hybrid nanofuids is closely resembled those of a Newtonian liquid. Increased temperature diminishes the concentration of tri-hybrid nanofuids proportionally. Through the inclusion of various types of nanoparticles, the defnite heat capacities of the common functional fuid can be improved. Sahoo and Kumar [\(2020\)](#page-10-13) analyzed the various thermophysical characteristics of  $H_2O$  containing  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ , CuO, and TiO<sub>2</sub>-ternary hybrid nanofluid at 35–50 °C. Some other researchers were interested in the related published work on ternary hybrid nanofuid and are Manjunatha et al. ([2021\)](#page-10-14), Nazir et al. [\(2021\)](#page-10-15), and Wang et al. [\(2022a,](#page-11-2) [b](#page-11-3)). Thermal converters, storage of food, bioscience, storage of solar collectors, ventilation mechanism, transportation, and double windowpanes are only few of the areas where this research has made a signifcant impact. Furthermore, this research has substantial practical implications in polymer nanocomposites manufacture, fuel reservoirs, advance



cooling system, groundwater transportation, and thermal insulation.

Nanofluids with the MHD (magnetohydrodynamics) phenomenon are widely known for their ability to control fluid flow and enhance the energy efficiency of electrically charged liquids. Furthermore, when manufacturing operations are conducted at extreme temperatures, the impact of thermally nonlinear radiation gets much more important than the impact of linearly thermal radiations, and hence, it performs a critical part in the developed thermal properties. Fiberglass forming, melting and tinning copper cables, forming of crystallization, steam turbines, metallurgical work, designing of modern equipment, nuclear power stations, fbers turning and continual heating and cooling, and many other uses have developed. Emphasizing the importance of such investigation, Laxmi and Shankar ([2016\)](#page-10-16) solved numerically the nonlinear thermal radiations impression on MHD nanofluid motion through a porous extending surface. Khan et al. [\(2018](#page-10-17)) numerically introduced the new idea of activation energy of MHD convectional movement over a stretchable surface including nonlinearly thermal radiations. Narayana et al.  $(2021)$  $(2021)$  deliberated the effect of nonlinear thermal radiations and numerical results of MHD couple stress Casson nanofuid over an extending sheet. Gireesha et al. ([2021](#page-10-19)) contributed signifcantly to the study of nanofluid flows via a permeable stretching surface while accounting for the consequence of nonlinear radiations. Similarly, the thermal radiations linked through a magnetic feld in the form of infrared radiations (IR) can also be used for biomedical purposes. Therefore, in this regard, Hayat et al. ([2021\)](#page-10-20) recently stated in their study that infrared radiation delivered via electromagnetic waves is benefcial in the medication of pulmonary and esophageal cancer, gastric acid refux, muscle clotting, and skin problems. Naz et al. [\(2020](#page-10-21)) investigated the Carreau nanofuid fow through a fat cylinder along with suspended gyrotactic microorganisms and an inclined MHD.

In the feld of fuid dynamics, the liquid fowing through a stretchable surface has formed a classical problem due to the existence of a closed-form approach, which is extremely rare. In addition, the study of fuid and heat exchange on an elastic media is important because of its numerous implications in technology and manufacturing procedures. Several scientists were impressed by these technological uses to explore the various fuid movements through expanding surfaces. The stream of bioconvection nanoliquid through a stretchable medium including the condition of anisotropic slip was examined by Amirsom et al. ([2019\)](#page-10-22). Sohail et al. [\(2020\)](#page-10-23) examined the mixed convection fow of Casson fuid over stretching sheet with permeable medium. Using the Tiwari-Das idea, Lund et al. ([2021](#page-10-24)) illustrated the viscous dissipation fow of hybrid nanoliquid. Also, the non-Fourier energy fux on nanoliquid fow across an extending surface

was investigated by Gowda et al. (Punith Gowda et al. [2021](#page-10-25)). Khan et al. ([2021\)](#page-10-26) experimentally inspected the infuence of a hybrid nanoliquid across a shrinking and extending disk. Scientists (Wu et al. [2011;](#page-11-4) Berrouk et al. [2008\)](#page-10-27) have done some outstanding work on such discipline.

After examining relevant literature, the central goal of the current investigation is to study the nonlinearly changing thermal radiation and the infuence of a magnetic dipole on the stream of a couple stress ternary hybrid nanofuid along a stretchable surface. The originality of current research work is displayed as follows.

- i. The ternary hybrid nanofuid with magnetic dipole is considered.
- ii. The couple stress are terminologies considered to sustain the uniformity of the ternary hybrid nanofuids.
- iii. The nonlinear thermal radiation is studied to improve the thermal analysis more precisely.
- iv. The comparative study of  $SiO<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$ ,  $TiO<sub>2</sub>+ Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/$  $H_2O$ , and  $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  nano and hybrid nanofuids on the momentum and thermal boundary layer is explored.

We used the similarity variables to translate the leading PDEs into a system of coupled ODE's form. The nondimensional governing expressions are tackled by HAM technique and the outcomes of model problems are displayed as diagrams and graphs. The tabular forms are used to analyze the technical parameters such as  $C_f$  and  $Nu_r$ . The current study could be beneficial in a lot of disciplines, including high-temperature and cooling technologies, aerospace technologies, pigments, medications, and biosensors, to mention just some. The composition of ternary hybrid nanofuid is illustrated in Fig. [1](#page-2-0)a.

