

# Lecture 8

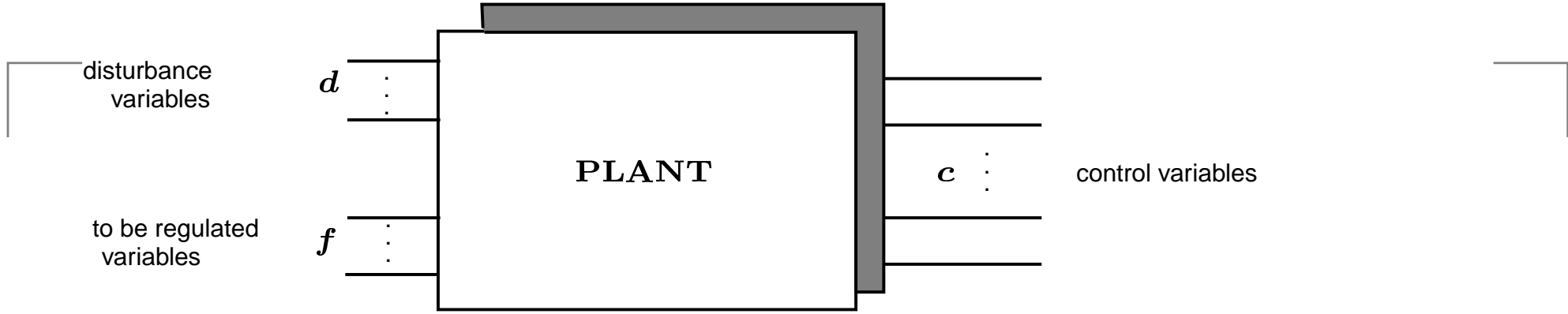
# SYNTHESIS OF DISSIPATIVE SYSTEMS

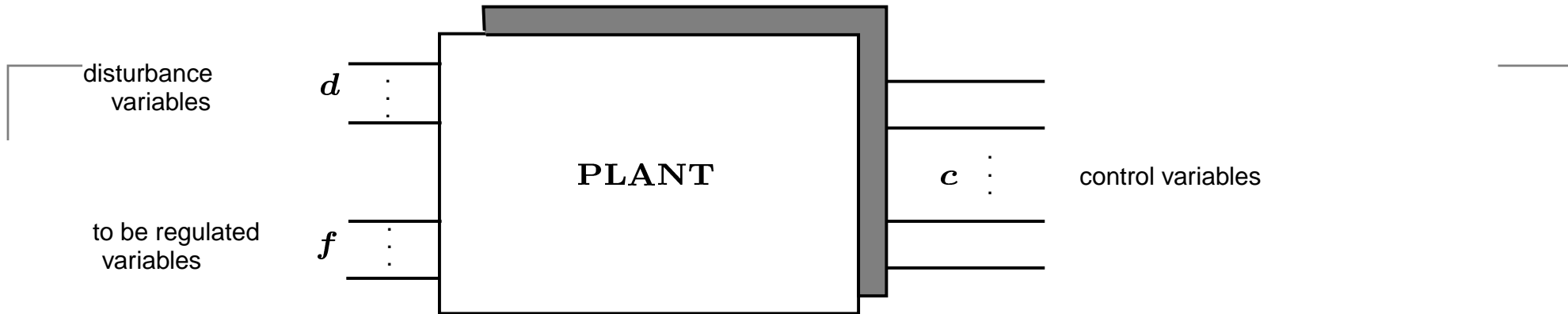
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