

Comparative Study of Closed Loop Analysis of Single Inductor Dual Output Buck Converter with Mix-Voltage Conversion Using PI and Fuzzy Controllers

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Abstract— A single-inductor dual-output (SIDO) buck converter has recently found applications in hand-held battery-powered electronic devices. The circuit operation and the functional interdependencies among basic converter parameters such as dc voltage gains, transistor duty cycles, and load current levels are much more complicated than those of the single-output counterpart. In this paper, a rigorous analysis was conducted to develop dc equations in steady state operation for SIDO converters. More importantly, from the analysis results, a possibility of a new mode of operation, dubbed “mix-voltage” operation, will be pointed out. In the so-called “mix-voltage” operation, the converter is capable of working even when the input voltage is lower than one of the two output voltages. In the past, a SIDO buck converter has been used for providing “pure-buck” outputs, i.e., both output voltages are lower than the input voltage. Therefore, this possibility not only opens up new applications but also extends the operating battery range in existing applications. Simulation results confirmed the dc equations and the “mix-voltage” conversion of SIDO buck converters. The closed loop analysis of SIDO converter in mixvoltage conversion using PI and Fuzzy controllers against load variations is analyzed. Based on the analysis, performance of the converter using both controllers is compared. Simulation results are presented to validate the proposed converter topology.

Index Terms— DC–DC power converters, mix-voltage conversion, single-inductor dual-output (SIDO).

I. INTRODUCTION

A SINGLE-inductor dual-output (SIDO) buck converter has recently found applications in hand-held battery-powered electronic devices, which require dual outputs but no electrical isolation [1]–[3]. The main attraction of a SIDO lies in the fact that dual regulated outputs can be provided with relatively low cost and small size. The circuit diagram of SIDO Buck converter may look simple but the circuit operation and the functional interdependencies among basic converter parameters such as dc voltage gains, transistor duty cycles, and load current levels are much more complicated than the counterparts of a conventional single-output buck converter.

In this paper, a rigorous analysis in steady-state operation would be conducted to develop useful equations for design purposes. More importantly, from the analysis results, a possibility of a new mode of operation, dubbed “mix-voltage” operation would be pointed out. In the so-called “mix-voltage” operation, the input voltage can be lower than one of the output voltages, as opposed to conventional “pure-buck” operation in which input voltage must be higher than both output voltages. This implies that the input battery may operate down to a voltage level lower than previously thought possible. This may also mean that a single battery, instead of two in series, is sufficient in some applications.

In case of load variations, output voltage of a power supply is not regulated. In order to regulate the output voltage and predict the performance of the device against load variations, closed loop analysis of the converter is necessary. Hence the closed loop analysis of the SIDO converter using PI and Fuzzy controller is done and the performance of the device is compared.

