Non Symmetric and Global Lanczos Model Reduction for Switched Linear systems

Mohamed Kouki, Mehdi Abbes, and Abdelkader Mami,

Abstract—In this paper, we propose model reduction algorithms for large-scale switched linear systems, which is an important class of hybrid and non linear systems. These methods generate a two-sided projection for each sub-system by the use of the Krylov subspace technique. In first part we present the *modified non symmetric Lanczos algorithm*, which is numerically efficient and applicable of any order. In second part we present the *modified global lanczos algorithm*, it is also numerically efficient, applicable of any order and having a best numerical stability. The effectivity and suitability of these new methods is illustrated by one simulation example.

Index Terms—Model-order reduction, Krylov subspace, Multiple points moment matching, Lanczos, Hybrid systems, Switched systems.

I. INTRODUCTION

H YBRID dynamical systems are frequently encountered in some felds such as electrical circuit, power electronics system, thermal-fuid systems, mechanical system,....Many modeling and control methods are developed for large scale systems [11, 12, 13], but they still remain diff cult to manipulate. The resolution of such models is indeed very demanding in computational resources, especially when applying a control strategy which become very diff cult to determine. Switched systems, represent an important class of hybrid systems. The hybrid system is a general way an interconnection of continuous and discreet dynamics [1, 14]. However, in the switched system the discreet dynamics are reducing to switching events. Defnitely, these systems consists of a fnite amount $q \in \mathbb{N}$ of continuous dynamical linear time invariant (LTI) subsystems, with q is a function piecewise constant over time called a switching signal, for simplicity we write q [14].

The states representation of switched systems is as follows [1, 9, 10, 18]:

$$\Sigma_q = \begin{cases} x(t+1) = A_q x(t) + B_q u(t) \\ y(t) = C_q x(t) + D_q u(t) \end{cases}$$
(1)

In which $A_q \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, $B_q \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$, $C_q \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times n}$, $D_q \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times p}$, $u(t) \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$, $y(t) \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times n}$ and q is a switching signal.

Reduction of these systems is an important task of treatment and analysis of high order systems, especially, in the case of determination of a controller parameters. Several approaches exist in the literature for calculation of these parameters but they are easy to apply on the reduced order system. The problem is to obtain a reduced order model, guaranteeing stability and minimizing the error between the original system and reduced one by the use of the Lanczos approaches [4, 8, 9, 10].

The states representation of reduction hybrid dynamic systems is as follows [1, 9, 12, 18]:

$$\hat{\Sigma}_{q} = \begin{cases} \hat{x}(t+1) = \hat{A}_{q}x(t) + \hat{B}_{q}u(t) \\ \hat{y}(t) = \hat{C}_{q}x(t) + \hat{D}_{q}u(t) \end{cases}$$
(2)

In which $\hat{A}_q \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times k}$, $\hat{B}_q \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times p}$, $\hat{C}_q \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times k}$, $\hat{D}_q \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times p}$ and $\hat{y}(t) \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times k}$ with $k \ll n$.

For hybrid dynamical system because the switching between the sub-systems, we can not always obtain the exact bode diagram of the entire system, thus we presents the error e(t)between the output of two systems, which defined by [1, 11]:

$$e(t) = y(t) - \hat{y}(t) \tag{3}$$

The error model is as follows:

$$\Sigma_{\varepsilon_q} = \begin{cases} \varepsilon(t+1) = \overline{A}_q \varepsilon(t) + \overline{B}_q u(t) \\ e(t) = \overline{C}_q x(t) + \overline{D}_q u(t) \end{cases}$$
(4)

Where $\varepsilon(t) = [x^T(t) \ \hat{x}^T(t)]^T$.

This paper is organized as follows: in section 2, the basic tools are given. section 3, the Modif ed Non Symmetric Lanczos method, will be presented with application on the numerical example. In section 4, we detailed the Modif ed Global Lanczos method and evaluate by the use of the numerical example. Section 5, we give a comparison between the proposed methods and the others methods of the literature. The last section is dedicated to conclude this paper.

