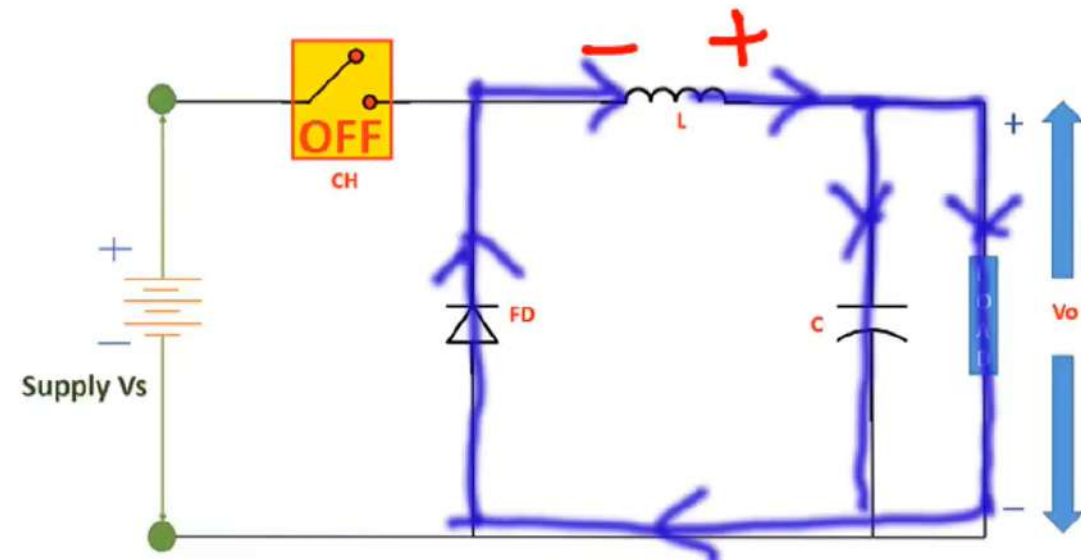
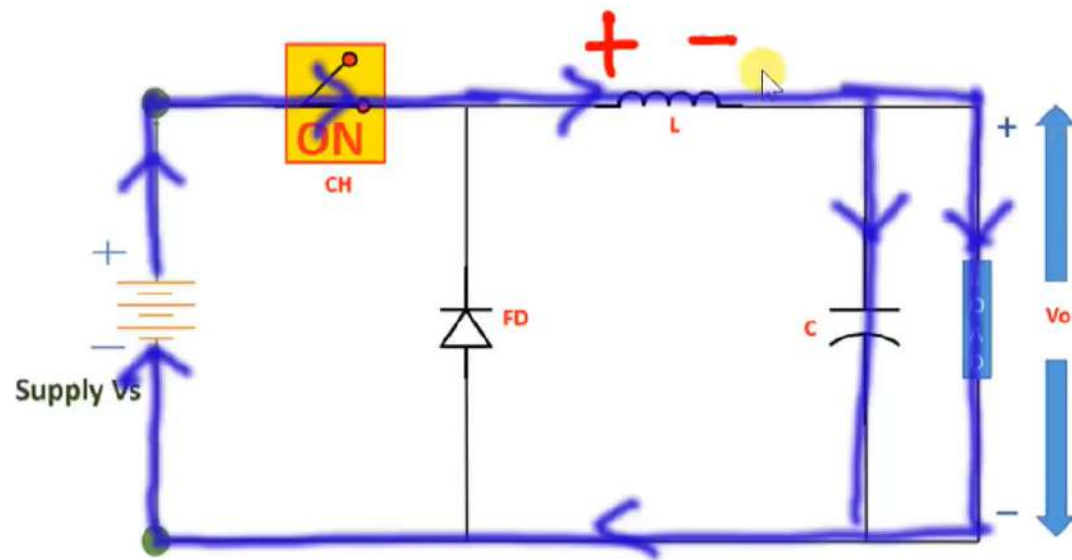


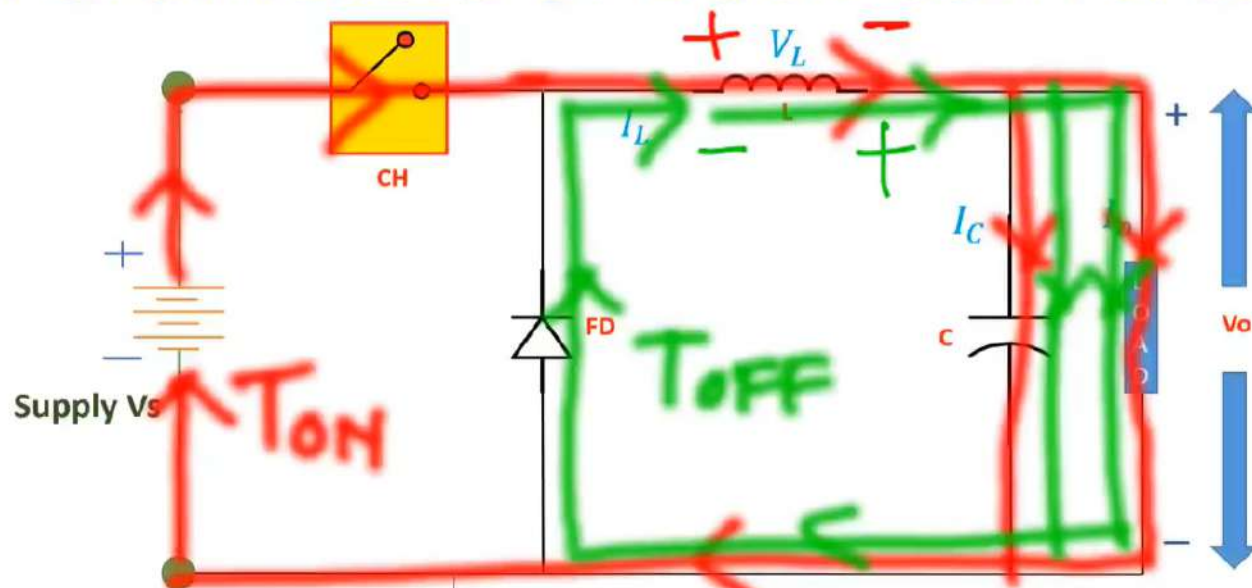
# Basics of Buck Converter

- ❖ It is step down DC to DC converter.
- ❖ Here, voltage will get step down (while current gets step up) at load.
- ❖ Buck converter can be highly efficient (higher than 90%).
- ❖ We can use it in computer from main supply (12V) to USB, DRAM and CPU (1.8V to 4.2V)
- ❖ We can make effective SMPS by buck converter.