# **Mathematical formulation**

The mathematical analysis illustrates the ternary hybrid nanofuid fow through an extending sheet. The nanoparticles  $SiO<sub>2</sub>$ , TiO<sub>2</sub>, and  $Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>$  are immersed in base fluid H<sub>2</sub>O resulting ternary hybrid nanofluid  $(SiO<sub>2</sub>+TiO<sub>2</sub>+ Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/$ H<sub>2</sub>O). The ternary hybrid nanofluid  $(SiO_2 + TiO_{2+}Al_2O_3/$  $H<sub>2</sub>O$ ) is flowing in a positive *x*-axis direction from left to right. The magnetic dipole is simply taken along the *y*-direction at a range *c* with a uniform magnetic feld, as shown in fgure. Because the material of surface is extensible, it can produce fluid movement when it is extended. Assume that the expanding velocity of sheet is  $U_w = Sx$ . As in the present study,  $O(u) = O(1) = O(x)$  and  $O(v) = O(\infty) = O(y)$ , the accepted boundary layer assumption in Wu et al. [\(2011\)](#page-11-4) is used. The magnetic feld efect is depicted in the fgure by the round arcs containing arrows. Configuration of flow and physical geometry is explained and illustrated in Fig. [1](#page-2-0)b.



<span id="page-2-0"></span>**Fig. 1 a** Composition of ternary hybrid nanofuid. **b** System of coordinates and physical confguration of fow model



#### **The assumptions and conditions of model**

The present mathematical analysis is taken into consideration under some specifc presumptions:

- Nonlinear thermal radiation
- A steady, incompressible and 2D flow.
- Magnetic dipole.
- Couple stress.
- $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3$  nanoparticles are constantly dispersed in  $H_2O$ .

# **Governing model expressions**

The basic flow and heat transfer equations using the conventional notations are expressed below (Muhammad and Nadeem [2017;](#page-10-10) Nazir et al. [2021\)](#page-10-15) and (Andersson and Valnes [1998](#page-10-28))

$$
\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = 0,\tag{1}
$$

$$
\rho_{\text{thnf}}\left(u\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + v\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}\right) = -\frac{\partial P}{\partial x} + \mu_{\text{f}}M\frac{\partial H}{\partial x} + \mu_{\text{thnf}}\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} - \eta^* \frac{\partial^4 u}{\partial y^4},\tag{2}
$$

magnetic field domain that is symbolized by and quantitatively described as in Muhammad and Nadeem ([2017\)](#page-10-10); Andersson and Valnes [1998\)](#page-10-28)

<span id="page-3-3"></span>
$$
\delta_1 = \left(\frac{x}{x^2 + (c+y)^2}\right) \frac{\gamma_1}{2\pi}.
$$
\n(5)

In Eq.  $(5)$  $(5)$ , the leading pint of the magnetic field is designated by  $\gamma_1$ . Also, the displacement of magnetic dipole is represented by *c*.

In the *x-* and *y-* directions, the horizontal and vertical components of (*H*) are stated as

$$
x \text{ - component of } H: \frac{\partial H}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial \delta_1}{\partial x} = \left\{ \frac{x^2 - (c + y)^2}{(x^2 + (c + y)^2)^2} \right\} \frac{\gamma_1}{2\pi},\tag{6}
$$

$$
y \text{ - component of } H: \frac{\partial H}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial \delta_1}{\partial y} = \left\{ \frac{2(c + y)x}{(x^2 + (c + y)^2)^2} \right\} \frac{\gamma_1}{2\pi}.
$$
\n(7)

<span id="page-3-1"></span><span id="page-3-0"></span>We acquire aforementioned two expressions for magnetic feld elements by diferentiating Eq. [\(5](#page-3-3)) with regard to *x* and *y*, respectively. Because the magnetic force has a direct relationship with the gradient of *H*, hence *H* can be stated mathematically as

$$
\left(\rho C_p\right)_{\text{thnf}} \left(u\frac{\partial T}{\partial x} + v\frac{\partial T}{\partial y}\right) = k_{\text{thnf}}\frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial y^2} - \left(u\frac{\partial H}{\partial x} + v\frac{\partial H}{\partial y}\right)\mu_{\text{thnf}}T\frac{\partial M}{\partial x} + \frac{16}{3}\left(\frac{\sigma^* T_{\infty}^3}{k^*}\frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial y^2}\right). \tag{3}
$$

With boundary conditions

$$
u|_{y=0} = Sx = U_w, \quad v|_{y=0} = 0, \quad T|_{y} = 0 = T_w, u|_{y \to \infty} \to 0, \quad T|_{y \to \infty} \to T_{\infty} = T_c.
$$
 (4)

Here velocities in *x* and *y*-axis are denoted *u* and *v*. In Eq. [\(2\)](#page-3-0), the symbols  $\rho_{\text{thnf}}$  ternary hybrid nanofluid density,  $\mu_{\text{bnf}}$  ternary hybrid nanofluid viscosity,  $\mu_{\text{f}}$  viscosity of nanofuid, *P* pressure, *H* is the magnetic feld, and *M* magnetizations of magnetic field,  $\eta$ <sup>\*</sup> couple stress material constant. In Eq. [\(3\)](#page-3-1), the symbols show  $(\rho C_p)_{\text{thnf}}$  ternary hybrid nanofluid specific heat,  $K_{\text{hnf}}$  ternary hybrid nanofluid thermal conductivity,  $T$  temperature field,  $k^*$  mean absorption constant, and  $\sigma$ <sup>∗</sup> Stefan Boltzmann constant. In Eq. [\(4](#page-3-2)), the symbols  $T_c$ ,  $T_\infty$  and  $T_w$  curie, ambient and stretching wall temperatures, *S* dimensionless constant. Additionally, it is assumed that the fluids temperature is  $T = T_{\infty}$ , such that  $T_{\rm w} < T_{\infty} < T_{\rm c}$ .

