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1.1.

$\langle P1=1, P3=1, P5=1 \rangle$ and $t1$ $t3$ ready to fire

1.2.

The choice is non-deterministic. Both $t1$ and $t3$ are enabled and either one or both can fire. Since there is no mechanism enforcing order, choice is random.

1.3.

$\langle P2 = 1, P5 = 1, P4 = 1 \rangle$

1.4.

We will not be able to fire last $t3$ because we would have consumed $p5$ on first $t3$ transition.

1.5.

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1.6.

No conflicting transitions. All transitions are executing serially.

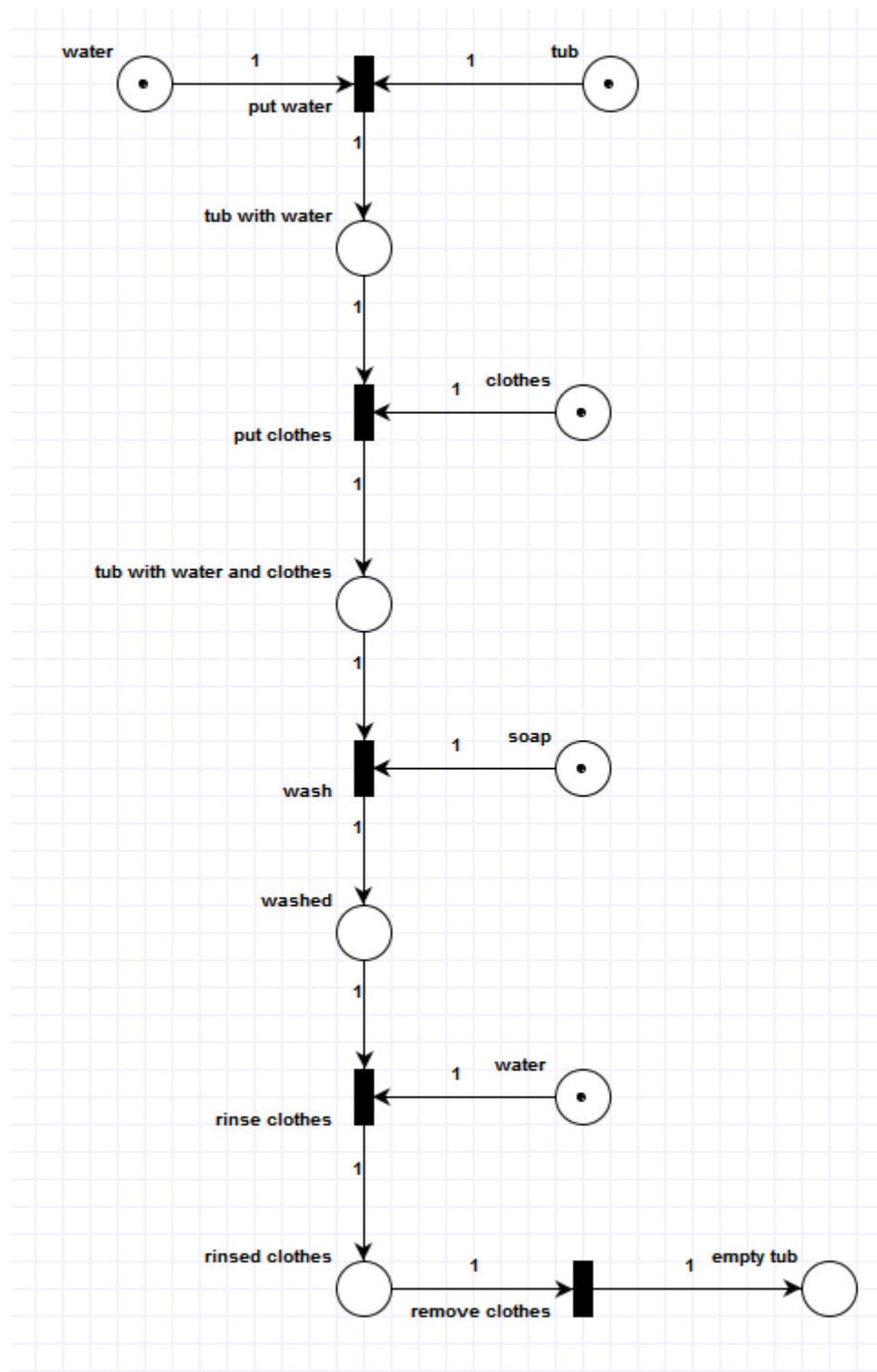
1.7.