# Modes of Buck Converter



# Parameters of Buck Converter



**When Chopper is ON**

$$V_{L(ON)} = V_s - V_o$$

$$I_{C(ON)} = I_L - I_o$$

**When Chopper is OFF**

$$V_{L(OFF)} + V_o = 0$$

$$V_{L(OFF)} = -V_o$$

$$I_{C(OFF)} = I_L - I_o$$

**Volt Sec Balance**

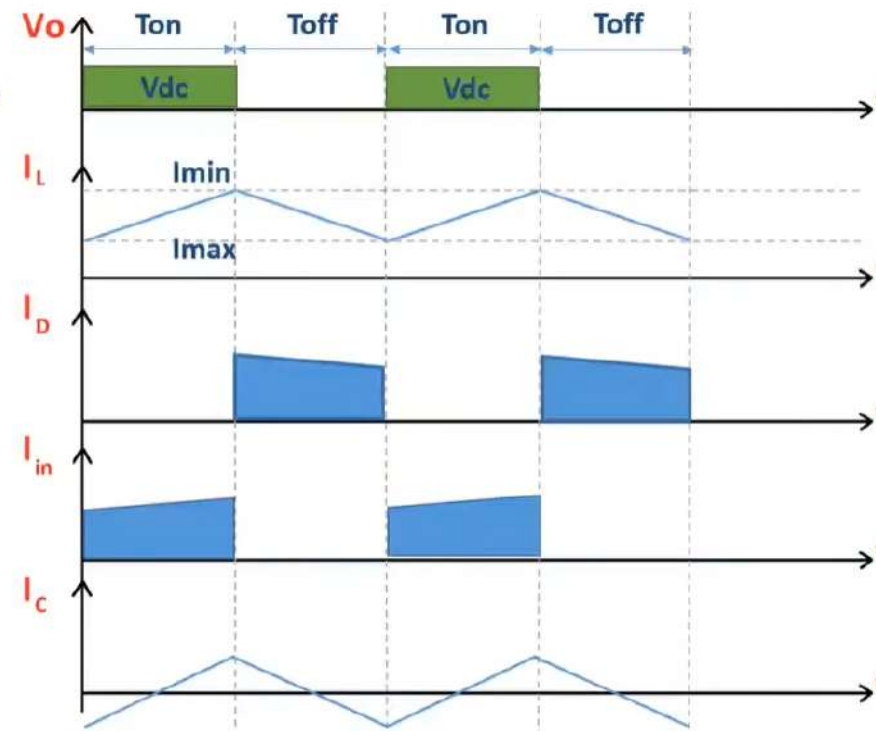
$$\therefore V_{L(ON)} \times T_{ON} + V_{L(OFF)} \times T_{OFF} = 0$$

$$\therefore (V_s - V_o) \times DT + -V_o \times (1 - D)T = 0$$

$$\therefore V_o = DV_s$$

Here value of duty cycle is always there in between 0 to 1.

So this type of chopper is referred as step down chopper.



**Ampere Sec Balance**

$$\therefore I_{C(ON)} \times T_{ON} + I_{C(OFF)} \times T_{OFF} = 0$$

$$\therefore (I_L - I_o) \times DT + (I_L - I_o) \times (1 - D)T = 0$$

$$\therefore I_L = I_o$$

So from this we can say average value of capacitor current is zero.

So it is used filter DC components at output

## GATE Self Study Plan



Ripple in o/p voltage

$$I_c = I_L - I_o$$

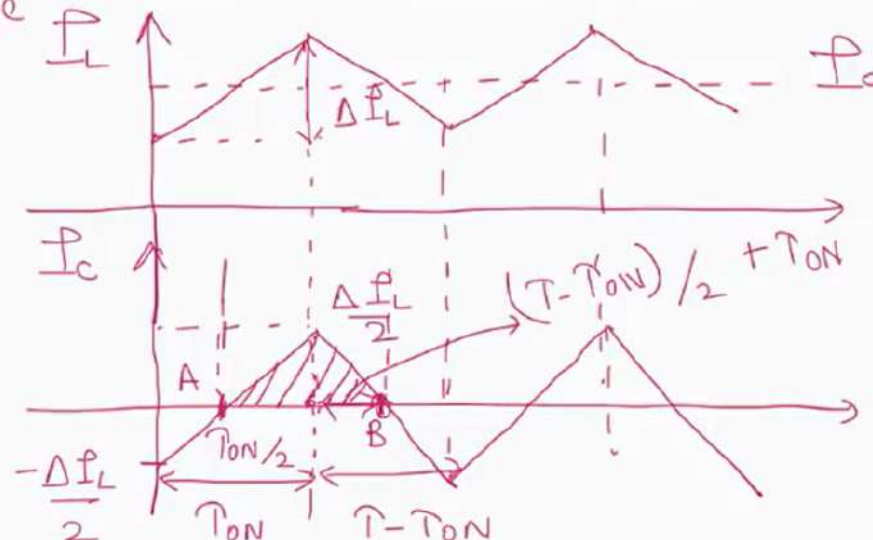
$$I_c > 0$$

$$C \frac{dV_c}{dt} > 0, V_c \uparrow$$

charging

Interval of charging

$$T_{ch} = \underbrace{\frac{T + T_{ON}}{2}}_B - \underbrace{\frac{T_{ON}}{2}}_A = \frac{T}{2}$$



$$\Delta V_c = \frac{D(1-D)V_s}{8f^2LC}$$

$$\frac{T + T_{ON}}{2} = B$$

charging:  $V_{min}$  to  $V_{max}$   
area under current = charge

$$\Delta Q = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\Delta I_L}{2} \times \frac{T}{2} = \frac{\Delta I_L}{8f}$$