II. BASIC TOOLS

In this part we will take q = 0 and treating the LTI system in a general way, then the state space of system is as form [5, 6, 7]:

$$\Sigma = \begin{cases} x(t+1) = Ax(t) + Bu(t) \\ y(t) = Cx(t) + Du(t) \end{cases}$$
(5)

A. Principle of The Moment Matching

The principle of the moment matching are as follows, given a linear system in state space form equ.5, with the transfer function $G(s) = C(sI - A)^{-1}B + D$ [5, 6, 7], for simplicity we assume that D = 0. If G(s) is expanded in Laurent series around a given point $s_0 \in \mathbb{C}$ in the complex plane [5, 6, 7, 8, 9]:

$$G(s_0 + \sigma) = \eta_0 + \eta_1 \sigma + \eta_2 \sigma^2 + \eta_3 \sigma^3 + \dots + \eta_j \sigma^j$$
(6)

M. Kouki Dpartement de Physique, Université de Tunis El Manar, Ecole Nationale d'Ingenieurs de Tunis, Laboratoire d'Analyse et de Commande des Systemes, BP 37, LE BELVEDERE 1002, Tunis, Tunisie e-mail: koukimo-hammed@hotmail.com.

M. Abbes and A. Mami are with Anonymous University.

For j = 0, 1, ..., n. The $\eta_j = -C^T (A^{-1}E)^j A^{-1}B$ is called the jth moment of LTI system at s_0 and $\sigma = s$ is called the expansion frequency. We are interested in determining a reduced system, which matches the 2k coeff cients, such that the transfer function as in this form $\hat{G(s)} = \hat{C}(sI - \hat{A})^{-1}\hat{B} + \hat{D}$ and the Laurent expansion of the reduced transfer function at s_0 has the form :

$$\hat{G}(s_0 + \sigma) = \hat{\eta_0} + \hat{\eta_1}\sigma + \hat{\eta_2}\sigma^2 + \hat{\eta_3}\sigma^3 + \dots + \hat{\eta_j}\sigma^j$$
(7)

With, $\eta_j = \hat{\eta}_j$ for j = 1, 2, ..., 2k. Where, the *jth* moment of the reduced system $\hat{\eta}_j = C^T (E^{-1}A)^{j-1} E^{-1}B$.

B. Moment matching through Lanczos Methods

Take is a linear dynamical system in a state space form equ.5. Let us define two initial vectors r_0 , q_0 and a matrix ψ . The Lanczos process is based to compute two rectangular matrices $W_k, V_k \in \mathbb{R}^{n*k}$ which satisfy the biorthogonality condition $W_T^k V_K = I$ and the Krylov subspace conditions $colsp\{V_k\} = K_k(\psi, r_0)$ and $colsp\{W_k\} = K_k(\psi^T, q_0)$, where the Krylov subspace are as follows [2, 3]:

$$K_k(\psi, r_0) = span\{r_0, \psi r_0, ..., \psi^{k-1} r_0\}$$
(8)

and

$$K_k(\psi^T, q_0) = span\{q_0, \psi^T q_0, ..., \psi^{k-1^T} q_0\}$$
(9)

Where, in the general case $\psi = A$, $r_0 = B$ and $q_0 = C$. After K steps, the Lanczos Algorithm can iteratively generate two orthonormal basis V_k and $W_k \in \mathbb{R}^{n*k}$ from the successive Krylov subspace [1, 2, 3]:

$$K_k(\psi, r_0) = span\{v_1, v_2, ..., v_k\}$$
(10)

and

$$K_k(\psi^T, q_0) = span\{w_1, w_2, ..., w_k\}$$
(11)

Where $v_i \in V_k$ and $w_i \in W_k$, for i = 1, ..., k.

During the iteration process, a tridiagonal Matrix $T_k \in \mathbb{R}^{k*k}$ is generate that satisf es the following relationships:

$$AV_k = V_k T_k + \delta_{k+1} v_{k+1} e_k^T \tag{12}$$

and

$$A^{T}W_{k} = W_{k}T_{k}^{T} + \beta_{k+1}w_{k+1}e_{k}^{T}$$
(13)

Where e_k is the *kth* unit vector in \mathbb{R}^k .

C. BIBO Stability of Linear Switching Systems

Theorem 1: [16, 17] The system in equ.2 is BIBO stable, if there exist two positive constants $0 < \epsilon < 1$ and $0 < \mu < \infty$, such that for any switching signal q and for the identically zero-input u(t) = 0, $t \ge 1$, the norm of the reduced output sequence $\hat{x}(t)$, $t \ge 0$ can be bounded above as follows:

$$\|x(t)\| \le \mu \epsilon^t \|x(0)\| \tag{15}$$

Proof: The proof can be found in [16].

