



Buck Converter

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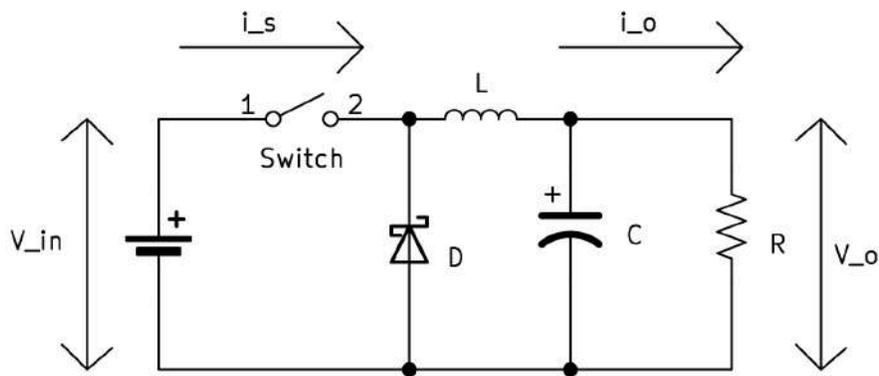


Fig : Buck Converter

Continuous Conduction Mode:

During ON time:

$$L \frac{di}{dt} = V_s - V_o$$

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

During OFF time:

$$L \frac{di}{dt} = -V_o$$

$$\Delta i = \frac{-V_o}{L} T_{OFF}$$

For the steady state operation Total current rise should be zero,

$$\Delta i_{ON} + \Delta i_{OFF} = 0$$

$$\frac{V_s - V_o}{L} T_{ON} + \frac{-V_o}{L} T_{OFF} = 0$$

$$\frac{V_s}{L} T_{ON} - \frac{V_o}{L} (T_{ON} + T_{OFF}) = 0$$

$$V_o = \frac{T_{ON}}{T_{ON} + T_{OFF}} V_s$$

$$V_o = D * V_s$$

$$\text{where, } D = \frac{T_{ON}}{T_{ON} + T_{OFF}}$$

$$\text{Also, } D' = 1 - D$$

Now,

Considering Efficiency(η)= 100%

$$Power_{input} = Power_{output}$$

$$V_s * I_s = V_o * I_o$$

$$I_s = D * I_o$$

Average modelling of switching devices

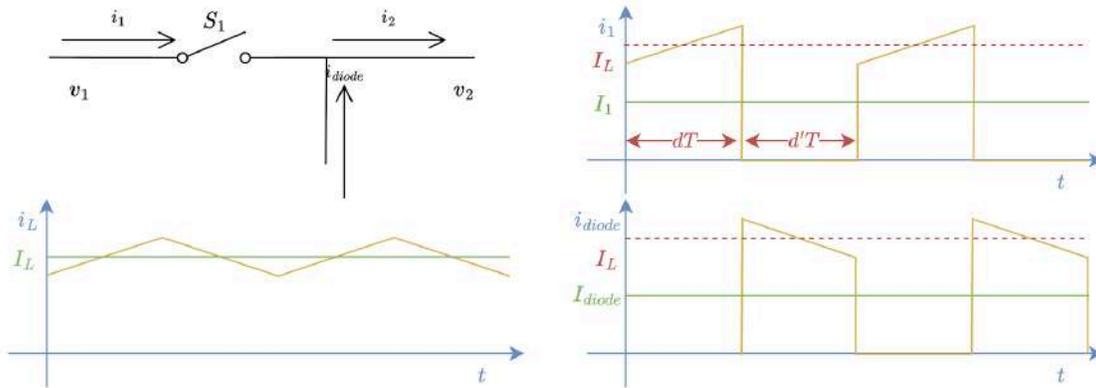


Fig : Average Modelling of switch with perturbation

From above figure from averaging ignoring switching frequency ripple,

$$i_1 = d * i_2 \text{ can be written as,}$$

$$i_1 = d * i_2 \text{ and } I_1 = D * I_2 \text{ for DC (no AC perturbation)}$$

Also, by equating Power,

$$v_2 = d * v_1 \text{ and } V_2 = D * V_1 \text{ for DC (no AC perturbation)}$$

Hence, the equivalent circuit is:

