

# On Computational Assessment of Perturbation Parameter ( $\epsilon$ ) on Third Order Singularly Perturbed Convection-Diffusion Boundary Value Problems

Falade Kazeem Iyanda<sup>1</sup> and Ayodele Victoria Iyadunni<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Department of Mathematics, Faculty of Computing and Mathematical Sciences, Kano University of Science and Technology, P.M.B 3244 Wudil, Kano State Nigeria.

<sup>2</sup>Department of Computer Science and Mathematics, Faculty of Science, Nigeria Police Academy Wudil Kano State Nigeria.

**How to cite this paper:** Falade K.I., Ayodele V.I. (2019) On Computational Assessment of Perturbation Parameter ( $\epsilon$ ) on Third Order Singularly Perturbed Convection-Diffusion Boundary Value Problems. *Journal of Applied Mathematics and Computation*, 3(2), 583-590.

DOI: 10.26855/jamc.2019.02.001

\*Corresponding author: Falade Kazeem Iyanda, Department of Mathematics, Faculty of Computing and Mathematical Sciences, Kano University of Science and Technology, P.M.B 3244 Wudil, Kano State Nigeria.

Email: faladekazeem2016@kustwudil.edu.ng

## Abstract

Two point boundary value problems for third order singularly perturbed ordinary differential equation in which the highest order derivative is multiplied by perturbation parameter  $\epsilon$  was examined. Exponentially Fitted Collocation Approximate Method was proposed and employed to assess the effect of perturbation parameter ( $\epsilon$ ) on the highest derivation of the singularly perturbed convection-diffusion equation. The perturbation parameter ( $\epsilon$ ) was varied from 0.5 to 0.1 and obtained the corresponding solutions of  $y(x)$ . The results demonstrate that this method is very convenient for solving boundary value problems and also can be successfully apply to a lot of practical engineering and physical problems.

## Keywords

Third order singularly perturbed convection-diffusion equation, exponentially fitted collocation approximate method, effect of perturbed parameter ( $\epsilon$ ) and numerical results.

## 1. Introduction

Singularly perturbed third order two-points boundary value problems have been received a significant attention in past and recent years. It arises in many areas of both physical and biological sciences such as in fluid mechanics, particle physics, combustion processes and decay of specimen in biology sciences. These problems depend on a small positive parameter ( $\epsilon$ ) in such a way that the solution varies rapidly in some parts and varies slowly in other parts. An extensive study and analysis have been carried on for more than two decades. A good amount of research works is reported on the qualitative and quantitative analysis for singularly perturbed of boundary value problems [1-4].

In this study, we consider Third order singularly perturbed convection-diffusion perturbedboundary value problem of the form:

$$\begin{cases} -\epsilon \frac{dy^3}{dt^3} + a(t) \frac{dy^2}{dt^2} + b(t) \frac{dy}{dt} + c(t)y(t) = \\ 4 \left( 1 + \frac{(1 - e^{-\frac{2t}{\epsilon}})}{2(1 - e^{-\frac{t}{\epsilon}})} - \frac{t}{2} \right) + \epsilon \frac{(1 - e^{-\frac{2t}{\epsilon}})}{4(1 - e^{-\frac{t}{\epsilon}})} + \frac{t^2}{4} - t \left( 1 + \frac{1}{2(1 - e^{-\frac{t}{\epsilon}})} \right) \end{cases} \quad t \in [0,1] \quad (1)$$

With boundary conditions

$$\begin{cases} y(0) = \alpha \\ y'(0) = \beta \\ y(1) = \gamma \end{cases} \quad (2)$$

Where  $a(t)$ ,  $b(t)$  and  $c(t)$  are smooth function,  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  are known constants and  $\epsilon$  is perturbation parameter.

In recent years, several studies concerning computational analysis are resisted to second order boundary value problems where only few results are available for higher order equation [5,6]. The behaviors of singularly perturbed boundary value problems depend on value of perturbed parameter  $\epsilon$ . If we set  $\epsilon = 0$  the equation (1) reduce to second order differential equation which is also well- posed and  $\epsilon > 0$  equation (1) is remain third order singularly perturbed ordinary differential of convection-diffusion type. Singularly perturbed ordinary differential are usually difficult to solve analytically so it is required to obtain the approximate solution. So the present work will serve as an alternate technique to solve the SPBVP.

The first contribution of this work is to assess the effect of perturbation parameter  $\epsilon$  from 0.5 to 0.1 on the highest derivative of the equation (1). Second contribution is to demonstrate the applicability of the present method to solve linear problems with left end boundary layer are considered. Table 1 computational results of absolute error is presented and it is observed that the present method has very low error when epsilon is higher while comparing to analytical solution.