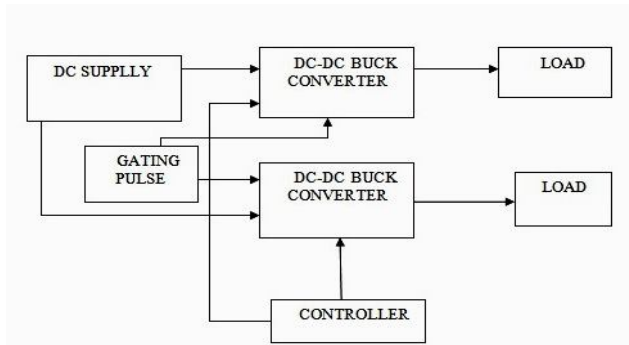


Fig.1: Functional Block Diagram

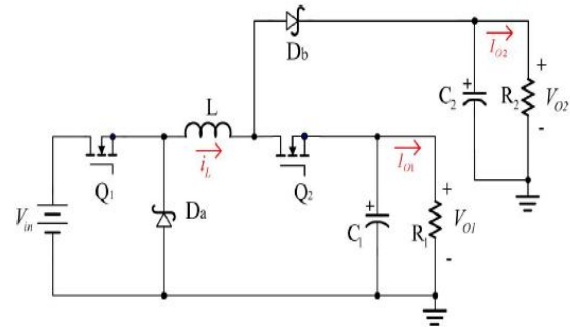


Fig:2 SIDO Buck converter circuit diagram

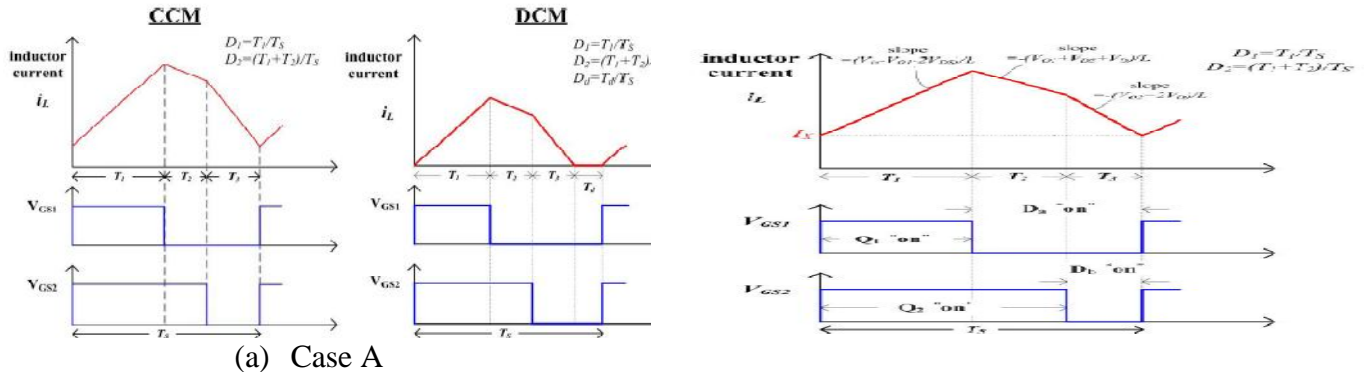
The paper has been organized as follows: Chapter II gives a basic review of SIDO buck converter. Analytical equations relevant to continuous and discontinuous conduction mode, dc voltage gains, and duty cycles will be developed for both the “pure-buck” and the “mix voltage” operations. It also describes an algorithm for determining the SIDO Buck-operating mode and duty cycle values. Chapter III describes mix voltage conversion and also derives an equation to estimate the mix-voltage conversion minimum operable input voltage. Since a SIDO buck converter is mostly used in low voltage applications, semiconductor switch conduction voltage drops will be included in the analysis for accuracy. Chapter IV describes the closed loop analysis of the SIDO buck converter using PI and Fuzzy controllers. Chapter V explains the MATLAB simulation of SIDO buck converter using the controllers. Chapter VI gives results of simulation and the performance comparison of the device using both the controllers. Finally, conclusions of this work are summarized in Chapter VII.

II OPERATION OF SIDO BUCK CONVERTER

The power circuit diagram of a SIDO buck converter is shown in fig:2

A SIDO buck converter can be operated in both the continuous conduction mode (CCM) [2], [5]–[10] and discontinuous conduction mode (DCM) [11], [12], just like a conventional single-output buck converter. Fig. 2 shows the waveforms of the inductor current and transistor duty cycles with a time multiplexing control scheme [13] for both the CCM and DCM operations. According to the relative magnitude of transistor $Q1$ duty cycle $D1$ and transistor $Q2$ duty cycle $D2$, the waveforms are given for three cases: Case A ($D1 < D2$), Case B ($D1 = D2$), and Case C ($D1 > D2$). In the CCM operation, there are three periods: $T1$ is the duration when both transistors $Q1$ and $Q2$ are ON. During this period, diodes Da and Db are OFF and the power is provided to $VO1$ only. The period $T2$ is the period when only one of the transistors is in conduction. If $Q1$, instead of $Q2$, is in conduction, then the inductor current flows through Db and the power is provided to $VO2$ only. Otherwise, it flows through Da and the power is provided to $VO1$ only. The period $T3$ is the period when both transistors are OFF. The inductor current is then flowing through Da and Db , and the power is provided only to $VO2$. Notice that $D1$ is, therefore, equal to $T1/TS$ or $(T1 + T2)/TS$, where TS is the conversion switching period, depending upon whether it is Case A, B, or C. The same situation applies to $D2$. It is also clear that there is no $T2$ period for Case B. All of these are shown along with the waveforms in Fig. 2. For the DCM operation, there is an additional period Td when the inductor current stays at zero and none of the switches is on. The duty cycle Dd is defined as Td/TS .

B.Derivation for the DC Equations in CCM



(a) Case A

(b) Case B

(c) Case C

Fig.3. Operating waveforms of a SIDO buck converter for both the CCM and DCM operations

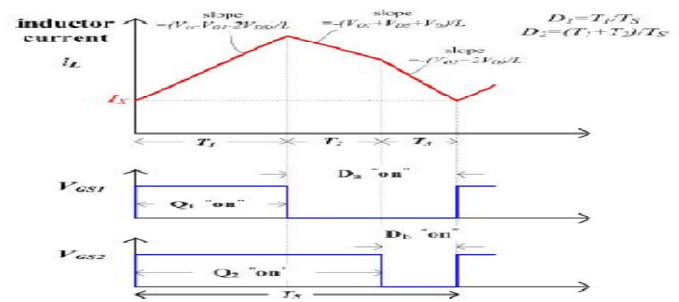


Fig.4. Inductor current waveform in CCM

Fig.4 shows the inductor current waveform of Case A of CCM. From the waveform, the input average current I_{in} is the average of the $Q1$ current, i.e., the area below the inductor current waveform during the $T1$ period divided by the total period TS . This leads to (1). Similarly, (2) can be obtained by equating the output current $IO1$ to the average of the inductor current of the $Q2$ current. And (3) can be obtained by equating the output current $IO2$ to the average of the Db current. In the equations, V_{in} is the input voltage, V_D and V_{DS} are, respectively, the conduction voltage drops of diodes and transistors, and $VO1$ and $VO2$ are the output voltages. I_X is the valley of the inductor current and TS is the conversion switching period.

$$I_{in} = \frac{T_S}{2L} (V_{in} - 2V_{DS} - V_{O1}) D_1^2 + I_X D_1 \quad (1)$$

$$I_{O1} = \frac{T_S}{2L} [V_{in} D_1 (2D_2 - D_1) - V_{O1} D_2^2 + V_{DS} (D_1^2 - 2D_1 D_2 - D_2^2) - V_D (D_2 - D_1)^2] + I_X D_2 \quad (2)$$

$$I_{O2} = \frac{T_S}{2L} (V_{O2} + 2V_D)(1 - D_2) + I_X(1 - D_2) \quad (3)$$

Using the principle of conservation of energy, (4) can be obtained, where the left-hand side is the total input power, the first two terms of the right-hand side represent the total output power, and the remaining two terms are the power losses of the MOSFET and diode switches.