III. MODIFIED NON SYMMETRIC LANCZOS FOR SWITCHED LINEAR SYSTEM

Take a linear switched system as the form:

$$\Sigma_q = \begin{cases} x(t+1) = A_q x(t) + B_q u(t) \\ y(t) = C_q x(t) + D_q u(t) \end{cases}$$
(16)

In our case, we take m = p = 1, we seek to f nd the reduced model as this form:

$$\hat{\Sigma}_{q} = \begin{cases} \hat{x}(t+1) = \hat{A}_{q}x(t) + \hat{B}_{q}u(t) \\ \hat{y}(t) = \hat{C}_{q}x(t) + \hat{D}_{q}u(t) \end{cases}$$
(17)

The order of reduced model is equal of $k \ll n$, such that the f rst 2k Markov parameters $\eta_{i_q} := C_q A_q^{i_q-1} B_q$ and $\hat{\eta}_{i_q} := \hat{C}_q \hat{A}_q^{i_q-1} \hat{B}_q$, of each original sub-system and reduced sub-system respectively are matched:

$$\eta_{i_q} = \hat{\eta}_{i_q}, \quad for \quad i_q = 1, ..., (2k_q - 1)$$
 (18)

The parameters of the reduced order model are obtained by using the following biorthogonal projection $\hat{x}(t) = W_{k_a}^T x(t) V_{k_q}$.

The reduced sub-system parameters in equ.2 can be obtained by the congruence transformation [4, 9]:

$$\hat{A}_q = W_{k_q}^T A_q V_{k_{(q)}}, \ \hat{B}_q = W_{k_q}^T B_q, \ \hat{C}_q = V_{k_{(q)}}^T C_q, \ \hat{D}_q = D_q.$$

Theorem 2: Given a linear switched system as a form in (16), for $i_q = 1, ..., (2k_q - 1)$, the output moments of each reduced sub-systems $\hat{\eta}_{i_q}(s_{0_q})$ generated from the modif ed non symmetric Lanczos will be the same with those of the each original sub system $\eta_{i_q}(s_{0_q})$. that is

$$\eta_{i_q}(s_{0_q}) = \hat{\eta}_{i_q}(s_{0_q}) + o((s_{0_q} + s_q)^{k_q})$$
(19)

The detail of the Modif ed Lanczos algorithm can be found in Table1 [7, 2, 3]:

Table1:Lanczos

Modified Lanczos Algortihm: (Input: A_q, B_q, C_q, D_q ,

 $r_0, q_0, k, q; Output: W_{k_q}, V_{k_q})$ Switch $q\{$ (1):/*Initialize*/

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle 1 \rangle: /*Initialize*/\\ & \beta_{1_q} := \sqrt{C_q B_q},\\ & \gamma_{1_q} := sgn(C_q B_q)\beta_{1_q},\\ & w_{1_q} := B_q/\beta_{1_q},\\ & w_{1_q} := C_q^*/\gamma_{1_q} \end{aligned}$$

(14) (2):/*Generate the new orthonormal vector*/ for j=1,...,k do $\alpha_{j_q} := w_{j_q}^* A_q v_{j_q}$ $r_{j_q} := A_q v_{j_q} - \alpha_{j_q} v_{j_q} - \gamma_{j_q} v_{j-1_q}$ $q_{j_q} := A_q^* w_{j_q} - \alpha_{j_q} w_{j_q} - \beta_{j_q} w_{j-1_q}$

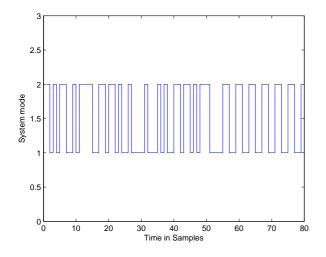


Fig. 1. Switching Signal

$$\begin{split} \beta_{j+1_{q}} &= \sqrt{|r_{j_{q}}^{*}|} \\ \gamma_{j} + 1_{q} &= sgn(r_{j_{q}}^{*}q_{j_{q}})\beta_{j+1_{q}} \\ v_{j+1_{q}} &= r_{j_{q}}/\beta_{j+1_{q}} \\ w_{j+1_{q}} &= q_{j_{q}}/\gamma_{j+1_{q}} \\ end \ for \\ \rbrace \end{split}$$