### 1.1 Definition of Chebyshev Polynomials

The Chebyshev polynomials of first kind can be defined by the recurrence relation given by

$$\begin{aligned} T_0(t) &= 1 \\ T_1(t) &= 2t - 1 \end{aligned}$$

Thus, we have

$$T_{N+1}(t) = 2(2t - 1) T_N(t) - T_{N-1}(t) \quad N \geq 1 \tag{3}$$

**Table 1. The First Ten (10) Chebyshev Polynomials**

$T_N(t)$	Chebyshev Polynomials
$T_0(t)$	1
$T_1(t)$	$2t - 1$
$T_2(t)$	$8t^2 - 8t + 1$
$T_3(t)$	$128t^4 - 258t^3 + 160t^2 - 32t + 1$
$T_4(t)$	$128t^4 - 258t^3 + 160t^2 - 32t + 1$
$T_5(t)$	$512t^5 - 1280t^4 + 1120t^3 - 400t^2 + 50t - 1$
$T_6(t)$	$2048t^6 - 6144t^5 + 6912t^4 - 3584t^3 + 640t^2 - 72t + 1$
$T_7(t)$	$8172t^7 - 20672t^6 + 39424t^5 - 26880t^4 + 9408t^3 - 1568t^2 + 98t - 1$
$T_8(t)$	$32768t^8 - 131072t^7 + 212992t^6 - 180224t^5 + 84480t^4 - 21504t^3 + 2688t^2 - 128t + 1$
$T_9(t)$	$131072t^9 - 589824t^8 + 1105920t^7 - 1118208t^6 + 658944t^5 - 228096t^4 + 44352t^3 - 4320t^2 - 1$
$T_{10}(t)$	$52488t^{10} - 2621440t^9 - 5570560t^8 + 6553600t^7 - 4659200t^6 + 2050048t^5 - 549120t^4 + 84480t^3 - 6600t^2 - 200t + 1$

### 2 Description of Numerical Technique

In this section, we present and employ exponentially fitted collocation approximate method in [7] to examine the effect of epsilon ( $\epsilon$ ) on third order singularly perturbed convection-diffusion equation (1).

Approximate solutions used are of the form:

i. The Power series of the form

$$y_N(t) = \sum_{q=0}^N s_q t^q \tag{4}$$

ii. The Exponentially fitted approximate solution of the form:

$$y_N(t) \approx \sum_{q=0}^N s_q t^q + \tau_3 e^t \tag{5}$$

where  $t$  represents the dependent variable and  $\tau_3$  represents free tau parameter of the order 3rd of the dependent variable in equation (1),  $s_q y_N(t)$  ( $q \geq 0$ ) are the unknown constants to be determined and is the length of computational length of degree of Chebyshev polynomials.

Obtaining the third derivative of equation (4) and Substitute into equation (1), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & -\varepsilon \left[ \sum_{q=3}^N q(q-1)(q-2)s_q t^{q-3} \right] + a(t) \left[ \sum_{q=2}^N q(q-1)s_q t^{q-2} \right] + b(t) \left[ \sum_{q=1}^N qs_q t^{q-1} \right] \\
 & + c(t) \left[ \sum_{q=0}^N s_q t^q \right] \\
 & = \left[ 4 \left( 1 + \frac{(1 - e^{-\frac{-2t}{\varepsilon}})}{2(1 - e^{-\frac{-2}{\varepsilon}})} - \frac{t}{2} \right) + \varepsilon \frac{(1 - e^{-\frac{-2t}{\varepsilon}})}{4(1 - e^{-\frac{-2}{\varepsilon}})} + \frac{t^2}{4} - t \left( 1 + \frac{1}{2(1 - e^{-\frac{-2}{\varepsilon}})} \right) \right]
 \end{aligned} \tag{6}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left\{ \begin{aligned}
 & -\varepsilon [6s_3 + 24ts_4 + 60t^2s_5 + \dots + N(N-1)(N-2)s_N t^{N-3}] + \\
 & a(t)[2s_2 + 6ts_3 + 12t^2s_4 + 20t^3s_5 + \dots + N(N-1)s_N t^{N-2}] + \\
 & b(t)[s_1 + 2ts_2 + 3t^2s_3 + 4t^3s_4 + 5t^4s_5 + \dots + Ns_N t^{N-1}] + \\
 & c(t)[s_0 + ts_1 + t^2s_2 + t^3s_3 + t^4s_4 + t^5s_5 + \dots + s_N t^N] + \\
 & = \left[ 4 \left( 1 + \frac{(1 - e^{-\frac{-2t}{\varepsilon}})}{2(1 - e^{-\frac{-2}{\varepsilon}})} - \frac{t}{2} \right) + \varepsilon \frac{(1 - e^{-\frac{-2t}{\varepsilon}})}{4(1 - e^{-\frac{-2}{\varepsilon}})} + \frac{t^2}{4} - t \left( 1 + \frac{1}{2(1 - e^{-\frac{-2}{\varepsilon}})} \right) \right]
 \end{aligned} \right.
 \end{aligned}$$