$$V_{in} I_{in} = V_{O1} I_{O1} + V_{O2} I_{O2} + V_{DS} [I_{in} + I_{O1}] + V_D [I_{O1} - I_{in} + 2I_{O2}] \quad (4)$$

From the four simultaneous equations (1)–(4), the two variables I_X and I_{in} can be eliminated. Two independent equations remain. These two independent equations can be simplified further using (5), which can be obtained from a

consideration of the inductor volt-second balance in the steady state.

$$(V_{in} - V_{o1} - 2V_{DS})D_1 = (V_{o1} + V_{DS} + V_D)(D_2 - D_1) + (V_{o2} + 2V_D)(1 - D_2) \quad (5)$$

DC equations for Case A of CCM can then be obtained as (6) and (7). Normally the values of $V_D, V_{DS}, L, I_{o1}, I_{o2}, I_{in}, T_s$ are given. The values D_1 and D_2 can then be found by solving the two simultaneous (6) and (7), if the values of V_{O1} and V_{O2} are specified. On the other hand, the values V_{O1} and V_{O2} can be found by solving the same set of equations, if the values D_1 and D_2 are specified. The DC equations for

the other two Cases of CCM operation can be obtained in a similar fashion.

C. Derivation for the DC Equations in DCM

The DC equations of a SIDO converter in DCM operation will be derived as follows. Case A will be used for the illustration of detailed derivation. Compared to a CCM operation, there are two differences in writing the equations for DCM operation. First, I_X is zero and an additional variable, duty cycle Dd , is involved. Setting I_X equal to zero and including the variable Dd in (2) and (3) leads, respectively, to (10) and (11). From the consideration of the inductor volt-second balance in the steady-state DCM operation, (12) can be obtained.

D. Algorithm for Determining the SIDO Buck-Operating Mode and Duty Cycle Values

Normally, converter component values and operating conditions are given. From the equations in Tables II and III, one can see that if duty cycles D_1 , D_2 , and Dd are known, then proper Case and, therefore, proper equations can be selected to solve for the output voltages V_{O1} and V_{O2} . However, it is more difficult to do that the other way around, that is, to determine the duty cycle values from the specified output voltage values. This is because, to use the proper equations, one needs to know in advance in which mode (CCM or DCM) and in which Case (A, B, or C) the converter is being operated. This information can only be found out with an elaborate procedure. Hence an algorithm is proposed to do that which is shown in fig.5

In the top block, a set of values including output voltages, component values, switching period, and input voltage are given. In Step 1, one assumes that the converter operates in Case C of DCM, and therefore, uses the corresponding equations to find out the values D_1 , D_2 , and Dd . In Step 2, Dd is used to determine the converter operation mode. If

Dd is within the range of $[0, 1]$, then it is a DCM operation. If not, then it is a CCM operation. In Step D3, the duty cycle D_1 and D_2 values are checked to see if they stay in proper boundary. Obviously, they cannot be a complex number and have to be within the range of $[0, 1 - Dd]$. If not, then there is no answer to the given set of starting parameters. In other words, it is not possible for a SIDO converter to provide the specified V_{O1} and V_{O2} under the specified conditions and parameters as indicated by Step D7. If otherwise, go to Step D4. In Step D4, it must be checked if $D_1 > D_2$ (Case C) because it was initially assumed to be Case C in Step 1. If the answer is "yes", then the values D_1 , D_2 and Dd obtained in Step 1 are the final answers. Otherwise, go to Step D6 and use Case A or B equations to find out the duty cycle values. The discussion that took place earlier applies to the situation if the decision in Step 2 is "yes". If the decision in Step 2 is "no", then go through the CCM path to Step C3 and first assume it is in Case C and solve for the duty cycles. The rest of the path follows the same logic as used in the DCM path. At the end, either an answer can be found or it is not possible to meet the beginning specifications of the SIDO converter. This flowchart will be used in the next section to illustrate the "mix-voltage" conversion.

III. MIX-VOLTAGE CONVERSION FOR SIDO BUCK CONVERTER

Mix-voltage conversion mode is a new mode of operation proposed in SIDO buck converter. In this mode of operation the converter is capable of operating even when the input voltage is lower than one of the two output voltages. In the past, a SIDO buck converter has been used for providing "pure-buck" outputs, i.e., both output voltages are lower than the input voltage. But in Mix-Voltage it is proved that the converter can give both buck and boost outputs. It means that input can be lower than any one of the output voltages. There is a minimum operable input voltage up to which mix-voltage conversion is possible. Mix voltage conversion can be explained with the help of the previously described flowchart.

Example 1: Converter specifications are given in the following.

$V_{O1} = 1.8V$, $V_{O2} = 3.3V$, $I_{O1} = 500mA$, $I_{O2} = 200mA$, $L = 10 \mu H$, $V_{DS} = 0.01 V$, $V_D = 0.4 V$, and $T_s = 5 \mu s$. The maximum input voltage $V_{in \max} = 5 V$. Find the duty cycle information and the minimum operable input voltage $V_{in \min}$.

