Model Documentation of the Boost Converter

1 Nomenclature

1.1 Nomenclature for Model Equations

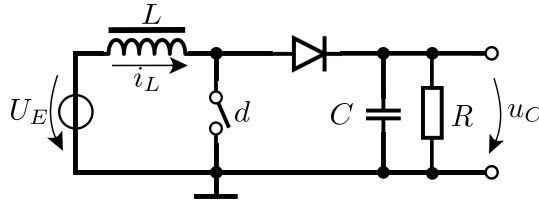|	
L	inductivity of the inductor
C	capacity of the capacitor
R	resistance of the load
U_E	input voltage
i_L	current through the inductor
u_C	voltage over the capatitor
d	duty ratio of the switch

1.2 Circuit Diagram

Figure 1: Circuit

2 Model Equations

State Vector and Input Vector:

$$\underline{x} = (x_1 \ x_2)^T = (i_L \ u_C)^T$$
$$\underline{u} = d$$

System Equations:

$$\dot{x}_1 = -(1-u)\frac{1}{L}x_2 + \frac{U_E}{L} \tag{1a}$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = (1-u)\frac{1}{C}x_1 - \frac{1}{RC}x_2 \tag{1b}$$

Parameters: L, C, R, U_E
Outputs: $x_2 = u_C$

2.1 Assumptions

1. The switching frequency is high enough, to prevent the inductor from fully discharging beween charging stages.

2.2 Exemplary parameter values

	Symbol	Value	
Inductiviy	L	0.00018	H
Capacity	C	$2.0 \cdot 10^{-5}$	F
Resistence	R	10	Ω
Input Voltage	U_E	24	V

3 Derivation and Explanation

Using PWM (puls width modulation), instead of only discrete values $d \in \{0, 1\}$ representing an *open* or *closed* switch, any value of the interval $[0, 1]$ can be modeled. This is done by using the averaged values for states and inputs:

$$\bar{d} = \frac{1}{T} \int_t^{t+T} d(\tau) d\tau$$

$$\bar{x}_i = \frac{1}{T} \int_t^{t+T} x_i(\tau) d\tau \quad i = 1, 2$$

with the switching period T. For $T \to 0$, which is achieved by a high enough switching frequency, an averaged model can be obtained.
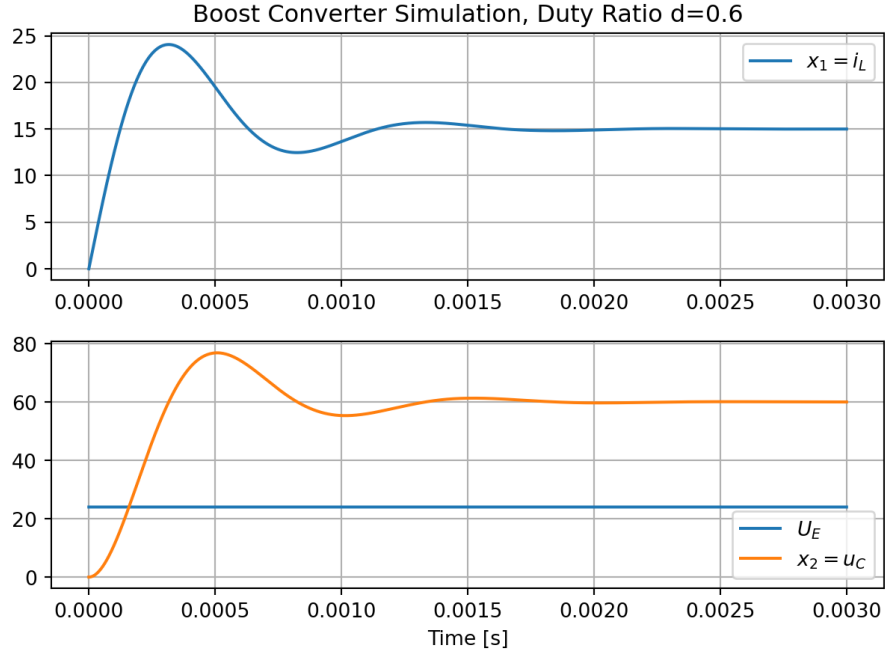
4 Simulation

Figure 2: Simulation of the boost converter.

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