Collect the likes terms of (6)

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned}
 & c(t)s_0 \\
 & [b(t) + c(t)t]s_1 \\
 & [2a(t) + 2tb(t) + c(t)t^2]s_2 \\
 & [-6\varepsilon + 6ta(t) + 3t^2b(t) + c(t)t^3]s_3 \\
 & [-24t\varepsilon + 12t^2a(t) + 4t^3b(t) + c(t)t^4]s_5 \\
 & [-60t^2\varepsilon + 20t^3a(t) + 5t^4b(t) + c(t)t^5]s_6 \\
 & + \\
 & \vdots \\
 & + \\
 & (-\varepsilon N(N-1)(N-2)t^{N-3} + a(t)N(N-1)t^{N-2} + b(t)Nt^{N-1} + c(t)t^N)s_N \\
 & = \left[ 4 \left( 1 + \frac{(1 - e^{-\frac{-2t}{\varepsilon}})}{2(1 - e^{-\frac{-2}{\varepsilon}})} - \frac{t}{2} \right) + \varepsilon \frac{(1 - e^{-\frac{-2t}{\varepsilon}})}{4(1 - e^{-\frac{-2}{\varepsilon}})} + \frac{t^2}{4} - t \left( 1 + \frac{1}{2(1 - e^{-\frac{-2}{\varepsilon}})} \right) \right]
 \end{aligned} \right. \tag{7}$$

Slightly perturbed and collocate equation (7), we have

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned}
 & c(t_i)s_0 \\
 & [b(t_i) + c(t_i)t_i]s_1 \\
 & [2a(t_i) + 2t_i b(t_i) + c(t_i)t_i^2]s_2 \\
 & [-6\varepsilon + 6t_i a(t_i) + 3t_i^2 b(t_i) + c(t_i)t_i^3]s_3 \\
 & [-24t_i \varepsilon + 12t_i^2 a(t_i) + 4t_i^3 b(t_i) + c(t_i)t_i^4]s_5 \\
 & [-60t_i^2 \varepsilon + 20t_i^3 a(t_i) + 5t_i^4 b(t_i) + c(t_i)t_i^5]s_6 \\
 & + \\
 & \vdots \\
 & + \\
 & (-\varepsilon N(N-1)(N-2)t_i^{N-3} + a(t_i)N(N-1)t_i^{N-2} + b(t_i)Nt_i^{N-1} + c(t_i)t_i^N)s_N \\
 & = \left[ 4 \left( 1 + \frac{(1 - e^{-\frac{-2t_i}{\varepsilon}})}{2(1 - e^{-\frac{-2}{\varepsilon}})} - \frac{t_i}{2} \right) + \varepsilon \frac{(1 - e^{-\frac{-2t_i}{\varepsilon}})}{4(1 - e^{-\frac{-2}{\varepsilon}})} + \frac{t_i^2}{4} - t_i \left( 1 + \frac{1}{2(1 - e^{-\frac{-2}{\varepsilon}})} \right) \right] \\
 & + H(t_i)
 \end{aligned} \right. \tag{8}$$

Where  $H(t) = -\tau_1 T_N(t_i) - \tau_2 T_{N-1}(t_i) - \tau_3 T_{N-2}(t_i)$  and  $t_i = a + (b-a)^i / N+2; i = 1, 2, \dots, N + 1$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} c(t_i)s_0 \\ [b(t_i) + c(t_i)t_i]s_1 \\ [2a(t_i) + 2t_i b(t_i) + c(t_i)t_i^2]s_2 \\ [-6\epsilon + 6t_i a(t_i) + 3t_i^2 b(t_i) + c(t_i)t_i^3]s_3 \\ [-24t_i \epsilon + 12t_i^2 a(t_i) + 4t_i^3 b(t_i) + c(t_i)t_i^4]s_5 \\ [-60t_i^2 \epsilon + 20t_i^3 a(t_i) + 5t_i^4 b(t_i) + c(t_i)t_i^5]s_6 \\ + \\ \vdots \\ + \\ (-\epsilon N(N-1)(N-2)t_i^{N-3} + a(t_i)N(N-1)t_i^{N-2} + b(t_i)Nt_i^{N-1} + c(t_i)t_i^N)s_N \\ -\tau_1 T_N(t_i) - \tau_2 T_{N-1}(t_i) - \tau_3 T_{N-2}(t_i) \\ = \left[ 4 \left( 1 + \frac{\left(1 - \frac{-2t_i}{1 - e^{-\frac{2t_i}{\epsilon}}}\right)}{2\left(1 - e^{-\frac{2}{\epsilon}}\right)} - \frac{t_i}{2} \right) + \epsilon \frac{\left(1 - e^{-\frac{-2t_i}{\epsilon}}\right)}{4\left(1 - e^{-\frac{2}{\epsilon}}\right)} + \frac{t_i^2}{4} - t_i \left( 1 + \frac{1}{2\left(1 - e^{-\frac{2}{\epsilon}}\right)} \right) \right] \end{array} \right. \tag{9}$$

where  $\tau_1, \tau_2$  and  $\tau_3$  are free tau parameters to be determined and  $T_N(t), T_{N-1}(t)$  and  $T_{N-2}(t)$  are the Chebyshev Polynomials defined in table (1).