$$\Delta V_c = \frac{\Delta Q}{C} = \frac{\Delta I_L}{8fC}$$



## GATE Self Study Plan

Ripple in inductor current

$$\Delta I_L = I_{\max} - I_{\min}$$

$$V_L = V_s - V_o > 0 \quad 0 < t < T_{\text{on}}$$

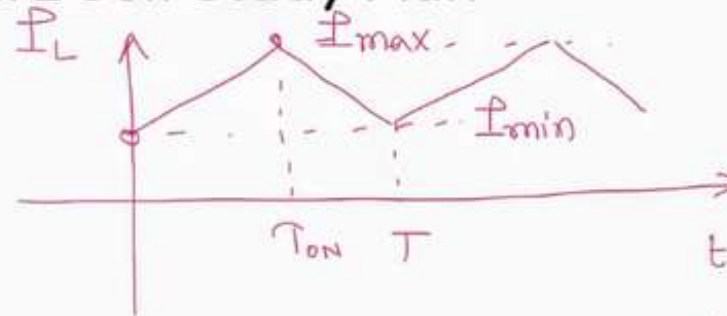
$$V_L = -V_o < 0 \quad T_{\text{on}} < t < T$$

$$0 < t < T_{\text{on}}$$

$$L \frac{\Delta I_L}{T_{\text{on}}} = V_s - V_o$$

$$\Delta I_L = \frac{(V_s - V_o) T_{\text{on}}}{L}$$

$$= \frac{(V_s - DV_s) DT}{L}$$



$$\Delta I_L = \frac{D(1-D)V_s}{fL} \quad (T = 1/f)$$

$$\Delta I_L = f(D)$$

$$\frac{d\Delta I_L}{dD} = 0$$

$$\frac{d}{dD} (D - D^2) = 0$$

$$1 - 2D = 0$$

$$D = 0.5$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\Delta I_L)_{\max} &= \frac{0.5 \times 0.5 V_s}{fL} \\ &= \frac{V_s}{4fL} \end{aligned}$$

