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# Trigonometric based B-spline method for singularly perturbed sobolev problems with initial layers

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## **ABSTRACT**

In this work, we investigate and numerically approximate an initial-boundary value problem governed by Sobolev type differential equation exhibiting an initial layer. The problem is approached through a finite difference framework specifically designed to remain unaffected by the presence of a small perturbation parameter, ensuring robustness and stability. A novel hybrid numerical strategy is constructed by employing a non-polynomial trigonometric cubic B-spline (TCBS) collocation technique for the spatial discretization on a uniform partition, while time advancement is carried out through an implicit Euler procedure defined over a Shishkin mesh to effectively capture sharp solution gradients. The developed scheme guarantees parameter-uniform convergence, and its theoretical stability and error properties are rigorously analyzed. A set of numerical simulations is performed to validate the effectiveness of the method, demonstrating its high accuracy, consistency, and suitability for handling singularly perturbed pseudo-parabolic problems with initial layer.

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## INTRODUCTION

This section focuses on a class of singularly perturbed pseudo-parabolic equations defined in the domain  $\Omega \cup [0, T]$ , where  $\Omega = (0,1)$  and,  $Q = \Omega \times (0, T]$ .

$$\begin{cases} \ell w. \equiv \varepsilon \ell_1 \left[ \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} \right] - \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left[ a(x,t) \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right) + b(x,t) \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \\ + c(x,t) w = \aleph(x,t), (x,t) \in Q, \\ w(x,0) = \varphi(x), x \in Q, \\ w(0,t) = w(l,t) = 0, t \in (0,T], \end{cases}$$

$$(1)$$

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where

$$\ell_1 \left[ \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} \right] = -\frac{\partial^3 w}{\partial t \partial x^2} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial t}.$$

Here  $\varepsilon$  denotes small perturbation parameter, while coefficient function, source term, and initial conditions are assumed to be smooth functions that fulfill specific regularity requirements, which will be detailed later.

Sobolev equations represent a distinctive category of partial differential equations (PDEs) in which the



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highest-order spatial derivative is coupled with time derivative, leading to a hybrid mathematical structure that blends features of parabolic and hyperbolic equations. Such equations model a wide range of physical phenomena, thermodynamics [1], appearing in mathematical physics and fluid Dynamics [1-3], shear in second order fluids [4], astro-physics [5, 6], filtration theory [7], and propagation of long waves of small amplitude [8]. Some existence and uniqueness results of equation (1) can be found in [6,9-11]. In 1950 Sergi Sobolev started researching pseudo-parabolic equations. A significant part of the recent advances in Sobolev-type problems has been driven by the shift from classical parabolic equations to pseudo-parabolic formulations. Building upon these advancements, researchers in [11, 12] utilized advanced higher-order difference schemes to investigate delay pseudo-parabolic equations. A three-layer finite difference scheme was proposed for pseudo-parabolic equations incorporating a time-delay within the second-order derivative term [13]. Furthermore, higher-order discretization techniques were developed for one-dimensional delay pseudo-parabolic problems [14]. In addition, Zhang [15] introduced linearized compact finite difference methods to address nonlinear Sobolev-type equations involving delay terms.

The aforementioned investigations primarily address the regular (non-singular) settings. In contrast, Eq. (1) is characterized by the inclusion of mixed derivatives involving both temporal and spatial variables in its highest-order terms, an intrinsic and defining attribute of Sobolev (pseudo-parabolic) equations. Despite their significance in modeling diverse physical processes, the literature addressing problems of this type remains relatively scarce, with only a limited number of studies available [2-5,16-19], with presence of  $\varepsilon$  which makes it singularly perturbed in nature. In [5], the author examined Sobolev problems with one spatial dimension using a finite difference method (FDM) to handle boundary layers efficiently. In a related development, [17] introduced a parameter-uniform approach for initial boundary value problems (IBVPs) utilizing a standard S-mesh in the time direction. It is widely recognized that classical discretization techniques fail to maintain accuracy when the perturbation parameter takes on small values. Hence, it becomes essential to design robust and efficient numerical methods for such problems, ensuring that the accuracy of the evaluated solution remains uniform and does not deteriorate as.

The numerical estimate of singularly perturbed problems (SPPs) is inherently intricate, primarily due to the emergence of sharply localized boundary-layer phenomena within their exact solutions. The presence of small perturbation parameters causes rapid variations in narrow regions, giving rise to boundary or interior layers. As a result, conventional numerical methods often fail to capture these sharp gradients accurately and typically do not converge uniformly when the perturbation parameter becomes sufficiently small. To overcome these difficulties, specially

designed parameter-robust schemes and layer-adapted meshes, such as Shishkin or Bakhvalov meshes, are widely employed to ensure stability and uniform convergence across all ranges of the perturbation parameter [20-23].

Several researchers [2-5, 16-19] have developed numerical techniques for addressing singularly perturbed Sobolev problems (SPSPs), both with and without time delays. Nonetheless, these studies have predominantly centered on approaches grounded in interpolating quadrature rules involving specific weight and basis functions. Insofar as the existing literature reveals, no further investigations have extended beyond this framework. In this study, we propose a novel computational framework that utilizes TCBS collocation technique for spatial discretization on a uniform mesh, in combination with an implicit Euler scheme functional on S-mesh for the temporal derivative.

B-spline functions have evolved into powerful and versatile analytical instruments for the numerical resolution of PDEs [19, 21-22]. Among these, TCBS collocation technique has garnered considerable scholarly interest, being effectively employed for the accurate numerical treatment of various classes of PDEs [24-26]. Unlike conventional FDM, spline-based approaches possess the inherent capability to approximate the solution with high precision at any location within the computational domain, thereby significantly enhancing spatial accuracy. Furthermore, when compared with classical polynomial B-spline formulations, the TCBS method has demonstrated superior performance, delivering more precise numerical approximations for both linear and nonlinear IBVPs. This enhanced accuracy arises from the trigonometric structure of the basis functions, which allows for better representation of oscillatory and boundary-layer behaviors often present in SPPs [25-26].

In this work, we develop a numerical method tailored for SPSPs characterized by the presence of initial layers. The key objectives are to evaluate the computational efficiency of the proposed approach, validate its accuracy, and analyze how perturbation parameters influence the formation and behavior of boundary-layer structures in the solutions. The original problem is first transformed into a more tractable formulation, after which the temporal derivative is discretized using the implicit Euler method on S-mesh. The resulting system of ordinary differential equations is subsequently solved through a TCBS collocation technique applied on a uniform spatial mesh.

## PRELIMINARY FRAMEWORK AND ANALYTICAL SOLUTION

Eq. (1) is subsequently transformed into the following equivalent representation:

$$\begin{cases} \ell u := \varepsilon \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} - \varepsilon \frac{\partial^3 w}{\partial t \partial x^2} + a(x,t) \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} + d(x,t) \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \\ + c(x,t) w = \aleph(x,t), (x,t) \in Q, \\ w(x,0) = \varphi(x), x \in \Omega, \\ w(0,t) = w(1,t) = 0, \end{cases}$$
(2)

where  $d(x,t) = b(x,t) - \frac{\partial a(x,t)}{\partial x}$  and a(x,t) is a continuous functions and  $\frac{\partial a(x,t)}{\partial x} \in C^2(\Omega)$ . Eq. (2) is renowned by the

presence of a mixed temporal-spatial derivative in which a small perturbation parameter  $\varepsilon$  appears in both the highest order term and the temporal derivative component, thereby delineating the specific class of SPSPs addressed in this study. The functions  $(a, d, c, \aleph)(x,t)$  and  $\varphi(x)$  are sufficiently smooth and satisfy the required regularity conditions, such that  $a(x,t) \ge \alpha > 0$ . At this stage, Eq. (2) is reformulated in an operator representation, expressed as follows:

$$\ell w = \varepsilon \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} - \varepsilon \frac{\partial^3 w}{\partial t \partial x^2} + a(x,t) \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} + d(x,t) \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} + c(x,t) w.$$
 (3)

The operator presented in Eq. (3) adheres to the subsequent principle of maximum.

**Lemma 1.** Let  $\Phi(x,t) \in C^0(\overline{Q}) \cap C^2(Q)$ ,  $\ell\Phi(x,t) \ge 0$  satisfies in  $Q, \Phi(x,t) \ge 0$  on  $\Omega$ . Then  $\Phi(x,t) \ge 0, \forall (x,t) \in \overline{Q}$ .

Proof. Let  $(v^*, \xi^*) \in \overline{Q}$  such that  $\Phi(v^*, \xi^*) = \min_{(x,t) \in \overline{Q}} \Phi(x,t)$  and assume that  $\Phi(v^*, \xi^*) < 0$ . Now, from assumption, we have  $(v^*, \xi^*) \neq \overline{Q}$  for  $(v^*, \xi^*) \in Q$ . As it attains minimum at  $(v^*, \xi^*)$ , we have  $\Phi_x = \Phi_t = \Phi_{tx} = 0$  and  $\Phi_{xx} \geq 0$  at  $(v^*, \xi^*)$ . Now, we have

$$\ell\Phi(x,t) = \underbrace{\varepsilon\Phi_{t}\left(v^{*},\xi^{*}\right) - \varepsilon\Phi_{txx}\left(v^{*},\xi^{*}\right)}_{=0} - a\left(v^{*},\xi^{*}\right)\Phi_{xx}\left(v^{*},\xi^{*}\right)$$

$$+\underbrace{\tilde{b}\left(v^{*},\xi^{*}\right)\Phi_{x}\left(v^{*},\xi^{*}\right)}_{=0} + c\left(v^{*},\xi^{*}\right)\Phi\left(v^{*},\xi^{*}\right),$$

$$= \le a\left(v^{*},\xi^{*}\right)\Phi_{xx}\left(v^{*},\xi^{*}\right) + c\left(v^{*},\xi^{*}\right)\Phi\left(v^{*},\xi^{*}\right),$$

$$< 0, \text{ since } a\left(v^{*},\xi^{*}\right) \ge \alpha > 0,$$

which is a contradiction as  $\ell\Phi(x,t) \ge 0$ . Hence,  $\Phi(x,t) \ge 0, \forall (x,t) \in \overline{Q}$  [19]. Lemma 2 immediately guarantees the uniqueness of the solution to the problem.

