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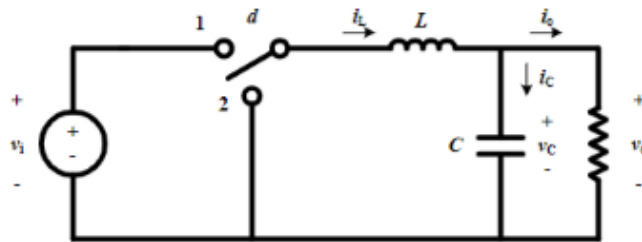
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Assignment #3: Converter Small-Signal Modeling

▪ Ideal Buck Converter

– See the separate document for detailed descriptions



For the ideal buck converter in Fig. 1,

1) Derive the state space model with state variables selected as (i_L, v_C) , input variables selected as (v_i, i_o) , and output variable vector selected as v_o . Derive the coefficient matrices in the model below.

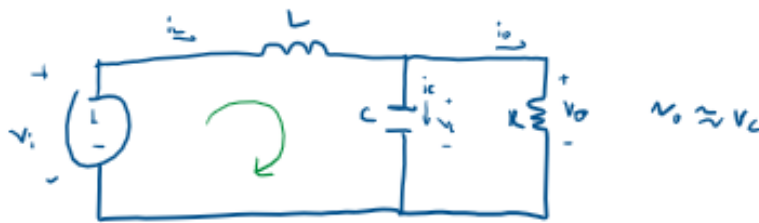
$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{di_L}{dt} \\ \frac{dv_C}{dt} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} i_L \\ v_C \end{pmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} B_{11} & B_{12} \\ B_{21} & B_{22} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} v_i \\ i_o \end{pmatrix}$$

$$v_o = [C_{11} \quad C_{12}] \cdot \begin{pmatrix} i_L \\ v_C \end{pmatrix} + [D_{11} \quad D_{12}] \cdot \begin{pmatrix} v_i \\ i_o \end{pmatrix}$$

2) In the derived results in Question 1), select the line of $\frac{di_L}{dt}$ (i.e.,

$\frac{di_L}{dt} = A_{11} \cdot i_L + A_{12} \cdot v_C + B_{11} \cdot v_i + B_{12} \cdot i_o$), and use perturbation-and-linearization approach to derive its small-signal representation. Note that the derived matrix coefficients in 1) should be 'spelled out' and used here.

1) Circuit 1



State variables: i_L, v_C Input: v_i, i_o Output: v_o

$$\text{KVL} \Rightarrow v_L + v_C - v_i = 0$$

1) Perform KVL/KCL

$$\text{KCL} \Rightarrow i_L - i_C - i_o = 0$$

$$\therefore v_L = L \frac{di_L}{dt} = v_i - v_C \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{di_L}{dt} = \frac{v_i}{L} - \frac{v_C}{L}} \quad \begin{array}{l} 2) \text{ Solve for state variables} \\ i_L \text{ and } v_C, \text{ get} \\ \text{derivatives} \end{array}$$

$$i_L - C \frac{dv_C}{dt} - i_o = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow C \frac{dv_C}{dt} = i_o - i_L$$

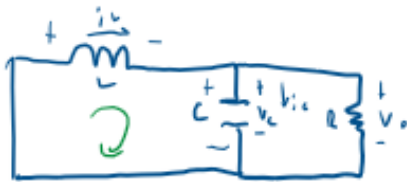
$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{dv_C}{dt} = \frac{i_o}{C} - \frac{i_L}{C}}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{di_L}{dt} \\ \frac{dv_C}{dt} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\frac{1}{L} \\ \frac{1}{C} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} i_L \\ v_C \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{L} & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{C} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v_i \\ i_o \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} 3) \text{ Derive matrices} \end{array}$$

$$v_o = v_C = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} i_L \\ v_C \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v_i \\ i_o \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \dot{X} = A_1 X + B_1 U \\ Y = C_1 X + D_1 U \end{cases}$$

Circuit 2:



$$KVL \Rightarrow v_L + v_C = 0 \quad v = IR$$

$$KCL \Rightarrow i_L - i_C - i_o = 0$$

$$\therefore v_L = L \frac{di_L}{dt} = -v_C$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{di_L}{dt} = -\frac{v_C}{L}}$$

$$i_C = i_L - i_o$$

$$C \frac{dv_C}{dt} = i_L - i_o$$

$$\boxed{\frac{dv_C}{dt} = \frac{i_L}{C} - \frac{i_o}{C}}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{di_L}{dt} \\ \frac{dv_C}{dt} \end{bmatrix} = \overset{A}{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\frac{1}{L} \\ \frac{1}{C} & 0 \end{bmatrix}} \begin{bmatrix} i_L \\ v_C \end{bmatrix} + \overset{B}{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{C} \end{bmatrix}} \begin{bmatrix} v_i \\ i_o \end{bmatrix}$$

$$v_o = v_C = \overset{C}{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}} \begin{bmatrix} i_L \\ v_C \end{bmatrix} + \overset{D}{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}} \begin{bmatrix} v_i \\ i_o \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \dot{X} = A_2 X + B_2 U \\ Y = C_2 X + D_2 U \end{cases}$$