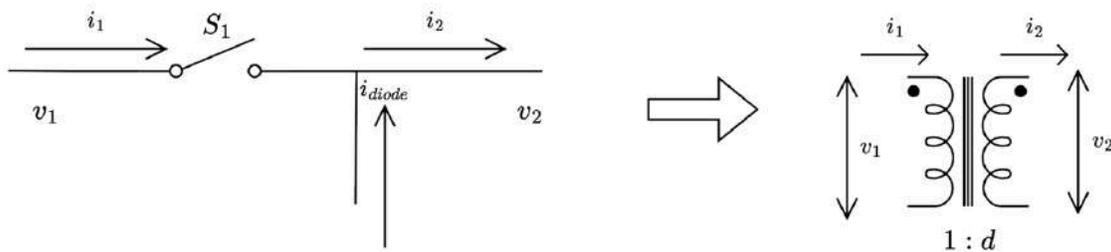


Fig : Equivalent Circuit

The transformer in figure is mathematical object which also works on DC. The transformer winding is which changes with time that makes this transformer non-linear. It is also large signal model

Lets decouple AC and DC part,

$$i_1 = I_1 + \hat{i}_1$$

and

$$i_2 = I_2 + \hat{i}_2$$

$$v_1 = V_1 + \hat{v}_1$$

and

$$v_2 = V_2 + \hat{v}_2$$

$$d = D + \hat{d}$$

and

$$d' = 1 - d = 1 - (D + \hat{d}) = D' - \hat{d}$$

Now, From Average modelling we have,

$$i_1 = d * i_2$$

$$I_1 + \hat{i}_1 = (D + \hat{d}) * (I_2 + \hat{i}_2)$$

$$I_1 + \hat{i}_1 = DI_2 + \hat{d}I_2 + D\hat{i}_2 + \hat{d}\hat{i}_2$$

$$\text{Since, } I_1 = DI_2$$

$$\hat{i}_1 = \hat{d}I_2 + D\hat{i}_2 + \hat{d}\hat{i}_2$$

Here, $\hat{i}_1 \ll I_1, \hat{i}_2 \ll I_2$ and $\hat{d} \ll D$ so $\hat{d}\hat{i}_2 \rightarrow 0$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{i}_1 = \hat{d}I_2 + D\hat{i}_2$$

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Similarly,

$$v_2 = dv_1$$

$$\Rightarrow (V_2 + \hat{v}_2) = (D + \hat{d})(V_1 + \hat{v}_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow V_2 + \hat{v}_2 = DV_1 + \hat{d}V_1 + D\hat{v}_1 + \hat{d}\hat{v}_1$$

$$\text{Since, } V_2 = DV_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{v}_2 = \hat{d}V_1 + D\hat{v}_1 + \hat{d}\hat{v}_1$$

Here, $\hat{v}_1 \ll V_1, \hat{v}_2 \ll V_2$ and $\hat{d} \ll D$ so $\hat{d}\hat{v}_1 \rightarrow 0$

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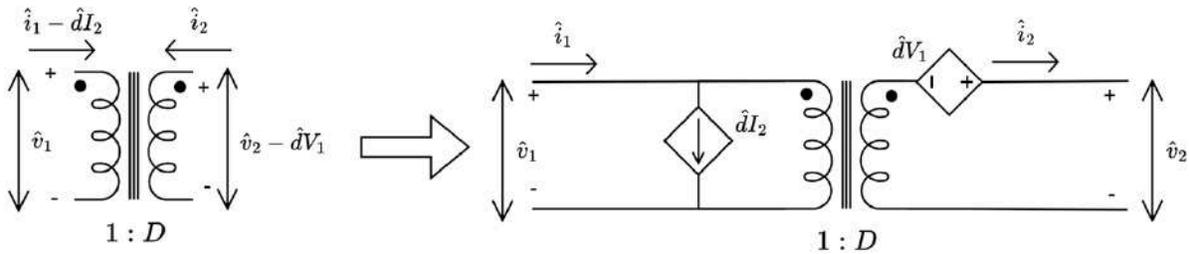