## GATE Self Study Plan

### Average switch current

$0 < t < T_{on} : SW \Rightarrow ON$

$$I_{sw} = I_L$$

$$(I_{sw})_{avg} = \frac{I_L \times T_{on}}{T} = D I_L$$

$$= D I_o$$

$$I_o = \frac{V_o}{R_{L}} \quad [R, \text{load}]$$

$$= \frac{V_o - E}{R} \quad [R_E, R_{LE} \text{ load}]$$

### Average diode current

$T_{on} < t < T : D \Rightarrow ON$

$$I_D = I_L$$

$$(I_D)_{avg} = \frac{I_L (T - T_{on})}{T}$$

$$= I_L (1 - D)$$

$$I_L = I_o$$

$$(I_D)_{avg} = I_o (1 - D)$$

## GATE Self Study Plan

Aug.  $V_o \Rightarrow$  volt-sec balance

$$C_c: V_o \Rightarrow \frac{A V_o}{2}$$

Aug.  $I_L \Rightarrow$  amp-sec balance

$$\Delta I_L \Rightarrow L \frac{\Delta I_L}{DT} = V_L$$

$\Delta V_o \Rightarrow$  using  $I_c$

$$(I_{sw})_{avg} \Rightarrow I_L$$

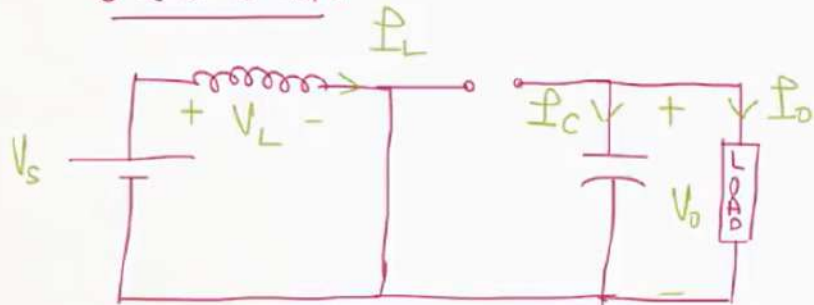
$$(I_D)_{avg} \Rightarrow I_L$$

$$L_c \Rightarrow I_L = \frac{\Delta I_L}{2}$$

## GATE Self Study Plan

### Boost Converter

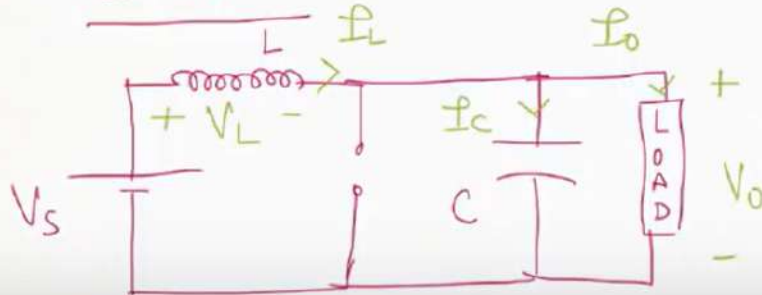
$$0 < t < T_{ON}$$



$$V_L = V_s$$

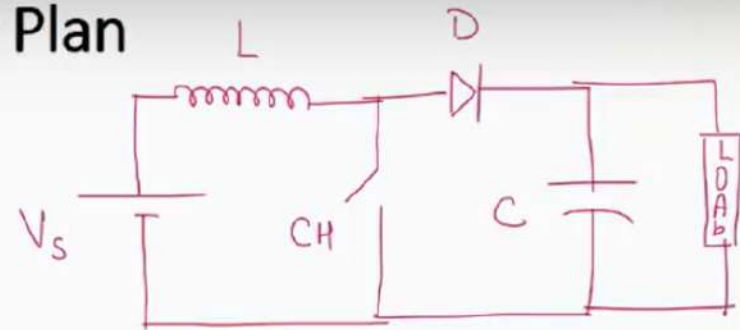
$$I_c = -I_o$$

$$T_{ON} < t < T$$



$$I_c = I_L - I_o$$

$$V_L = V_s - V_o$$



$$0 < t < T_{ON} : CH \Rightarrow ON \quad D \Rightarrow OFF$$

$$T_{ON} < t < T : CH \Rightarrow OFF \quad D \Rightarrow ON$$

$$\text{duty cycle, } D = T_{ON} / T$$



## GATE Self Study Plan

Average  $V_o$  : volt-sec balance

$$\int V_L dt = 0$$

$$(V_s) T_{ON} + (V_s - V_o) (T - T_{ON}) = 0$$

$$(V_s) DT + (V_s - V_o) (1-D)T = 0$$

$$V_s [\cancel{D} + 1 - \cancel{D}] - V_o (1-D) = 0$$

$$V_o = \frac{V_s}{1-D} ; D < 1 \quad 1-D < 1$$

$V_o > V_s$  (step-up chopper)

Average  $I_L$  : amp-sec balance

$$\int I_c dt = 0$$

$$(-I_o) (DT) + (I_L - I_o) (1-D)T = 0$$

$$I_L (1-D) - I_o (D + 1-D) = 0$$

$$I_L = \frac{I_o}{1-D}$$

$$I_o = \frac{V_o}{R} [R \& RL]$$

$$= \frac{V_o - E}{R} [RE \& RLE]$$

## GATE Self Study Plan



Ripple in Inductor current

$$V_L = V_s \quad 0 < t < DT$$

$$\frac{L(I_{\max} - I_{\min})}{DT} = V_s$$

$$\Delta I_L = \frac{DT V_s}{L} = \frac{DV_s}{fL}$$

$$I_{\max} = I_L + \frac{\Delta I_L}{2}$$

$$I_{\min} = I_L - \frac{\Delta I_L}{2}$$



$$\Delta V = \frac{DI_o}{fC}$$

Ripple in o/p voltage

$$I_C = -I_o < 0 \quad 0 < t < DT$$

↳ cap. discharges

$$\frac{C(V_{\min} - V_{\max})}{DT} = -I_o$$

$$\frac{C[-\Delta V]}{DT} = -I_o$$

## GATE Self Study Plan

Average switch current  
SW: ON  $0 < t < DT$

$$I_{sw} = I_L$$

$$(I_{sw})_{avg} = \frac{I_L \times DT}{T}$$

$$= D I_L$$

Average Diode current

D: ON  $DT < t < T$

$$I_D = I_L$$

$$(I_D)_{avg} = \frac{I_L (T - DT)}{T} = I_L (1 - D)$$

Critical Inductance

$$I_L = \frac{\Delta I_L}{2}$$

$$\frac{I_o}{1 - D} = \frac{DV_s}{2fL_c}$$

$$\frac{V_o}{(1 - D)R} = \frac{DV_s}{2fL_c}$$

$$\frac{V_s / (1 - D)}{(1 - D)R} = \frac{DV_s}{2fL_c}$$

$$L_c = \frac{R(1 - D)^2 D}{2f}$$

## GATE Self Study Plan

Critical capacitance

$$V_o = \frac{\Delta V_o}{2}$$

$$\frac{V_s}{1-D} = \frac{D I_o}{2fC}$$

$$\frac{V_s}{(1-D)} = \frac{D V_o}{2fRC}$$

$$\frac{V_s}{(1-D)} = V_o = \frac{D V_o}{2fRC}$$

$$C_c = \frac{D}{2fR}$$

## GATE Self Study Plan

Average o/p voltage: Volt-sec balance

$$\int V_L dt = 0$$

$$(V_s) [DT] + (-V_o) [T - DT] = 0$$

$$V_s \cdot D = V_o (1 - D)$$

$$V_o = \frac{D}{1 - D} V_s > 0$$

$$0 < D < 0.5 \quad V_o < V_s : \text{Buck / step-down}$$

$$0.5 < D < 1 \quad V_o > V_s : \text{Boost / step-up}$$

Avg.  $I_L$  : ampere-sec balance

$$\int I_c dt = 0$$

$$I_o (DT) + (I_o - I_L) (T - DT) = 0$$

$$(D + 1 - D) I_o = I_L (1 - D)$$

$$I_L = \frac{I_o}{1 - D}$$

$$I_o = \frac{V_o}{R} \quad [R \text{ \& RL load}]$$

$$I_o = \frac{V_o - E}{R} \quad [RE]$$



## GATE Self Study Plan

### Ripple in $I_L$

$$V_L = V_s \quad 0 < t < DT$$

$V_L > 0$  :  $L$  charges

$$L \left( \frac{I_{\max} - I_{\min}}{DT} \right) = V_s$$

$$L \left( \frac{\Delta I_L}{DT} \right) = V_s$$

$$\Delta I_L = \frac{DV_s}{fL}$$

$$I_{\max} = I_L + \Delta I_L / 2$$

$$I_{\min} = I_L - \Delta I_L / 2$$

### Ripple in $V_o$

$$I_c = I_o > 0 \quad 0 < t < DT$$

$I_c > 0$  :  $C$  charges

$$C \left( \frac{V_{\max} - V_{\min}}{DT} \right) = I_o$$

$$C \left( \frac{\Delta V_o}{DT} \right) = I_o$$

$$\Delta V_o = \frac{I_o D}{fC}$$

$$(V_o)_{\max} = V_o + \frac{\Delta V_o}{2}$$

$$(V_o)_{\min} = V_o - \frac{\Delta V_o}{2}$$

## GATE Self Study Plan



Avg. switch current

SW: ON  $0 < t < DT$

$$I_{sw} = I_L$$

$$(I_{sw})_{avg} = \frac{I_L (DT)}{T}$$

$$= DI_L$$

Avg. Diode current

D: ON  $DT < t < T$

$$I_D = I_L$$

$$(I_D)_{avg} = \frac{I_L (T - DT)}{T} = (1 - D)I_L$$

Critical Inductance ( $L_c$ )