## **Magnetic dipole**

Whenever a magnetic field is subjected to a spreading surface, the flow of nanofluid is altered, producing in a



<span id="page-3-5"></span><span id="page-3-2"></span>
$$
H = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\partial \delta_1}{\partial x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial \delta_1}{\partial y}\right)^2}.
$$
 (8)

<span id="page-3-4"></span>Using Eqs.  $(6)$  $(6)$  and  $(7)$  $(7)$  $(7)$  in Eq.  $(8)$  $(8)$  $(8)$ , we get the following equations:

$$
\frac{\partial H}{\partial x} = \frac{\gamma_1}{2\pi} \frac{2x}{(y+c)^4},\tag{9}
$$

<span id="page-3-7"></span>
$$
\frac{\partial H}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left( \frac{4x^2}{(y+c)^5} - \frac{2}{(y+c)^3} \right) \gamma_1.
$$
 (10)

Considering changes in temperature can induce alterations in magnetism, the effects on magnetism can be described as

<span id="page-3-6"></span>
$$
M = K_1 \left( T - T_{\infty} \right). \tag{11}
$$

Here, the magnetization is denoted by *M*, whereas the pyro-magnetic coefficient is denoted by  $K_1$ .

#### **Transformation analysis**

The dimensional model expressions of motion and energy are transformed into dimensionless shapes utilizing similarity transformations mentioned below (Muhammad and Nadeem [2017](#page-10-10)) and (Andersson and Valnes [1998\)](#page-10-28)

$$
\psi(\xi,\eta) = \left(\frac{\mu_f}{\rho_f}\right) \xi f(\eta), \ \ \Theta(\xi,\eta) = \frac{T_c - T}{T_c - T_w} = \Theta_1(\eta) + \xi^2 \Theta_2(\eta). \tag{12}
$$

Therefore,  $\Theta_1(\eta, \xi)$  and  $\Theta_2(\eta, \xi)$  implies the non-dimensional temperature variables, non-dimensional stream function  $f(\xi)$ .  $\xi$  and  $\eta$  are the non-dimensional and continuous coordinates defned as

$$
\eta = y \left(\frac{\rho_f S}{\mu_f}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}, \quad \xi = x \left(\frac{\rho_f S}{\mu_f}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}.
$$
\n(13)

The function presented in Eq.  $(12)$  $(12)$ , directly satisfy Eq. ([1\)](#page-3-0), and the components of velocity are as follows:

$$
u = Sx f'(\eta) = \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y} \quad \text{and} \quad v = -\left(S\mu_f\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} f(\eta) = \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x}.
$$
\n(14)

## **Tri‑hybrid nanomaterial and base fuid properties**

The thermophysical properties of tri-hybrid nanofuid are stated as (Manjunatha et al. [2021](#page-10-14); Nazir et al. [2021\)](#page-10-15) and (Wang et al. [2022a\)](#page-11-2) (Table [1](#page-4-0))

$$
\frac{\mu_{\text{thnf}}}{\mu_{\text{f}}} = \frac{1}{(1 - \phi_{\text{SiO}_2})^{2.5} (1 - \phi_{\text{TiO}_2})^{2.5} (1 - \phi_{\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3})^{2.5}},\tag{15}
$$

<span id="page-4-0"></span>**Table 1** Nanoparticles and H<sub>2</sub>O thermophysical characteristics (Manjunatha et al. [2021;](#page-10-14) Nazir et al. [2021;](#page-10-15) Nasir et al. [2018](#page-10-29))

Property	SiO <sub>2</sub>	TiO <sub>2</sub>	$Al_2O_3$	H <sub>2</sub> O
$\rho$ (kg m <sup>-3</sup> )	2270	4250	6310	997.1
$k$ (Wm <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup> )	1.4013	8.953	32.9	0.6071
$\sigma$ (S m <sup>-1</sup> )	$3.5 \times 10^{6}$	$2.6 \times 10^{6}$	$5.96 \times 10^{7}$	$5.5 \times 10^{-6}$
$C_p$ (JK <sup>-1</sup> g <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup> )	730	711	686.2	4179
$\beta_f \times 10^5$ (K <sup>-1</sup> )	1.02	0.9	0.85	21