Couple with boundary conditions (2) and using approximate solution (5), we have

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} y(0) = s_0 + \tau_3 e^0 = \alpha \\ y'(0) = s_1 + \tau_3 e^0 = \beta \\ y(1) = s_1 + 2s_2 + 3s_3 + \dots + Ns_N + \tau_3 e^1 = \gamma \end{array} \right. \tag{10}$$

Altogether, we obtained (N+4) algebraic linear equations in (N+4) unknown constants. Thus, we put the (N+4) algebraic equations in Matrix form as:

$$SQ = G \tag{11}$$

Here

$$\begin{aligned} S &= \text{The system of equations of } N+4 \\ Q &= (s_0, s_1, s_2, s_3, \dots, s_N, \tau_1, \tau_2, \tau_3)^T \\ G &= (g(t_0), g(t_1), g(t_2), g(t_3), \dots, g(t_N), \alpha, \beta, \gamma)^T \end{aligned}$$

The unknown constants  $s_0, s_1, s_2, s_3, s_4, \dots, s_N, \tau_1, \tau_2$  and  $\tau_3$  are obtain using MAPLE 18 software which are then substituted into the approximate solution given (5)

### 3. Computational Experiment

In this section, we consider the singularly perturbed BVP (1) with discontinuous source terms  $a(t) = -2, b(t) = 4, c(t) = -1$  and  $\epsilon = 0.5, 0.4, 0.3, 0.2, 0.1$

Subject to boundary conditions:

$$y(0) = 0, y'(0) = 1, y'(1) = -1 \tag{12}$$

#### EFCAM Technique

Consider equation (8) and taking computational length  $N=18$  (see table 1), we obtained the following:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & -s_0 + (-t_i + 4)s_1 + (-t_i^2 + 8t_i - 4)s_2 + (-t_i^3 + 12t_i^2 - 3)s_3 + \\
 & (-t_i^4 + 16t_i^3 - 24t_i^2 - 3t_i)s_4 + (-t_i^5 + 20t_i^4 - 40t_i^3 - 30t_i^2)s_5 + \\
 & (-t_i^6 + 24t_i^5 - 60t_i^4 - 60t_i^3)s_6 + (-t_i^7 + 28t_i^6 - 84t_i^5 - 105t_i^4)s_7 + \\
 & (-t_i^8 + 32t_i^7 - 112t_i^6 - 168t_i^5)s_8 + (-t_i^9 + 36t_i^8 - 144t_i^6 - 252t_i^5)s_9 \\
 & (-t_i^{10} + 40t_i^9 - 180t_i^8 - 360t_i^7)s_{10} + (-t_i^{11} + 44t_i^{10} - 220t_i^9 - 495t_i^{10})s_{11} + \\
 & (-t_i^{12} + 48t_i^{11} - 264t_i^{10} - 660t_i^9)s_{12} + (-t_i^{13} + 52t_i^{12} - 312t_i^{11} - 858t_i^{10})s_{13} + \\
 & (-t_i^{14} + 56t_i^{13} - 364t_i^{12} - 1092t_i^{11})s_{14} + (-t_i^{15} + 60t_i^{14} - 420t_i^{13} - 1365t_i^{12})s_{15} + \\
 & (-t_i^{16} + 64t_i^{15} - 480t_i^{14} - 1680t_i^{13})s_{16} + (-t_i^{17} + 68t_i^{16} - 544t_i^{15} - 2040t_i^{14})s_{17} + \\
 & (-t_i^{18} + 72t_i^{17} - 612t_i^{16} - 2448t_i^{15})s_{18} \\
 & - \left\{ \begin{aligned} & 34359738368t_i^{18} - 313532612608t_i^{17} + 1314259992576t_i^{16} - \\ & 3354637893632t_i^{15} + 5827062661120t_i^{14} - 7291747172352t_i^{13} + \\ & 6787709272064t_i^{12} - 4785513168896t_i^{11} + 2577283940352t_i^{10} - \\ & 1061606522880t_i^9 + 332657131520t_i^8 - 78324719616t_i^7 + \\ & 13571903488t_i^6 - 1675631856t_i^5 + 140229120t_i^4 - 7343888t_i^3 - \\ & 209576t_i^2 - 2460t_i + 5 \end{aligned} \right\} \tau_1 \\
 & - \left\{ \begin{aligned} & 8589934593t_i^{17} - 74088185856t_i^{16} + 292057776128t_i^{15} - \\ & 696925552640t_i^{14} + 1123872145408t_i^{13} - 1294823587840t_i^{12} + \\ & 1098588880896t_i^{11} - 6972477276160t_i^{10} + 332837683200t_i^9 + \\ & 119155808448t_i^8 + 31625183232t_i^7 - 6097082368t_i^6 + \\ & 826009600t_i^5 - 74702080t_i^4 + 4155904t_i^3 - 123588t_i^2 + 1480t_i - 3 \end{aligned} \right\} \tau_2 \\
 & - \left\{ \begin{aligned} & 2147483648t_i^{16} - 17179869184t_i^{15} + 62277025792t_i^{14} - \\ & 135291469824t_i^{13} + 196293427200t_i^{12} - 200655503360t_i^{11} + \\ & 148562247680t_i^{10} - 80648077312t_i^9 + 32133218304t_i^8 - \\ & 9313976320t_i^7 + 1926299648t_i^6 - 275185664t_i^5 + 25798656t_i^4 - \\ & 1462272t_i^3 + 43520t_i^2 - 512t_i + 1 \end{aligned} \right\} \tau_3 \\
 & = \left[ 4 \left( \mathbf{1} + \frac{\left( \frac{-2t_i}{1-e^{0.5}} \right) - \frac{t_i}{2}}{\left( \frac{-2}{1-e^{0.5}} \right)} \right) + 0.5 \left( \frac{\left( \frac{-2t_i}{1-e^{0.5}} \right) + \frac{t_i^2}{4}}{\left( \frac{-2}{1-e^{0.5}} \right)} - t_i \left( \mathbf{1} + \frac{1}{2 \left( \frac{-2}{1-e^{0.5}} \right)} \right) \right) \right]
 \end{aligned} \tag{13}$$