**Remark 2.1.** (Friedrichs inequality)-For a domain G with a Lipschitz boundary, there exist constants  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$  dependent on G but independent of a functions in D, such that:

$$\int_{G} w^{2} dx \le c_{1} \sum_{k=1}^{N} \int_{G} \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial x_{k}} \right) dx + c_{2} \int_{\Gamma} w^{2}(s) ds, \tag{4}$$

holds  $\forall w \in D$ . For N = 1, if  $D \in C^1(0, l)$ , the Friedrichs inequality is expressed as follows

$$\begin{split} &\int_{0}^{1} w^{2} dx \leq c_{1} \int_{0}^{l} \left(w'\right)^{2}(x) dx + c_{2} w^{2}(0), \\ &\int_{0}^{1} w^{2} dx \leq c_{1} \int_{0}^{l} \left(w'\right)^{2}(x) dx + c_{2} w^{2}(l), \\ &\int_{0}^{1} w^{2} dx \leq c_{1} \int_{0}^{l} \left(w'\right)^{2}(x) dx + c_{2} \left[w^{2}(0) + w^{2}(l)\right]. \end{split}$$

If a function in D satisfy additional conditions, such that w(0) = 0 or w(l) = 0, special cases of the previously derived estimates are obtained. Specifically, if  $D_1 \subseteq D$  with w(0) = 0 = w(l), the estimates takes the form:

$$\int_{0}^{l} w^{2} dx \le c_{1} \int_{0}^{l} (w')^{2}(x) dx, \quad w \in D_{1}.$$
 (5)

By selecting one of the estimates for  $c_1$ , we derive the following inequality:

$$\int_{0}^{1} w^{2} dx \le c_{1} \frac{(l-0)}{\pi^{2}} \int_{0}^{l} (w')^{2} (x) dx, \tag{6}$$

which is valid for for all  $w \in D_1$ , that is for all  $w \in D$  which satisfies the above condition.

**Remark 2.2.** At the critical points (0,0) and (l,0), the functions  $\varphi(x)$  and  $\Re(x,t)$  gratify the subsequent compatibility requirements:

$$\varphi(0) = \varphi(l) = 0 \tag{7}$$

and

$$\begin{cases} -\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( a(0,0) \frac{d\varphi(0)}{dx} \right) + b(0,0) \frac{d\varphi(0)}{dx} + c\varphi(0) = \aleph(0,0), \\ -\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( a(l,0) \frac{d\varphi(l)}{dx} \right) + b(l,0) \frac{d\varphi(l)}{dx} + c\varphi(l) = \aleph(l,0). \end{cases}$$
(8)

**Lemma 2.** Let 
$$\frac{\partial a}{\partial x}$$
,  $\frac{\partial b}{\partial x}$ ,  $c$ ,  $\aleph \in C^2(\overline{\Omega})$  and

$$\alpha + \pi^{-2} l^2 \zeta_0 > 0$$
, where  $\zeta_0 = \min_{\overline{\partial}} \left( c - \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial b}{\partial x} \right)$ . (9)

Accordingly, the solution of Eq. (1) satisfies the ensuing estimations as established in [13, 16-17].

$$\left| \frac{\partial^{k+z} w}{\partial t^k \partial x^z} \right| \le C \varepsilon^{-k}, (x,t) \in \overline{Q}, \quad k = 0,1; \quad z = 0,1,2. \tag{10}$$

**Proof.** Multiply both sides of Eq. (1) by w(x,t). In this case, we obtain

$$\left(\ell w, w\right)_0 = \left(\aleph, w\right)_0. \tag{11}$$

Expanding Eq. (11) through the inner product yields:

$$\begin{split} & \left( -\varepsilon \frac{\partial^3 w}{\partial t \partial x^2}, w \right)_0 + \left( \varepsilon \frac{\partial w}{\partial t}, w \right)_0 - \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( a \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} \right), w \right)_0 \\ & + \left( b \frac{\partial w}{\partial x}, w \right)_0 + \left( cw, w \right)_0 = \left( \aleph, w \right)_0. \end{split}$$

We now employ the technique of energy-based inequalities, achieved by performing a scalar multiplication with w(x,t) wherein

$$\begin{split} \left(w,v\right) &= \int_{0}^{l} wv dx, \ \left\|w\right\|_{0}^{2} = \left(w,w\right)_{0}. \text{ Here} \\ \left(-\varepsilon \frac{\partial^{3} w}{\partial t \partial x^{2}},w\right)_{0} &= -\varepsilon \int_{0}^{l} \frac{\partial^{3} w}{\partial t \partial x^{2}} w dx = \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left\|\frac{\partial w}{\partial x}\right\|_{0}^{2}, \\ \left(\varepsilon \frac{\partial w}{\partial t},w\right)_{0} &= \int_{0}^{l} \varepsilon \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} w dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_{0}^{l} \left(w^{2}\right)_{t} dx = \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \int_{0}^{l} w^{2} dx = \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left\|w\right\|_{0}^{2}, \\ \left(\left(aw_{x}\right)_{x},w\right)_{0} &= \int_{0}^{l} \left(aw_{x}\right)_{x} w dx = \left[aw_{x}w\right]_{0}^{l} - \alpha \int_{0}^{l} w_{x}^{2} dx = -\alpha \left\|\frac{\partial w}{\partial x}\right\|_{0}^{2}, \\ \sin c a(x,t) &\geq \alpha > 0, \\ \left(bw_{x},w\right)_{0} &= \int_{0}^{l} bw_{x} w dx = \int_{0}^{l} b\left(w^{2}\right)_{x} dx = \left(w^{2}b\right)_{0}^{l} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial b}{\partial x} \int_{0}^{l} w^{2} dx \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial b}{\partial x} \left\|w\right\|_{0}^{2}, \\ \left(cw,w\right)_{0} &= \int_{0}^{l} cw^{2} dx = c \left\|w\right\|_{0}^{2}, \text{ since } c \in C^{2}\left(\overline{\Omega}\right), \\ \left\|\left(\aleph,w\right)\right\| &\leq \left\|w\right\|_{0} \left\|\aleph\right\|_{0}. \end{split}$$

Upon inserting this expression into Eq. (1) and performing subsequent algebraic manipulations, we obtain:

$$\begin{split} \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left( \left\| \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right\|_{0}^{2} + \left\| w \right\|_{0}^{2} \right) &\leq -\alpha \left\| \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right\|_{0}^{2} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial b}{\partial x} \left\| w \right\|_{0}^{2} - c \left\| w \right\|_{0}^{2} + \left\| w \right\|_{0} \left\| \aleph \right\|_{0}, \\ \varepsilon \frac{d}{dt} \left( \left\| \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right\|_{0}^{2} + \left\| w \right\|_{0}^{2} \right) &\leq -2\alpha \left\| \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right\|_{0}^{2} + \frac{\partial b}{\partial x} \left\| w \right\|_{0}^{2} - 2c \left\| w \right\|_{0}^{2} + 2 \left\| w \right\|_{0} \left\| \aleph \right\|_{0}, \\ &\leq -2\alpha \left\| \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right\|_{0}^{2} - 2\left( c - \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial b}{\partial x} \right) \left\| w \right\|_{0}^{2} + 2 \left\| w \right\|_{0} \left\| \aleph \right\|_{0}, \\ &\leq -2\alpha \left\| \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right\|_{0}^{2} - 2\xi_{0} \left\| w \right\|_{0}^{2} + 2 \left\| w \right\|_{0} \left\| \aleph \right\|_{0}, \\ &= -2\alpha \left\| \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right\|_{0}^{2} - 2\xi_{0} \left\| w \right\|_{0}^{2} + \Re(t), \end{split}$$

where  $\Re(t) = 2||w||_0 ||\aleph||_0$ . Now, we have two cases:

1. If  $\alpha \leq \zeta_0$ , then

$$\varepsilon \chi'(t) \le -2\alpha \chi(t) + \Re(t), \tag{12}$$

where  $\chi(t) = \left\| \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right\|_0^2 + \left\| w \right\|_0^2$ .

2. Given  $\alpha \le \zeta_0$ , and  $0 < \vartheta < 1$ , employing the embedding inequality in Eq. (6) leads to the following result:

$$\begin{split} \alpha \left\| \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right\|_{0}^{2} + \zeta_{0} \left\| w \right\|_{0}^{2} &= \alpha \left( 1 - \vartheta \right) \left\| \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right\|_{0}^{2} + \alpha \vartheta \left\| \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right\|_{0}^{2} + \zeta_{0} \left\| w \right\|_{0}^{2}, \\ &\geq \alpha \left( 1 - \vartheta \right) \left\| \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right\|_{0}^{2} + \left( \alpha \vartheta \frac{\pi^{2}}{l^{2}} + \zeta_{0} \right) \left\| w \right\|_{0}^{2}, \end{split}$$

choosing  $\vartheta$  from equality  $\alpha(1-\vartheta) = \alpha\vartheta \frac{\pi^2}{l^2}$  and considering Eq. (9), we obtain

$$\vartheta = \frac{1 - \alpha^{-1} \zeta_0}{1 + \pi^2 l^{-2}}; \quad 1 - \vartheta = \frac{\pi^2 l^{-2} + \alpha^{-1} \zeta_0}{1 + \pi^2 l^{-2}}$$

By inserting these expressions into the preceding equation, we arrive at:

$$\varepsilon \chi'(t) \le -2 \frac{\alpha \pi^2 l^{-2} + \zeta_0}{1 + \pi^2 l^{-2}} \chi(t) + \Re(t). \tag{13}$$