Step 1: V_{in} is first set at 5 V and proceeded as follows: Two sets of solutions are obtained using (13)–(15).

$(D1, D2, Dd) = \{(-0.6763, -0.7931, 2.255) \text{ and } (0.6763, 0.7931, -0.2546)\}$

even when the input battery voltage is well below $VO2$ value of 3.3 V.

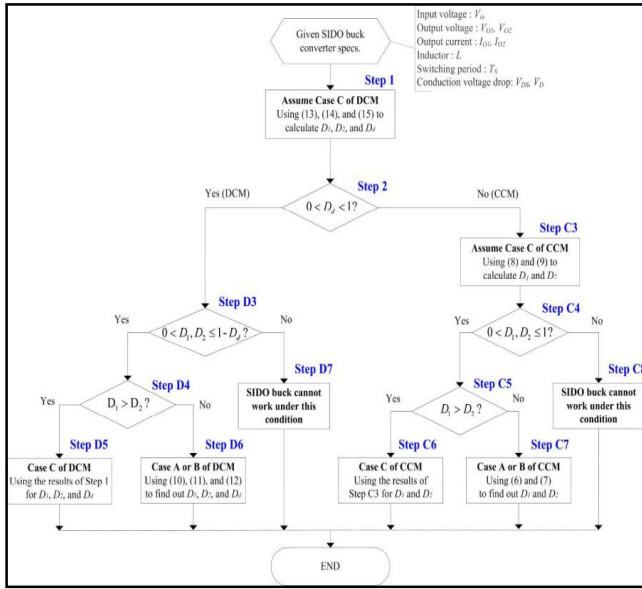


Fig.5:Flowchart to determine the converter operating mode and duty cycle values

Step 2: Since Dd is outside the range of $[0, 1]$ for both solutions, the converter works in CCM; therefore, go to Step C3.

Step C3: One set of solution is obtained $(D1, D2) = (0.5335, 0.6478)$ using (8) and (9).

Step C4: $D1$ and $D2$ stay within boundary.

Step C5: Need to check if $D1 > D2$. It turns out $D1$ is less than $D2$. This means the assumption in Step C3 and the equation used to obtain $D1$ and $D2$ were incorrect. Therefore, go to Step C7. The duty cycles need to be recalculated.

Step C7: Solving for $D1$ and $D2$ using (6) and (7). $(D1, D2) = (0.5268, 0.6670)$.

The data given earlier were obtained for $V_{in} = 5V$. For each selected V_{in} value, the operating duty cycle values can be found as described earlier. It turns out that the converter operates in the CCM for the entire input range. Fig. 6 shows the plot of the resultant duty cycle values versus V_{in} . As V_{in} is decreased, the $D1$ curve intersects with the $D1 = 1$ line at $V_{in \text{ min}}$. This crossover point is the minimum input voltage that the converter specifications can still be met by the converter because $D1$ must be no more than unity. From the figure, $V_{in \text{ min}}$ is about 2.36 V, which lies between $VO1$ and $VO2$. This is mix-voltage conversion. This example shows that the converter is capable of operating

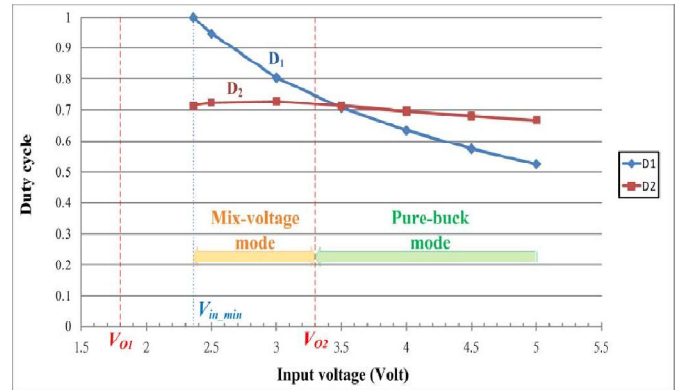


Fig.6: Plots of duty cycle values versus V_{in} for Example 1.

Example 2: The converter specifications are the same as those of Example 1 except that the load current levels are smaller: $IO1 = 50mA$ and $IO2 = 20mA$. By applying the same procedure, it was found that this is a DCM case. For DCM operation, $V_{in \text{ min}}$ occurs at the intersecting voltage of the $D1$ curve and $(1 - Dd)$ curve. In this case, mix-voltage conversion is possible, as it can be seen that $V_{in \text{ min}} < VO2$.

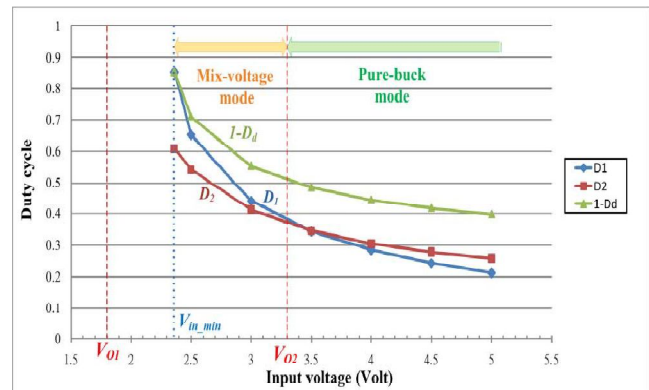


Fig.7: Plots of duty cycle values versus V_{in} for Example 2

A Determination of the Minimum Operable Input Voltage

From the examples, one can find out the converter operating mode (CCM or DCM), the various duty cycle values, and the minimum operable input voltage $V_{in \text{ min}}$. However, it would be much more convenient to the designers if $V_{in \text{ min}}$ can be calculated by an analytical expression. The following paragraph will discuss this issue.