First Large Signal Model

$$\text{r.e. } \bar{A} = dA_1 + (1-d)A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\frac{d}{L} \\ \frac{d}{C} & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\frac{(1-d)}{L} \\ \frac{(1-d)}{C} & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\frac{1}{L} \\ \frac{1}{C} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bar{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\frac{1}{L} \\ \frac{1}{C} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bar{B} = dB_1 + (1-d)B_2 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{d}{L} & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{d}{L} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{(1-d)}{L} \\ 0 & -\frac{(1-d)}{L} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{L} & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{L} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bar{C} = dC_1 + (1-d)C_2 = [0 \ d] + [0 \ (1-d)] = [0 \ 1]$$

$$\bar{D} = dD_1 + (1-d)D_2 = [0 \ 0] + [0 \ 0] = [0 \ 0]$$

$$\text{r.e. } \begin{bmatrix} \frac{di_L}{dt} \\ \frac{dv_C}{dt} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\frac{1}{L} \\ \frac{1}{C} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} i_L \\ v_C \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{L} & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{L} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v_i \\ i_o \end{bmatrix}$$

Large Signal Model

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = Ax + Bu \\ y = Cx + Du \end{cases}$$

$$v_o = [0 \ 1] \begin{bmatrix} i_L \\ v_C \end{bmatrix} + [0 \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} v_i \\ i_o \end{bmatrix}$$

Deriving Small signal model

$$2) \frac{di_L}{dt} = 0 \cdot i_L - \frac{1}{L} v_C + \frac{1}{L} v_i + 0 \cdot i_o \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{di_L}{dt} = -\frac{1}{L} v_C + \frac{1}{L} v_i}$$

$$\frac{dv_C}{dt} = \frac{1}{C} i_L + 0 v_C + 0 v_i - \frac{1}{C} i_o \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{dv_C}{dt} = \frac{1}{C} i_L - \frac{1}{C} i_o}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{d(I_L + \hat{i}_L)}{dt} = -\frac{1}{L} (V_C + \hat{v}_C) + \frac{1}{L} (1 + \hat{d}) (V_i + \hat{v}_i) \\ \frac{d(V_C + \hat{v}_C)}{dt} = \frac{1}{C} (I_L + \hat{i}_L) - \frac{1}{C} (I_o + \hat{i}_o) \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{dI_L}{dt} + \frac{d\hat{i}_L}{dt} = -\frac{V_c}{L} - \frac{\hat{v}_c}{L} + \frac{D}{L}V_i + \frac{D}{L}\hat{v}_i + \frac{d}{L}V_i + \frac{d}{L}\hat{v}_i \\ \frac{dV_c}{dt} + \frac{d\hat{v}_c}{dt} = \frac{I_c}{C} + \frac{\hat{i}_c}{C} - \frac{I_o}{C} - \frac{\hat{i}_o}{C} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{d\hat{i}_L}{dt} = -\frac{\hat{v}_c}{L} + \frac{D}{L}\hat{v}_i + \frac{d}{L}\hat{v}_i \\ \frac{d\hat{v}_c}{dt} = \frac{\hat{i}_c}{C} - \frac{\hat{i}_o}{C} \end{cases}$$

Derive as Matrices

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{d\hat{i}_L}{dt} \\ \frac{d\hat{v}_c}{dt} \end{bmatrix} = \overset{A}{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\frac{1}{L} \\ \frac{1}{C} & 0 \end{bmatrix}} \begin{bmatrix} \hat{i}_L \\ \hat{v}_c \end{bmatrix} + \overset{B}{\begin{bmatrix} \frac{V_i}{L} & \frac{D}{L} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{C} \end{bmatrix}} \begin{bmatrix} d \\ \hat{v}_i \\ \hat{i}_o \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{v}_o = \overset{C}{[0 \ 1]} \begin{bmatrix} \hat{i}_L \\ \hat{v}_c \end{bmatrix} + \overset{D}{[0 \ 0 \ 0]} \begin{bmatrix} d \\ \hat{v}_i \\ \hat{i}_o \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{cases} \hat{\dot{X}} = A' \cdot \hat{X} + B' \cdot \hat{U} \\ \hat{Y} = C' \cdot \hat{X} + D' \cdot \hat{U} \end{cases}$$

Small signal representation