Hence, combining the results of Eqs. (12) and (13) yields:

$$\varepsilon \chi'(t) \le -2c_0 \chi(t) + \Re(t),$$
where  $c_0 =\begin{cases} \alpha & \text{if } \alpha \le \zeta_0 \text{ for case 1,} \\ \frac{\alpha \pi^2 l^{-2} + \zeta_0}{1 + \pi^2 l^{-2}} & \text{if } \alpha > \zeta_0 \text{ for case 2.} \end{cases}$  (14)

Furthermore, for  $\Re(t)$  expression, by using  $|(w,v)| \le \mu ||w||^2 + \frac{1}{4\mu} ||v||^2$  inequality, we obtain

$$\begin{split} 2 \left\| w \right\|_{0} \left\| \aleph \right\|_{0} & \leq 2 c_{0} \left\| w \right\|_{0}^{2} + \frac{1}{2 c_{0}} \left\| \aleph \right\|_{0}^{2} \Rightarrow 2 \left\| w \right\|_{0} \left\| \aleph \right\|_{0} \\ & \leq c_{0} \left\| w \right\|_{0}^{2} + \frac{1}{c_{0}} \left\| \aleph \right\|_{0}^{2}, \end{split}$$

where  $c_0 = 2c_0$  is a constant. Now, substituting this values in place of  $\Re(t)$ , we have

$$\varepsilon \chi'(t) \le -2c_0 \chi(t) + c_0 \|w\|_0^2 + \frac{1}{c_0} \|\aleph\|_0^2 \le -c_0 \chi(t) + c_0^{-1} \|\aleph\|_0^2.$$

Since  $-c_0 \left\| \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right\|_0^2$  is a constant and omitting from the expression, we get

$$\varepsilon \chi'(t) \le -c_0 \chi(t) + c_0^{-1} \|\aleph\|_0^2.$$
 (15)

From Eq. (15) and Gronwalls's inequality, the integrating factor is  $I.F = e^{\int (p(x))dx}$ , where p(x) depends on x. After some manipulation, we obtain:

$$\begin{split} &\frac{d\chi(t)}{dt}e^{\frac{c_0}{\varepsilon}t} \leq -\frac{c_0}{\varepsilon}\chi(t)e^{\frac{c_0}{\varepsilon}t} + \frac{c_0^{-1}}{\varepsilon}\left\|\aleph\right\|_0^2 e^{\frac{c_0}{\varepsilon}t}, \text{ multiply by I.F} \\ &\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt}\left(\chi(t)e^{\frac{c_0}{\varepsilon}t}\right) \leq \frac{c_0^{-1}}{\varepsilon}\left\|\aleph\right\|_0^2 e^{\frac{c_0}{\varepsilon}t}, \end{split}$$

integrating both sides with respect to t

$$\begin{split} &\Rightarrow \chi(t)e^{\frac{c_0}{\varepsilon}t} \leq \frac{C_0^{-1}}{\varepsilon} \int_0^t \left\| \aleph(\tau) \right\|_0^2 e^{-\frac{c_0}{\varepsilon}(t-\tau)} d\tau + \chi(0), \\ &\Rightarrow \chi(t) = \chi_0 e^{-\frac{c_0}{\varepsilon}t} + c_0^{-2} \max_{0 \leq \tau \leq t} \left\| \aleph(\tau) \right\|_0^2 \left( 1 - e^{-\frac{c_0 t}{\varepsilon}} \right), \\ &\text{where } \chi_0 = \left\| \varphi \right\|_1^2 \end{split}$$

Thus, from the above, we get

$$\left\| \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right\|_{0}^{2} + \left\| w \right\|_{0}^{2} \le \chi_{0} e^{-\frac{c_{0}t}{\varepsilon}} + c_{0}^{-2} \max_{0 \le \tau \le t} \left\| \aleph(\tau) \right\|_{0}^{2},$$
since  $\max \left( 1 - e^{-\frac{c_{0}t}{\varepsilon}} \right) = 1.$ 

Next, by embedding inequality and Poincare inequality,

$$\frac{l}{4} \left\| \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right\|_{0}^{2} \ge \left\| \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right\|_{\infty,\Omega}^{2}$$
, we get

$$\begin{split} \left\|w\right\|_{\infty,\Omega}^{2} & \leq \frac{l}{4} \chi_{0} e^{-\frac{c_{0}t}{\varepsilon}} + \frac{l}{4} c_{0}^{-2} \max_{0 \leq \tau \leq t} \left\|\aleph\left(\tau\right)\right\|_{0}^{2} \Rightarrow \left|w\left(x,t\right)\right| \\ & \leq \frac{\sqrt{l}}{2} \left(\chi_{0}^{1/2} e^{-\frac{c_{0}t}{\varepsilon}} + c_{0}^{-1} \max_{0 \leq \tau \leq t} \left\|\aleph\left(\tau\right)\right\|_{0}\right), \end{split}$$

which proves Eq. (10) for z=k=0. Again multiply Eq. (1) by  $\frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2}$ , we obtain

$$\varepsilon \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial t}, \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} \right)_0 - \varepsilon \left( \frac{\partial^3 w}{\partial t \partial x^2}, \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} \right)_0 - \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( a \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right), \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} \right)_0 \\
+ \left( b \frac{\partial w}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} \right)_0 + \left( cw, \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} \right)_0 = \left( \aleph, \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} \right)_0 \Rightarrow \left( \ell u, \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} \right)_0 \\
= \left( \aleph, \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} \right)_0.$$

Analogous to the earlier scenarios, following appropriate algebraic manipulations and reorganization, we obtain:

$$\left\| \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} \right\|_0^2 \le C,\tag{16}$$

Given that  $\varphi'' \in L_2(\Omega)$  and by using the boundedness of  $\|w\|_0$  and  $\|\frac{\partial w}{\partial x}\|_0$ . The estimate Eq. (16), in turn  $\|\frac{\partial w}{\partial x}\|_{\infty,\Omega} \leq C \left\|\frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2}\right\|_0$  gives Eq. (10) for k=0,z=1. Once more, by utilizing the given identity,  $\left(\ell w, \frac{\partial^3 w}{\partial x^2 \partial t}\right)_0 = \left(\aleph, \frac{\partial^3 w}{\partial x^2 \partial t}\right)_0$ , we obtain

$$\left\|\frac{\partial^3 w}{\partial t \partial x^2}\right\|_0^2 + \left\|\frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial t \partial x^2}\right\|_0^2 \leq \frac{C}{\varepsilon^2} \left(\left\|w\right\|_0^2 + \left\|\frac{\partial w}{\partial x}\right\|_0^2 + \left\|\frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2}\right\|_0^2 + \left\|\aleph\right\|_0^2\right),$$

which leads to Eq. (10) for k = 1, z = 0.1 by using just proved estimates for  $\left\| \frac{\partial^z w}{\partial x^z} \right\|_0^2$ , (z = 0, 1, 2).

In conclusion, expressing Eq. (1) in the following form yields:

$$\varepsilon \frac{\partial^3 w}{\partial x^2 \partial t} + a(x,t) \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} = \Gamma(x,t),$$

with

$$\Gamma(x,t) = \varepsilon \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} - \frac{\partial a}{\partial x} \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} + b \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} + cw - \aleph$$
, and  $|\Gamma(x,t)| \le C$ ,

The estimates Eq. (10) then follows immediately for k = 0,1, z = 2.

**Lemma 3.** Assume  $\frac{\partial a}{\partial t}$ ,  $\frac{\partial^2 a}{\partial t \partial x}$ ,  $\frac{\partial b}{\partial t}$ ,  $\frac{\partial c}{\partial t}$ ,  $\frac{\partial \aleph}{\partial t} \in C(\overline{\Omega})$  and assumptions of Lemma 2 are valid. Then the estimate:

$$\left\| \frac{\partial^{t+z} w}{\partial t \partial x^z} \right\| \le C \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} e^{-\frac{\alpha_0 t}{\varepsilon}} \right\}, \ t \in [0, T], \ z = 0, 1, 2, \tag{17}$$

holds where  $\alpha_0 = c_0/2$  and  $c_0$  is given by Eq. (14). **Proof**. The argument is presented in [16-17, 19].

## NUMERICAL METHOD IMPLEMENTATION

## Mesh Generation and Discretization

The domain Q is partitioned using mesh points  $\Lambda = \Lambda_N \times \Lambda_M$ , where  $\Lambda_N = \{x_i = ih : i = 1(1)N - 1, h = l/N\}$  and  $\Lambda_M = \{0 = t_1 < t_2 < \cdots < t_M = T, \tau_j = t_j - t_{j-1}\}$ . The temporal mesh  $\Lambda_M$  is chosen as a piecewise-uniform grid. A fitted piecewise-uniform S-mesh is introduced on [0,T] to resolve the initial layer at t = 0. The interval is split into  $[0,\sigma]$  and  $[\sigma,T]$ ,

each divided into M/2 equal parts, with the transition point  $\sigma$  defined as in .

$$\sigma = \min\left\{\frac{T}{2}, \alpha_0^{-1} \varepsilon \ln(M)\right\},\tag{18}$$

where  $\alpha_0$  is constant,  $\alpha_0 = c_0/2$  and  $c_0$  is given in Eq. (14). Since  $\sigma \ll T$ , the mesh is refined over  $[0,\sigma]$  and coarser over  $[\sigma,T]$ . Let  $\tau_1$  and  $\tau_2$  denote the step sizes these respective subintervals. Now,  $\tau_1 = 2\sigma M^{-1}$ ,  $\tau_2 = 2(T-\sigma)M^{-1}$ ,  $\tau_1 \leq TM^{-1}$ ,  $TM^{-1} \leq \tau_2 < 2TM^{-1}$ ,  $\tau_2 + \tau_2 = 2TM^{-1}$ , so we get

$$\overline{\Lambda}_{M} = t_{j} = \begin{cases} j\tau_{1}, & \text{if } j = 0(1)M/2, \\ \sigma + (j - M/2)\tau_{2}, & \text{if } j = M/2(1)M. \end{cases}$$
 (19)

It is assumed that  $\sigma = \alpha_0^{-1} \varepsilon \ln(M)$ ; otherwise N grows exponentially relative to  $\varepsilon$ .