$$I_L = \frac{\Delta I_L}{2}$$

$$\frac{I_o}{1 - D} = \frac{DV_s}{2fL_c}$$

$$\frac{V_o}{(1 - D)R} = \frac{DV_s}{2fL_c}$$

$$\frac{DV_s}{(1 - D)^2 R} = \frac{DV_s}{2fL_c}$$

$$L_c = \frac{(1 - D)^2 R}{2f}$$

## GATE Self Study Plan

Critical capacitance ( $C_c$ )

$$V_o = \frac{\Delta V_o}{2}$$

$$\frac{D}{1-D} V_s = \frac{D I_o}{2fC} = V_o$$

$$\frac{D I_o}{2fC} = I_o R$$

$$C_c = \frac{D}{2fR}$$

Avg. supply current: energy conservation

$$V_s (I_s)_{avg} = V_o I_o$$

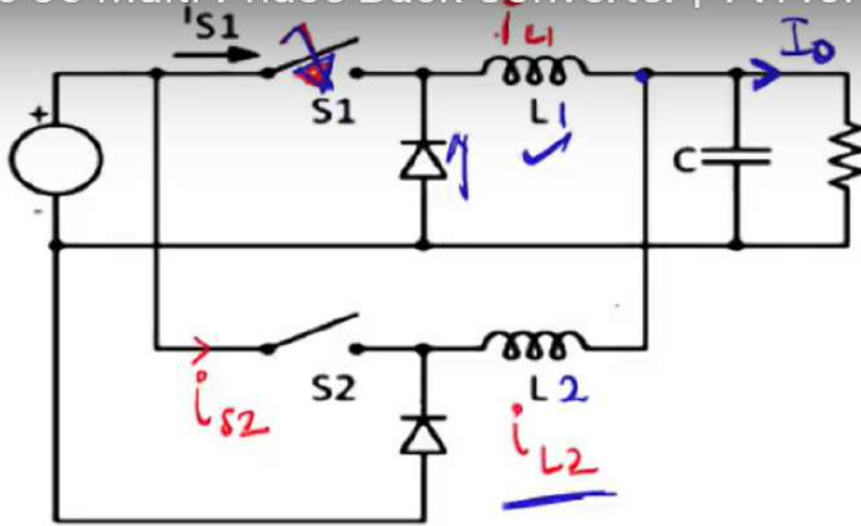
$$(I_s)_{avg} = \frac{D}{1-D} I_o \quad : \text{Buck-Boost}$$

$$(I_s)_{avg} = \frac{I_o}{1-D} \quad : \text{Boost}$$

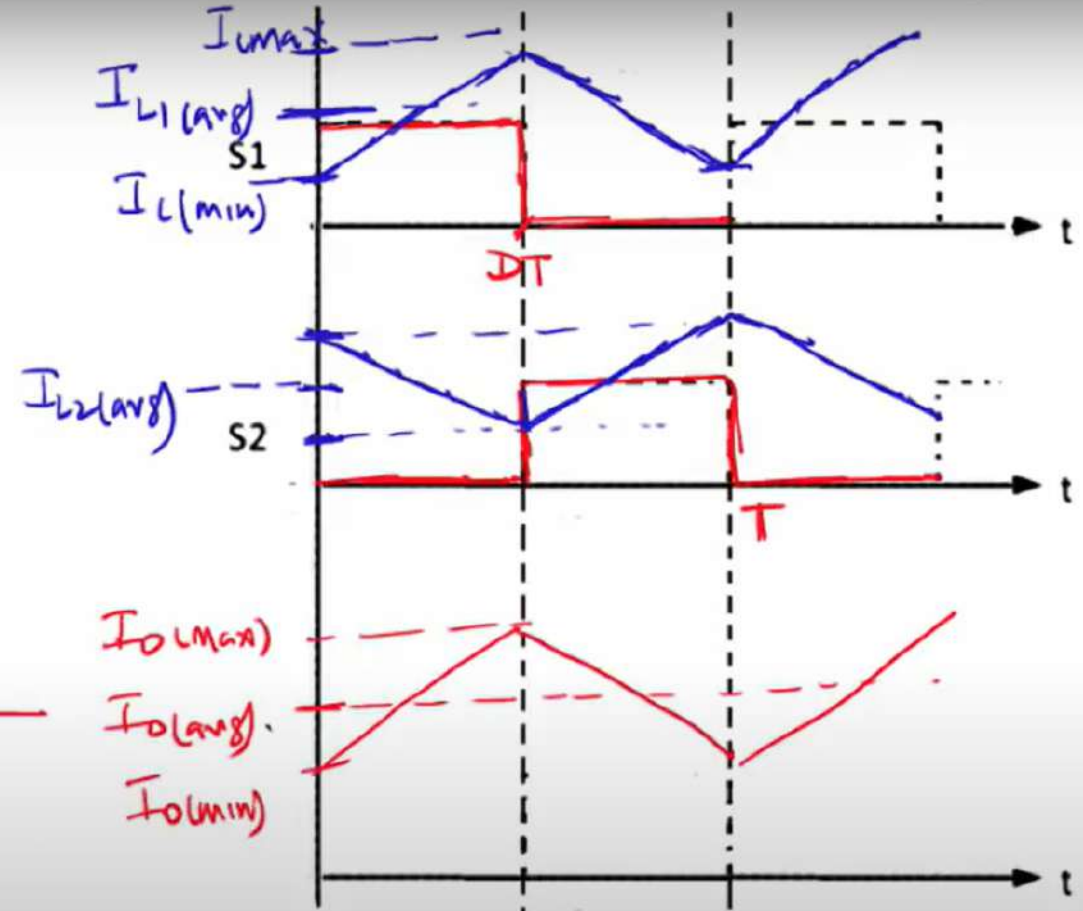
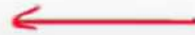
$$(I_s)_{avg} = D I_o \quad : \text{Buck}$$

