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# SOLUTIONS: DISCRETE EVENT SYSTEMS MASTER IN CONTROL

## 1. Exercise

- a) The automaton G has an event set  $E = \{a_1, a_2, a_3, d_1, d_2, d_3\}$  and a state-space  $X = \{000, 001, 010, 011, 100, 101, 111\}$ . Its transition diagram is shown in Fig. 1.1;
- b) The automaton including overflows is shown in Fig. 1.2.
- The labeling device  $G_L$  has event set  $E_L = \{o_1\}$ , two states,  $X_L = \{N, Y\}$ , initial state N, and two transitions,  $f_L(N, o_1) = Y$  and  $f_L(Y, o_1) = Y$ .
- d) The parallel composition of  $G_O$  and  $G_L$  is shown in Fig. 1.3.
- e) The only state of  $G_L||G_O|$  where o events trigger a transition to more than one state, is 011N. In fact o may represent either an  $o_1$  or  $o_2$  event, and in the case of  $o_1$  event transition to 111Y occurs, while in the case of  $o_2$  event transition to 111N occurs.
- f) The diagnoser automaton  $G_D$  is represented in Fig. 1.4.

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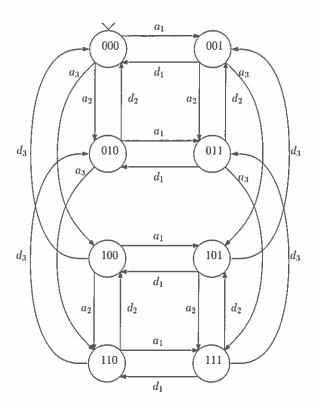


Figure 1.1 Transition diagram of automaton G

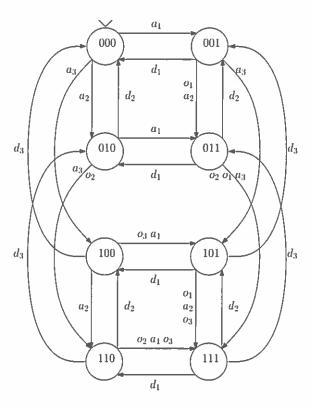


Figure 1.2 Transition diagram of automaton  $G_0$ 

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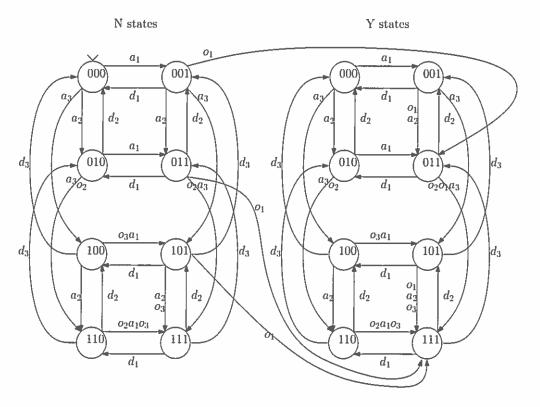


Figure 1.3 Transition diagram of automaton  $G_L||G_O|$ 

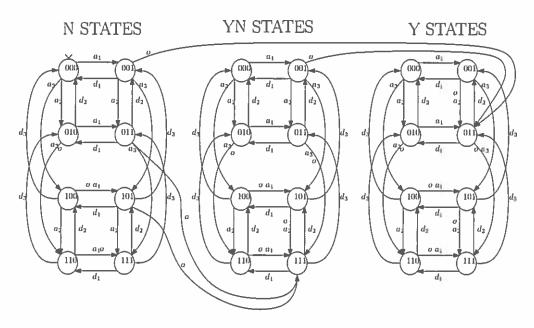


Figure 1.4 Transition diagram of automaton  $G_D$ 

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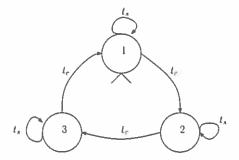


Figure 2.1 Transition diagram of  $G_A$ 

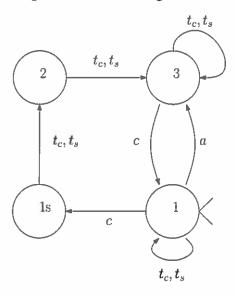


Figure 2.2 Transition diagram of G<sub>B</sub>

### 2. Exercise

- a) The automaton  $G_A$  has an event set  $E_A = \{t_c, t_s\}$  and states  $X_A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ . Its transition diagram is shown in Fig. 2.1.
- b) The automaton  $G_B$  has an event set  $E_B = \{a, c, t_c, t_s\}$  and state space  $X_B = \{1, 1s, 2, 3\}$ . Its transition diagram is shown in Fig. 2.2.
- c) The parallel composition  $G_A||G_B|$  has the transition diagram shown in Fig. 2.3.
- d) The automaton H implementing the specification can be obtained simply removing the state 22 from  $G_A||G_B|$  and associated edges. See Fig. 2.4.
- e) Notice that  $\mathcal{L}(H)$  is uncontrollable with respect to  $\mathcal{L}(G)$  and  $E_{uc} = \{t_s, t_c\}$  since in states 1s1 and 1s2 events  $t_c$  and  $t_s$  (respectively) have been disabled.
- f) The supremal controllable sublanguage is marked by the automaton  $\bar{H}$  shown in Fig. 2.5. Notice that  $S(s) = \Gamma_{\bar{H}}(f_{\bar{H}}(11,s))$  is an admissible supervisor since it only disables c events (that are controllable).