## Semi-Discretization in Time

The time domain is discretized on an S-mesh with step size  $\tau_j$ , while x is kept continuous, yielding the following ODE system.

$$-\left(\varepsilon + \tau_{j} a^{j+1}(x)\right) \left(w_{xx}(x)\right)^{j+1} + d^{j+1}(x) \left(w_{x}(x)\right)^{j+1} + \left(\varepsilon + \tau_{j} c^{j+1}(x)\right) w^{j+1}(x) + \left(\varepsilon + \tau_{j} c^{j+1}(x)\right) w^{j+1}(x) + \varepsilon \left(w_{xx}(x)\right)^{j} - \varepsilon w^{j}(x) = g(x, t_{j+1}),$$

$$w(x, 0) = w^{0}(x) = \varphi(x), x \in \overline{\Omega},$$

$$w^{j+1}(0) = w^{j+1}(l) = 0, 0 \le j \le M, t \in (0, T],$$
(20)

At the (j + 1)th time step, Eq. (20) takes the form:

$$\begin{cases} \ell_{\varepsilon}^{M} w^{j+1}(x) = -\left(\varepsilon + \tau_{j} a^{j+1}(x)\right) \left(w_{xx}(x)\right)^{j+1} + d^{j+1}(x) \left(w_{x}(x)\right)^{j+1} \\ + \left(\varepsilon + \tau_{j} c^{j+1}(x)\right) w^{j+1}(x) = g(x, t_{j+1}), \\ w(x, 0) = w^{0}(x) = \varphi(x), x \in \overline{\Omega}, \\ w^{j+1}(0) = w^{j+1}(l) = 0, 0 \le j \le M, t \in [0, T], \end{cases}$$
(21)

where,  $g(x, t_{j+1}) = -\varepsilon \left( w_{xx}(x) \right)^j + \varepsilon w^j(x) + \tau_j \aleph^{j+1}(x)$ .

**Lemma 3.1.** (Semi-Discrete Version of Maximum Principle.) Let  $\Phi^{j+1}(x)$  be sufficiently smooth on  $\overline{\Lambda}$ . If  $\Phi^{j+1}(0) \ge 0$ ,  $\Phi^{j+1}(1) \ge 0$  and  $\ell^M_{\varepsilon} \Phi^{j+1}(x) \ge 0$ ,  $x \in \Lambda$ , then  $\Phi^{j+1}(x) \ge 0$ ,  $\forall x \in \overline{\Lambda}$ .

**Proof.** Let  $\sigma^*$  is such that  $\Phi_{j+1}(\sigma^*) = \min_{x \in \overline{\Omega}} \Phi_{j+1}(0) < 0$ . We know that  $\sigma^* \notin \{0,1\} \Rightarrow \sigma^* \in (0,1)$ . Using extrema values,  $\frac{d}{dx} \Phi_{j+1}(\sigma^*) = 0$  and  $\frac{d^2 \Phi_{j+1}(\sigma^*)}{dx^2} \ge 0$ . Then we have

$$\begin{split} \ell_{\varepsilon}^{M} \Phi^{j+1}(\sigma^{*}) &= -\Big(\varepsilon + \tau_{j} a^{j+1}(\sigma^{*})\Big) \Big(\Phi_{xx}\Big)^{j+1}(\sigma^{*}) \\ &+ d^{j+1}(\sigma^{*}) \Big(\Phi_{x}\Big)^{j+1}(\sigma^{*}) \\ &+ \Big(\varepsilon + \tau_{j} c^{j+1}(\sigma^{*})\Big) \Phi^{j+1} \Big(\sigma^{*}\Big), \\ &\leq \Big(\varepsilon + \tau_{j} c^{j+1}(\sigma^{*})\Big) \Phi^{j+1} \Big(\sigma^{*}\Big), \\ &\leq 0, \ as \ \Big(\varepsilon + \tau_{j} c^{j+1}(x)\Big) > 0, \end{split}$$

given that  $\ell_{\varepsilon}^{M}\Phi^{j+1}(\sigma^{*})<0$  which is a contradiction to  $\ell_{\varepsilon}^{M}\Phi^{j+1}(\sigma^{*})\geq 0$ ,  $\forall x\in\overline{\Omega}$ . Therefore,  $\Phi^{j+1}(x)\geq 0$ ,  $\forall x\in\overline{\Omega}$ . Thus,  $\ell_{\varepsilon}^{M}$  satisfies the semi-discretized form of the maximum principle.

## Time Semi-Discretization: Error Analysis

Let  $w^{j+1}(x)$  reprent the semi-discrete approximation of the exact solution  $w(x,t_{j+1})$  of Eq. (4) at time level  $\tau_j$ . Then, applying the implict Euler method, the semi-discrete scheme for Eq. (2.1) can be expressed as:

$$\begin{cases} Y^{0}(x) = \varphi_{0}(x), & x \in \overline{\Omega}, \\ \ell_{\in}^{M} Y^{j+1}(x) = g(x, t_{j+1}), \\ Y^{j+1}(0) = 0 = Y^{j+1}(l), 0 \le j \le M, t \in (0, T], \end{cases}$$
(22)

where

$$\ell_{\in}^{M} \Upsilon^{j+1}(x) = -(\in +\tau_{j} a^{j+1}(x)) (w_{xx}(x))^{j+1}$$

$$+ d^{j+1}(x) (w_{x}(x))^{j+1}$$

$$+ (\in +\tau_{j} c^{j+1}(x)) w^{j+1}(x)$$

and 
$$g(x,t_{j+1}) = -\varepsilon \left(w_{xx}(x)\right)^j + \varepsilon w^j(x) + \tau_j \aleph^{j+1}(x)$$
.

**Definition 3.1.** [6, 12, 25, 27, 28] A FDM is stable for  $\|.\|$ , if there exists positive constants L1 and L2, independent from  $\tau_j$ , such that when  $\tau_j$  approaches  $\tau_1$  and  $\tau_2$ , we have

$$\|w^{j}\| \le L_{1} \|w^{0}\| + L_{2} \|\aleph\|.$$

Here,  $w^0$  represents the initial condition, while  $\aleph$  denotes the source term.

**Lemma 3.2.** [22, 27, 28] Let the function  $\Upsilon \in C^0(\overline{\Lambda}) \cap C^2(\Lambda)$ . Then we have

$$\left\| \boldsymbol{Y} \right\| \leq \left\| \boldsymbol{Y} \right\|_{\partial \Omega} + \left\| \ell_{\varepsilon}^{M} \boldsymbol{Y}^{j+1} \left( \boldsymbol{x} \right) \right\|_{\overline{\Lambda}}.$$

Lemma (3.2) ensures that Eq. (22) admits unique solution  $\Upsilon^{j+1}(x)$  at time level  $\tau_j$ . Moreover, by Lemma (3.2), this solution  $\Upsilon^{j+1}(x)$  remains uniformly bounded with respect to  $\varepsilon$ . Define  $\Xi^{j+1}(x) = \Upsilon(x,t_{j+1}) - \overline{\Upsilon}(x,t_{j+1})$ , as the local

error of Eq. (22) at  $t_{j+1}$ , where  $\overline{\Upsilon}(x, t_{j+1})$  solves the corresponding auxiliary BVP:

$$\begin{cases} \ell_{\varepsilon}^{M} \overline{Y}^{j+1}(x) = g(x, t_{j+1}), \\ \overline{Y}^{j+1}(0) = 0 = \overline{Y}^{j+1}(1), \quad 0 \le j \le M. \end{cases}$$
 (23)

**Lemma 3.3**. (Local Truncation Error(LTE)): The local error  $\Xi^{j+1}(x)$  obeys the following bound:

$$\|\Xi^{j+1}(x)\| \le C(\Delta t)^2$$
, where  $\Delta t = M^{-1}\ln(M)$ . (24)

Proof. Depending on the magnitude of  $\sigma$ , there arise two conditions:

1. If 
$$j = 0(1)\frac{M}{2}$$
,  $t_j = j\tau_1$  and  $\tau_1 = \frac{2\sigma}{M}$ , then we have
$$\tau_j = t_j - t_{j-1} = j\tau_1 - (j-1)\tau_1 \Rightarrow$$

$$t_j = \tau_1 = \frac{2\alpha_0^{-1}\varepsilon\ln(M)}{M}$$

$$\leq KM^{-1}\ln(M), K = 2\alpha_0^{-1}\varepsilon$$

Evaluating at  $t_{j+1}$  with  $\tau_j = \Delta t = KM^{-1} \ln(M)$  and applying Taylor expansion to Eqs. (19) and (22), we get

$$\begin{cases} \ell_{\varepsilon}^{M} \Xi^{j+1}(x) = K_{1} \left( M^{-1} \ln(M) \right)^{2}, K_{1} = K^{2}, x \in \Omega, \\ \Xi^{j+1}(0) = 0 = \Xi^{j+1}(l), j = 0 \end{cases}$$
(25)

2. If 
$$j = \frac{M}{2} + 1,...,M$$
,  $t_j = \sigma + \left(j - \frac{M}{2}\right)\tau_2$  and  $\tau_2 = \frac{2(1 - \sigma)}{M}$ .

$$\tau_{j} = t_{j} - t_{j-1} = \sigma + (j - M/2)\tau_{2} - (\sigma + ((j-1) - M/2)\tau_{2}),$$

$$= \sigma + (j - M/2)\tau_{2} - \sigma - j\tau_{2} + \tau_{2} + M/2\tau_{2},$$

$$= \tau_{2} = 2\frac{1 - \alpha_{0}^{-1}\varepsilon \ln(M)}{M},$$

$$\leq K_{0}M^{-1}, \text{ since } 2\alpha_{0}^{-1}\varepsilon \ln(M) \leq 2M^{-1}.$$

