

We will wait 10 minutes until 10:40 AM for all students to join into the meeting.

We will start the tutorial at **10:40 AM**.

# CS 3SD3 - Concurrent Systems Tutorial 8

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# Outline

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## ❖ Announcement

## ❖ Ambiguous slides from lecture 12 (full review)

- Incidence Matrix
- Invariants
- Concession

# Announcements

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- ❖ Midterm is marked. solution will not be posted.
- ❖ The deadline for assignment 2 has been extended until Thursday, November 11, 23:59 PM.

# Lecture 12

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The order of the slides are incorrect.

- Lecture 12  
Slides 32 -34 (invariants) Should be before slide 14.

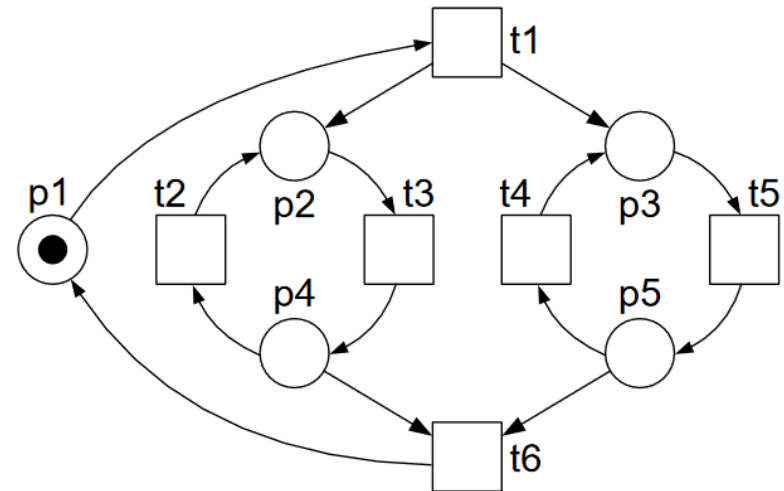
# Two ways of calculating invariants

- "Intuitive way": Formulate the property that you think holds and verify it.
- "Linear-algebraic way": Solve a system of linear equations.

Humans tend to do it the intuitive way and computers do it the linear-algebraic way.

# Exercise

Give the incidence matrix!



	<u>t1</u>	<u>t2</u>	<u>t3</u>	<u>t4</u>	<u>t5</u>	<u>t6</u>
p1	-1	0	0	0	0	1
p2	1	1	-1	0	0	0
p3	1	0	0	1	-1	0
p4	0	-1	1	0	0	-1
p5	0	0	0	-1	1	-1

# Invariants: Example

## Example

Consider  $i_1 = (1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 0)$ ,  $i_2 = (0, 0, 0, 1, n, 1)$ ,  $i_3 = (-1, -1, -1, 0, n-1, 1)$ . We show that  $i_1, i_2$  and  $i_3$  are invariants.

**Incidence Matrix**  
each Ts are transitions

$$i_1 \cdot W = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -n & 1 & n \end{bmatrix} = (0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$$

$$i_2 \cdot W = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ n \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -n & 1 & n \end{bmatrix} = (0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$$

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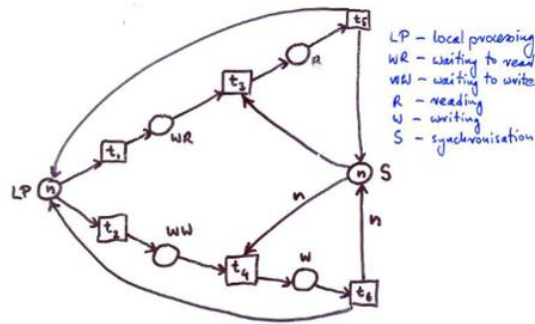
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## Readers and Writers: P/T Net Model



## Incidence Matrix

- P - places, T - transitions

T \ P	t <sub>1</sub>	t <sub>2</sub>	t <sub>3</sub>	t <sub>4</sub>	t <sub>5</sub>	t <sub>6</sub>	w <sub>r</sub>	i <sub>1</sub>	i <sub>2</sub>	i <sub>3</sub>
LP	-1	-1					n	1		-1
WR	1							1		-1
WR		1						1		-1
R			1		-1			1	1	
W				1		-1		1	n	n-1
S			-1	-n	1	n	n	1	1	

