Utilizing Transfer Function Modal Equivalents of Low-Order for the Design of Power Oscillation Damping Controllers in Large Power Systems

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Optimal Model Reduction by Balanced Truncation

Model Error:
$$e = \|G(s) - G_r(s)\|_{\infty}$$

Upper Bound Error:

$$e_1 = 2\sum_r s_i$$

 s_i – Hankel singular values

- n full model order
- r reduced model order

Drawbacks:

- does not preserve original pole-zero spectrum
- pre-conditioning to deal with unstable poles
- high computational cost

Modal Equivalents Model Error: $e = \|G(s) - G_r(s)\|_{\infty}$

Upper Bound Error:

$$e_2 = \sum_r \frac{C_i B_i}{\operatorname{Re}\{\boldsymbol{I}_i\}}$$

n – full model order

r – reduced model order

Characteristics:

- Reduced models built with TF dominant poles and associated residues.
- •May be applied to large scale systems if efficient TF dominant pole routines are available.
- •TF zeros of the original model are not preserved. •Good reduced models are not of minimal order.



*Proof: see e.g. M.Green and D.Limebeer, Linear Robust Control, Prentice Hall, 1995.

Brazilian North-South Interconnection – with PODs



Power Plants

- 1 Northeast
- 2 Tucuruí
- 3 Serra da Mesa
- 4 Southeast
- 5 Itaipu

6 – South

Monitored Variable

Generator Rotor Speed

Combined Input Disturbance

+? P_{MEC}^N at 3 Northeast Plants -? P_{MEC}^S at 2 Southest Plants

Eigenvalue Spectrum of Brazilian System Operational Planning Model – year 1999 (1,676 states)



The two TCSCs of the North-South Intertie have PODs to confer damping to the N-S mode.

Step Response of Scalar Transfer Function, having 1676 states, and its 10th order Modal Equivalent

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Reduced Order

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0.0002

0.0001

Rotor Speed (pu) 00000 100000

-0.0002

-0.0003

0.

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 RESIDUES

$$I_{1,2} = -7.016 \pm 2.918j$$
 $R_{1,2} = 0.064 \angle \pm 93^\circ$
 $I_{3,4} = -2.996 \pm 9.390j$
 $R_{3,4} = 0.030 \angle \pm 44^\circ$
 $I_{5,6} = -0.318 \pm 1.044j$
 $R_{5,6} = 0.022 \angle \pm 7^\circ$
 $I_{7,8} = -0.346 \pm 0.580j$
 $R_{7,8} = 0.013 \angle \pm 175^\circ$

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$$I_{9,10} = -0.116 \pm 0.245j$$
 $R_{9,10} = 0.002 \angle \pm 148^{\circ}$



10.

Time (s)

Brazilian North-South Interconnection – without PODs



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Eigenvalue Spectrum of Brazilian System Modified Planning Model – year 1999 (1,664 states)



Step Response of Scalar Transfer Function, having 1,664 states, and its 6th order Modal Equivalent

$$y(t) \cong \sum_{i=1}^{6} \frac{R_i}{I_i} (e^{I_i \cdot t} - 1)$$





$$I_{3,4} = -2.437 \pm 0.054 j$$
 $R_{3,4} = 0.010 \angle \pm 77^{\circ}$

$$I_{5.6} = -0.521 \pm 2.881 j$$
 $R_{5.6} = 0.001 \angle \pm 111^{\circ}$

Note: system without two PODs (12 states) of the North-South Interconnection

Generator #5022

Rotor Speed Mode-Shape for North-South Mode



Pole (eigenvalue) Spectrum of P_{ij}(s) / **B**_{ij}(s)



Pole-Zero Map of P_{ij}(s) / B_{ij}(s) (before cancellation)



Pole-Zero Map of $P_{ij}(s)$ / $B_{ij}(s)$ (after cancellation)



Transfer Functions of Interest



Brazilian North-South Interconnection – with one POD



Power Plants/Substations

- 1 Northeast Power Plants
- 2 Imperatriz
- 3 Serra da Mesa
- 4 Tucuruí

Monitored Variables

- ? P_{ii} at North-South Tie
- ? B_{ij} at North-South Tie

Input Disturbance

? P_{MEC} at Tucuruí (Exogenous)

Dominant Poles and Associated $G_{11}(\mathbf{l})$ Residues (Reduced Models #1 and #2)

Num.	Modes	Residues of G₁₁(s)	Model	
Mode	Real Imaginary	Magnitude Phase	#1 #2	
2	-2.9445 +4.8214j	0.0096215 +174.41	YES YES	
4	-3.1928 +9.2818j	0.0052552 +17.371	YES YES	
6	-2.6033 +10.722j	0.0037822 +84.793	YES YES	
8	-6.4231 +8.6949j	0.0018626 +108.62	YES YES	
10	-4.5154 +11.747j	0.0012366 +106.8	YES YES	
12	-0.033534 +1.0787j	0.00091216 +87.37	YES YES	
14	-4.9526 +7.1481j	0.00088318 +175.02	YES	
16	-5.5632 +7.751j	0.00053183 -15.354	YES YES	
18	-0.75843 +4.9367j	0.00049972 +118.43	YES YES	
20	-1.4463 +1.4565j	0.00042096 -44.174	YES	
22	-0.55674 +3.6097j	0.00039121 +109.89	YES YES	
24	-1.2786 +7.2546j	0.0003424 +155.51	YES	
26	-1.2936 +1.4028j	0.00030419 -158.17	YES	
28	-4.5467 +5.7598j	0.00020616 +89.349	YES	
30	-1.2891 +8.5414j	+0.0001683 +154.87	YES	
32	-0.61201 +0.35873j	0.00015938 -130.08	YES YES	
34	-0.11506 +0.23972j	0.000011953 +164.18	YES YES	

$$G_{11}(s) = \frac{P_{ij}(s)}{B_{ij}(s)}$$

Model #1 – order 22

Model #2 – order 34

Dominant Poles and Associated $G_{12}(\mathbf{l})$ Residues (Reduced Models #1 and #2)