Fig : Equivalent Circuit for small signal analysis

Small Signal Complete Model

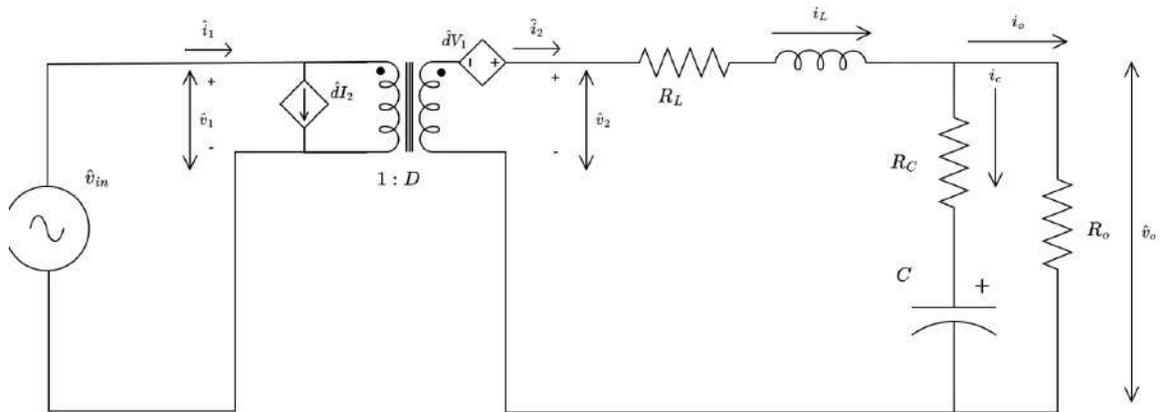


Fig : Small Signal Complete Model

Gain Analysis:

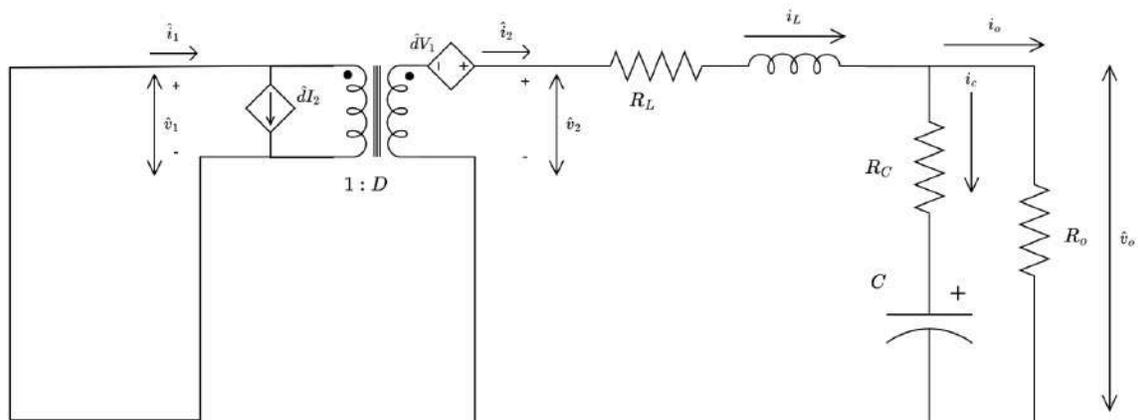


Fig : Small signal model for gain analysis

From the figure in primary side,

$$\Rightarrow \hat{v}_1(s) = 0$$

From the figure in secondary side,

$$\Rightarrow \hat{v}_2(s) - (sL + R_L)\hat{i}_L(s) - \hat{v}_o(s) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{v}_2(s) = (sL + R_L)\hat{i}_L(s) + \hat{v}_o(s)$$