$$
\frac{k_{\text{thnf}}}{k_{\text{hnf}}} = \left( \frac{k_{\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3} + 2k_{\text{hnf}} - 2\phi_{\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3}(k_{\text{hnf}} - k_{\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3})}{k_{\text{hnf}}} \right),
$$
\n
$$
\frac{k_{\text{hnf}}}{k_{\text{nf}}} = \left( \frac{k_{\text{TiO}_2} + 2k_{\text{nr}} - 2\phi_{\text{TiO}_2}(k_{\text{nr}} - k_{\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3})}{k_{\text{nrf}}} \right),
$$
\n
$$
\frac{k_{\text{hnf}}}{k_{\text{nf}}} = \left( \frac{k_{\text{TiO}_2} + 2k_{\text{nf}} + \phi_{\text{TiO}_2}(k_{\text{nf}} - k_{\text{TiO}_2})}{k_{\text{SiO}_2} + 2k_f - 2\phi_{\text{SiO}_2}(k_f - k_{\text{SiO}_2})} \right),
$$
\n
$$
\frac{k_{\text{nf}}}{k_{\text{f}}} = \left( \frac{k_{\text{SiO}_2} + 2k_f - 2\phi_{\text{SiO}_2}(k_f - k_{\text{SiO}_2})}{k_{\text{SiO}_2} + 2k_f + \phi_{\text{SiO}_2}(k_f - k_{\text{SiO}_2})} \right),
$$
\n(18)

<span id="page-4-1"></span>
$$
\frac{\sigma_{\text{thnf}}}{\sigma_{\text{hnf}}} = \left[ 1 + \frac{3\left(\frac{\sigma_{\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3}}{\sigma_{\text{hnf}}} - 1\right)\phi_{\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3}}{\left(\frac{\sigma_{\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3}}{\sigma_{\text{hnf}}} + 2\right) - \left(\frac{\sigma_{\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3}}{\sigma_{\text{hnf}}} - 1\right)\phi_{\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3}} \right],
$$
\n
$$
\frac{\sigma_{\text{hnf}}}{\sigma_{\text{nf}}} = \left[ 1 + \frac{3\left(\frac{\sigma_{\text{TiO}_2}}{\sigma_{\text{nf}}} - 1\right)\phi_{\text{TiO}_2}}{\left(\frac{\sigma_{\text{TiO}_2}}{\sigma_{\text{nf}}} + 2\right) - \left(\frac{\sigma_{\text{TiO}_2}}{\sigma_{\text{nf}}} - 1\right)\phi_{\text{TiO}_2}} \right],
$$
\n
$$
\frac{\sigma_{\text{nf}}}{\sigma_{\text{f}}} = \left[ 1 + \frac{3\left(\frac{\sigma_{\text{SiO}_2}}{\sigma_{\text{f}}} - 1\right)\phi_{\text{SiO}_2}}{\left(\frac{\sigma_{\text{SiO}_2}}{\sigma_{\text{f}}} + 2\right) - \left(\frac{\sigma_{\text{SiO}_2}}{\sigma_{\text{f}}} - 1\right)\phi_{\text{SiO}_2}} \right].
$$
\n(19)

$$
\frac{\rho_{\text{thnf}}}{\rho_{\text{f}}} = (1 - \phi_{\text{SiO}_2}) \left[ (1 - \phi_{\text{TiO}_2}) \left\{ (1 - \phi_{\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3}) + \phi_{\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3} \frac{\rho_{\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3}}{\rho_{\text{f}}} \right\} + \phi_{\text{TiO}_2} \frac{\rho_{\text{TiO}_2}}{\rho_{\text{f}}} \right] + \phi_{\text{SiO}_2} \frac{\rho_{\text{SiO}_2}}{\rho_{\text{f}}},\tag{16}
$$

$$
\frac{(\rho c_{\rm p})_{\rm thnf}}{(\rho c_{\rm p})_{\rm f}} = \phi_{\rm SiO_2} \frac{(\rho c_{\rm p})_{\rm SiO_2}}{(\rho c_{\rm p})_{\rm f}} + \frac{(\rho c_{\rm p})_{\rm SiO_2}}{(\rho c_{\rm p})_{\rm f}} + \phi_{\rm Ai_2O_3} \frac{(\rho c_{\rm p})_{\rm Ai_2O_3}}{(\rho c_{\rm p})_{\rm f}} + \phi_{\rm TiO_2} \frac{(\rho c_{\rm p})_{\rm TiO_2}}{(\rho c_{\rm p})_{\rm f}}, \qquad (17)
$$



<span id="page-5-0"></span>**Table 2** Model parameters and their mathematical expressions Symbol Model parameter Mathematical expression **β** Ferrohydrodynamic interaction  $2\pi$  $\mu_0 K(T_c-T_w)\rho$  $\mu^2$ Pr Prandtl number  $v/\alpha$ *𝜀* Curie temperature *<sup>T</sup>*<sup>∞</sup>  $T_c - T_w$  $λ$  Expression for viscous dissipation  $\sqrt{\rho K(T_c-T_w)}$ *K*<sup>∗</sup> Couple stress parameter  $U_{\rm w}\rho_{\rm f}$  $γ^*$  Dimensionless distance parameter  $\mu$ Θ<sup>w</sup> Temperature ratio parameter *<sup>T</sup>*<sup>w</sup> *T*<sup>∞</sup> *Rd* Thermal radiation ∞ *k*∗*k v* Kinematic viscosity  $\mu/\rho$  $\alpha$  Thermal diffusivity of fluid *k*/ $\rho c_n$ 



<span id="page-5-1"></span>**Fig. 2** Variations in  $f'(\eta)$  with various values of  $\beta$ 