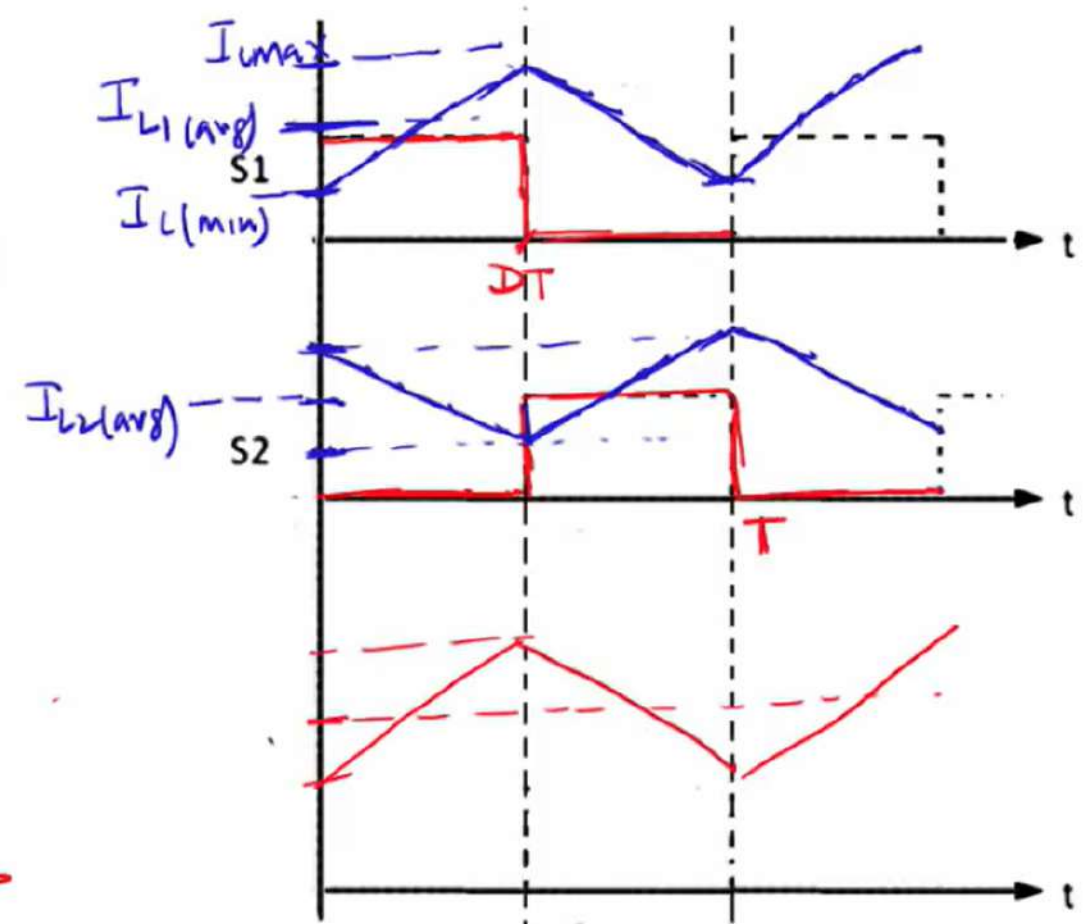
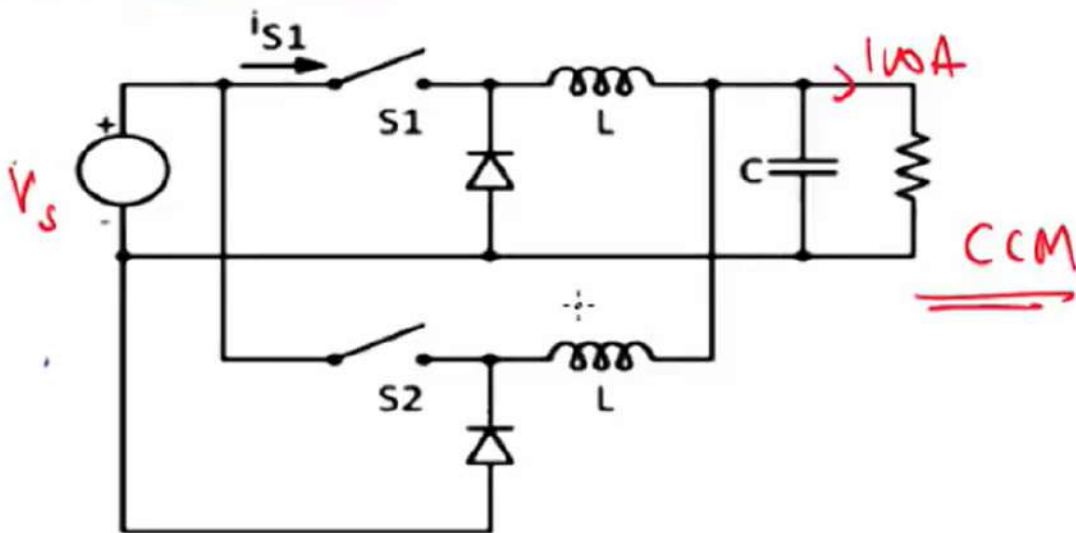


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$$\underline{I_o(\text{avg}) = I_{L1}(\text{avg}) + I_{L2}(\text{avg})}$$





### Conclusion

- ① Load sharing
- ② Size reduces
- ③  $V_o = DV_s$



Q:  $V_s = 12V$

$V_o = 5V$

$R_o = 500\Omega$

$\Delta V = 20mV$

$f_{sw} = 25kHz$

$\Delta I = 0.8A$

(a)  $D = 0.417$

(b)  $L = 145.83\mu H$

(c)  $C = 200\mu F$

(d)  $L_c = ?$

$C_c = ?$

$$\Delta V_c = \frac{0.8 \times 1}{8 \times C \times f_{sw}}$$

$$C = \frac{0.8}{20 \times 10^{-3} \times 8 \times 25 \times 10^3}$$

$$= 200\mu F$$

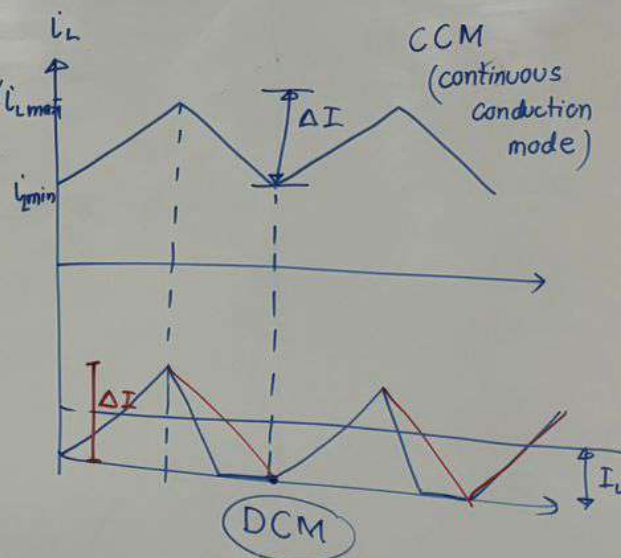
Critical Inductance:

$$\Delta I = I_L \times 2 = I_o \times 2$$

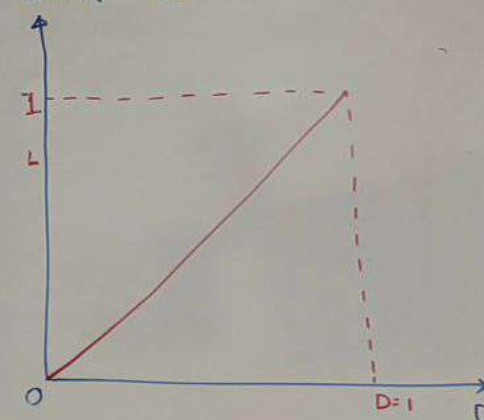
$$\Rightarrow \frac{V_s'(1-D)D}{L_c \times f_{sw}} = 2 \times \frac{V_o}{R} = \frac{2 \times D \times I_{Lmax}}{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow L_c = \frac{(1-D)R}{2f_{sw}}$$

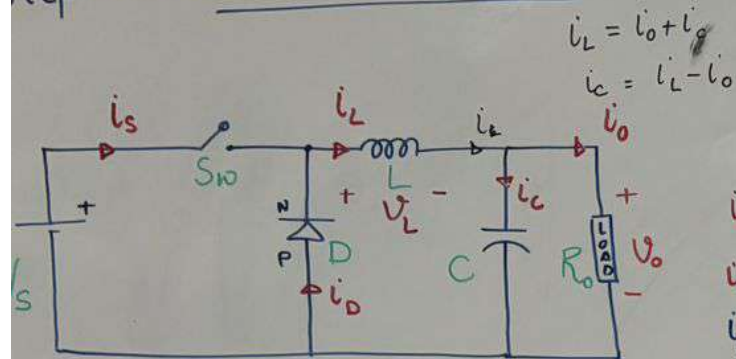
$$C_c = \frac{(1-D)}{16Lf_{sw}^2}$$



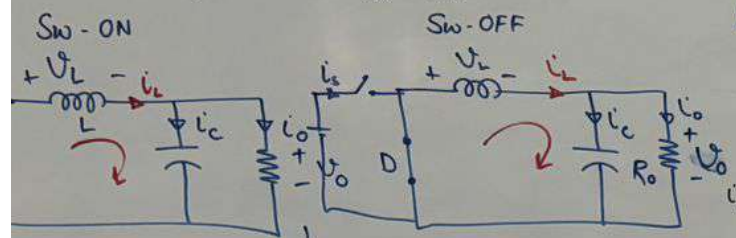
Gain ( $V_o/V_s$ )



# step-down (Buck Converter) :-



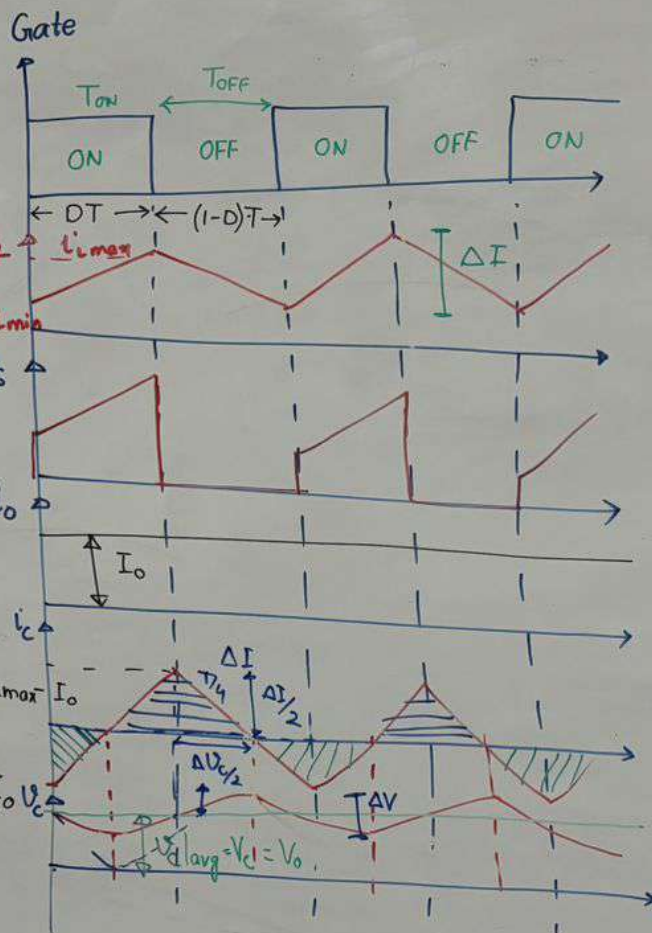
$$D = \text{duty ratio} = \frac{T_{ON}}{T_{ON} + T_{OFF}} = \frac{T_{ON}}{T}$$



$$I = \frac{(V_s - V_o)}{L} \times T_{ON} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$V_o = D \times V_s \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\Delta I = \frac{V_o \times T_{OFF}}{L} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$



from ① and ② :-

$$T_{ON} = \frac{L \Delta I}{V_s - V_o}$$

$$T_{OFF} = \frac{L \Delta I}{V_o}$$

$$T = T_{ON} + T_{OFF} = \frac{1}{f_{sw}} = L \Delta I \left\{ \frac{1}{V_s - V_o} + \frac{1}{V_o} \right\}$$