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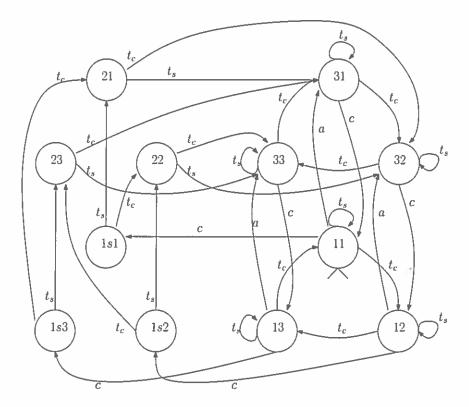


Figure 2.3 Transition diagram of  $G_A || G_B$ 

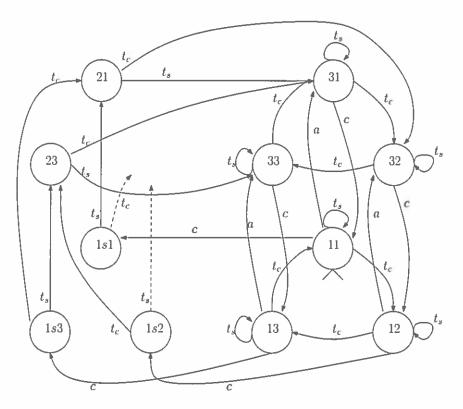


Figure 2.4 Transition diagram of automaton H

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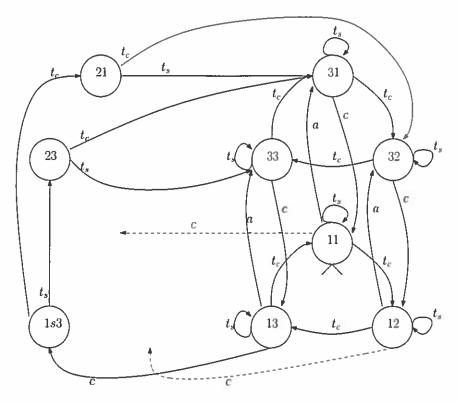


Figure 2.5 Transition diagram of automaton  $\tilde{H}$ 

#### 3. Exercise

- a) The Petri Net has 7 transitions, according to events a, p, x, pA, pB, rA, rB and 6 places, representing respectively Tool A available, Tool B available, pieces waiting to be processed, Tool A busy, Tool B busy, processed pieces. The initial marking  $M_0 = [1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0]'$  as represented in the Figure. See Fig. 3.1
- b) When two networks share the same tools and pick up the same unprocessed pieces the model in Fig. 3.2 can be adopted:
- c) In case of finite capacity of the storage for processed pieces waiting to be delivered, the Petri Net N can be modified as in Fig. 3.3 (where a capacity of 5 has been represented)
- d) The incidence matrix of N is given by:

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Correspondingly there are two P-invariant vectors of minimal support: [1,0,0,1,0,0] and [0,1,0,0,1,0]. These correspond to the tools A and B being conserved resources.

- e) The coverability graph associated to  $\langle N, M_0 \rangle$  is shown in Fig. 3.4.
- f) The network does not exhibit P-decreasing vectors, except for the 2 P-invariant vectors previously computed. Hence, the structurally bounded places are  $\{p_1, p_2, p_4, p_5\}$ , viz. those corresponding to the supports of P-invariant vectors. The behaviourally

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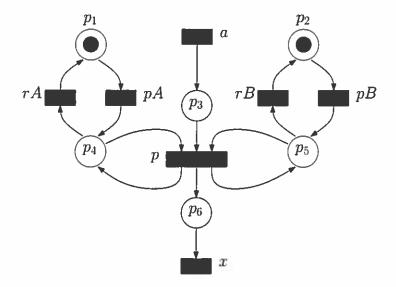


Figure 3.1 The marked Petri Net,  $\langle N, M_0 \rangle$ 

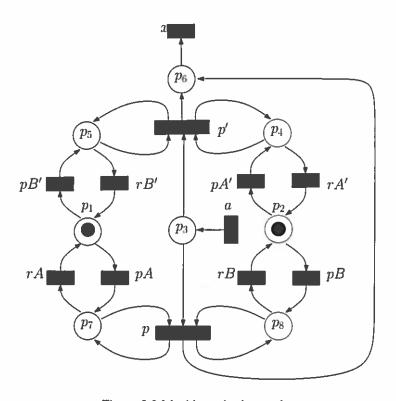


Figure 3.2 Machines sharing tools.