Considering the estimate at  $t_{j+1} = \Delta t_2 = K_4 M^{-1}$  and applying Taylor series expansion to Eqs. (22) and (19), we get:

$$\begin{cases} \ell_{\varepsilon}^{N,M} \Xi^{j+1}(x) = K_{5}(M^{-1})^{2}, K_{5} = K_{4}^{2}, x \in \Omega, \\ \Xi^{j+1}(0) = 0 = \Xi^{j+1}(l), j = (M/2) + l(1)M. \end{cases}$$
(26)

Applying Lemma (3.2) to  $\Xi^{j+1}(x)$  yields estimates for both regions. The total LTE is expressed as the sum of the finer-and coarse-mesh contributions, i.e.,

$$\|\Xi^{j+1}(x)\| = K_1 (M^{-1} \ln(M))^2 + K_5 (M^{-1})^2,$$

$$= C (M^{-1} \ln(M))^2, C = K_1 + K_5 (M^{-1})^2.$$
(27)

**Lemma 3.4.** (Global Error). The global error  $\Sigma^{j}(x)$  is bounded at  $t_{j}$  as follows:

$$\sup_{(j+1)\Delta t \le T} \le K_* \left( \Delta t \right), \ \Delta t = M^{-1} \ln(M). \tag{28}$$

**Proof.** Let  $\|\Sigma^{j}(x)\| = \Upsilon(x,t_{j+1}) - \overline{\Upsilon}(x,t_{j+1})$ . By applying Eq. (27) togher with Lemma (3.3), we obtain the global error at (j+1)th time step.

$$\begin{split} \left\| \Sigma^{j}(x) \right\|_{\infty} &= \left| \sum_{l=1}^{j} \Xi_{l} \right|, \ j \leq T/\Delta t, \ \Delta t = K \left( M^{-1} \ln(M) \right)^{2}, \\ &\leq \left\| \Xi_{1} \right\|_{\infty} + \left\| \Xi_{2} \right\|_{\infty} + \dots + \left\| \Xi_{j} \right\|_{\infty}, \\ &\leq C_{1} j \left( \Delta t \right)^{2}, \quad \text{using } Eq.(3.10) \\ &\leq C_{1} \left( j M^{-1} \ln(M) \right) \left( M^{-1} \ln(M) \right), \\ &\leq C_{1} T \left( M^{-1} \ln(M) \right), \quad \text{as } j \left( M^{-1} \ln(M) \right) \leq T, \\ &\leq C_{4} \left( M^{-1} \ln(M) \right), \quad C_{4} = C_{3} T. \end{split}$$

## **Spatial Semi-Discretization**

The TCBS method is employed to approximate the solution of Eq. (21) and its spatial derivatives using linear spline expansions.

## **Cubic Trigonometric B-Spline Techniques**

The domain  $\Lambda$  divided into N equal intervals, the approximate solution at (j+1)th is expressed as:

$$W(x,t) = \sum_{i=-1}^{N+1} \delta_i(t) CTB_i(x), \qquad (29)$$

where  $\delta_i(t)$  are determined to approximate W(x,t) to exact solution  $W_e(x,t)$  at  $(x_i, t_j)$ , and  $CTB_i(x)$  represent the TCBS basis functions, which is given as [29-30]

$$CTB_{i}(x) = \frac{1}{\vartheta} \begin{cases} \sin^{3}(\xi_{1}), & \text{if } [x_{i-2}, x_{i-1}] \\ \sin(\xi_{1})[\sin(\xi_{1})\sin(\xi_{2}) + \sin(\xi_{3})\sin(\xi_{4})] \\ + \sin^{2}(\xi_{4})\sin(\xi_{5}), & \text{if } [x_{i-1}, x_{i}], \\ \sin(\xi_{5})[\sin(\xi_{4})\sin(\xi_{3}) + \sin(\xi_{5})\sin(\xi_{6})] \\ + \sin(\xi_{1})\sin^{2}(\xi_{3}), & \text{if } [x_{i}, x_{i+1}] \\ \sin^{3}(\xi_{5}), & \text{if } [x_{i+1}, x_{i+2}] \\ 0, & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$
(30)

where,  $\vartheta = \sin(\xi)\sin(2\xi)\sin(3\xi)$ ,  $\xi = \frac{h}{2}$ ,  $\xi_1 = \frac{x - x_{i-2}}{2}$ ,  $\xi_2 = \frac{x_i - x}{2}$ ,  $\xi_3 = \frac{x_{i+1} - x}{2}$ ,  $\xi_4 = \frac{x - x_{i-1}}{2}$ ,  $\xi_5 = \frac{x_{i+2} - x}{2}$  and  $\xi_6 = \frac{x - x_i}{2}$ . Consider the iterative relation provided in Eq. (31).

	<i>x</i> <sub>i-2</sub>	$x_{i-1}$	$x_i$	$x_{i+1}$	$x_{i+2}$
$CTB_i(x)$	0	$\mu_1$	$\mu_2$	$\mu_1$	0
$CTB_i'(x)$	0	$\mu_3$	0	$\mu_4$	0
$CTB_i''(x)$	0	$\mu_5$	$\mu_6$	$\mu_5$	0

**Table 1.** The values of  $CTB_i(x)$ ,  $CTB_i'(x)$  and  $CTB_i''(x)$  at the nodal points obtained using Eq. (30)

$$CTB_{i}^{k}(x) = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{x - x_{i}}{2}\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{x_{i+k-1} - x_{i}}{2}\right)}CTB_{i}^{k-1}(x)$$

$$+ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{x_{i+k} - x}{2}\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{x_{i+k} - x_{i+1}}{2}\right)}CTB_{i}^{k-1}(x),$$

$$k = 2, \dots$$
(31)

This iterative formula defines TCBS, beginning with first order case. Table 1 display  $CTB_i(x)$  and its derivative values at the mesh points.

Table 1 lists the entries as:

$$\mu_{1} = \sin^{2}(\zeta) \csc(2\zeta) \csc(3\zeta), \quad \mu_{2} = \frac{2}{1 + 2\cos(2\zeta)},$$

$$\mu_{3} = -\frac{3}{4}\csc(3\zeta), \quad \mu_{4} = \frac{3}{4}\csc(3\zeta),$$

$$\mu_{5} = \frac{3(1 + 3\cos(2\zeta))\csc^{2}(\zeta)}{16(2\cos(\zeta) + \cos)(3\zeta)}, \quad \mu_{6} = \frac{-3\cot^{2}(3\zeta)}{2 + 4\cos(2\zeta)},$$
where  $\zeta = \frac{h}{2}$ .

The approximation  $W_i^j$  at  $(x_i, t_j)$  over sub-interval  $[x_i, x_{i+1}]$  is given as:

$$W_{i}^{j} = \sum_{i=-1}^{N+1} \delta_{i}^{j+1} CTB_{i}(x). \tag{32}$$

Owing to the local support of B-splines, only  $CTB_{i-1}(x)$ ,  $CTB_i(x)$  and  $CTB_{i+1}(x)$  are non-zero on the given interval. Using Eqs. (30) and (32), the nodal values and derivatives of  $W_i^j$  are expressed through the time parameters  $\delta_i^{j+1}$  as follows:

$$\begin{cases} W_{i}^{j+1} = \mu_{1} \delta_{i-1}^{j+1} + \mu_{2} \delta_{i}^{j+1} + \mu_{1} \delta_{i+1}^{j+1}, \\ (W_{x})_{i}^{j+1} = \mu_{3} \delta_{i-1}^{j+1} + \mu_{4} \delta_{i+1}^{j+1}, \\ (W_{xx})_{i}^{j+1} = \mu_{5} \delta_{i-1}^{j+1} + \mu_{6} \delta_{i}^{j+1} + \mu_{5} \delta_{i+1}^{j+1}. \end{cases}$$
(33)

The approximate solution at the mesh boundaries is obtained from Eq. (32) combined with the boundary conditions in (2.1) as follows:

$$\begin{cases} W\left(x_{0},t_{j+1}\right) = \mu_{1}\delta_{-1}^{j+1} + \mu_{2}\delta_{0}^{j+1} + \mu_{1}\delta_{1}^{j+1} = 0, \\ W\left(x_{N},t_{j+1}\right) = \mu_{1}\delta_{N-1}^{j+1} + \mu_{2}\delta_{N}^{j+1} + \mu_{1}\delta_{N+1}^{j+1} = 0. \end{cases}$$
(34)

Once  $\delta_i$  is computed and  $CTB_i(x)$  with its derivatives are substituted into Eq. (21), we obtain N+1 equations with N+3 unknowns.

$$\ell_{\varepsilon}^{N,M}W = r_{i}^{-}\delta_{i-1}^{j+1} + r_{i}^{c}\delta_{i}^{j+1} + r_{i}^{+}\delta_{i+1}^{j+1}$$

$$= E_{i}^{-}\delta_{i-1}^{j} + E_{i}^{c}\delta_{i}^{j} + E_{i}^{+}\delta_{i+1}^{j} + F_{i},$$
for  $i = 0, 1, ..., N$ ,
$$(35)$$

where, the coefficients take the following form

$$\begin{cases} r_{i}^{-} = \varepsilon \left(\mu_{1} - \mu_{5}\right) - \tau_{j} \mu_{5} a_{i}^{j+1} + \tau_{j} \mu_{3} a_{i}^{j+1} + \tau_{j} \mu_{1} c_{i}^{j+1}, \\ r_{i}^{c} = \varepsilon \left(\mu_{2} - \mu_{6}\right) - \tau_{j} \mu_{6} a_{i}^{j+1} + \tau_{j} \mu_{2} c_{i}^{j+1}, \\ r_{i}^{+} = \varepsilon \left(\mu_{1} - \mu_{5}\right) - \tau_{j} \mu_{5} a_{i}^{j+1} + \tau_{j} \mu_{3} d_{i}^{j+1} + \tau_{j} \mu_{1} c_{i}^{j+1}, \\ E_{i}^{-} = \varepsilon \left(\mu_{1} - \mu_{5}\right), E_{i}^{c} = \varepsilon \left(\mu_{2} - \mu_{6}\right), \\ E_{i}^{+} = \varepsilon \left(\mu_{1} - \mu_{5}\right), F_{i} = \tau_{j} \aleph_{i}^{j+1}. \end{cases}$$
(36)