No deadlock. Even though right side of this Petri net can be prevented from executing, left side is free to fire as many times as it wishes, therefore no deadlock.

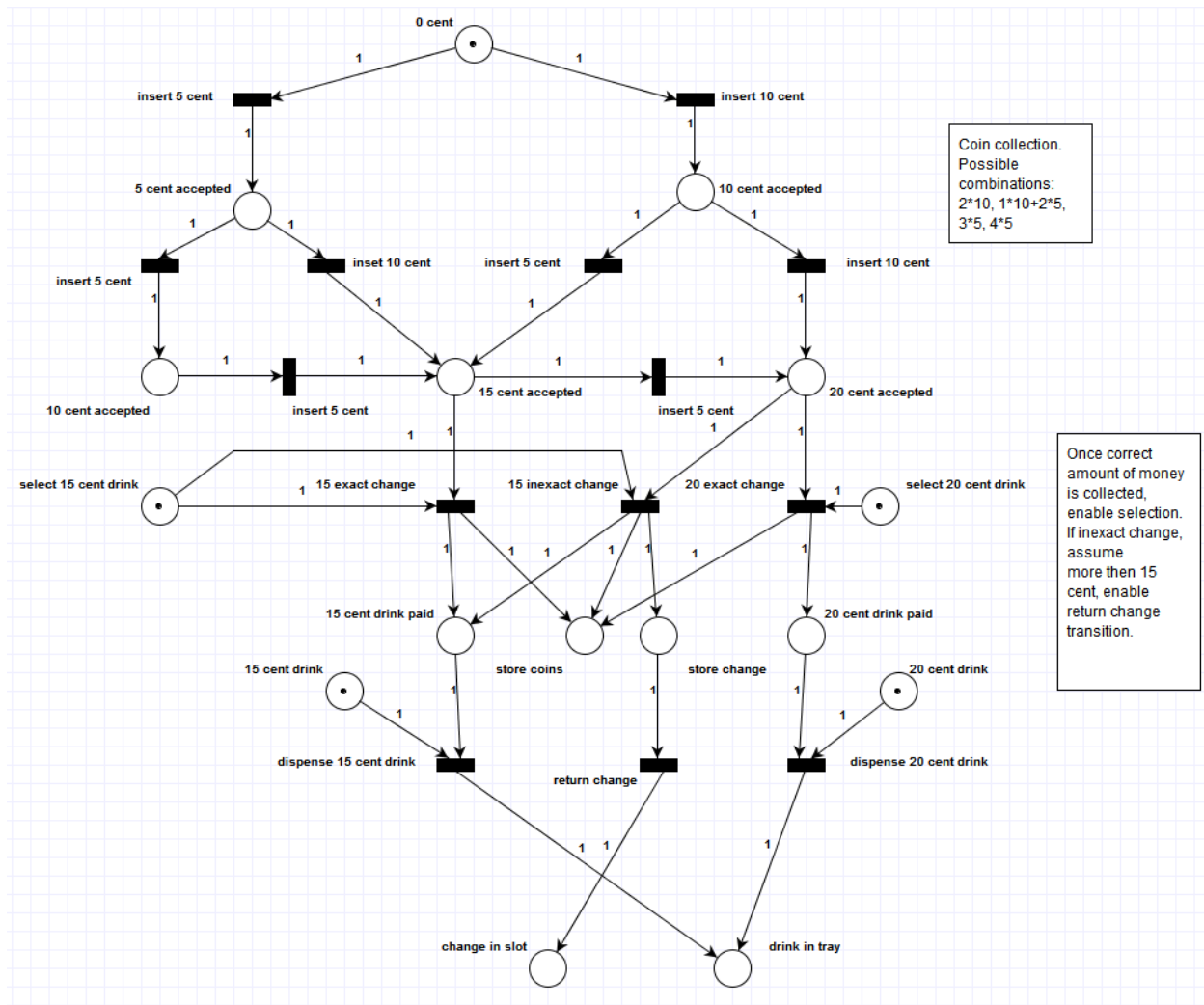
1.8.