A. Numerical example

To evaluate this approach we take the model used by [Gao Huijun] in the paper [5] and a switched signal where q=1,2 [5], which parameters of States representation are as follows:

$$A_{1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.1612 & 0.0574 & -0.0144 & 0.1846 \\ 0.0434 & -0.3638 & 0.5258 & -0.0357 \\ -0.0747 & -0.3146 & -0.0487 & -0.1043 \\ -0.1664 & 0.4031 & 0.0347 & 0.2864 \end{pmatrix}, \\B_{1} = B_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.2023 \\ -0.2313 \\ -0.1137 \\ 0.1279 \end{pmatrix}, \\C_{1} = C_{2} = (1.4419 & 0.672 & 0.1387 & -0.8595), \\D_{1} = D_{2} = 1. \\The invert single (0) in the second seco$$

$$u(t) = \begin{cases} exp(0.1(-t+10)) + 0.1sin(0.3t) & \text{if } 10 \le t \le 50\\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

The switching signal is generate randomly as: {2, 1, 2, 1, 2, 2, 1, 1, 2, 1, 2, 2, 2, 2, 1, 1, 2, 2, 1, 2, 1, 1, 2, 1, 1, 1, 1, 2, 1, 1, 1, 2, 1, 2, 1, 1, 2, 2, 1, 2, 2, 1, 2, 1, 2, 2, 2, 1, 1, 1}.

The f gure 1 present the arbitrary switching signal generate by Matlab with a possible case.

The output trajectories of the original system and reduced one of second order and the input signal are show in the f gure 2, we see that a good correlation between the output trajectories of original and reduced system. The output error

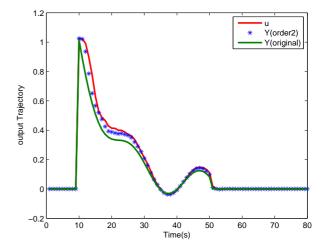


Fig. 2. Output trajectories of order reduction 2 by Modif ed Non Symmetric Lanczos method

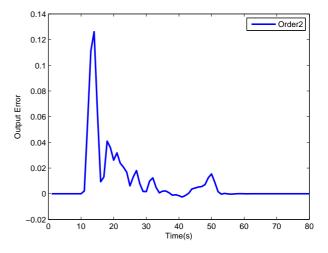


Fig. 3. Output errors of order reduction 2 by Modif ed Non Symmetric Lanczos method

between the original system and reduced one is depicts in f gure 3, we note a slight variation of error, the maximum value of error is equal to 0.12.

IV. MODIFIED GLOBAL LANCZOS FOR SWITCHED LINEAR System

The Global Lanczos Algorithm is an overall improvement of the standard Lanczos algorithm applied to the matrix pairs (ψ_q, ξ_q) and (ψ_q^T, C_q^T) where $\psi = (s_{1_q}E - A_q)^{-1}E$ and $\xi = (s_{1_q}E - A_q)^{-1}B_q$.

This method can be generate recursively two Frobenius orthonormal bases for two Krylov subspaces [15]:

$$K_{k_q}(\psi_q, \xi_q) = span\{\xi_q, \psi_q \xi_q, ..., \psi_q^{k-1} \xi\}$$
(20)

$$L_{k_q}(\psi_q^T, C_q^T) = span\{C_q^T, \psi_q C_q^T, ..., \psi_q^{k-1} C_q^T\}$$
(21)

Theorem 3: Take a switched system, which the each subsystems are linear and f xe the reduced order parameter k_q for each sub-system, with $k_q \ll n_q$. The output moments $\hat{\eta}_{i_a}(s_{0_a})$ of the each reduced sub-system will be close of the each original sub-systems $\eta_{i_q}(s_{0_q})$, for $i_q = 1, ..., 2k_q - 1$. That is

$$\eta_q^{i_q}(s_{0_q}) = \hat{\eta}_q^{i_q}(s_{0_q}) + o((s_{0_q} + s_q)^{k_q})$$
(22)

The detail of the Modif ed Global Lanczos algorithm can be found in Table2 [15]:

Table2:Global Lanczos

Modified Global Lanczos Algortihm: (Input: $A_q, B_q, C_q, D_q, \psi_q$, $\xi_q, k, q;$ Output: W_{g,k_q}, V_{g,k_q}) Switch $q\{(1):/*$ initialize */ Set $\psi_q = -(s_q E - A_q)^{-1}E$, Set $\xi_q = (s_q E - A_q)^{-1} E$, $\begin{array}{l} \textit{Set } \beta_{1_q} = sqrt(trace(abs(\xi_q C_q))), \\ \textit{Set } \delta_{1_q} = \beta_{1_q} sgn(trace(C_q \xi_q)), \end{array}$ Define $V_{1_q} = \xi_q / \delta_{1_q}$, Define $W_{1_q} = C_q / \beta_{1_q}$, Let $V_{g,k_q} = [V_{1_q}],$ Let $W_{g,k_q} = [W_{1_q}].$ (2):/*Generate the new orthonormal vector*/ for i=1,2,...,k do $\alpha_{i_q} = trace((W_{i_q}^T)\psi_q V_{i_q}),$ $\hat{V}_{(i+1)_q} = \psi_q V_{i_q} - \alpha_{i_q} V_{i_q} - \beta_{i_q} V_{(i-1)_q}$ (When $i_q = l$, take $\beta_{1_q} V_0 = 1$), $\hat{W}_{(i+1)_q} = \psi_q^T W_{i_q} - \alpha_{i_q} W_{i_q} - \delta_{i_q} W_{(i-1)_q}$ (When $i_q = l$, take $\delta_{1_q} W_0 = 1$), $\begin{aligned} \beta_{(i+1)_q} &= \|\hat{W}_{(i+1)_q}, \hat{V}_{(i+1)_q}\|_F, \\ \delta_{(i+1)_q} &= \beta_{(i+1)_q}.sgn[trace(\hat{W}_{(i+1)_q}^T \hat{V}_{(i+1)_q})], \end{aligned}$ $V_{(i+1)_q} = \hat{V}_{(i+1)_q} / \delta_{(i+1)_q},$
$$\begin{split} & (i+1)_q = (i+1)_q / (i+1)_q / \\ & W_{(i+1)_q} = W_{(i+1)_q} / \beta_{(i+1)_q}, \\ & V_{g,k_q} = [V_{g,k_q} V_{(i+1)_q}], \\ & W_{g,k_q} = [W_{g,k_q} W_{(i+1)_q}]. \end{split}$$
end for }

During the iteration process, a tridiagonal Matrix $T_{(g,k)_a} \in$ IR^{k*k} and two Frobenius orthonormal bases V_{g,k_q} $[V_{1_q}V_{2_q}...V_{k_q}] \in K_{k_q}(\psi_q, \xi_q)$ and $W_{g,k_q} = [W_{1_q}V_{2_q}...W_{k_q}] \in L_{k_q}(\psi_q^T, C_q^T)$ are generate that satisfies the following recursively relations:

$$\psi_q V_{g,k_q} = V_{g,k_q} \widetilde{T}_{g,k_q} + \delta_{(k+1)_q} V_{(k+1)_q} E_q^T$$
(23)

$$\psi_{q}^{T}W_{g,k_{q}} = W_{g,k_{q}}\widetilde{T}_{g,k_{q}}^{T} + \beta_{(k+1)_{q}}W_{(k+1)_{q}}E_{q}^{T}$$
(24)

Where $\widetilde{T}_{(g,k)_q}^T = T_{(g,k)_q} \otimes I_k$. The parameters of the reduced order model are obtained by using the following biorthogonal projection $\hat{x}(t) =$ $\widetilde{W}_{(g,k)_{(q)}}^T x(t) V_{(g,k)_{(q)}}.$

Where $\widetilde{W}_{(g,k)_{(q)}}^T = W_{(g,k)_{(q)}} (W_{(g,k)_{(q)}}^T V_{(g,k)_q})^{-T}$. The reduced sub-system parameters in equ.3 and equ.4 can be

obtained by the congruence transformation:

Since that $W_{(g,k)_{(q)}}^{I}V_{(g,k)_{q}} = I_{k}$ is an identity matrix.

A. Numerical example

To evaluate this approach we take the same model used previously, with the same switching signal. In the first, we make various s, taken s around zero s1 = 0 for each subsystem

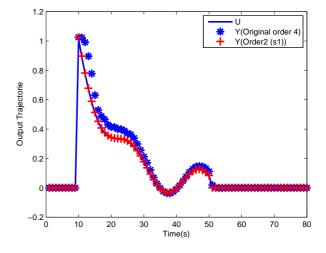


Fig. 4. Output trajectories of order reduction 2 (s1) by Modif ed Global Lanczos method

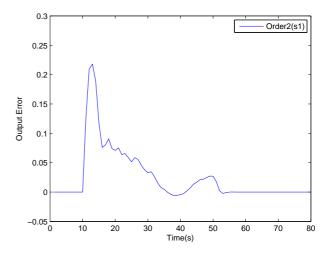


Fig. 5. Output errors of order reduction 2 (s1) by Modif ed Global Lanczos method

and takes $s2 \simeq \infty$.