Collocate equation (13) as follows:

$$t_i = a + \frac{(b-a)i}{N+2}; \quad i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, N+1 \quad \text{Where } a = 0, \quad b = 1, \quad N = 18$$

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} & t_1 = \frac{1}{20}, t_2 = \frac{2}{20}, t_3 = \frac{3}{20}, t_4 = \frac{4}{20}, t_5 = \frac{5}{20}, t_6 = \frac{6}{20}, t_7 = \frac{7}{20} \\ & t_8 = \frac{8}{20}, t_9 = \frac{9}{20}, t_{10} = \frac{10}{20}, t_{11} = \frac{11}{20}, t_{12} = \frac{12}{20}, t_{13} = \frac{13}{20} \\ & t_{14} = \frac{14}{20}, t_{15} = \frac{15}{20}, t_{16} = \frac{16}{20}, t_{17} = \frac{17}{20}, t_{18} = \frac{18}{20}, t_{19} = \frac{19}{20} \end{aligned} \right.$$

The above process was repeated for  $\varepsilon = 0.5, 0.4, 0.3, 0.2, 0.1$ . Moreover, we consider boundary conditions (12), Matrix equation (11) and using MAPLE 18 software to obtain twenty two (22) unknown constants of equations (13), thus, we obtained the following constants:

When $\varepsilon = 0.5$	When $\varepsilon = 0.4$	When $\varepsilon = 0.3$	When $\varepsilon = 0.2$	When $\varepsilon = 0.1$
$s_0 = 1.1636E - 06$	$s_0 = -8.6902E - 06$	$s_0 = -1.4397E - 05$	$s_0 = -5.1755E - 06$	$s_0 = -1.0143E - 03$
$s_1 = 1.0000011640$	$s_1 = 0.9999913098$	$s_1 = 0.9999856030$	$s_1 = 0.9999482443$	$s_1 = 0.9989856901$
$s_2 = -1.427924825$	$s_2 = -1.473625807$	$s_2 = -1.532970439$	$s_2 = -1.628450371$	$s_2 = -1.872325586$
$s_3 = 1.9038319800$	$s_3 = 2.4565268000$	$s_3 = 3.4073206240$	$s_3 = 5.4342509300$	$s_3 = 12.443812400$
$s_4 = -3.367072146$	$s_4 = -5.147235927$	$s_4 = -8.971161939$	$s_4 = -20.15086862$	$s_4 = -83.75434007$
$s_5 = 4.0591698980$	$s_5 = 7.6154198540$	$s_5 = 17.006860320$	$s_5 = 55.462891600$	$s_5 = 421.20495020$
$s_6 = -3.927342307$	$s_6 = -9.670754574$	$s_6 = -26.8395936$	$s_6 = -128.0048971$	$s_6 = -1681.041317$
$s_7 = 2.78220809800$	$s_7 = 12.681284380$	$s_7 = 38.939385850$	$s_7 = 268.14262460$	$s_7 = 5413.7936780$
$s_8 = -0.2644793304$	$s_8 = -21.69756187$	$s_8 = -59.34876860$	$s_8 = -538.9897119$	$s_8 = -14003.61527$
$s_9 = -4.4282897030$	$s_9 = 43.13865343$	$s_9 = 97.177711350$	$s_9 = 018.57357400$	$s_9 = 28428.896300$
$s_{10} = 11.2772908600$	$s_{10} = -73.8589032$	$s_{10} = -146.213342$	$s_{10} = -1663.45892$	$s_{10} = -43352.2737$
$s_{11} = -17.45664855$	$s_{11} = 89.80408131$	$s_{11} = 165.1682500$	$s_{11} = 2133.584930$	$s_{11} = 45341.19378$
$s_{12} = 18.160624210$	$s_{12} = -60.7867198$	$s_{12} = -103.853302$	$s_{12} = -1940.86518$	$s_{12} = -23537.9384$
$s_{13} = -11.75122987$	$s_{13} = -8.05615254$	$s_{13} = -24.3834126$	$s_{13} = 1020.015636$	$s_{13} = 13272.9781$
$s_{14} = 2.9314504890$	$s_{14} = 66.38315959$	$s_{14} = 128.0032498$	$s_{14} = 8.897697004$	$s_{14} = 39055.91037$
$s_{15} = 2.1085852740$	$s_{15} = -73.1862047$	$s_{15} = -136.180727$	$s_{15} = -474.572418$	$s_{15} = -38043.1721$
$s_{16} = -2.326818278$	$s_{16} = 42.43409148$	$s_{16} = 77.69522227$	$s_{16} = 369.0598589$	$s_{16} = 20789.34569$
$s_{17} = 0.9136036384$	$s_{17} = -13.3976911$	$s_{17} = -24.2691245$	$s_{17} = -131.551422$	$s_{17} = -6327.03945$
$s_{18} = -0.139261008$	$s_{18} = 1.824251728$	$s_{18} = 3.276140493$	$s_{18} = 19.15547632$	$s_{18} = 840.0284046$
$\tau_1 = -1.7093E - 07$	$\tau_1 = 1.0130E - 06$	$\tau_1 = 2.2130E - 06$	$\tau_1 = 3.6247E - 06$	$\tau_1 = 1.0510E - 04$
$\tau_2 = -1.8030E - 07$	$\tau_2 = 1.802E - 06$	$\tau_2 = 4.2680E - 06$	$\tau_2 = 8.0987E - 06$	$\tau_2 = 4.4926E - 04$
$\tau_3 = -1.1636E - 06$	$\tau_3 = 8.690E - 06$	$\tau_3 = 1.4397E - 06$	$\tau_3 = 5.1755E - 06$	$\tau_3 = 1.0143E - 03$

Substitute the above values into approximation solution (5), we obtained the following approximate solutions for equation (1),

$$y_{\varepsilon=0.5}(t) \approx \begin{cases} 0.000001636 + 1.0000011640t - 1.427924825t^2 \\ +1.9038319800t^3 - 3.367072146t^4 + 4.0591698980t^5 \\ -3.927342307t^6 + 2.7822080980t^7 - 0.2644793304t^8 \\ -4.42828970309t^9 + 11.2772908600t^{10} - 17.45664855t^{11} \\ +18.160624210t^{12} - 11.75122987t^{13} + 2.9314504890t^{14} \\ +2.1085852740t^{15} - 2.326818278t^{16} + 0.9136036384t^{17} \\ -0.139261008t^{18} - 0.000001163e^t \end{cases} \quad (14)$$

$$y_{\varepsilon=0.4}(t) \approx \begin{cases} 0.0000086902 + 0.9999913098t - 1.473625807t^2 \\ +2.4565268000t^3 - 5.147235927t^4 + 7.6154198540t^5 \\ -9.670754574t^6 + 12.681284380t^7 - 21.69756187t^8 \\ +43.13865343t^9 - 73.8589032t^{10} + 89.80408131t^{11} \\ -60.7867198t^{12} - 8.05615254t^{13} + 66.38315959t^{14} \\ -73.1862047t^{15} + 42.43409148t^{16} - 13.3976911t^{17} \\ +1.824251728t^{18} - 0.000008690e^t \end{cases} \quad (15)$$

$$y_{\varepsilon=0.3}(t) \approx \begin{cases} -0.000014397 + 0.9999856030t - 1.532970439t^2 \\ +3.4073206240t^3 - 8.971161939t^4 + 17.006860320t^5 \\ -26.8395936t^6 + 38.939385850t^7 - 59.34876860t^8 \\ 97.177711350t^9 - 146.213342t^{10} + 165.1682500t^{11} \\ -103.853302t^{12} - 24.3834126t^{13} + 128.0032498t^{14} \\ -136.180727t^{15} + 77.69522227t^{16} - 24.2691245t^{17} \\ +3.276140493t^{18} + 0.0000014397e^t \end{cases} \quad (16)$$