## Treatement of boundary conditions

To eliminate  $\delta_{-1}$  and  $\delta_{N+1}$  from Eq. (35), we apply boundary conditions given in Eq. (34). Now, for i = 0, Eq. (35) is reduced to

$$\left(r_0^c - r_0^{-\frac{\mu_2}{\mu_1}}\right) \delta_0^{j+1} + \left(r_0^+ - r_0^-\right) \delta_1^{j+1} = \left(E_0^c - E_0^{-\frac{\mu_2}{\mu_1}}\right) \delta_0^j + \left(E_0^+ - E_0^-\right) \delta_1^{j} + F_0.$$
(37)

Eq. (35) simplified to the form for i = N

$$\left(r_{N}^{-} - r_{N}^{+}\right) \delta_{N-1}^{j+1} + \left(r_{N}^{c} - r_{N}^{+} \frac{\mu_{2}}{\mu_{1}}\right) \delta_{N}^{j+1} = \left(E_{N}^{-} - E_{N}^{+}\right) \delta_{N-1}^{j}$$

$$+ \left(E_{N}^{c} - E_{N}^{+} \frac{\mu_{2}}{\mu_{1}}\right) \delta_{N}^{j}$$
 (38)
$$+ F_{N}.$$

Now, Eqs. (35)- (38) lead to  $(N+3)\times (N+3)$  system with (N+3) unknowns  $\delta_{-1}$ ,  $\delta_0$ , ...,  $\delta_N$ ,  $\delta_{N+1}$ . Excluding the unknowns  $\delta_{-1}$  and  $\delta_{N+1}$  from Eq. (37) and Eq. (38) for i=0 and i=N, then Eq. (35) becomes  $(N+1)\times (N+1)$ .

equations with (N + 1) unknowns  $\delta_0$ , ...,  $\delta_{N-1}$ ,  $\delta_N$  in matrix form as

$$A\delta_i^{j+1} = B\delta_i^j + F, \quad i = 1, 2, ..., N-1.$$
 (39)

The elements of the tridiagonal matrices  $A = \omega_{ij}$  and  $B = \psi_{ii}$  are defined as follows:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} p_1 & p_2 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ r_1^- & r_1^c & r_1^+ & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & r_2^- & r_2^c & r_2^+ & \dots & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & r_{N-1}^- & r_N^c & r_{N+1}^+ \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & p_3 & p_4 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} p_5 & p_6 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ E_1^- & E_1^c & E_1^+ & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & E_2^- & E_2^c & E_2^+ & \dots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & E_{N-1}^- & E_N^c & E_{N+1}^+ \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & p_7 & p_9 \end{bmatrix}.$$

The entries of the given matrix are

$$\begin{split} p_1 &= \left(r_0^c - r_0^- \frac{\mu_2}{\mu_1}\right), \ p_2 = \left(r_0^+ - r_0^-\right), \\ p_3 &= \left(r_N^- - r_N^+\right), \ p_4 = \left(r_N^c - r_N^+ \frac{\mu_2}{\mu_1}\right), \\ p_5 &= \left(E_0^c - E_0^- \frac{\mu_2}{\mu_1}\right), \ p_6 = \left(E_0^+ - E_0^-\right), \\ p_7 &= \left(E_N^- - E_N^+\right), p_8 = \left(E_N^c - E_N^+ \frac{\mu_2}{\mu_1}\right). \end{split}$$

The vectors  $\delta^{j+1}$  and F are defined as:

$$\delta_i^{j+1} = \left(\delta_{-1}^{j+1}, \delta_0^{j+1}, \delta_N^{j+1}, \delta_{N+1}^{j+1}\right)^T \text{ and } F = \tau_j \left(\aleph_0^{j+1}, \aleph_1^{j+1}, ..., \aleph_N^{j+1}, \aleph_{N+1}^{j+1}\right)^T.$$

Rearranging Eq. (39) gives

$$A\overline{X} = H$$
, where  $\overline{X} = \delta^{j+1}$ , and  $H = B\delta_j^j + F$ . (40)

The initial vector  $\left(\delta_{-1}^{0},...,\delta_{N+1}^{0}\right)$  is determined by solving the corresponding interpolation for Eq. (35).

$$\begin{cases}
\left(\frac{\partial W^{0}}{\partial x}\right)_{0} = \left(\frac{\partial \varphi^{0}}{\partial x}\right)_{0}, & i = 0, \\
W^{0}(x_{i}) = \varphi^{0}(x_{i}), & i = 0(1)N, \\
\left(\frac{\partial W^{0}}{\partial x}\right)_{i} = \left(\frac{\partial \varphi^{0}}{\partial x}\right)_{i}, & i = N,
\end{cases}$$
(41)

where 
$$W^0(x) = \sum_{i=-1}^{N+1} \delta_i^0 CTB_i(x)$$
. Eq. (41), formulated for the

initial conditions, consists of N+1 equations and N+3 unknowns. To solve the system,  $\delta_{-1}^0$  and  $\delta_{N+1}^0$  must be eliminated. After simplications, we obtain:

$$\begin{cases}
\mu_{2} \delta_{0}^{0} + \left(\mu_{1} - \frac{\mu_{1} \mu_{4}}{\mu_{3}}\right) \delta_{1}^{0} = \varphi(0) - \frac{\mu_{1}}{\mu_{3}} \varphi'(0), \\
\mu_{1} \delta_{i-1}^{0} + \mu_{2} \delta_{i}^{0} + \mu_{1} \delta_{i+1}^{0} = \varphi(x_{i}), \quad i = 1(N-1), \\
\left(\mu_{1} - \frac{\mu_{1} \mu_{4}}{\mu_{3}}\right) \delta_{N-1}^{0} + \mu_{2} \delta_{N}^{0} = \varphi(x_{N}) - \frac{\mu_{1}}{\mu_{3}} \varphi'(x_{N}).
\end{cases} (42)$$

Now, Eq. (42) gives  $(N + 1) \times (N + 1)$  system of equations. This system is easily solved for  $\delta_0^0$  using matrix inversion algorithm and provides the initial values for Eq. (39).

## **Stability Analysis**

This section applies Von-Neumann stability analysis [8] to examine the scheme's stability. At knots with  $\Re(x,t) = 0$ , substituting W(x,t) and its derivatives into Eq. (35) yields the following difference equation in  $\delta_i$ :

$$r_i^- \delta_{i-1}^{j+1} + r_i^c \delta_i^{j+1} + r_i^+ \delta_{i+1}^{j+1} = E_i^- \delta_{i-1}^j + E_i^c \delta_i^j + E_i^+ \delta_{i+1}^j, \quad (43)$$

where  $r_i^-$ ,  $r_i^c$ ,  $r_i^+$  and  $E_i^-$ ,  $E_i^c$ ,  $E_i^+$  are given in Eq. (36). Substituting trial solution

$$\delta_n^l = \zeta^l e^{in\eta h},\tag{44}$$

where  $\eta$  is the wave number, l is the time level,  $\zeta^l$  the Fourier coefficient, h the spatial step,  $i = \sqrt{-1}$  the imaginary unit, and  $\eta$  the node index, into Eq. (43) gives:

$$\begin{split} r_{i}^{-} \zeta^{l+1} e^{i(n-1)\eta h} + r_{i}^{c} \zeta^{l+1} e^{i(n)\eta h} + r_{i}^{+} \zeta^{l+1} e^{i(n+1)\eta h} &= \\ E_{i}^{-} \zeta^{l} e^{i(n-1)\eta h} + E_{i}^{c} \zeta^{l} e^{im\eta h} + E_{i}^{+} \zeta^{l} e^{i(n+1)\eta h}. \end{split} \tag{45}$$

Dividing Eq. (45) by  $e^{i\eta\varphi}$ , where  $\varphi = \eta h$  and rearranging to obtain

$$\frac{\zeta^{l+1}}{\zeta^{l}} = \Pi = \frac{E_i^c + E_i^- e^{-i\varphi} + E_i^+ e^{i\varphi}}{r_i^c + r_i^- e^{-i\varphi} + r_i^+ e^{i\varphi}},\tag{46}$$

where  $\Pi$  is intensification factor. The error plenty should not intensify, so it is  $|\Pi| \le 1$ . Eq. (46) is reformulated by using Euler relation  $e^{\pm i\varphi} = \cos(\varphi) \pm i\sin(\varphi)$ ,

$$\Pi = \frac{E_i^c + \left(E_i^- + E_i^+\right)\cos(\varphi) + i\left(E_i^+ + E_i^-\right)\sin(\varphi)}{r_i^c + \left(r_i^- + r_i^+\right)\cos(\varphi) + i\left(r_i^+ + r_i^-\right)\sin(\varphi)}.$$
 (47)

From, Eq. (47), we obtain

$$\Pi = \frac{X_1 + iY_1}{X_2 + iY_2}.$$
(48)

By applying basic arithmetic manipulations to the complex numbers, Eq. (48) can be expressed in the following form:

$$\Pi = \frac{X_1 X_2 + Y_1 Y_2}{X_2^2 + Y_2^2} + i \frac{Y_1 X_2 - X_1 Y_2}{X_2^2 + Y_2^2},$$
(49)

where

$$\begin{cases} X_1 = E_i^c + \left(E_i^- + E_i^+\right) \cos(\varphi), & Y_1 = \left(E_i^+ + E_i^-\right) \sin(\varphi), \\ X_2 = r_i^c + \left(r_i^- + r_i^+\right) \cos(\varphi), & Y_2 = \left(r_i^+ + r_i^-\right) \sin(\varphi). \end{cases}$$

Since  $\Pi$  is a complex number, stability condition  $|\Pi| \le 1$  yields the relation

$$\left|\Pi\right| = \sqrt{\left(\frac{X_1 X_2 + Y_1 Y_2}{X_2^2 + Y_2^2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{Y_1 X_2 - X_1 Y_2}{X_2^2 + Y_2^2}\right)^2} \le 1.$$
 (50)