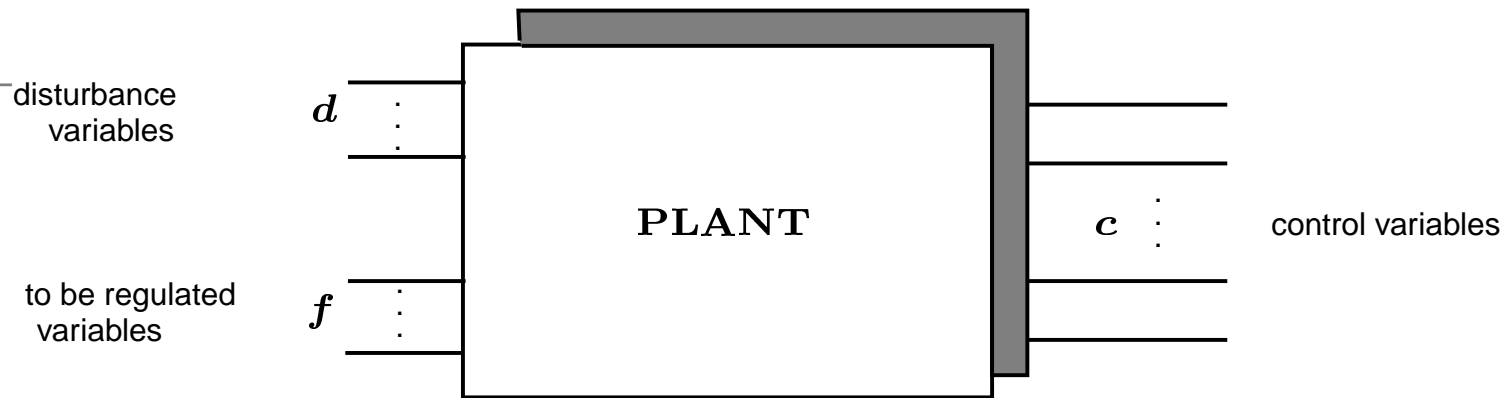
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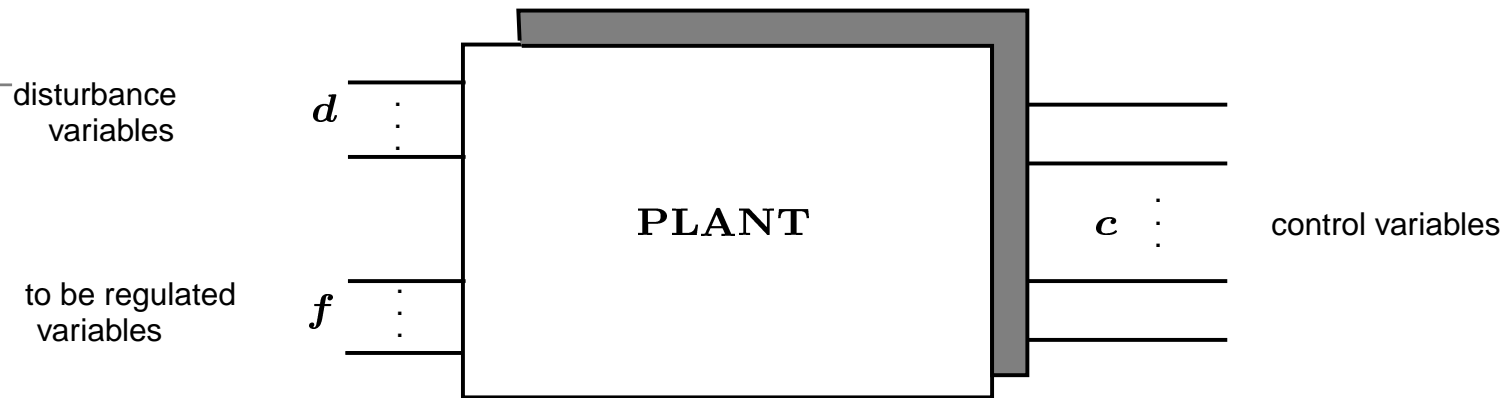