$$y_{\varepsilon=0.2}(t) \approx \begin{cases} 0.0000051755 + 0.9999482443t - 1.628450371t^2 \\ +5.4342509300t^3 - 20.15086862t^4 + 55.462891600t^5 \\ -128.0048971t^6 + 268.14262460t^7 - 538.9897119t^8 \\ +018.57357400t^9 - 1663.45892t^{10} + 2133.584930t^{11} \\ -1940.86518t^{12} + 1020.015636t^{13} + 8.897697004t^{14} \\ -474.572418t^{15} + 369.0598589t^{16} - 131.551422t^{17} \\ +19.15547632t^{18} + 0.0000051755e^t \end{cases} \quad (17)$$

$$y_{\varepsilon=0.1}(t) \approx \begin{cases} 0.000001636 + 1.0000011640t - 1.427924825t^2 \\ +1.9038319800t^3 - 3.367072146t^4 + 4.0591698980t^5 \\ -3.927342307t^6 + 2.7822080980t^7 - 0.2644793304t^8 \\ -4.42828970309t^9 + 11.2772908600t^{10} - 17.45664855t^{11} \\ 18.160624210t^{12} - 11.75122987t^{13} + 2.9314504890t^{14} \\ +2.1085852740t^{15} - 2.326818278t^{16} + 0.9136036384t^{17} \\ -0.139261008t^{18} - 0.000001163e^t \end{cases} \quad (18)$$

**Table 2. Computational Results**

<i>t</i>	Solution	$\varepsilon = 0.5$	$\varepsilon = 0.4$	$\varepsilon = 0.3$	$\varepsilon = 0.2$	$\varepsilon = 0.1$
<b>0.0</b>	Analytical	0.0000000000	0.0000000000	0.0000000000	0.0000000000	0.0000000000
	EFCAM	0.0000000000	0.0000000000	0.0000000000	0.0000000000	0.0000000000
	$E_t$	0.0000000000	0.0000000000	0.0000000000	0.0000000000	0.0000000000
<b>0.1</b>	Analytical	0.08732480667	0.08727316226	0.08732714050	0.08758380987	0.08829670039
	EFCAM	0.08732480698	0.08727316127	0.08732718805	0.08758384808	0.08830724140
	$E_t$	3.1E-10	1.0E-09	4.96E-08	3.82E-08	1.05E-06

<b>0.2</b>	Analytical	0.15380743913	0.15441264766	0.15569467519	0.15809116007	0.16223677044
	EFCAM	0.1538074376	0.15441268760	0.15569488610	0.15809167550	0.16226139000
	$E_t$	1.5E-09	3.99E-08	2.11E-07	5.15E-07	2.46E-05
<b>0.3</b>	Analytical	0.20316520477	0.20535369210	0.20903433839	0.21481446918	0.22301986773
	EFCAM	0.20316519850	0.20535378940	0.20903475900	0.21481553700	0.22305676040
	$E_t$	6.3E-09	9.73E-08	4.21E-07	1.07E-06	3.69E-05
<b>0.4</b>	Analytical	0.23656925886	0.24096907270	0.24764237571	0.25711561974	0.26922564119
	EFCAM	0.23656924710	0.24096922920	0.24764301850	0.25711716080	0.26927090950
	$E_t$	1.18E-08	1.56E-07	6.43E-07	1.15E-06	4.53E-05
<b>0.5</b>	Analytical	0.25379653544	0.26067454790	0.27045536396	0.28346995642	0.29926141059
	EFCAM	0.25379652020	0.26067475660	0.27045622260	0.2834718191	0.29931059480
	$E_t$	1.52E-08	2.08E-07	8.59E-07	1.86E-06	4.91E-05
<b>0.6</b>	Analytical	0.25383754315	0.26316488178	0.27586535944	0.29208901917	0.31132785630
	EFCAM	0.25383752960	0.26316512550	0.27586640700	0.29209095250	0.31137341060
	$E_t$	1.38E-08	2.44E-07	1.04E-06	1.93E-06	4.55E-05
<b>0.7</b>	Analytical	0.23520499291	0.24673102237	0.26197491407	0.28097879930	0.30333897621
	EFCAM	0.23520498380	0.24673127400	0.26197610460	0.28098051720	0.30337324640
	$E_t$	9.1E-09	2.52E-07	1.19E-06	1.77E-06	3.42E-05
<b>0.8</b>	Analytical	0.19607909489	0.20937859564	0.22664570698	0.24788853076	0.27286270989
	EFCAM	0.19607909350	0.20937881560	0.22664696210	0.24788959650	0.27287182820
	$E_t$	1.4E-09	2.20E-07	1.25E-06	1.06E-06	9.11E-05
<b>0.9</b>	Analytical	0.13436423441	0.14885362783	0.16747495371	0.19024648020	0.21706062723
	EFCAM	0.13436424650	0.14885378840	0.16747614340	0.19024631040	0.21704379980
	$E_t$	1.21E-08	1.61E-07	1.19E-06	1.67E-06	5.68E-05
<b>1.0</b>	Analytical	0.04769756447	0.06262527802	0.081747561244	0.1050958218	0.13261918283
	EFCAM	0.04769759489	0.06262531054	0.081748338150	0.10509460650	0.13254278020
	$E_t$	3.041E-08	3.22E-08	7.77E-07	1.22E-06	7.64E-05