The fgure 4 and 6 show the output trajectories of the original system and reduced one of second order around two expansion point (s1 and s2) respectively ,due to the above input signal, we see a good correlation between the output of the original system and reduced one.

The f gure 5 and 7 present the output error between the original system and reduced one, we note that the choice of expansion point infuences in the variation of error, for s1 we see that the maximum value of error is equal to 0.23, but by the use of s2 is equal to 0.02.

The f gure 8 show the output trajectories of the original system and reduced one by the use of two methods.

The variation of error is given in f gure 9. We can see from these fgures the results obtained by the Modifed Global Lanczos method are better that those obtained by the Modif ed Non Symmetric Lanczos.

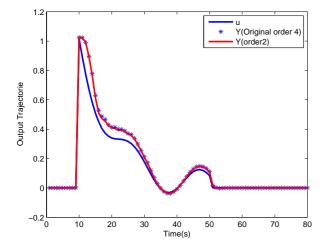


Fig. 6. Output trajectories of order reduction 2 (s2) by Modif ed Global Lanczos method

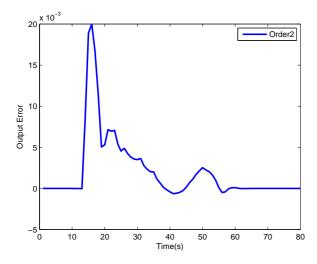


Fig. 7. Output Error of order reduction 2 (s2) by Modif ed Global Lanczos method

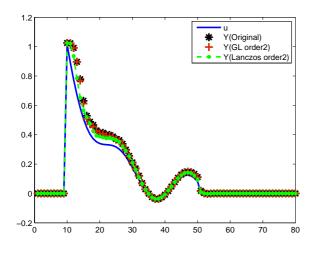


Fig. 8. Output trajectories of order reduction 2 by Modif ed Non symmetric Lanczos and Modif ed Global Lanczos methods

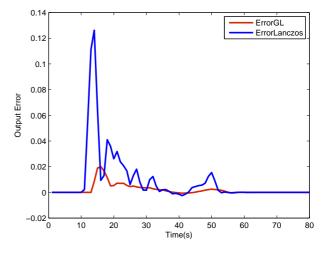


Fig. 9. Output errors of order reduction 2 by Modif ed Non symmetric Lanczos and Modif ed Global Lanczos method

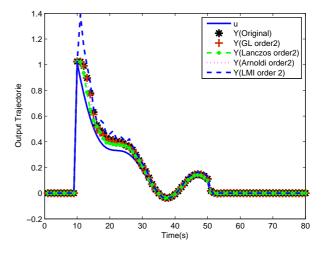


Fig. 10. Output errors of order reduction 2 by some methods

V. COMPARISON STUDY

In this section we compare the results obtained by the Lanczos methods with other methods of the literature (Arnoldi, linearization approach (LMI))[1, 9].

We present tow f gures, the f gure 10 present the output trajectory by several methods (Non symmetric Lanczos, Global Lanczos, Arnoldi and Linearization approach) we see that the good result is obtained by the Global Lanczos of order 2 if compare with the input U; Figure 11 shows the variation of error trajectory, we note the best result is obtained by Global Lanczos.

VI. CONCLUSION

In this paper we have proposed a news methods for reduction of linear switched systems based on generation of Krylov subspace for each sub-systems. We present the modif ed Non symmetric Lanczos and Modif ed Global Lanczos. Those methods are numerically efficient, guarantee the stability of subsystems, gives good results and easy to study compared to

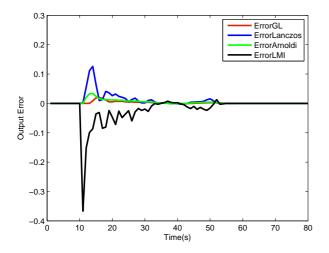


Fig. 11. Output errors of order reduction 2 by some methods

other methods (Arnoldi,LMI,...). To evaluate and demonstrate the accuracy and efficient of these methods, we present also a comparative study with the other methods. From simulation results we noted that the best results is obtained by Modif ed Global Lanczos Algorithm around a large expansion point.