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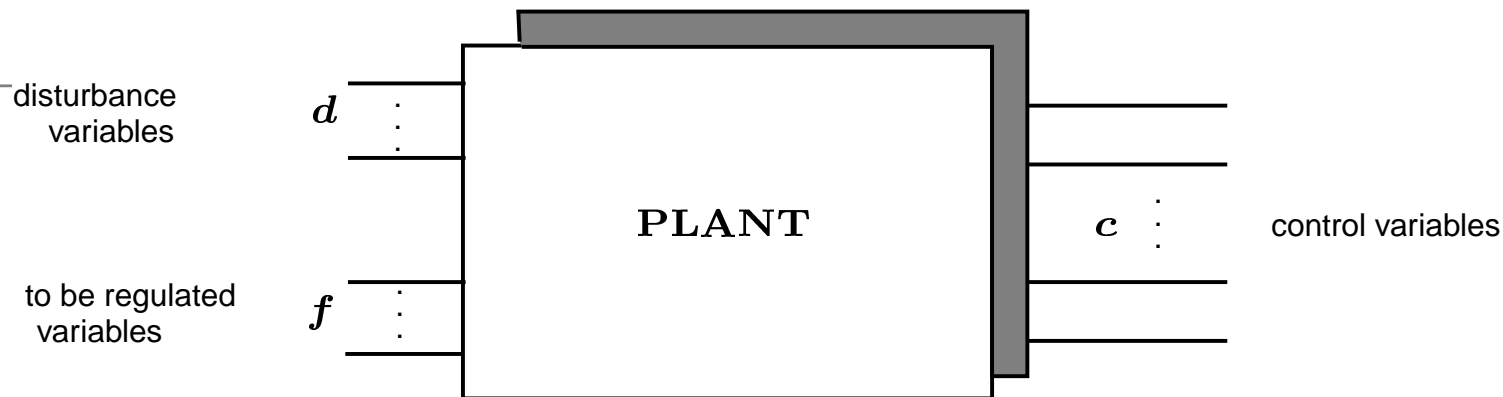
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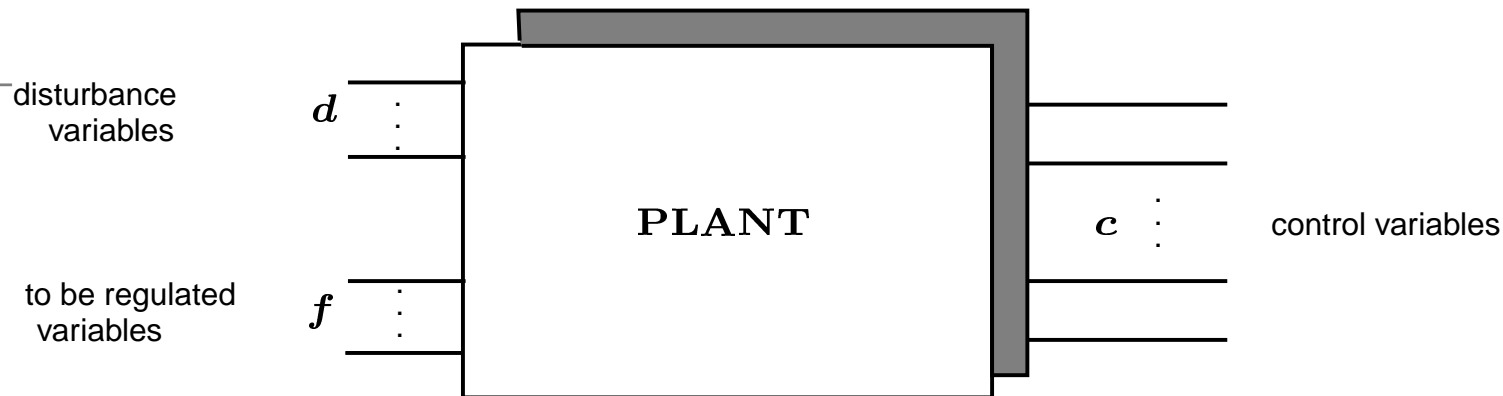
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$$\mathcal{P}_{\text{full}} := \{(d, f, c) \mid (d, f, c) \text{ satisfies the plant equations}\}$$

**Note:** to be controlled variable is  $(d, f)$ .

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Of course, after finding such  $\mathcal{K}$  one still needs to **compute an actual controller**  $\mathcal{C} \in \mathcal{L}^c$  that implements  $\mathcal{K}$ .

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**Liveness:** in the controlled system behavior, no direct restrictions on the exogenous disturbances are allowed: every component of  $d$  is arbitrary.

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**Proposition:** Let  $\mathcal{K} \in \mathfrak{L}_{\text{cont}}^{d+f}$ . The following statements are equivalent:

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2.  $\mathcal{K}$  is  $\Sigma$ -dissipative on  $\mathbb{R}_-$ , and  $m(\mathcal{K}) = d$ ,

Recall:  $\mathfrak{B}$  is called  $\Sigma$ -dissipative on  $\mathbb{R}_-$  if  $\int_{-\infty}^0 Q_\Sigma(w) dt \geq 0$  for all  $w \in \mathfrak{B} \cap \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R}^w)$ .

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$$\mathcal{N} = \{(d, f) \mid (d, f, 0) \in \mathcal{P}_{\text{full}}\},$$

