6SENG006C Concurrent Programming

FSP Process Composition Analysis & Design Form

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1. FSP Composition Process Attributes

Attribute	Value	
Name	PINTJOB	
Description	Simulates the process of two students printing documents: student 'a' with 3 pages and student 'b' with 2 pages and technician refills the papers as required	
Alphabet (Use LTSA's compressed notation, if alphabet is large.)	{a.{print.doc[13], student.{acquire, release}, technician.{acquire, refill, release}}, b.{print.doc[12], student.{acquire, release}, technician.{acquire, refill, release}}, t.{student.{acquire, print.paper, release}, technician.{acquire, refill, release}}, waiting}	
Sub-processes (List them.)	PRINTER, STUDENT, TECHNICIAN	
Number of States	67	
Deadlocks (yes/no)	No	
Deadlock Trace(s) (If applicable)	Not applicable	

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2. FSP "main" Program Code

The code for the parallel composition of all of the sub-processes and the definitions of any constants, ranges & process labelling sets used. (Do not include the code for the other sub-processes.)

3. Combined Sub-processes

(Add rows as necessary.)

Process	Description
PRINTER	Models the process of a printer of a printing system
STUDENT	Models a student who wants to print documents
TECHNICIAN	Models a technician whose job is refilling papers when required

4. Analysis of Combined Process Actions

- Synchronous actions are performed by at least two sub-processes in the combination.
- **Blocked Synchronous** actions cannot be performed, since at least one of the sub-processes cannot perform them, because they were added to their alphabet using alphabet extension.
- **Asynchronous** actions are preformed independently by a single sub-process.

Group actions together if appropriate, for example if they include indexes, e.g. in[0], in[1], ..., in[5] as in[1..5].

(Add rows as necessary.)

Synchronous Actions	Synchronised by Sub-Processes (List)
a.student.acquire, b.student.acquire, a.print.doc[13], b.print.doc[12], a.student.release, b.student.release	STUDENT, PRINTER
t.technician.acquire, t.technician.release, t.technician.refill	TECHNICIAN, PRINTER

Blocked Synchronous Actions	Synchronising Sub-Processes (List)	Blocking Sub-Processes
a.student.acquire, b.student.acquire, a.print.doc[13], b.print.doc[12], a.student.release, b.student.release	STUDENT, PRINTER	TECHNICIAN
t.technician.acquire, t.technician.release, t.technician.refill	TECHNICIAN, PRINTER	STUDENT

Sub-Process	Asynchronous Actions (List)	
waiting	PRINTER	

5. Parallel Composition Structure Diagram

The structure diagram for the parallel composition.