Current through inductor,

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \hat{i}_L(s) &= \hat{v}_o(s) \left(\frac{1}{R_o} + \frac{1}{R_C + \frac{1}{sC}} \right) \\ \Rightarrow \hat{i}_L(s) &= \hat{v}_o(s) \left(\frac{1}{R_o} + \frac{sC}{sR_C C + 1} \right) \\ \Rightarrow \hat{i}_L(s) &= \hat{v}_o(s) \frac{1}{R_o} \left(1 + \frac{sR_o C}{sR_C C + 1} \right) \\ \Rightarrow \hat{i}_L(s) &= \hat{v}_o(s) \frac{1}{R_o} \frac{s(R_o + R_C)C + 1}{sR_C C + 1} \end{aligned}$$

From voltage relation,

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{v}_2 - \hat{d}V_1 &= D\hat{v}_1 \\ \hat{v}_2(s) - \hat{d}(s)V_1 &= D\hat{v}_1(s) \quad \text{In Laplace domain} \\ \Rightarrow (sL + R_L)\hat{i}_L(s) + \hat{v}_o(s) - \hat{d}(s)V_1 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (sL + R_L)\hat{v}_o(s) \frac{1}{R_o} \frac{s(R_o + R_C)C + 1}{sR_C C + 1} + \hat{v}_o(s) - \hat{d}(s)V_1 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \hat{v}_o(s) \left((sL + R_L) \frac{1}{R_o} \frac{s(R_o + R_C)C + 1}{sR_C C + 1} + 1 \right) - \hat{d}(s)V_1 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \hat{v}_o(s) \left(\frac{1}{R_o} \frac{s^2(R_o + R_C)LC + sL + sR_L(R_o + R_C)C + R_L + sR_o R_C C + R_o}{sR_C C + 1} \right) - \hat{d}(s)V_1 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \hat{v}_o(s) \left(\frac{1}{R_o} \frac{s^2(R_o + R_C)LC + s(L + R_L(R_o + R_C)C + R_o R_C C) + R_L + R_o}{sR_C C + 1} \right) - \hat{d}(s)V_1 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \hat{v}_o(s) \left(\frac{R_L + R_o}{R_o} \frac{s^2 \frac{R_o + R_C}{R_L + R_o} LC + s \left(\frac{L}{R_L + R_o} + \frac{R_L(R_o + R_C) + R_o R_C}{R_L + R_o} + 1 \right)}{sR_C C + 1} \right) - \hat{d}(s)V_1 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \hat{v}_o(s) \left(\frac{R_L + R_o}{R_o} \frac{s^2 \frac{R_o + R_C}{R_L + R_o} LC + s \left(\frac{L}{R_L + R_o} + \frac{R_C(R_L + R_o) + R_L R_o}{R_L + R_o} C \right) + 1}{sR_C C + 1} \right) - \hat{d}(s)V_1 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \hat{v}_o(s) \left(\frac{R_L + R_o}{R_o} \frac{s^2 \frac{R_o + R_C}{R_L + R_o} LC + s \left(\frac{L}{R_L + R_o} + (R_C + \frac{R_L R_o}{R_L + R_o}) C \right) + 1}{sR_C C + 1} \right) - \hat{d}(s)V_1 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \hat{v}_o(s) \left(\frac{R_L + R_o}{R_o} \frac{s^2 \frac{R_o + R_C}{R_L + R_o} LC + s \sqrt{\frac{R_o + R_C}{R_L + R_o}} LC \left(\frac{\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}}{\sqrt{(R_L + R_o)(R_o + R_C)}} + \left(\frac{R_C \sqrt{R_L + R_o}}{\sqrt{R_o + R_C}} + \frac{R_L R_o}{\sqrt{(R_L + R_o)(R_o + R_C)}} \right) \sqrt{\frac{C}{L}} \right) + 1}{sR_C C + 1} \right) - \hat{d}(s)V_1 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \hat{v}_o(s) \left(\frac{R_L + R_o}{R_o} \frac{s^2 \frac{R_o + R_C}{R_L + R_o} LC + s \sqrt{\frac{R_o + R_C}{R_L + R_o}} LC \left(\frac{\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}}{\sqrt{(R_L + R_o)(R_o + R_C)}} + \frac{R_C R_L + R_C R_o + R_L R_o}{\sqrt{(R_L + R_o)(R_o + R_C)}} \sqrt{\frac{C}{L}} \right) + 1}{sR_C C + 1} \right) - \hat{d}(s)V_1 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \hat{v}_o(s) \left(\frac{R_L + R_o}{R_o} \frac{s^2 \frac{R_o + R_C}{R_L + R_o} LC + s \sqrt{\frac{R_o + R_C}{R_L + R_o}} LC \left(\frac{\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}}{\sqrt{(R_L + R_o)(R_o + R_C)}} + \frac{R_C R_L + R_C R_o + R_L R_o}{\sqrt{(R_L + R_o)(R_o + R_C)}} \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}} \right) + 1}{sR_C C + 1} \right) - \hat{d}(s)V_1 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{\hat{v}_o(s)}{\hat{d}(s)V_1} &= \frac{R_o}{R_L + R_o} \frac{sR_C C + 1}{s^2 \frac{R_o + R_C}{R_L + R_o} LC + s \sqrt{\frac{R_o + R_C}{R_L + R_o}} LC \left(\frac{\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}}{\sqrt{(R_L + R_o)(R_o + R_C)}} + \frac{R_C R_L + R_C R_o + R_L R_o}{\sqrt{(R_L + R_o)(R_o + R_C)}} \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}} \right) + 1} \end{aligned}$$

