6SENG002W Concurrent Programming

FSP Process Composition Analysis & Design Form

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1. FSP Composition Process Attributes

Attribute	Value	
Name	PRINTJOB	
Description	Models the process of two students printing documents with 3 and 2 pages each with technician refilling 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.)	STUDENT PRINTER TECHNICIAN	
Number of States	67 (55 without waiting logic)	
Deadlocks (yes/no)	No	
Deadlock Trace(s)	N/A	

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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 sub-processes.)

3. Combined Sub-processes

(Add rows as necessary.)

Process	Description
STUDENT	Models the student wanting to print document.
TECHNICIAN	Models the technician in charge of refilling paper as required.
PRINTER	Models the printer that can print papers.

4. Analysis of Combined Process Actions

- Synchronous actions are performed by at least two sub-process 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.

(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.