REFERENCES

- M.Kouki, M.Abbes, and A.Mami, Arnoldi Model Reduction for Switched Linear systems, *Proceedings in 5th International Conference* on Modeling, Simulation and Applied Optimization, Hamammet, Tunisia, 2013. [1, 2, 5]
- [2] Z.Bai and R.Freund, A partial pade via-lanczos method for reducedorder modeling, *Linear Algebra and its Applications*, vol.3, pp.139-164, 2001. [2]
- [3] E.Grimme, D.Sorensen and P. V.Dooren, Model Reduction of State Space Systems via an Implicitly Restarted Lanczos Method, *Numerical Algorithms*, vol.12, pp.1-33, 1995. [2]
- [4] M.Kouki, M.Abbes, and A.Mami, A Survey of Linear Invariant Time Model Reduction, *ICIC Express Letters, An International Journal of Research and Surveys*, vol.7, pp.909-916, 2013. [1, 2]
- [5] H. J. Lee, C. C. Chu, and W. S. Feng, An adaptive-order rational Arnoldi method for model-order reductions of linear time-invariant systems, *Linear Algebra an its Applications*, vol.415, pp.235–261, 2006. [1, 3]
- [6] M. H. Lai, C. C. Chu, and W. S. Feng, Mode-order reductions for MIMO systems using global Krylov subspace methods, *Mathematics* and computers in Simulation, vol.79, pp.1153–1164, 2008. [1]
- [7] A. C. Antoulas, D. C. Sorensen and S. Gugercin, A survey of model reduction methods for large-scale systems, *MS 380, Rice University,Houston, Texas*, December 2000. [1, 2]
- [8] R. Eid, A Survey on Model Order Reduction of Linear Dynamical Systems, 2nd GACM Colloquium on Computational Mechanics, 2008.
 [1]
- [9] H. Gaoa, J. Lamb and C. Wanga, Model simplification for switched hybrid systems, *Systems and Control Letters*, vol.55, pp.1015-1021, August 2006. [1, 2, 5]
- [10] L. Zhanga, P. Shi, E. Boukasc and C. Wanga, H_{∞} model reduction for uncertain switched linear discrete-time systems, *Automatica*, vol.44, pp.2944-2949, October 2008. [1]
- [11] L. El Ghaoui, F. Oustry and M. Ait Rami, A cone complementarity linearization algorithm for static output-feedback and related problems, *IEEE Trans. Automat. Control*, vol.42 pp.1171-1176, 1997. [1]
- [12] P. Tulpule, S. Yurkovich, J. Wang and G. Rizzoni, Hybrid Large Scale System Model for a DC Microgrid, *American Control Conference*, pp.3900–3904, 2011. [1]
- [13] Stephen Boyd, L. E. Ghaoui, E. Feron and V. Balakrishnan, *Linear Matrix Inequalities in System and Control Theory*, Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics, vol.15, 1994. [1]

- [14] D. Mignone, G. Ferrari-Trecate and M. Morari, Stability and stabilization ofpiecewise aff ne and hybrid systems: an LMI approach, *Proceedings of the IEEE Conference on Decision and Control, Sydney, Australia*, pp. 504-509, 2000. [1]
- [15] C. C. Chu, M. H. Lai and W. S. Feng, The Multiple Point global Lanczos for Multiple-Inputs Multiple-Outputs Interconnect Order Reductions, *IEICE Trans.Fundamentals*, vol.E89-A, pp.2706–2716, 2006. [3, 4]
- [16] Gy. Michaletzky and L. Gerenc, The BIBO stability of linear switching systems, Automatic Control, IEEE Transactions, vol.E47-A, pp.1895 -1898, 2002. [2]
- [17] X. Dongmei, X. Ning and C. Xiaoxin, LMI Approach to H₂ Reduction Model of Switched Systems, 7th World Congress on Intelligent Control and Automation, pp.6381–6386, 2008. [2]
- [18] S. Zhendong and S. Ge. Shuzhi, Switched Linear Systems, Control and Design, 2009.

Mohamed Kouki was born in 1986 in Tunisia. He graduated from University of el Manar at the Faculty of Science of Tunisia in 2011. he is preparing a Ph.D. in Electronics at the Faculty of Science Tunisia since 2012. He has written a number of papers about Reduction of Linear Time Invariant Systems and reduction of Switched Linear Systems. Some of the papers are in SCOPUS, Elsevier and/or Springer.