For the first example in CCM operation $V_{in\ min}$ occur when D_1 is equal to unity. Therefore, by setting $D_1 = 1$ in (8) and (9) and eliminating D_2 for the two equations, (16) can be obtained

$$V_{in\ min} = V_{O1} + V_{DS} + \frac{(V_{O2} + V_D - V_{O1} - V_{DS})I_{O2}}{I_{O1} + I_{O2}} \quad (16)$$

Equations (8) and (9), instead of (6) and (7), are used because $D_1 > D_2$ under this condition. Similarly, for example 2, a DCM operation, $V_{in\ min}$ occurs when the curve of D_1 intersects $(1 - Dd)$. Therefore, by using (13)–(15) and $D_1 = (1 - Dd)$ and by eliminating D_2 and Dd from the three equations, one can obtain $V_{in\ min}$. It turns out, surprisingly, that (16) applies to both the CCM and DCM operations.

IV. CLOSED LOOP ANALYSIS OF SIDO BUCK CONVERTER

In a power supply, the load variations are common load variations means sudden change of output current. In open loop, during load variations the output voltage of the converter is not regulated due to the effect of disturbances. Because of this issue closed loop analysis of the converter is proposed. In open loop, to get the regulated output voltage, we have to manually change the duty cycle of the switches. So the main purpose of closed loop control is to automatically control the duty cycle of the switches to regulate the output to a steady value with settling time, peak overshoot, integrated square error and steady state error as minimum.

The main purpose of closed loop control is to reduce the effect of disturbance on the output and to maintain the output to a steady value. In order to maintain the output voltage to a regulated value, we have to automatically control the duty cycle of the switches. To automatically control the duty cycle of the switches, controllers are used. The output voltage of the converter is compared with reference voltage and error signal is produced. The error signal is given to the controller. The output of the controller is compared with a saw tooth signal and PWM signal is generated. These control signals are given as gating pulses for the switches. Hence the duty cycle of the switches is adjusted and output voltage can be regulated. In this project, PI controller and Fuzzy controllers are used for closed loop analysis. The comparative study of performance of the SIDO buck converter in mix-voltage conversion using both the controllers is done.

In this paper, fuzzy controller is designed using the following rule base. The rule bases are developed based on the SLIDING RULE.

- 1.If (Error is NB) and (CE is NB)then (output is NB) (1)
- 2.If (Error is NB) and (CE is NS)then (output is NB) (1)
- 3 If (Error is NB) and (CE is ZE)then (output is NS) (1)
- 4.If (Error is NB) and (CE is PS)then (output is NS) (1)
- 5.If (Error is NB) and (CE is PB)then (output is ZE) (1)
- 6.If (Error is NS) and (CE is NB)then (output is NB) (1)
- 7.If (Error is NS) and (CE is NS)then (output is NS) (1)
- 8.If (Error is NS) and (CE is ZE)then (output is NS) (1)
- 9.If (Error is NS) and (CE is PS)then (output is ZE) (1)
- 10.If (Error is NS) and (CE is PB)then (output is PS) (1)
- 11.If (Error is ZE) and (CE is NB)then (output is NS) (1)
- 12.If (Error is ZE) and (CE is NS)then (output is NS) (1)
- 13.If (Error is ZE) and (CE is ZE)then (output is ZE) (1)
- 14.If (Error is ZE) and (CE is PS)then (output is PS) (1)
- 15.If (Error is ZE) and (CE is PB)then (output is PS) (1)
- 16.If (Error is PS) and (CE is NB)then (output is NS) (1)
- 17.If (Error is PS) and (CE is NS)then (output is ZE) (1)
- 18.If (Error is PS) and (CE is ZE)then (output is PS) (1)
- 19.If (Error is PS) and (CE is PS)then (output is PS) (1)
- 20.If (Error is PS) and (CE is PB)then (output is PB) (1)
- 21.If (Error is PB) and (CE is NB)then (output is ZE) (1)
- 22.If (Error is PB) and (CE is NS)then (output is PS) (1)
- 23.If (Error is PB) and (CE is ZE)then (output is PS) (1)
- 24.If (Error is PB) and (CE is PS)then (output is PB) (1)
- 25.If (Error is PB) and (CE is PB)then (output is PB) (1)

V. SIMULATION

In this section the matlab simulation of the proposed model is explained.

A. MATLAB/SIMULINK SIMULATION

The MATLAB/SIMULINK simulation diagram of the proposed system using PI & Fuzzy controller is shown in Fig.8 &9.

B. Comparative Analysis

Using Simulation, the performance of SIDO buck converter in mixvoltage conversion using both the controllers are compared. The comparison parameters used are (i) Settling time (t_s) in secs
(ii) Peak overshoot (M_p) in volt
(iii) Integrated square error
(iv) Steady state error.