$$DC \text{ quantities are : } V_1 = V_s, V_2 = DV_s, I_L = I_2 = I_o = \frac{I_s}{D} = \frac{V_o}{R_o} = \frac{DV_s}{R_o}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\hat{v}_o(s)}{\hat{d}(s)} = V_s \frac{R_o}{R_L + R_o} \frac{sR_o C + 1}{1 + s \sqrt{\frac{R_o + R_C}{R_L + R_o}} LC \left(\frac{\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}}{\sqrt{(R_L + R_o)(R_o + R_C)}} + \frac{R_C R_L + R_C R_o + R_L R_o}{\sqrt{(R_L + R_o)(R_o + R_C)} \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}} \right) + s^2 \frac{R_o + R_C}{R_L + R_o} LC}$$

$$\Rightarrow G_{d2v_o}(s) = G_{d2v_o}(0) \frac{\left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_{esr}}\right)}{1 + \frac{s}{\omega_o Q} + \left(\frac{s}{\omega_o}\right)^2}$$

where,

$$G_{d2v_o}(s) = V_s \frac{R_o}{R_L + R_o}, \omega_{esr} = \frac{1}{R_C C}, \omega_o = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{R_o + R_C}{R_L + R_o}} LC} \text{ and}$$

$$Q = \frac{1}{\frac{\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}}{\sqrt{(R_L + R_o)(R_o + R_C)}} + \frac{\frac{R_C R_L + R_C R_o + R_L R_o}{\sqrt{(R_L + R_o)(R_o + R_C)}}}{\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}}}$$