$LP \rightarrow t_1$   
 $t_1 \rightarrow WR$   
 $S \xrightarrow{n} t_4$   
 $t_6 \xrightarrow{n} S$

$W(t_1, LP) = -1$   
 $W(t_1, WR) = 1$   
 $W(t_4, S) = -n$   
 $W(t_6, S) = n$



The distance from  $T_1$  to  $LP$  is  $-1$   
 The distance from  $T_1$  to  $WR$  is  $1$   
 The distance from  $t_4$  to  $S$  is  $-n$   
 The Distance from  $t_6$  to  $S$  is  $n$

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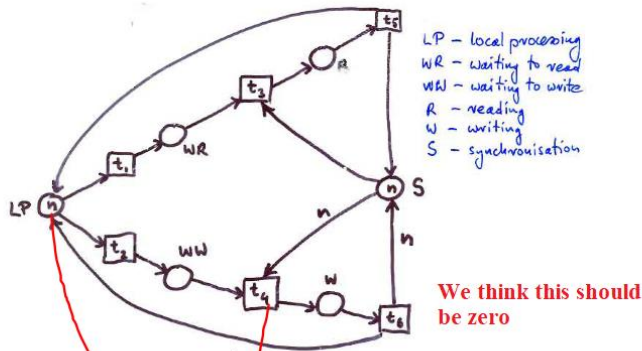
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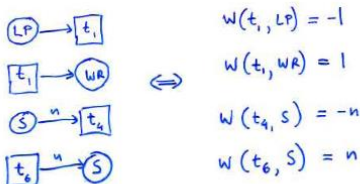
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## Incidence Matrix

- $P$  - places,  $T$  - transitions

$P \backslash T$	$t_1$	$t_2$	$t_3$	$t_4$	$t_5$	$t_6$	$m_0$	INVARIANTS		
	$i_1$	$i_2$	$i_3$	$i_4$	$i_5$	$i_6$				
LP	-1	-1		1			n	1		-1
WR	1		-1					1		-1
WN		1		-1				1		-1
R			1		-1			1	1	
W				1		-1		1	n	n-1
S			-1	-n	1	n	n	1	1	1



## Basic Definitions

- Let  $x$  be a **multiset (weighted set)** of transitions, i.e.

$$x : T \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$$

- $x$  is **positive** iff  $x(t) > 0$  for at least one  $t \in T$ , i.e.  $x \neq \emptyset$

- Marking:**  $m : P \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$ .

Marking is **not** interpreted as a multiset!

- $m \geq m' \iff \forall p \in P. m(p) \geq m'(p)$

- Assumption:** Each place can hold an arbitrary number of tokens.

- Let  $W^-$  be the following matrix:

$$\forall (p, t) \in P \times T. W^-(p, t) = \begin{cases} -W(p, t) & \text{if } W(p, t) < 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } W(p, t) \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

- A positive multiset of transitions  $x$  has **concession** in a marking  $m$  iff  $m \geq W^- \cdot x$

↑  
matrix multiplication

any negative number becomes positive and any positive number becomes zero

- When  $x$  has concession, it may **fire**.

### Example ( $n = 15$ )

- $x = 10t_1 + 3t_2$  has a concession in  $m_0 = (15, 0, 0, 0, 0, 15)$ , since

given

$$W^- \cdot x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 15 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 3 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = (13, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0),$$

and  $m_0 > (13, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$ .

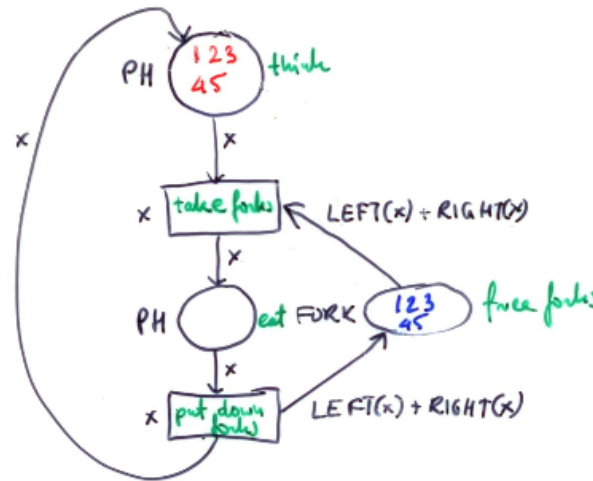
- $x = t_4$  does not have a concession in  $m = (8, 3, 1, 2, 0, 13)$ , since

$$W^- \cdot x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 15 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = (0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 15),$$

and  $m$  and  $(0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 15)$  are incomparable.