Num.	Modes	Residues of G₁₂(s)	Model	
Mode	Real Imaginary	Magnitude Phase	#1	#2
2	-2.9445 +4.8214j	+2.0963 -89.569	YES	YES
4	-3.1928 +9.2818j	+0.51392 +171.22	YES	YES
6	-2.6033 +10.722j	+0.38095 -106.73	YES	YES
8	-6.4231 +8.6949j	+0.14588 -54.574	YES	YES
10	-4.5154 +11.747j	+0.14165 +89.765	YES	YES
12	-0.033534 +1.0787j	+1.4680 -109.36	YES	YES
14	-4.9526 +7.1481j	+0.073477 -64.545		YES
16	-5.5632 +7.751j	+0.033621 +108.47	YES	YES
18	-0.75843 +4.9367j	+0.23472 -86.159	YES	YES
20	-1.4463 +1.4565j	+1.9988 +11.244		YES
22	-0.55674 +3.6097j	+0.63001 -84.887	YES	YES
24	-1.2786 +7.2546j	+0.062051 -42.846		YES
26	-1.2936 +1.4028j	+1.1289 -108.72		YES
28	-4.5467 +5.7598j	+0.023311 -166.85		YES
30	-1.2891 +8.5414j	+0.093332 +109.3		YES
32	-0.61201 +0.35873j	+1.77430 +86.623	YES	YES
34	-0.11506 +0.23972j	+0.093455 +12.098	YES	YES

 $\frac{1}{2} G_{12}(s) = \frac{P_{ij}(s)}{P_{mod}(s)}$

Model #1 – order 22

Model #2 – order 34

Complex Diagonal Form and Block-Diagonal State Realizations with Related Similarity Transformation Matrix (fourth-order system example)

$$\begin{bmatrix} \underline{A} & \underline{b} \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I}_{1} & 0 & 0 & 0 & | \mathbf{R}_{1} \\ 0 & \mathbf{I}_{1}^{*} & 0 & 0 & | \mathbf{R}_{2} \\ 0 & 0 & | \mathbf{I}_{2}^{*} & | \mathbf{R}_{2}^{*} \\ 0 & 0 & | \mathbf{I}_{2}^{*} & | \mathbf{R}_{2}^{*} \\ 1 & 1 & | 1 & 1 & | d \end{bmatrix} \qquad T = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} & -j/\sqrt{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{2} & j/\sqrt{2} & | 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & | 1/\sqrt{2} & -j/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 0 & | 1/\sqrt{2} & -j/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 0 & | 1/\sqrt{2} & -j/\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} \underline{A}_{2} & \underline{b}_{2} \\ c_{2} & | d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \underline{T}^{-1}AT & | T^{-1}b \\ c & T & | d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} Re(\mathbf{I}_{1}) & Im(\mathbf{I}_{1}) & 0 & 0 & Re(\mathbf{R}_{1})\sqrt{2} \\ -Im(\mathbf{I}_{1}) & Re(\mathbf{I}_{1}) & 0 & 0 & -Im(\mathbf{R}_{1})\sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 0 & Re(\mathbf{I}_{2}) & Im(\mathbf{I}_{2}) & Re(\mathbf{R}_{2})\sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 0 & -Im(\mathbf{R}_{2})\sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 0 & -Im(\mathbf{I}_{2}) & Re(\mathbf{I}_{2}) & -Im(\mathbf{R}_{2})\sqrt{2} \\ \hline \sqrt{2} & 0 & \sqrt{2} & 0 & d \end{bmatrix}$$

Time and Frequency Response Plots Complete and Reduced Models

46 PSS but no POD controller (1,664 states)



System with TCSC Equipped with POD Controller



Root-Locus Branches for the Critical Poles Full-Order Model of $G_{11}(s)$ - 1667 states



Root-Locus Branches for the Critical Poles 22th-Order Modal Equivalent of $G_{11}(s)$



Root-Locus Branches for the Critical Poles 34th-Order Modal Equivalent of $G_{11}(s)$



Time Response Plots Complete (1,664 states) and 34th-Order Models POD Controller Gain varying from 900 to 4500 p.u.



Step Responses for Closed-Loop System Full System (1,667 states) and Modal Equivalents



Transients Appearing in POD Output Following Exogenous Disturbance, for Several POD gains



Transients Appearing in POD Output Following Exogenous Disturbance, for Several POD gains



Conclusions

Modal Equivalents

- Reduced models built with TF dominant poles and associated residues.
- May be applied to large scale systems if efficient TF dominant pole routines are available.
- TF zeros of the original model are not preserved.
- Good reduced models are not of minimal order.

Balanced Truncation

- Good reduced models are of minimal order.
- TF poles and zeros of the original model are not preserved.
- Prohibitive computational cost for large systems.

Balanced Truncation applied to the 34th-order modal equivalent produced a good reduced model of 7th-order.