By inserting  $X_i$ ,  $Y_i$  (i = 1,2) into Eq. (50) and since  $\varphi = \eta h$ ,  $0 \le \varphi \le \pi$ , the equation needs verification only at extreme values. Setting  $\varphi = \pi$ , gives:

$$\left(\frac{E_i^- - E_i^c + E_i^+}{r_i^- - r_i^c + r_i^+}\right)^2 \le 1.$$
(51)

The inequality in Eq. (51) can be expressed equivalently as:

$$-1 \le \frac{E_i^- - E_i^c + E_i^+}{r_i^- - r_i^c + r_i^+} \le 1.$$
 (52)

Substitution of these values of parameters  $r_i^-$ ,  $r_i^c$ ,  $r_i^+$  and  $E_i^-$ ,  $E_i^c$ ,  $E_i^+$  yields the relation

$$-1 \le \frac{\varepsilon \left(2\mu_1 - \mu_2\right) + \varepsilon \left(\mu_6 - 2\mu_5\right)}{\Xi_1 \left(2\mu_1 - \mu_2\right) + \Xi_2 \left(\mu_6 - 2\mu_5\right) + \Xi_3} \le 1 \Rightarrow \left|\Pi\right| \le 1, \quad (53)$$

where  $\Xi_1 = \varepsilon + \tau_j c_i^{j+1}$ ,  $\Xi_2 = \varepsilon + \tau_j a_i^{j+1}$  and  $\Xi_3 = 2\mu_3 \tau_j d_i^{j+1}$ . The inequalities in Eq. (53) hold universally, guaranteeing a non-vanishing denominator. Since the eigenvalue modulus does not exceed unity, the scheme with  $\aleph(x,t) = 0$  is unconditionally stable, as shown in Eq. (4.12). This stability extends to the general case  $\aleph(x,t)$  by Duhamel's principle [25], which asserts that stability for  $P_{k,h}V = \aleph$  follows from stability for  $P_{k,h}V = 0$ . Consequently, no constraints are imposed on the spatial grid or temporal step size, though their selection should enhance the scheme's accuracy [8].

## **Analysis of Convergence**

**Lemma 5.1.** [8, 30] The TCBS:  $CTB_{-1}$ ,..., $CTB_{N+1}$  given in Eq. (32) gratify the inequality:

$$\sum_{i=1}^{N+1} |CTB_i(x)| \le 6, \ 0 \le x \le 1.$$
 (50)

**Proof.** As  $\left| \sum_{i=-1}^{N+1} CTB_i(x) \right| \le \sum_{i=-1}^{N+1} \left| CTB_i(x) \right|$ , at  $x = x_i$ , right side of Eq. (50)

$$\sum_{i=-1}^{N+1} |CTB_{i}(x)| = |CTB_{i-2}(x)| + |CTB_{i-1}(x)| + |CTB_{i}(x)| + |CTB_{i+1}(x)|,$$

$$= |\mu_{2}| + |\mu_{1}| + |\mu_{1}| + |\mu_{2}| \le 6.$$

Thus, for all  $x \in [0,1]$ , we have

$$\sum_{i=-1}^{N+1} |CTB_{i}(x)| = |CTB_{i-1}(x)| + |CTB_{i}(x)| + |CTB_{i+1}(x)| \le 6.$$

**Lemma 5.2.** The approximation CTB(x) from Eq. (32) is uniformly bounded, that is  $|CTB(x)| \le C$ ,  $\forall x \in \overline{\Omega}$ .

**Proof.** For the proof, we refer the reader to [8, 26, 29].

Let  $\overline{w}(x)$ , be the exact solution of BVPs Eq. (35)-(38), and also  $W(x) = \sum_{i=-1}^{N+1} \delta_i CTB_i(x)$  be the TCBS approximation to the exact solution. Due to the round of errors[24, 29], let  $\overline{W}(x) = \sum_{i=-1}^{N+1} \overline{\delta}_i CTB_i(x)$  is the computed CTBS approximation to  $\overline{w}(x)$ , where  $\overline{\delta}_i = \left(\overline{\delta}_0, \overline{\delta}_1, ..., \overline{\delta}_N\right)^T$ . To estimate , we must estimate the errors  $\|\overline{w}(x) - \overline{W}(x)\|$  and  $\|\overline{W}(x) - W(x)\|$  respectively. Following Eq. (40) for  $\overline{W}(x)$ , we obtain

$$A\overline{\overline{X}} = \overline{H},$$
 (51)

where  $\overline{\overline{X}} = (\overline{\delta}_0, \overline{\delta}_1, ..., \overline{\delta}_N)^T$ . Eqs. (40) and (51) together lead to:

$$A\left(\overline{X} - \overline{\overline{X}}\right) = H - \overline{H}. \tag{52}$$

Prior to continuing, the subsequent theorem is required: **Theorem 5.3**. Suppose that  $\Gamma(x) \in C^4[0,l]$  and  $\{0 = x_0,...,x_N = 1\}$  be partition of [0,l]. If R(x) be the unique TCBS approximation for  $\Gamma(x)$  at the knots  $x_0,...,x_{N-1},x_N$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} & \left\| R(x) - \Gamma(x) \right\| \le O(h^3), \\ & \left\| R^{(k)}(x) - \Gamma^{(k)}(x) \right\| \le O(h^2), \quad k = 1, 2, \\ & \left\| R^{(k)}(x) - \Gamma^{(k)}(x) \right\| \le O(h), \quad k = 3. \end{aligned}$$

**Proof.** Refer to [8, 25, 29] and the references cited therein.

Referring to Eq. (21) and Theorem 5.3, we obtain the bound on  $\|H - \overline{H}\|$  as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \left| H - \overline{H} \right| &= \left| \alpha_1 u_j^{"} - \beta_1 u_j^{'} - \gamma_1 u_j - \alpha_1 \left( \overline{u} \right)_j^{"} - \beta_1 \left( \overline{u} \right)_j^{'} - \gamma_1 \overline{u}_j \right|, \\ &\leq \left| \alpha_1 \right| \left| u_j^{"} - \left( \overline{u} \right)_j^{"} \right| + \left| \beta_1 \right| \left| u_j^{'} - \left( \overline{u} \right)_j^{'} \right| + \left| \gamma_1 \right| \left| u_j - \overline{u}_j \right|, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\alpha_1 = -(\varepsilon + \tau_j a_i^{j+1})$ ,  $\beta_2 = d_i^{j+1}$  and  $\gamma_1 = (\varepsilon + \tau_j c_i^{j+1})$ . Then using Theorem 5.3,

$$||H - \overline{H}|| \le |\alpha_1|O(h^2) + |\beta_1|O(h^2) + |\gamma_1|O(h^3),$$

$$\le \Theta h^2, \text{ where } \Theta = |\alpha_1| + |\beta_1| + |\gamma_1|O(h).$$
(53)

Substituting Eq. (53) into Eq. (52) yields

$$A\left(\overline{X} - \overline{\overline{X}}\right) = H - \overline{H} \Rightarrow \left\|\overline{X} - \overline{\overline{X}}\right\| \le \left\|A^{-1}\right\| \left\|H - \overline{H}\right\| \le \Theta h^2 \left\|A^{-1}\right\|. \tag{54}$$

Based on the given properties, TCBS basis functions vanish outside the interval  $[x_{i-2}, x_{i+2}]$  while within this range,  $CTB_i(x)$  assumes non-zero values at the mesh points. Likewise, their first and second derivatives exhibit similar behavior at these points. Consequently, the resulting matrix ||A|| takes the form of a tridiagonal band matrix characterized by dominant principal diagonal elements and non-zero off-diagonal entries. Therefore,  $A^{-1}$  remains bounded, and the matrix A is non-singular. Hence, we get:

$$\left\| \overline{X} - \overline{\overline{X}} \right\| \le \Theta_1 h^2$$
, where  $\Theta_1 = \Theta \left\| A^{-1} \right\|$ . (55)

From  $W(x) - \overline{W} = \sum_{i=-1}^{N+1} (\delta_i - \overline{\delta}_i) CTB_i(x)$ , and Lemma (50), we get

$$\|\overline{W}(x) - W(x)\| \le \overline{\Theta}h^2$$
, where  $\overline{\Theta} = 6\Theta_1$ . (56)

**Theorem 5.4.** Let  $\overline{w}(x)$  be the exact solution of Eqs. (35)-(38) and let W(x) be the TCBS collocation approximation, then

$$\|\overline{w}(x) - W(x)\| = O(h^2).$$

**Proof**. From Theorem 5.3, Eq. (56) and triangle inequalities, we have

$$\|\overline{w}(x) - W(x)\| = \|\overline{w}(x) - \overline{W}(x) + \overline{W}(x) - W(x)\|,$$

$$\leq \|\overline{w}(x) - \overline{W}(x)\| + \|\overline{W}(x) - W(x)\|, \quad (57)$$

$$\leq O(h^{3}) + \overline{\Theta}(h^{2}) \leq O(h^{2}).$$

The convergent theorem below follows directly from Lemma (3.3-3.4) and Theorem 5.4.

**Theorem 5.5.** Let  $\overline{w}(x)$  denote the exact solution to Eq. (1) and W(x,t) its numerical approximation. Then, it follows that:

$$\left\| \overline{w}(x) (x_i, t_{j+1}) - W(x_i, t_{j+1}) \right\| \le C (M^{-1} \ln(M) + N^{-2}),$$
 (58)  
  $0 \le i \le N, 0 \le j \le M.$ 

## **RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**

A representative numerical example is provided to illustrate the accuracy and performance of the proposed method. The absolute errors are computed using the double-mesh approach, and the maximum pointwise error corresponding to each value of  $\varepsilon$  is obtained through:

$$E_{\varepsilon}^{N,M} = \max_{0 \le i, j \le N, M} \left| W^{N,M} \left( x_i, t_j \right) - W^{2N,2M} \left( x_{2i}, t_{2j} \right) \right|, \quad (59)$$

where  $W^{N,M}\left(x_i,t_j\right)$  is numerical solution at N, M mesh points whereas  $W^{2N,2M}\left(x_{2i},t_{2j}\right)$  denote the numerical solution at 2N, 2M mesh points.