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Table I - DC equations in CCM

| Case | DC equations in CCM |
|--|---|
| Case A($D_1 < D_2$) Or Case B($D_1 = D_2$) | $I_{01} = \frac{[I_{01}(V_{01}+V_{DS}+V_D)+I_{01}(V_{02}+2V_D)]}{(V_{in}-V_{DS}+V_D)D_1} D_2 + \frac{T_S}{2L} (V_{02} + 2V_D)(1 - D_2)(D_1 - D_2) \quad (6)$ $I_{02} = \frac{[I_{01}(V_{01}+V_{DS}+V_D)+I_{02}(V_{02}+2V_D)]}{(V_{in}-V_{DS}+V_D)D_1} (1 - D_2) - \frac{T_S}{2L} (V_{01} + V_{DS} + V_D)(1 - D_2)(D_1 - D_2) \quad (7)$ |
| Case C($D_1 > D_2$) | $I_{01} = \frac{[I_{01}(V_{01}+V_{DS}+V_D)+I_{01}(V_{02}+2V_D)]}{(V_{in}-V_{DS}+V_D)D_1} D_2 + \frac{T_S}{2L} (V_{02} + 2V_D)(1 - D_2)(D_1 - D_2) \frac{D_2}{D_1} \quad (8)$ $I_{02} = \frac{[I_{01}(V_{01}+V_{DS}+V_D)+I_{02}(V_{02}+2V_D)]}{(V_{in}-V_{DS}+V_D)D_1} (1 - D_2) - \frac{T_S}{2L} (V_{01} + V_{DS} + V_D)(1 - D_2)(D_1 - D_2) \frac{D_2}{D_1} \quad (9)$ |

TableII - DC equations in DCM

| Case | DC equations in DCM |
|--|--|
| Case A($D_1 < D_2$) Or Case B($D_1 = D_2$) | $I_{01} = \frac{T_S}{2L} [(V_{in} + V_D - V_{DS})(2D_2 - D_1)D_1 - (V_{01} + V_{DS} - V_D)D_2^2] \quad (10)$ $I_{02} = \frac{T_S}{2L} (V_{02} + 2V_D)(1 - D_2 - D_d)^2 \quad (11)$ $(V_{in} - V_{01} - 2V_{DS})D_1 = (V_{01} + V_{DS} + V_D)(D_2 - D_1) + (V_{02} + 2V_D)(1 - D_2 - D_d) \quad (12)$ |
| Case C($D_1 > D_2$) | $I_{01} = \frac{T_S}{2L} (V_{in} - V_{01} - 2V_{DS})D_2^2 \quad (13)$ $I_{02} = \frac{T_S}{2L} [(V_{02} + 2V_D)(1 - D_2 - D_d)^2 - (V_{in} + V_D - V_{DS})(D_1 - D_2)^2] \quad (14)$ $1 - D_d = \frac{(V_{in}+V_D-V_{DS})D_1 + (V_{02}+V_D-V_{01}-V_{DS})D_2}{V_{02}+2V_D} \quad (15)$ |