Note:  $E_t = |\text{Analytical} - \text{EFCAM}|$

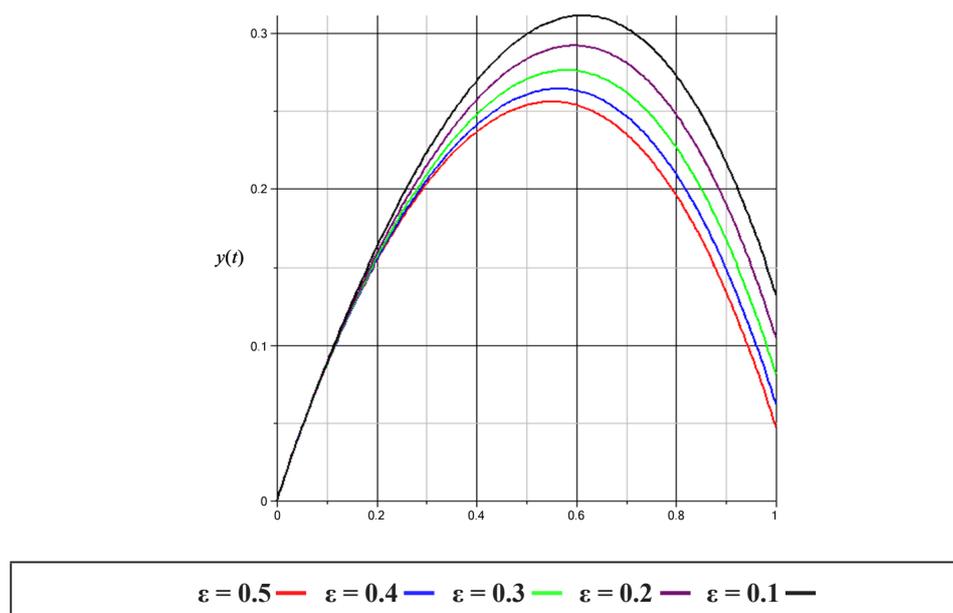


Figure 1. On computational assessment of epsilon ( $\epsilon$ ) on third order singularly perturbed boundary value problem

#### 4. Conclusion

In this study, third order convection-diffusion singularly perturbed boundary equation was examined and perturbation parameter ( $\epsilon$ ) was varied from highest to lowest  $\epsilon = 0.5$  to  $0.1$ . The effect of epsilon was investigated at the highest derivation of the equation (1) and the result showed that higher the epsilon, given rises to lesser  $y(t)$  (see table 2). Figure 1 shows the effect of epsilon parameters on third order convection-diffusion equation under study. The method is straightforward in application and a powerful mathematical tool for finding approximate solutions of initial value problems (IVP), boundary value problems (BVP), singular value problems (SVP) and Integro-differential equations (IDE) in terms of accuracy, computational length and efficiency.

#### Reference

- [1] Abrahamsson, L. R., Keller, H. B., & Kreiss, H. O. (1974). Difference approximations for singular perturbations of systems of ordinary differential equations. *Numerische Mathematik*, 22(5), 367-391..
- [2] Jayakumar, J., & Ramanujam, N. (1994). A numerical method for singular perturbation problems arising in chemical reactor theory. *Computers & Mathematics with Applications*, 27(5), 83-99.
- [3] Natesan, S., & Ramanujam, N. (1998). A computational method for solving singularly perturbed turning point problems exhibiting twin boundary layers. *Applied Mathematics and Computation*, 93(2-3), 259-275.
- [4] Roos, H. G., Stynes, M., & Tobiska, L. (2008). *Robust numerical methods for singularly perturbed differential equations: convection-diffusion-reaction and flow problems* (Vol. 24). Springer Science & Business Media.
- [5] Weili, Z. (1990). Singular perturbations of boundary value problems for a class of third order nonlinear ordinary differential equations. *Journal of Differential equations*, 88(2), 265-278.
- [6] Kadalbajoo, M. K., & Reddy, Y. N. (1987). Approximate method for the numerical solution of singular perturbation problems. *Applied Mathematics and Computation*, 21(3), 185-199.
- [7] Falade K.I (2015) *Exponentially fitted collocation approximation method for singular initial value problems and integro-differential equations*. (Doctoral dissertation, University of Ilorin).