Audio Susceptibility

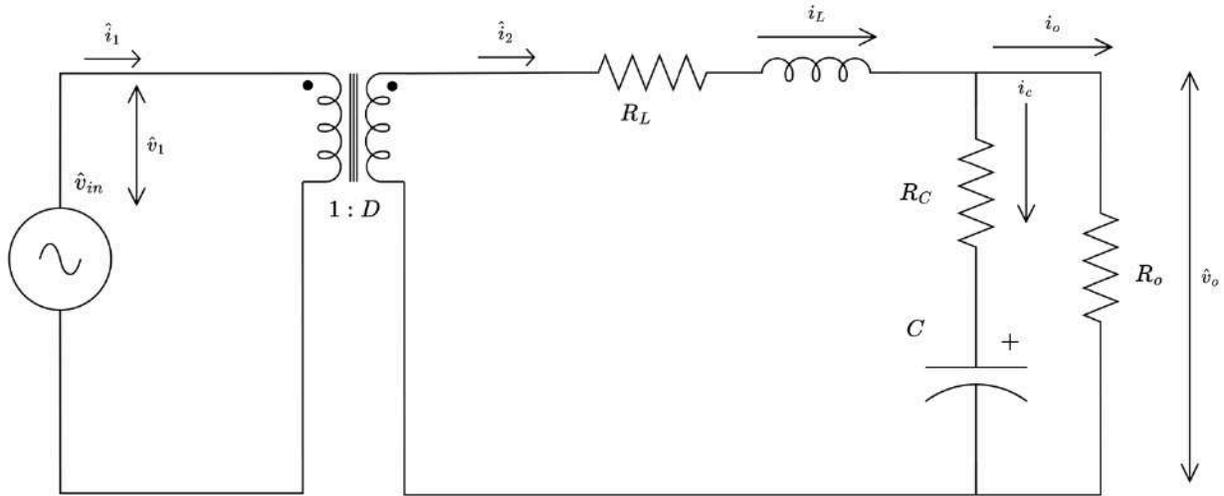


Fig : Small Signal Model for audio susceptibility

$$\Rightarrow G_{v_{in}2V_o}(s) = G_{v_{in}2V_o}(0) \frac{1 + \frac{s}{\omega_{esr}}}{1 + \frac{s}{\omega_o Q} + \left(\frac{s}{\omega_o}\right)^2}$$

where,

$$G_{v_{in}2V_o}(0) = D \frac{R_o}{R_L + R_o}, \omega_{esr} = \frac{1}{R_C C}, \omega_o = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{R_o + R_C}{R_L + R_o}} LC} \text{ and}$$

$$Q = \frac{1}{\frac{\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}}{\sqrt{(R_L+R_o)(R_o+R_C)}} + \frac{\frac{R_C R_L + R_C + R_o + R_L R_o}{\sqrt{(R_L+R_o)(R_o+R_C)}}}{\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}}}$$

Output Impedance

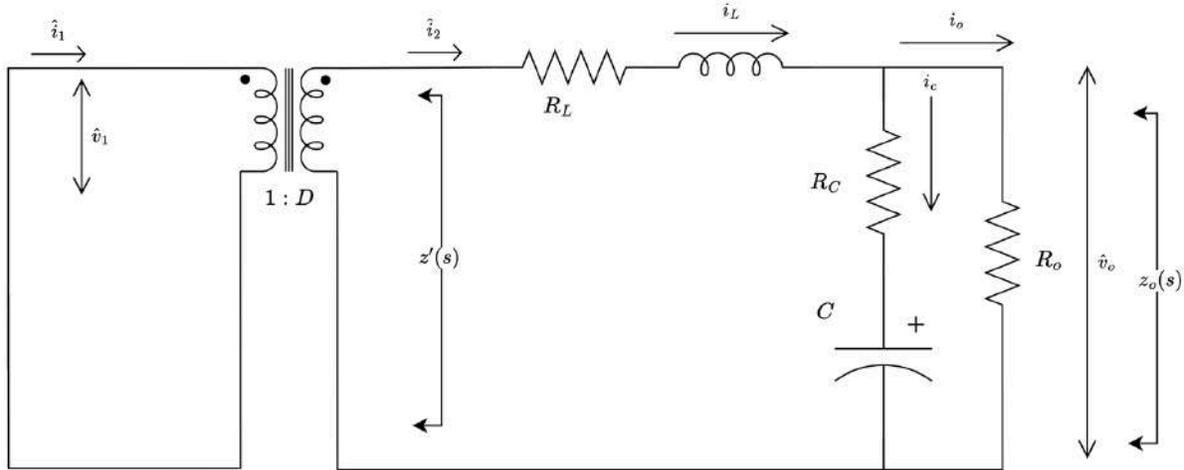


Fig : Small Signal Model for Output Impedance

$$z_o(s) = \frac{R_o R_L}{R_L + R_o}, \quad \omega_{dcr} = \frac{R_L}{L}, \quad \omega_{esr} = \frac{1}{R_C C}, \quad \omega_o = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{R_o + R_C}{R_L + R_o}} LC} \text{ and}$$

$$Q = \frac{1}{\frac{\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}}{\sqrt{(R_L+R_o)(R_o+R_C)}} + \frac{\frac{R_C R_L + R_C + R_o + R_L R_o}{\sqrt{(R_L+R_o)(R_o+R_C)}}}{\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}}}$$

Analysis:

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