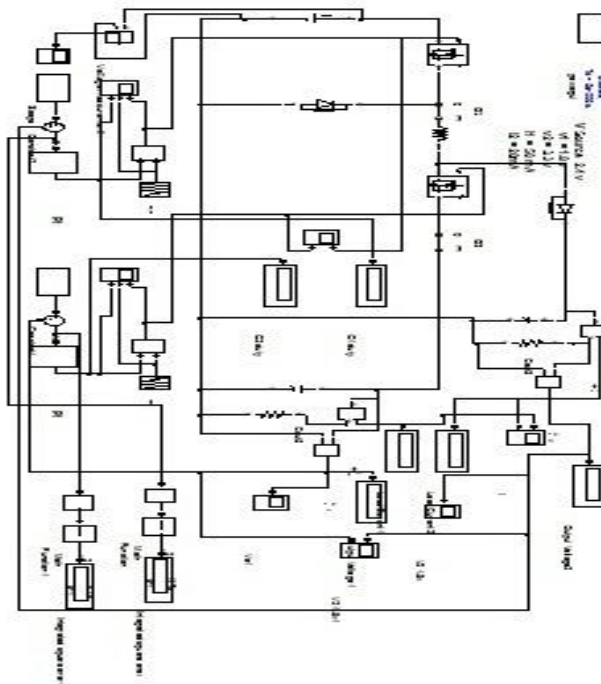


Fig.8:Simulation diagram using PI Controller

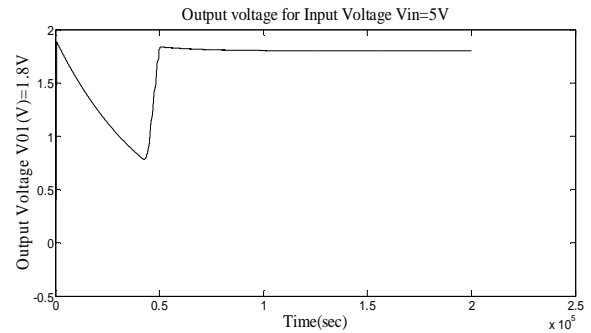


Fig:10:Output voltage V01=1.8V for input voltage Vin=5V using PI controller

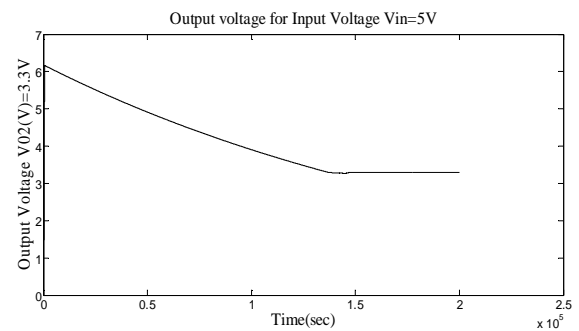


Fig:11:Output voltage V02=3.3V for input voltage Vin=5V using PI controller

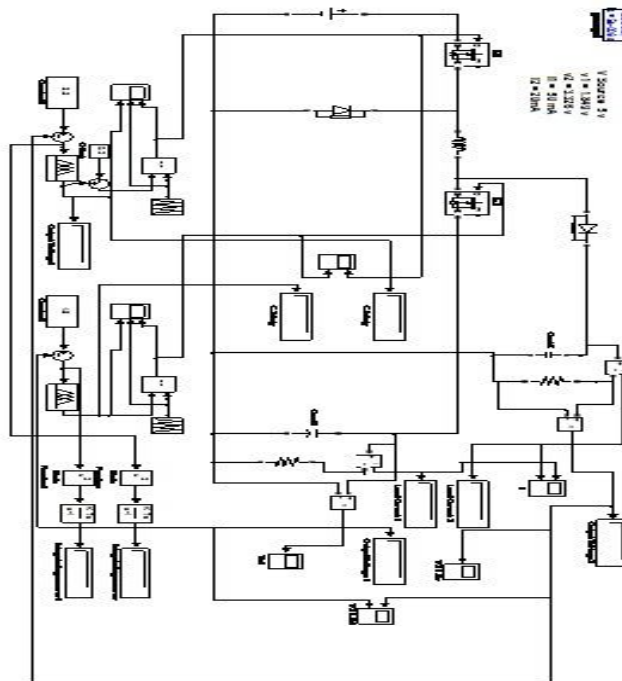


Fig.9:Simulation diagram using Fuzzy Controller

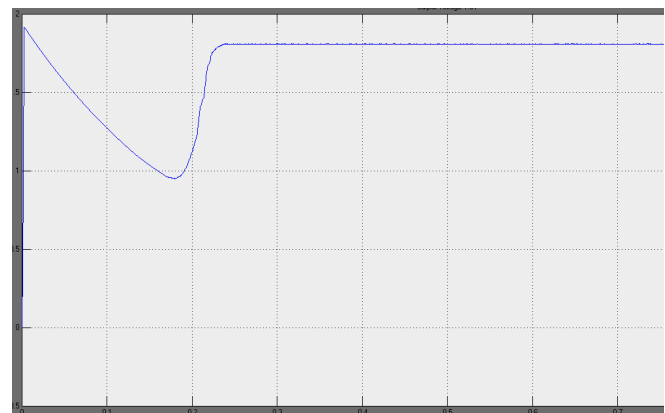


Fig:12:Output voltage V01=1.8V for input voltage Vin=2.4V(minimum operable input voltage) using fuzzy controller

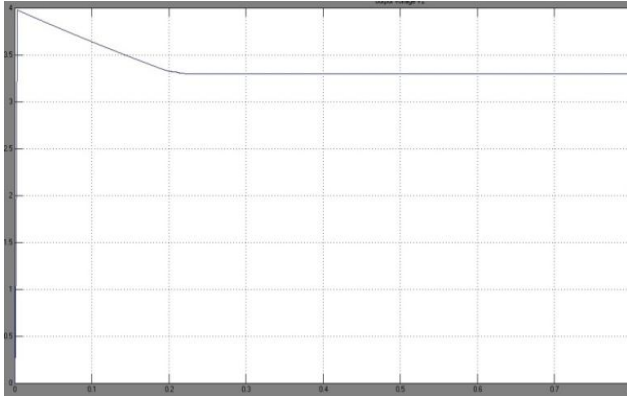


Fig.13:Output voltage V02=3.3V for input voltage Vin=2.4V minimum operable input voltage) using fuzzy controller

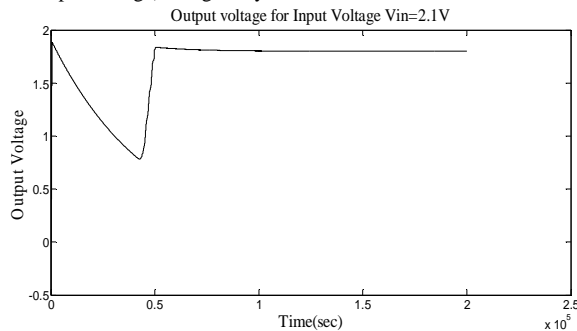


Fig.14:Output voltage V01=1.9V for input voltage Vin=2.1V (below minimum operable input voltage) using PI controller

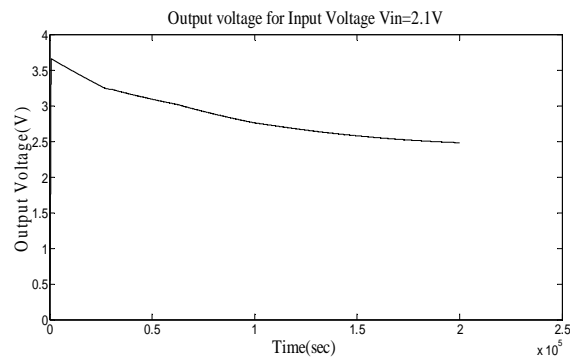


Fig.15:Output voltage V02=2.5V for input voltage Vin=2.1V (below minimum operable input voltage) using PI controller.