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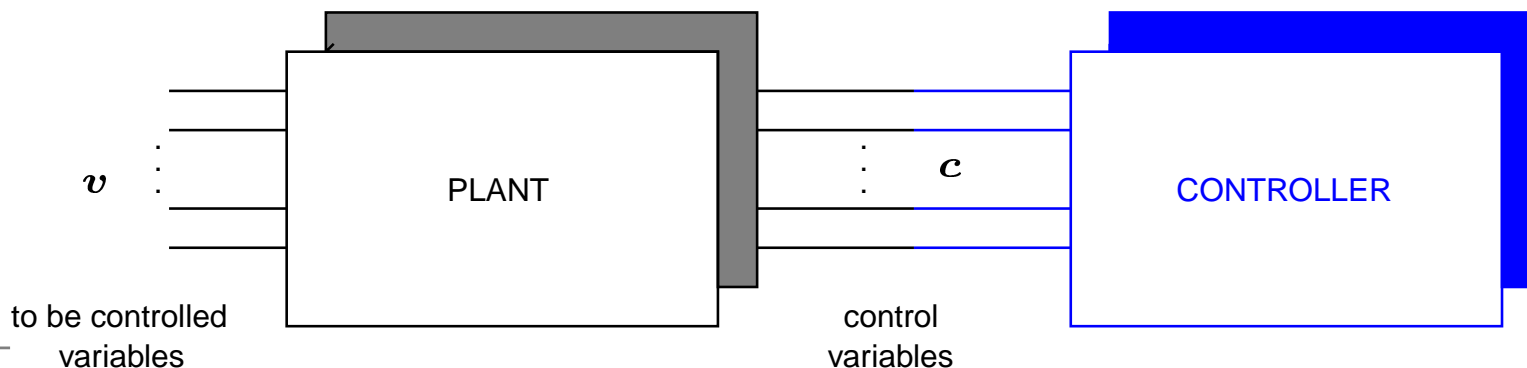
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Can be shown:  $\mathcal{K}$  is  $\Sigma$ -dissipative  $\Rightarrow m(\mathcal{K}) \leq \sigma_+(\Sigma)$ .

Hence: the input cardinality of such  $\mathcal{K}$  **attains the upper bound**  $\sigma_+(\Sigma)$ .

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Assume  $\mathcal{N} \subseteq \mathcal{K} \subseteq \mathcal{P}$ ,  $\mathcal{K}$  is  $\Sigma$ -dissipative on  $\mathbb{R}_-$ , and  $m(\mathcal{K}) = \sigma_+(\Sigma)$ .

Then  $\mathcal{K}$  is  $\Sigma$ -dissipative, so:  **$\mathcal{N}$  is  $\Sigma$ -dissipative.**

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$$\mathfrak{B}^\perp = \left\{ w \mid \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} w^T w' dt = 0 \text{ for all } w' \in \mathfrak{B} \cap \mathfrak{D} \right\}.$$

It can be shown:  $\mathfrak{B} \in \mathfrak{L}_{\text{cont}}^w \Rightarrow \mathfrak{B}^\perp \in \mathfrak{L}_{\text{cont}}^w$ .

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The BDF  $L_\Psi(v_1, v_2)$  is the so called **adapted bilinear differential form**. It is **unique** on  $\mathcal{N} \times (\Sigma\mathcal{P})^\perp$ .

## Bilinear differential forms (BDF's)

Two-variable polynomial matrix:

$$\Phi(\zeta, \eta) = \sum_{h,k=0}^N \Phi_{h,k} \zeta^h \eta^k,$$

$\Phi_{h,k} \in \mathbb{R}^{w_1 \times w_2}$ ,  $N$  is a nonnegative integer.  $\Phi$  **induces** a bilinear functional, acting on infinitely differentiable trajectories, as follows:

$$L_{\Phi} : \mathcal{C}^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R}^{w_1}) \times \mathcal{C}^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R}^{w_2}) \longrightarrow \mathcal{C}^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R}),$$

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This functional is called the **bilinear differential form induced  $\Phi$**

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$$Q_{\Psi_{\mathcal{N}}}(v_1) - Q_{\Psi_{(\Sigma\mathcal{P})^\perp}}(v_2) + 2L_{\Psi}(v_1, v_2)$$

is non-negative for  $v_1 \in \mathcal{N}$  and  $v_2 \in (\Sigma\mathcal{P})^\perp$ .

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**Generalization of the well-known coupling condition of state space  $\mathcal{H}_\infty$ -theory involving solutions of algebraic Riccati equations.**

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- Use the general construction of the controlled behavior  $\mathcal{K}$  to set up **synthesis algorithms in terms of the parameters of these representations.**

# Illustration: Plant in state space representation

$\mathcal{P}_{\text{full}}$  represented by

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dt}x &= Ax + Bu + Gd_1 \\ y &= Cx + \quad + d_2 \\ f &= Hx\end{aligned}$$

Control variable:  $c = (u, y)$ , to be controlled variable

$(d_1, d_2, u, f)$ . Weighting functional  $\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} I_d & 0 \\ 0 & -I_f \end{bmatrix}$ .

We want  $\mathcal{N}$  and  $\mathcal{P}$  controllable. For this, assume  $(A, G)$  controllable,  $(H, A)$  observable.

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