Both Eqs. [\(2](#page-3-0)), [\(3](#page-3-1)) become in form of ordinary diferential equations after inserting the above-mentioned thermophysical parameters Eqs.  $(15-19)$  $(15-19)$  $(15-19)$  and transformations Eq.  $(14)$  $(14)$ in it

$$
f''' - \frac{\rho_{\text{thnf}}}{\rho_f} \frac{\mu_f}{\mu_{\text{thnf}}} \left[ f'^2 - f'' + \frac{2\beta \Theta_1}{\rho_{\text{thnf}}} (\eta + \gamma^*)^4 \right] - K^* f^{\nu} = 0,
$$
\n(20)

$$
\left[\frac{k_{\text{thnf}}}{k_{\text{bf}}} + \frac{4}{3}Rd\left(\frac{d}{d\eta}\left[1 + (1 + \Theta_{\text{w}})\Theta_{1}\right]^{3}\right)\right]\Theta_{1}^{\prime\prime} + \frac{(\rho C_{\text{p}})_{\text{thnf}}}{(\rho C_{p})_{\text{f}}}\left[\Pr\left(f\Theta_{1}^{\prime} - 2f^{\prime}\Theta_{1}\right) + \frac{2\beta\lambda f(\Theta_{1} - \varepsilon)}{\left(\varepsilon + \gamma^{*}\right)^{3}} - 4\lambda f^{\prime2}\right] = 0, \tag{21}
$$

$$
\frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re}_{x}^{\frac{1}{2}} C_{f} = \frac{1}{\left(1 - \phi_{\text{SiO}_{2}}\right)^{2.5} \left(1 - \phi_{\text{TiO}_{2}}\right)^{2.5} \left(1 - \phi_{\text{Al}_{2}\text{O}_{3}}\right)^{2.5}} f''(0),
$$
\n
$$
\operatorname{Re}_{x}^{\frac{1}{2}} Nu_{x} = \left[\frac{k_{\text{thnf}}}{k_{\text{bf}}} + \frac{4}{3} R d \left(\frac{d}{d\eta} \left[1 + \left(1 + \Theta_{w}\right) \left(\Theta_{1} + \Theta_{2}\right)\right]^{3}\right)\right]
$$
\n
$$
\left(\Theta_{1}'(0) + \eta^{2} \Theta_{2}'(0)\right),
$$
\n(25)

whereas  $\text{Re}_x = \frac{xU_w(x)}{V_f} = \frac{Sx^2}{V_f l}$ , reveals the Reynold's number, which is dependent on the rate of change of displacement  $U_w(x)$  as it extends. Also, coefficient of skin friction is represented as  $Re_{\overline{x}}^2 C_f$  and Nusselt number is  $Re_{\overline{x}}^2 N u_x$ .

(22)

The corresponding transformed boundary condition are

 $(4f\Theta_2' - f'\Theta_2) - \frac{2\beta\lambda f\Theta_2}{(8.1 \cdot 10^{-3})^3}$ 

 $\left[1 + \left(1 + \Theta_{\rm w}\right) \Theta_{2}\right]^{3}\right)\Bigg] \Theta_{2}^{"'}-$ 

 $\frac{2 \beta \lambda f \Theta_2}{(\epsilon + \gamma^*)^3} + \lambda \beta (\Theta_1 - \epsilon) \left( \frac{2f'}{(\epsilon + \gamma^*)^3} \right)$ 

$$
f(0) = 0, f'(0) = 1, \Theta_1(0) = 1, \Theta_2(0) = 0,
$$
  

$$
f'(\infty) = 0, \Theta_1(\infty) = 0, \Theta_2(\infty) = 0.
$$
 (23)

Table [2](#page-5-0) lists the dimensionless formulas for all physical parameters.

# **The interest physical quantities**

For the present model, the  $C_f$  and Nu<sub>x</sub> are key engineering physical parameters described as



 $\Big) - \lambda f^{\prime\prime 2}$ 

 $(\varepsilon + \gamma^*)^5$ 

 $\frac{2f'}{(\varepsilon + \gamma^*)^4} + \frac{4f}{(\varepsilon + \gamma^*)^4}$ 

In this study, HAM is used to solve the nonlinear ordinary momentum and heat equation under permissible boundary conditions. The solution of extremely nonlinear problems is obtained using this method. When compared to perturbation approaches and other traditional investigative procedures, the HAM shows good performance. Because HAM provides us with a great deal of freedom in terms of choosing the form of mathematical expression of linear subproblems. Furthermore, the HAM operates independently of whether or not there are any small or massive physical variables in fguring

 $= 0.$ 



 $k_{\text{thnf}}$  $\frac{k_{\text{thnf}}}{k_{\text{bf}}} + \frac{4}{3}$ 

 $(\rho C_p)_{\text{thnf}}$  $(\rho C_p)_f$ 

 $rac{4}{3}Rd\left(\frac{d}{d\eta}\right)$ 

 $\sqrt{2}$ Pr f



<span id="page-6-0"></span>**Fig. 3** Variations in  $\Theta_1(\eta)$  with various values of  $\beta$ 

out equation with boundary/initial constraints. Hence, Mathematica software is utilized for this determination. For the boundary value problem, the corresponding linear operators and their associated starting guesses are (Nasir et al. [2018\)](#page-10-29)

$$
f(\eta) = 1 - e^{-\eta}
$$
,  $\Theta_1(\eta) = e^{-\eta}$ ,  $\Theta_2(\eta) = \eta e^{-\eta}$ . (26)