**A.Comparitive Charts
For Output Voltage V01=1.8V**

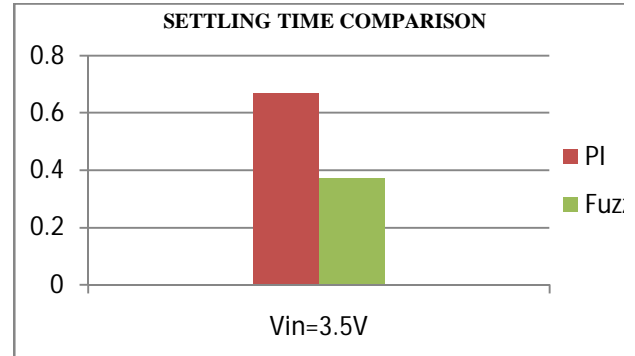


Fig.16: Settling time comparison between PI and Fuzzy for V01=1.8V with Vin=3.5V

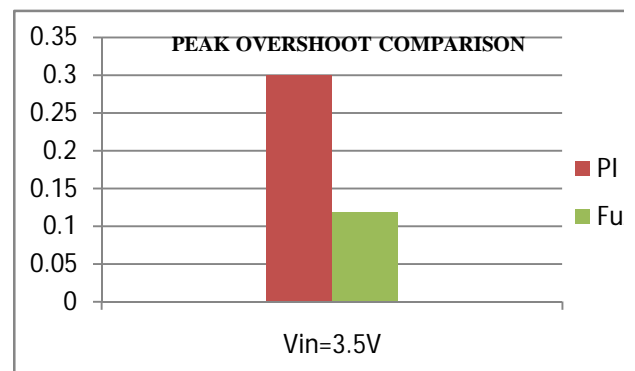


Fig.17: Peak overshoot comparison between PI and Fuzzy for V01=1.8V with Vin=3.5V

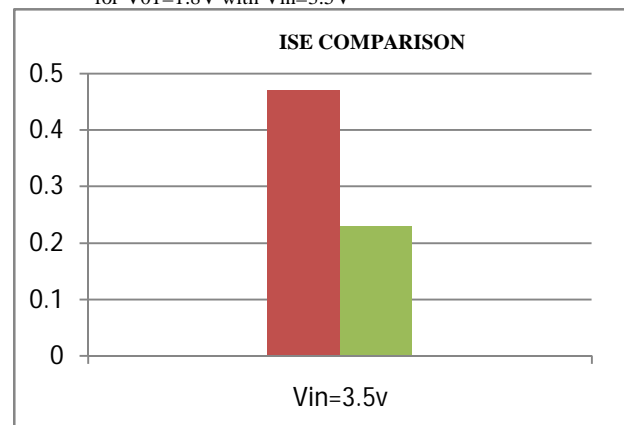


Fig.18: Integrated Square Error comparison between PI and Fuzzy for V01=1.8V with Vin=3.5V

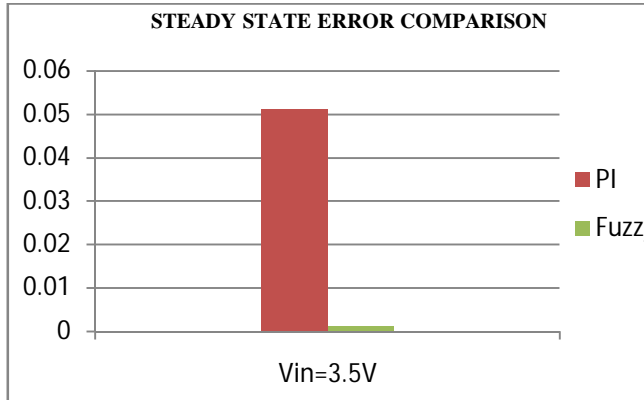


Fig.19:Steady state Error comparison between PI and Fuzzy for V01=1.8V with Vin=3.5V

From the simulation results the following conclusion can be obtained.

- Fuzzy controller requires very low settling time for output voltages compared to PI controller.
- Fuzzy controller causes low peak overshoot in output voltages compared to PI controller.
- The Integrated square error of output voltages is reduced using fuzzy controllers compared to PI controller.
- The Steady state error of output voltages is also reduced using fuzzy controllers compared to PI controller.
- The performance of SIDO buck converter with mix-voltage conversion using Fuzzy controller has good performance in output voltage against load variations compared to PI controller, almost shows the characteristics of an optimal controller.

VII.CONCLUSION

A SIDO buck converter was analyzed for steady-state operation.The various operating modes were explored and design equations were developed. These equations allow the designer to find out intricate relationships among output voltages, transistor duty cycles, and output currents. From the results, a mix-voltage operation was pointed out and demonstrated.

The closed loop analysis of SIDO buck converter in mix-voltage conversion is analysed using PI and Fuzzy controllers. The performance of the converter using both controllers against load variations are analysed and discussed from simulation results.From the comparative analysis of the performance indices of the converter using both controllers in steady state, fuzzy controller shows

better performance in steady state with settling time, peak overshoot, integrated square error and steady state error as minimum. The proposed method opens up new applications and may also extend the input battery operable range for existing applications.This proposed method can be implemented in hardware for future work.

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