**Example 6.1.** Let us analyze the following illustrative problem from [16]:

$$\begin{cases} -\varepsilon \frac{\partial^{3} w}{\partial t \partial x^{2}} + \varepsilon \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} - \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \left( e^{-t} + \frac{1}{2} x^{2} + 4 \right) \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right) + \left( x^{3} - t^{2} \right) \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} + \\ \left( e^{-t} + x^{2} \right) u = e^{-t} \sin \left( \pi x (1 - x) \right), \\ w(x, 0) = \sin \left( \pi x \right), x \in \overline{\Omega}_{x}, \\ w(0, t) = w(1, t) = 0, t \in (0, 1]. \end{cases}$$

We can write Example (6.1) as,  

$$d(x,t) = b(x,t) - \frac{\partial a}{\partial x} = \left(x^3 - x - t^2\right)$$

$$\begin{cases} \varepsilon \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} - \varepsilon \frac{\partial^3 w}{\partial t \partial x^2} - \left( e^{-t} + \frac{1}{2} x^2 + 4 \right) \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} \\ + \left( x^3 - x - t^2 \right) \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} + \left( e^{-t} + x^2 \right) w \end{cases}$$

$$= e^{-t} \sin \left( \pi x (1 - x) \right),$$

$$w(x, 0) = \sin \left( \pi x \right), \ x \in \overline{\Omega}_x,$$

$$w(0, t) = w(1, t) = 0, \ t \in (0, 1].$$

The parameter  $\alpha_0 = 1.999$  in Eq. (29) is chosen based on the boundedness of the solution, Lemma 2.2, and Definition 3.1.

The results are displayed through Tables and Figures. Tables (2), (3), and (4) list the computed maximum pointwise errors. Analysis of these tables demonstrates that the proposed method attains  $\varepsilon^-$  uniform convergence, with the maximum pointwise error consistently decreasing as the mesh sizes (N, M) increase for each value of  $\varepsilon$ .

$\epsilon$	N = M = 8	N = M = 16	N = M = 32	N = M = 64	N = M = 12	N = M = 256
10-2	4.679e – 04	1.183e – 04	3.460e - 05	8.025e - 06	1.825 - 06	6.488 – 07
$10^{-4}$	4.658e - 04	1.186e - 04	3.586e - 05	7.718e - 06	1.840 - 06	7.559 - 07
10-6	4.658e - 04	1.186e - 04	3.587e - 05	7.715e - 06	1.840 - 06	7.577 - 07
10-8	4.658e - 04	1.186e - 04	3.587e - 05	7.715e - 06	1.840 - 06	7.578 - 07
$10^{-10}$	4.658e - 04	1.186e - 04	3.587e - 05	7.715e - 06	1.840 - 06	7.578 - 07
	1	1	1	ŀ	ŀ	1
10-20	4.658e - 04	1.186e - 04	3.587e - 05	7.715e - 06	1.840 - 06	7.578 - 07
10-22	4.658e - 04	1.186e - 04	3.587e - 05	7.715e - 06	1.840 - 06	7.578 - 07
$E_{\epsilon}^{\ N,M}$	4.679e - 04	1.186e - 04	3.587e - 05	8.025e - 06	1.840 - 06	7.578 - 07

**Table 2.** Maximum pointwise errors at discrete points with N = M for various  $\varepsilon$ .

**Table 3.** Pointwise maximum errors for different values of  $\varepsilon$ , N and M.

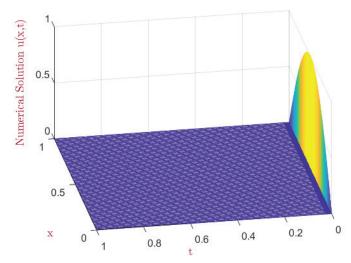
$\epsilon$	N = 16	N = 32	N = 64	N = 128	N = 256
$\downarrow$	M = 8	M = 16	M = 32	M = 64	M = 128
10-2	1.184 <i>e</i> – 04	3.519e - 05	7.867 <i>e</i> – 06	1.832e – 06	6.488e - 07
10-4	1.186e - 04	3.586e - 05	7.716 <i>e</i> – 06	1.840e - 06	7.559e - 07
10-6	1.186e - 04	3.587e - 05	7.715e - 06	1.840e - 06	7.577e - 07
10-8	1.186e - 04	3.587e - 05	7.715e - 06	1.840e - 06	7.578e - 07
10-10	1.186e - 04	3.587e - 05	7.715e - 06	1.840e - 06	7.578e - 07
	1	1		1	1
10-20	1.186e - 04	3.587e - 05	7.715e - 06	1.840e - 06	7.578e - 07
10-22	1.186e - 04	3.587e - 05	7.715e - 06	1.840e - 06	7.578e - 07
$E_{arepsilon}^{\ N,M}$	1.186e - 04	3.587e - 05	7.867 <i>e</i> – 06	1.840e - 06	7.578e - 07

**Table 4.** Calculated  $E_{\varepsilon}^{N,M}$  for a range of  $\varepsilon$  values and varying N and M.

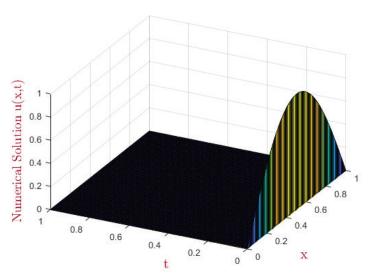
<b>ε</b> ↓	M = 10 $N = 16$	M = 20 $N = 32$	M = 40 $N = 64$	M = 80 $N = 128$	M = 160 $N = 256$
10-2	3.014e - 04	7.647e – 05	1.875e - 05	5.154e – 06	1.345e - 07
$10^{-4}$	3.031e - 04	7.742e - 05	1.894e - 05	5.607e - 06	1.216e - 07
10-6	3.031e - 04	7.743e - 05	1.895e - 05	5.615e – 06	1.215e - 07
10-8	3.031e - 04	7.743e - 05	1.895e - 05	5.615e – 06	1.215e - 07
$10^{-10}$	3.031e - 04	7.743e - 05	1.895e - 05	5.615e – 06	1.215e - 07
	1	1		1	
10-20	3.031e - 04	7.743e - 05	1.895e - 05	5.615e – 06	1.215e - 07
10-22	3.031e - 04	7.743e - 05	1.895e - 05	5.615e - 06	1.215e - 07
$E_{arepsilon}^{\ N,M}$	3.031e - 04	7.743e - 05	1.895e - 05	5.615e - 06	1345e - 07

Figure 1 shows the numerical solution profile for N = M = 128 and  $\varepsilon = 10^{-2}$  highlighting the presence of an initial layer near t = 0. Figure 2 illustrates the solution for N = M = 128 and  $\varepsilon = 10^{-8}$ , clearly demonstrating that as  $\varepsilon \to 0$ , the solution develops steep gradients, with the surface plot becoming increasingly dense around the boundary layer region.

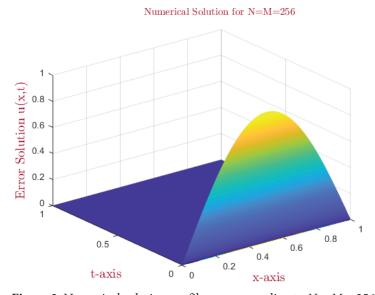
where the boundary layer forms. This dense clustering of the solution profile reflects the strong influence of the perturbation parameter and highlights the effectiveness of the numerical scheme in capturing the layer behaviour. Figure 3 displays the numerical solution profile obtained with N = M = 256,  $\varepsilon = 10^{-8}$  using mesh plot. The figure reveals the



**Figure 1.** Mesh plot of the numerical solution profiles for N = M = 128,  $\varepsilon = 10^{-2}$ .



**Figure 2.** Surface plot illustrating the numerical solution for N = M = 128,  $\varepsilon = 10^{-8}$ .



**Figure 3.** Numerical solution profiles corresponding to N = M = 256,  $\varepsilon = 10^{-8}$ .

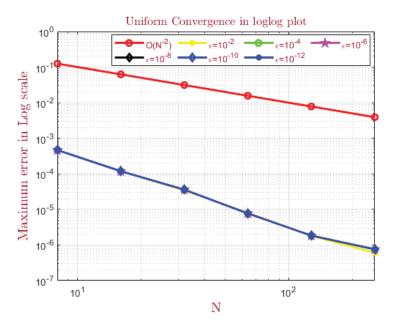


Figure 4. Log-log representation of the maximum point-wise error corresponding to Table 2.

presence of a pronounced intitial layer concentrated near t=0, demonstrating the steep variation of the solution in the nearly region. In Figure 3, the log-log plot appears as a straight line, demonstrating the relationship between the numerical solution and the spatial variable. This linearity on the logarithmic scale indicates that although the error remains constant, the solution exhibits a power-law dependence on the spatial variable.

## CONCLUSION

This study examines a numerical scheme designed for a class of SPSPs of one-dimensional IBVPs involving an initial jump. To obtain solutions that remain stable regardless of the perturbation parameter, a specialized difference scheme is introduced. The spatial derivatives are approximated using a uniform mesh combined with a TCBS based non-polynomial basis, while the temporal derivatives are treated with an Implicit Euler method on a Shishkin mesh. This combined approach effectively addresses the difficulties caused by the small perturbation parameter, particularly the formation of initial boundary layers. Compared to other cubic splines, the TCBS approach yields more accurate results. It encourages us to select this approach for the issue under consideration. From the analysis, it is demonstrated that the current scheme is convergent, independent of the perturbation parameter and mesh parameters. We look at a model example, and the computed results show that the proposed numerical method produces more accurate solutions for different values of  $\varepsilon$ , N and M. Our goal is to expand the current approach to include higher order SPSPs in upcoming work.

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