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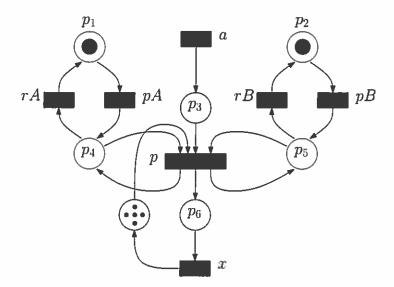


Figure 3.3 A single machine with finite capacity of storage.

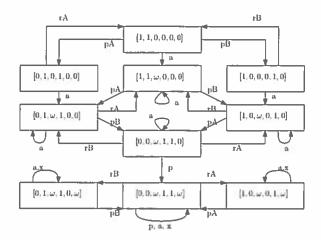


Figure 3.4 The coverability graph

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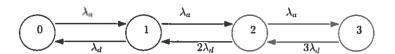


Figure 4.1 Markov chain modeling car park

bounded places are those for which  $\omega$  does not appear in any nodes of the associated coverability graph. Hence, these are again the places  $\{p_1, p_2, p_4, p_5\}$ .

#### 4. Exercise

a) Notice that when n cars are parked in the car park, then the distribution of departure times is still normal, with rate  $n\lambda_d$ . Hence, the Markov chain model of the car park is as in Fig. 4.1; Its equations read:

$$\begin{array}{rcl} \dot{\pi}_{0} & = & -\lambda_{a}\pi_{0} + \lambda_{d}\pi_{1} \\ \dot{\pi}_{1} & = & -(\lambda_{d} + \lambda_{a})\pi_{1} + \lambda_{a}\pi_{0} + 2\lambda_{d}\pi_{2} \\ \dot{\pi}_{2} & = & -(2\lambda_{d} + \lambda_{a})\pi_{2} + \lambda_{a}\pi_{1} + 3\lambda_{d}\pi_{3} \\ \dot{\pi}_{3} & = & -3\lambda_{d}\pi_{3} + \lambda_{a}\pi_{2} \end{array}$$

b) The chain is ergodic, hence, there exists a well defined asymptotic probability distribution. This is the unique solution of:

$$0 = -\lambda_{a}\pi_{0} + \lambda_{d}\pi_{1}$$

$$0 = -(\lambda_{d} + \lambda_{a})\pi_{1} + \lambda_{a}\pi_{0} + 2\lambda_{d}\pi_{2}$$

$$0 = -(2\lambda_{d} + \lambda_{a})\pi_{2} + \lambda_{a}\pi_{1} + 3\lambda_{d}\pi_{3}$$

$$0 = -3\lambda_{d}\pi_{3} + \lambda_{a}\pi_{2}$$

$$1 = \pi_{0} + \pi_{1} + \pi_{2} + \pi_{3}$$

We see that:

$$\pi_1 = \frac{\lambda_a}{\lambda_d} \pi_0 \qquad \pi_2 = \frac{\lambda_a^2}{2\lambda_d^2} \pi_0 \qquad \pi_3 = \frac{\lambda_a^3}{6\lambda_d^3} \pi_0$$

Hence:

$$\pi_0 \left( \frac{\lambda_a}{\lambda_d} + \frac{\lambda_a^2}{2\lambda_d^2} + \frac{\lambda_a^3}{6\lambda_d^3} \right) = 1.$$

The average number of cars parked is given by:

$$\pi_1 + 2\pi_2 + 3\pi_3 = \left(\frac{\lambda_a}{\lambda_d} + \frac{\lambda_a^2}{\lambda_d^2} + \frac{\lambda_a^3}{2\lambda_d^3}\right)\pi_0$$

c) We consider next the markov chain with states {000,001,010,011,100,101,110,111} modeling the occupancy of each parking slot. Its transition diagram is shown in Fig. 4.2.

d) Notice that defining  $\pi_1 = \pi_{100} + \pi_{110} + \pi_{111} + \pi_{101}$  and  $\pi_0 = \pi_{000} + \pi_{001} + \pi_{010} + \pi_{011}$  yields:

$$\dot{\pi}_0 = -\lambda_a \pi_0 + \lambda_d \pi_1$$

$$\dot{\pi}_1 = -\lambda_d \pi_1 + \lambda_d \pi_0.$$

Hence, these are the equations of a Markov chain with 2 states. The average occupancy of parking slot 1 is therefore  $\frac{\lambda_0}{\lambda_0 + \lambda_1}$ .

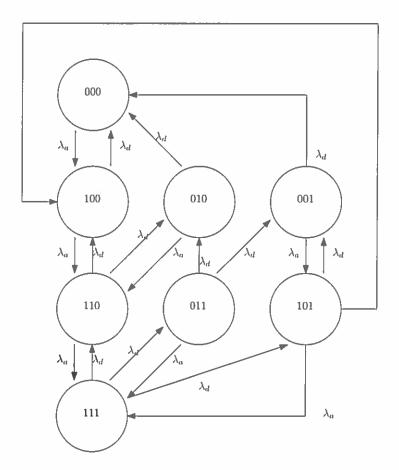


Figure 4.2 Occupancy modeling Markov chain

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e) Modeling occupancy of state 2 requires more than 2 states, in fact, when state two is free, the transition probability from a free to a busy state would depend on whether or not slot I is already taken.

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