$$T = L \Delta I \left\{ \frac{V_o + V_s - V_o}{(V_s - V_o) V_o} \right\}$$

$$\Delta I = \frac{(V_s - V_o) V_o}{V_s \times L \times f_{sw}}$$

$$\Delta I = \frac{V_s (1-D) \times D}{L \times f_{sw}}$$

$$\Delta V_c = \frac{1}{C} \int i_c dt$$

$$\Delta V_c = \frac{1}{C} \int_0^{T_{ON}} \frac{\Delta I}{2} \times dt$$

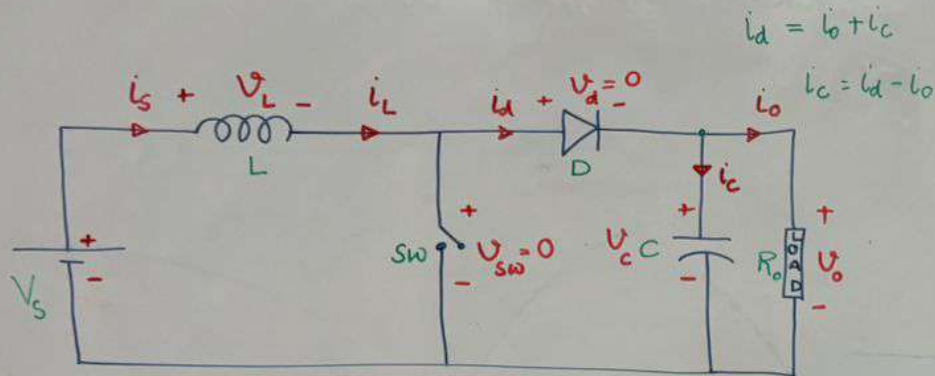
$$\Delta V_c = \frac{1}{C} \times \frac{\Delta I}{2} \times \frac{T}{4}$$

$$\Delta V_c = \frac{\Delta I T}{8 C}$$

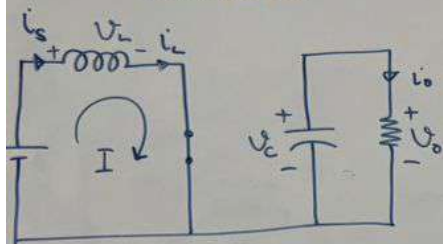
$$\Delta V_c = \frac{V_s (1-D) \times D}{C L \times f_{sw}^2 \times 8}$$



# Boost Converter (step-up regulator) :-

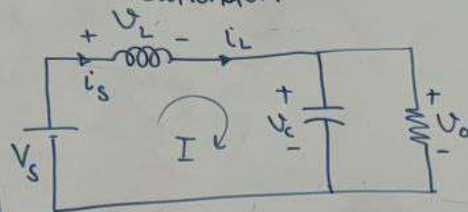


Switched ON

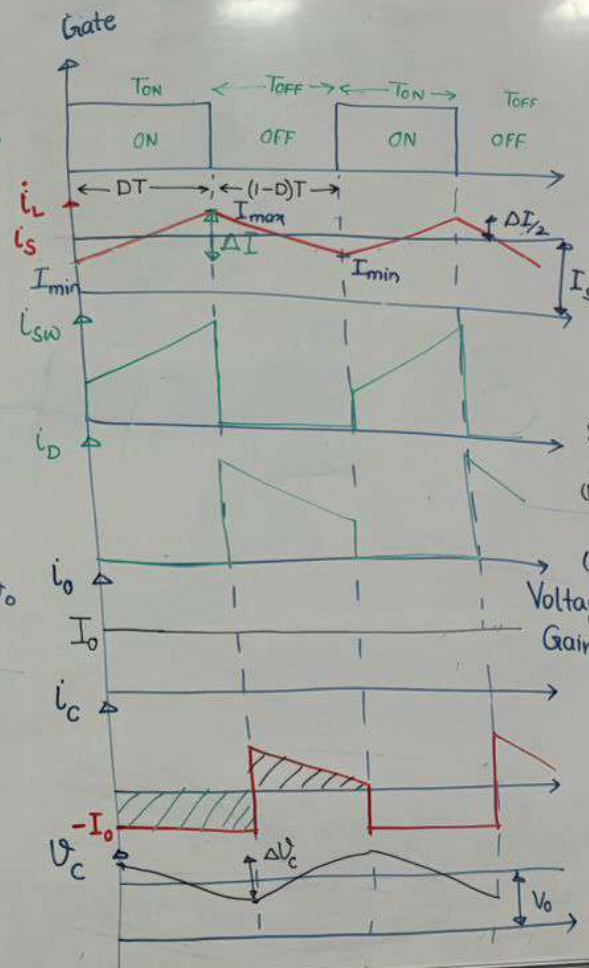


$$\begin{aligned}
 V_s - V_L &= 0 \\
 \Rightarrow V_s - L \frac{di_L}{dt} &= 0 \\
 \Rightarrow V_s - L \frac{\Delta I}{T_{ON}} &= 0 \\
 V_s &= \frac{L \Delta I}{T_{ON}} \quad \text{--- ①}
 \end{aligned}$$

Switched OFF



$$\begin{aligned}
 V_s - V_L - V_o &= 0 \\
 \Rightarrow V_s - L \frac{di_L}{dt} - V_o &= 0 \\
 \Rightarrow V_s + L \frac{\Delta I}{T_{OFF}} - V_o &= 0 \\
 L \frac{\Delta I}{T_{OFF}} &= V_o - V_s \quad \text{--- ②}
 \end{aligned}$$



$$L \Delta I = V_s * T_{ON} = (V_o - V_s) T_{OFF}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_s * DT = (V_o - V_s) (1-D)T$$

$$\Rightarrow V_s * D = V_o - V_s - DV_o + DV_s$$

$$V_s = V_o (1-D)$$

$$V_o = \frac{V_s}{(1-D)}$$

Since,  $0 < D < 1$

$$(1) \quad V_o \geq V_s$$

(2) Input current is continuous in nature