Therefore, inform of linear operators

$$
L_f(f) = f^{\nu}, \quad L_{\Theta_1}(\Theta_1) = \Theta_1'', \quad L_{\Theta_2}(\Theta_2) = \Theta_2''.
$$
 (27)

Therefore, the linear operators  $L_f$ ,  $L_{\Theta_1}$  and  $L_{\Theta_2}$  are indicated as

$$
L_f(k_1 + k_2 \eta + k_3 \eta^2 + k_4 \eta^3 + k_5 \eta^4) = 0,
$$
  
\n
$$
L_{\Theta_1}(k_6 + k_7 \eta) = 0, \quad L_{\Theta_2}(k_8 + k_9 \eta) = 0,
$$
\n(28)

where  $k_m$  ( $m = 1, 2, \ldots, 9$ ) are arbitrary constant.

# **Results and discussion**

In this research work, we utilized three diferent types of nanoparticles  $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3$  in base fluid H<sub>2</sub>O that flows over a stretching surface. In the analytical inspection of the current mathematical model, the infuences of ferrohydrodynamic interaction *𝛽*, magnetic feld strength *𝛾*<sup>∗</sup>, nanoparticle concentration parameter  $\phi$ , couple stress Parameter *K*<sup>∗</sup>, Prandtl number Pr, thermal radiation *Rd* parameter are considered under some specifc boundary conditions. For various values of model variables, numerical results are given using graphs and tables. The default range of fuid fow variables are taken on published works ((Muhammad and Nadeem [2017](#page-10-10); Manjunatha et al. [2021;](#page-10-14) Nazir et al. [2021](#page-10-15); Wang et al.  $2022a$ ) as  $\beta = 10$ ,  $\gamma^* = 0.5$ ,  $K^* = 0.1$ , Pr = 6.7,  $Rd = 0.2, \ \varepsilon = 0.01, \text{ and } \lambda = 0.1.$ 

Figure [2](#page-5-1) depicts a comparison of  $SiO<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  nanofluid,  $TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  hybrid nanofluid, and



<span id="page-6-1"></span>**Fig. 4** Variations in  $\Theta_2(\eta)$  with various values of  $\beta$ 



<span id="page-6-2"></span>**Fig. 5** Variations in  $f'(\eta)$  with various values of  $\gamma$ 



<span id="page-6-3"></span>**Fig.** 6 Variations in  $\Theta_1(\eta)$  with various values of  $\gamma$ 

 $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  ternary hybrid nanofluid on  $f'(\eta)$ (velocity distribution) as ferrohydrodynamic parameter ( $\beta$ ) is varied for various values. The  $f'(\eta)$  profile reduces as the magnitude of  $\beta$  rises. In general, the availability of dimensionless parameters such as  $\xi$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\varepsilon$  is required to perceive the ferromagnetic influence on the  $SiO<sub>2</sub>/$ H<sub>2</sub>O nanofluid, TiO<sub>2</sub> + Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O hybrid nanofluid and  $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  ternary hybrid nanofluid flows. Additionally, the impact of magnetic dipole collects particles of the fuid which enhances nanofuid viscosity, causing a declination in  $f'(\eta)$  distribution to be detected. The





<span id="page-7-0"></span>**Fig. 7** Variations in  $\Theta_2(\eta)$  with various values of  $\gamma$ 



<span id="page-7-1"></span>**Fig. 8** Variations in  $f'(\eta)$  with various values of  $\phi$ 

fluid's  $f'(\eta)$  is significantly influenced by the high magnitude of  $\beta$  throughout, and the value of  $f'(\eta)$  falls quicker in the presence of  $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  ternary hybrid nanofluid as compared to  $TiO<sub>2</sub> + Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  hybrid nanofluid and  $SiO<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  nanofluid. Similarly, Fig. [3](#page-6-0) illustrates the effect of  $\beta$  on  $\Theta_1(\eta)$  heat transmission in the context of  $SiO<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  nanofluid, TiO<sub>2</sub> + Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O hybrid nanofluid and  $SiO<sub>2</sub> + TiO<sub>2</sub> + Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  ternary hybrid nanofluid. In this case, we observe that an increment in  $\beta$  enhances the  $\Theta_1(\eta)$ profile. Physically, increasing  $\beta$  causes friction within the fuid, which transforms mechanical energy to heat energy. Therefore, the  $\Theta_1(\eta)$  profile becomes more prominent. Moreover,  $\beta$  has a significant effect on  $\Theta_1(\eta)$  profile and such effect grows more rapidly in  $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  ternary hybrid nanofluid as compared to  $TiO<sub>2</sub> + Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  hybrid nanofluid and  $SiO<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  nanofluid. At other heat transmission profile  $\Theta_2(\eta)$ , an identical effect has been demonstrated for  $\beta$  with a little change in behavior for  $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3$ /  $H_2O$  ternary hybrid nanofluid,  $TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  hybrid nanofluid and  $SiO<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  nanofluid, as illustrated in Fig. [4.](#page-6-1) Figures [5,](#page-6-2) [6](#page-6-3) and [7](#page-7-0) present the effects of  $\gamma$  (magnetic field strength factor) on  $f'(\eta)$  velocity field and temperatures fields  $\Theta_1(\eta)$ ,  $\Theta_2(\eta)$  in presence of  $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  ternary hybrid nanofluid,  $TiO<sub>2</sub> + Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  hybrid nanofluid, and  $SiO<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  nanofluid.