# Invariants

- Invariants are equations that characterize all reachable markings.



- $M(\text{think}) + M(\text{eat}) = ph1 + ph2 + ph3 + ph4 + ph5$   
Each philosopher is either thinking or eating but not both. Also philosophers do not disappear and no new is born.
- $LEFT(M(\text{eat})) + RIGHT(M(\text{eat})) + M(\text{free forks}) = f_1 + f_2 + f_3 + f_4 + f_5$   
where  $LEFT(X) = \sum_{x \in X} LEFT(x)$ ,  
 $RIGHT(X) = \sum_{x \in X} RIGHT(x)$   
No philosopher can be eating at the same time as on of his

# Multisets (or Bags)

- A multiset  $m$ , over a non-empty and finite set  $S$  is a function  $m : S \rightarrow \mathbb{N} = \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$
- $m(s)$  is the number of appearances of  $s$  in  $m$ .
- notation:  $M$  is usually represented by:

$$\sum_{s \in S} m(s)s$$

$$S = \{a, b, c, d, e\},$$
$$m(a) = 3, m(b) = 1, m(c) = 0, m(d) = 183, m(e) = 4$$

$$m = 3a + b + 183d$$

- $s \in m \iff m(s) \neq 0$
- $m(s)$  is a *coefficient*
- the *empty multiset*  $m = \emptyset \iff m(s) = 0$  for each  $s \in S$ .

# Invariants

- Let  $\mathbf{v}$  be a **multiset of places**, i.e.  $\mathbf{v} : P \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$ .

Note that  $m : P \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$  and  $\mathbf{v} : P \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$ , but the interpretation is different, marking is not interpreted as a multiset!

## Theorem (Lautenbach 1979)

Let  $\mathbf{v}$  be a multiset of places. If  $\mathbf{v} \cdot W = 0$  and  $m \Rightarrow^* m'$  then

$$\mathbf{v} \cdot m' = \mathbf{v} \cdot m.$$

## Proof.

It suffices to show it for  $m \Rightarrow m'$ .  $\mathbf{v} \cdot m' = \mathbf{v} \cdot (m + W \cdot \mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{v} \cdot m + \mathbf{v} \cdot (W \cdot \mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{v} \cdot m + (\mathbf{v} \cdot W) \cdot \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{v} \cdot m + 0 \cdot \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{v} \cdot m.$   $\square$

## Definition

A multiset of places  $\mathbf{v}$  is said to be an **invariant** iff  $\mathbf{v} \cdot W = 0$ .

- Each linear combination of invariants is itself an invariant.

# How to Find Invariants?

- Finding invariants can be reduced to finding non-negative integer solutions of some matrix equation:

$$W \cdot X = \mathbf{0}$$

where  $\mathbf{0}$  is a vector of zeros,  
 $W$  represents the structure of a net (incidence matrix),  
 $X$  represents an invariant.

- The number of invariants is infinite, but there is a finite number of linearly independent invariants
- Proper invariants are part of specification goals.
- Checking if an equation is an invariant is easy!

# Invariant As an Expression

## Definition

An invariant can also be defined as a **formula** obtained from  $\mathbf{v} \cdot m_0 = \mathbf{v} \cdot m$ , where  $\mathbf{v}$  is an invariant, as defined previously,  $m_0$  is the initial marking, and  $m$  is a **marking variable**.

## Example

$$i_1 = (1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 0), m_0 = (n, 0, 0, 0, 0, n).$$

$$i_1 \cdot m_0 = (1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 0) \cdot (n, 0, 0, 0, 0, n) = n$$

$$m = (m(LP), m(WR), m(WW), m(R), m(W), m(S))$$

$$i_1 \cdot m_0 =$$

$$(1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 0) \cdot (m(LP), m(WR), m(WW), m(R), m(W), m(S)) = m(LP) + m(WR) + m(WW) + m(R) + m(W).$$

$$i_1 \cdot m_0 = i_1 \cdot m \implies$$

$$m(LP) + m(WR) + m(WW) + m(R) + m(W) = n$$

- **The number of processes is an invariant.**



# Any Questions?

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