

# 6SENG002W Concurrent Programming

## FSP Process Composition Analysis & Design Form

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### 1. FSP Composition Process Attributes

Attribute	Value
<b>Name</b>	PRINTING_SYSTEM
<b>Description</b>	This process involves merging two different STUDENT processes, one TECHNICIAN process, and one PRINTER process all running simultaneously. A set of process prefix labels and relabelling of the composite process is employed to guarantee exclusive access to the printer.
<b>Alphabet</b> (Use LTSA's compressed notation, if alphabet is large.)	{std1.print, std2.print, std1.printLock, std2.printLock, std1.refill, std2.refill, std1.refillLock, std2.refillLock, std1.release, std2.release, tech.print, tech.printLock, tech.refill, tech.refillLock, tech.release, tech.wait}
<b>Sub-processes</b> (List them.)	std1:STUDENT(3) std2:STUDENT(2) TECHNICIAN
<b>Number of States</b>	55
<b>Deadlocks</b> (yes/no)	No
<b>Deadlock Trace(s)</b> (If applicable)	N/A

## 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.)

### FSP Program:

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const MAX_SHEETS = 3
range SHEET_RANGE = 0..MAX_SHEETS
set PRINTER_ACTIONS = {printLock, print, refillLock, refill, release}
set Users = {std1, std2, tech}

||PRINTING_SYSTEM = (std1: STUDENT(3) || std2: STUDENT(2) || tech: TECHNICIAN ||
Users:: PRINTER).
```

## 3. Combined Sub-processes

(Add rows as necessary.)

Process	Description
std1:STUDENT(3)	An instance of the STUDENT process called 'std1' is used with a value of 3 as its parameter. The name 'std1' is given to this process to ensure that it has a unique identifier and does not share an alphabet with another instance of the STUDENT process named 'std2'.
Std2:STUDENT(2)	An instance of the STUDENT process called 'std2' is used with a value of 2 as its parameter. The name 'std2' is given to this process to ensure that it has a unique identifier and does not share an alphabet with another instance of the STUDENT process named 'std12'.
TECHNICIAN	TECHNICIAN process.
PRINTER	The PRINTER process has a label prefix of USERS, this allows the PRINTER's actions to be shared, this way the actions of the PRINTER can be synchronized separately with both the STUDENT and Technician processes.

#### 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 performed independently by a single sub-process.

Group actions together if appropriate, for example if they include indexes, e.g.  $\text{in}[0], \text{in}[1], \dots, \text{in}[5]$  as  $\text{in}[1..5]$ .

(Add rows as necessary.)

Synchronous Actions	Synchronised by Sub-Processes (List)
std1. { print , refill, printLock, release }	std1: STUDENT(3), PRINTER
std2. { print , refill, printLock, release }	std2: STUDENT(2), PRINTER
technician. { print, refill, printLock, refillLock, release }	TECHNICIAN, PRINTER
terminate	std1: STUDENT(3), std2: STUDENT(2), TECHNICAIN

Sub-Process	Asynchronous Actions (List)
std1: STUDENT(3)	std1. print [1..3]
std2: STUDENT(2)	std2. print [1..2]
PRINTER	None
TECHNICIAN	None

## 5. Parallel Composition Structure Diagram

The structure diagram for the parallel composition.