<span id="page-7-2"></span>**Fig. 9** Variations in  $\Theta_1(\eta)$  with various values of  $\phi$ 



<span id="page-7-3"></span>**Fig. 10** Variations in  $\Theta_2(\eta)$  with various values of  $\phi$ 

Figure [5](#page-6-2) illustrates a  $f'(\eta)$  profile assessment of  $SiO_2/$  $H_2O$  nanofluid,  $TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  hybrid nanofluid, and  $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  ternary hybrid nanofluid, for varying values of the  $\gamma$ . The  $f'(\eta)$  of these fluids tends to decrease for high values of  $\gamma$ . Physically, for growing values of  $\gamma$ , a resistive force is generated, and as a result of such force, the  $f'(\eta)$  profile within the boundary layer is reduced. Also, the  $SiO<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  nanofluid exhibits a faster reduction in  $f'(\eta)$  profile than  $TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  hybrid nanofluid and  $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  ternary hybrid nanofluid, as shown in the diagram. In Fig. [6](#page-6-3), the effect of  $\gamma$  on  $\Theta_1(\eta)$  profile is seen. We can see that  $\Theta_1(\eta)$  is an increasing function in regard to  $\gamma$ . Because the scattering nanoparticles of ternary hybrid nanofuid are more impactful to magnetic feld than the hybrid and nanofuid. The heat transmission efect of the ternary hybrid nanofuid is relatively higher than the both hybrid and nanoliquid, as density of fuid will improve the intermolecular overlap and thus boost the kinetic energy, which will increase the  $\Theta_1(\eta)$  profile. Similarly, in Fig. [7,](#page-7-0)  $\Theta_2(\eta)$  demonstrates an identical effect for  $\gamma$  just a small modification in behavior for  $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  ternary hybrid nanofluid,  $TiO<sub>2</sub> + Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  hybrid nanofluid, and  $SiO<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  nanofluid. Figures [8,](#page-7-1) [9](#page-7-2) and [10](#page-7-3) demonstrate the significance of  $\phi$  (nanoparticles' volume concentration) on  $f'(\eta)$  velocity field and temperatures fields  $\Theta_1(\eta)$ ,  $\Theta_2(\eta)$  in



<span id="page-8-0"></span>**Fig. 11** Variations in  $f'(\eta)$  with various values of  $K^*$ 



<span id="page-8-1"></span>**Fig. 12** Variations in  $\Theta_1(\eta)$  with various values of *Rd* 

presence of  $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  ternary hybrid nanofluid, TiO<sub>2</sub> + Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O hybrid nanofluid, and SiO<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O nanofluid.

Figure [8](#page-7-1) shows that as the value of  $\phi$  is enlarged, the  $f'(\eta)$  velocity of the existing fluid (nano, hybrid, and ternary hybrid nanofuid) declines. As we proceed away from the stretching surface, the  $f'(\eta)$  velocity decreases. Actuality, boosting the  $\phi$  parameter leads the ferromagnetic fluid to condense, producing resistance in fuid motion and, as a result, the velocity of liquid decreases. Consequently, this figure shows that the velocity for  $TiO<sub>2</sub> + Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  hybrid nanofluid and  $SiO<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  nanofluid are slower the velocity than  $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  ternary hybrid nanofluid in terms of flow rate. Figure demonstrates the effect of  $\phi$  parameter on the  $\Theta_1(\eta)$  temperature field of SiO<sub>2</sub>/  $H_2O$  nanofluid,  $TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  hybrid nanofluid, and  $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  ternary hybrid nanofluid. The image shows that everywhere in the boundary layer region, there is a direct relationship between  $\phi$  and  $\Theta_1(\eta)$ . According to the physical interpretation,  $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/$  $H<sub>2</sub>O$  ternary hybrid nanofluid has higher thermal conductivity than  $SiO<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  nanofluid,  $TiO<sub>2</sub>+ Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  hybrid nanofluid. Figure [10](#page-7-3) illustrates an equivalent result of  $Θ_2(η)$  for SiO<sub>2</sub> + TiO<sub>2</sub> + Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O ternary hybrid nanofluid,  $TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  hybrid nanofluid, and  $SiO_2/H_2O$ 



<span id="page-8-2"></span>**Fig. 13** Variations in  $\Theta_2(\eta)$  with various values of *Rd* 



<span id="page-8-3"></span>**Fig. 14** Skin friction under the infuence of nanoparticle volume fractions



<span id="page-8-4"></span>**Fig. 15** Heat transfer rate under the infuence of nanoparticle volume fraction

nanofuid with only a small variation in performance of fuid. Figure [11](#page-8-0) depicts the efect of the *K*<sup>∗</sup> (couple stress factor) on the  $f'(\eta)$  velocity profile of  $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$ ternary hybrid nanofluid,  $TiO<sub>2</sub> + Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  hybrid nanofluid, and  $SiO<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  nanofluid within the boundary layer. Increasing the values of  $K^*$  produces a reduction in hybrid nanofuid movement due to a rise in drag force, which correlates to an apparent drop in fuid viscosity, as anticipated





<span id="page-9-0"></span>**Fig. 16** Percentage-wise increase in the heat transfer rate under the infuence of nanoparticle volume fraction

from the fgure. Physically, the fow is delayed as a result of the addition of viscous efects which is generated by *K*<sup>∗</sup>, resulting in reduction in  $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  ternary hybrid nanofluid,  $TiO<sub>2</sub> + Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  hybrid nanofluid, and  $SiO<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  nanofluid velocity profiles.