Yes, if $t1$ never executes and $p5$ has zero resources, $t3$ will not be active leading to starvation of right side.

2.



3.



4.1.

takeLeftFork takes one token from left fork place if it exists.

takeRightFork takes one token from right fork place if it exists.

putLeftFork: inserts one token into left fork place

putRightFork: inserts one token into right fork place

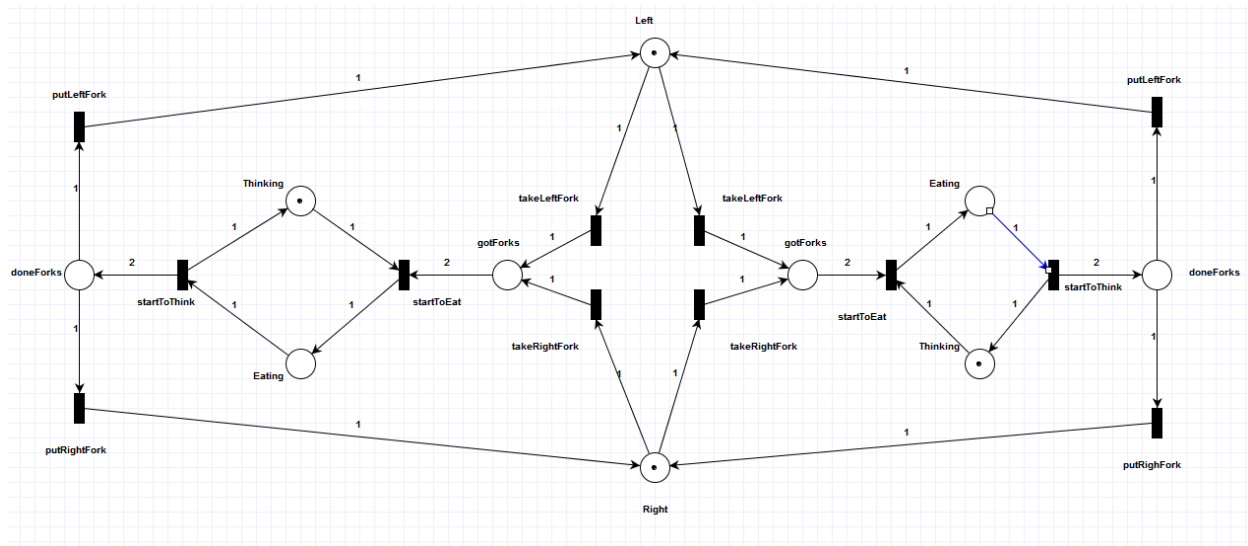
startToEat:

requires one token from left and right forks (gotForks) as well as one token from thinking. Once all required tokens are acquired, action fires and state changes to eating.

startToThink:

Once this action is fired, token is removed from eating and startToThink returns two tokens for putLeftFork and putRightFork to consume and also puts one token into thinking place.

4.2



4.3

*Note: if processes are not mentioned, assume they have zero tokens

Philosopher #1

1. <Left=0, Right=1, gotForks=1, takeLeftFork>
2. <Left=0, Right=0, gotForks=2, takeRightFork>
3. <gotForks=0, Eating=1, Thinking=0, startToEat>
4. <Eating=0, Thinking=1, doneForks=2, startToThink>
5. <doneForks=1, Left=1, Right=0, putLeftFork>
6. <doneForks=0, Left=1, Right=1, putRightFork>

Philosopher #2

7. <Left=1, Right=0, gotForks=1, takeRightFork>
8. <Left=0, Right=0, gotForks=2, takeLeftFork>
9. <gotForks=0, Thinking=0, Eating=1, startToEat>
10. <Thinking=1, Eating=0, doneForks=2, startToThink>
11. <doneForks=1, Left=1, Right=0, putLeftFork>
12. <doneForks=0, Left=1, Right=1, putRightFork>

4.4.

Yes, if philosopher P1 takes left or right fork and philosopher P2 takes the remaining fork, neither will be able to eat as two forks are required in order to fire that action resulting in deadlock.

4.5.

Yes, either of the philosophers can stay in the eating process indefinitely starving the other. There is also no mechanism preventing either of the philosophers from looping through the sequence of thinking, picking up forks, eating, thinking picking up forks and so on.