Figure [12](#page-8-1) illustrates the characteristic of thermal profile  $\Theta_1(\eta)$  for a different set of values *Rd* (radiation parameter) in presence of  $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  ternary hybrid nanofluid,  $TiO<sub>2</sub> + Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  hybrid nanofluid, and  $SiO<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  nanofluid. There is a direct relationship between  $\Theta_1(\eta)$  and *Rd* clearly as shown in the graph. When  $SiO_2 + TiO_2 + Al_2O_3/H_2O$  ternary hybrid nanofluid is utilized instead of  $TiO<sub>2</sub> + Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  hybrid nanofluid, and  $SiO<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  nanofluid, therefore, the profiles show that thermal radiation has a greater impact on increasing the nanofuid temperature. Physically, strengthening radiative features stimulate the molecule mobility within the fuid, resulting in heat energy being converted through frequent collisions between nanoparticles. As a result, the  $\Theta_1(\eta)$  temperature has improved. With only a minor diference in fuid outcomes for  $Θ_2(η)$  thermal profile. Figure [13](#page-8-2) also a similar conclusion like  $\Theta_1(\eta)$  for SiO<sub>2</sub> + TiO<sub>2</sub> + Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O ternary hybrid nanofluid,  $TiO<sub>2</sub>+ Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O$  hybrid nanofluid, and SiO<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O nanofluid.

Skin friction declines with the larger amount of the nanoparticle volume fractions  $\phi_{\text{SiO}_2}$ ,  $\phi_{\text{TiO}_2}$  and  $\phi_{\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3}$ . The trihybrid nanofuid creates more resistive forces to restrict the fuid motion and this happens when more nanoparticles are added to the base fuid. The comparison is shown in Fig. [14.](#page-8-3) The heat transfer rate varies with the variation of nanoparticle volume fractions  $\phi_{\text{SiO}_2}, \phi_{\text{TiO}_2}, \phi_{\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3}$ , as displayed in Figs. [15](#page-8-4) and [16.](#page-9-0) The obtained results show that heat transfer rate improves with the larger amount of the nanoparticle volume fraction, as shown in Fig. [15](#page-8-4). The improvement in the heat transfer rate is more prominent using the tri-hybrid nanofuids and this happens due to the efective thermal conductivity of  $\phi_{\text{SiO}_2}, \phi_{\text{TiO}_2}, \phi_{\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3}$ . The percentage-wise enhancement in the heat transfer rate as displayed in Fig. [16](#page-9-0)



shows that tri-hybrid nanofluid is more effective to increase the thermal efficiency of the fluid. In fact, from the experimental results,  $\phi_{Al_2O_3}$  thermal conductivity provides a greater effect than  $\phi_{\text{TiO}_2}$  and  $\phi_{\text{SiO}_2}$ . Therefore, the thermal performance increases with the stable dispersion of these three diferent types of nanoparticles in a single base fuid. Comparison for various values of  $Nu_x$  is presented in Table [2.](#page-5-0)

# **Conclusion**

The flow and heat transport comparison of water base nanofuid, hybrid nanofuid, and ternary hybrid nanofuid across a stretched sheet is explored theoretically and numerically in this research work. Nonlinear thermal radiation and magnetic dipole effects are also considered.  $SiO<sub>2</sub>$ , TiO<sub>2</sub>, and  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$  are three nanoparticles studied in this work with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ as a base liquid. With the help of HAM, the boundary value problem is addressed analytically. The following results are some of the most noteworthy fndings of the current work:

- In the presence of a magnetic dipole,  $f'(\eta)$  velocity of nano, hybrid, and tri-hybrid nanofuid decline as the value of volume concentration of nanoparticle  $(\phi)$  rises, while the temperature fields  $\Theta_1(\eta)$ ,  $\Theta_2(\eta)$  show opposite trend. The velocity and temperature of turnery hybrid nanofuid present prominent results.
- By enhancing the values of  $\beta$ , the velocities of nano, hybrid, and tri-hybrid nanofuid decreases where the temperature felds increase more quickly.
- The  $\Theta_1(\eta)$ ,  $\Theta_2(\eta)$  fields of fluid gradually decline by improving the Prandtl number, whereas it enhances by increasing the values of thermal radiation.
- Skin friction declines with the larger amount of the nanoparticle volume fractions  $\phi_{\text{SiO}_2}, \phi_{\text{TiO}_2}, \phi_{\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3}$ . The comparisons among these fuids are shown graphically.
- The heat transfer rate improves with the larger amount of the nanoparticle volume fraction. Also, prominent results presented by using the tri-hybrid.
- Therefore, the thermal performance increases with the stable dispersion of these three diferent types of nanoparticles in a single base fuid.
- We may deduce from the preceding study and graphs that the heat transfer rate in tri-hybrid nanofuid is much more efective than the hybrid and nanofuid.

Due to the relevance of modifed nanofuid (tri-hybrid nanofuid), researchers and scientists may utilize these modified nanofluids for effective processing in emerging technologies and for cooling system in various electrical and electronic applications.

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