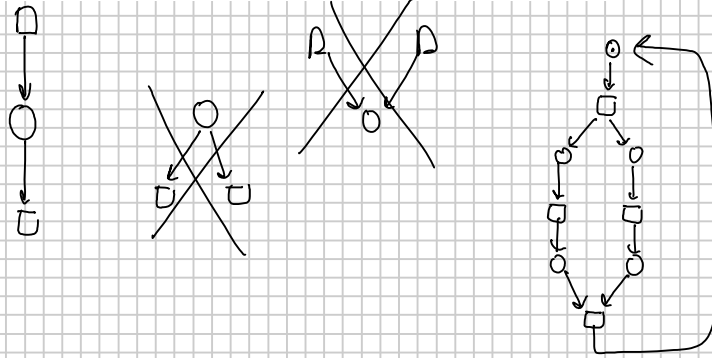


marked graphs synchronization graphs

Definition 3.12 T-nets, T-systems

A net is a T-net if $|\bullet s| = 1 = |s\bullet|$ for every place s .

A system (N, M_0) is a T-system if N is a T-net.



Definition 3.13 *Token counts of circuits*

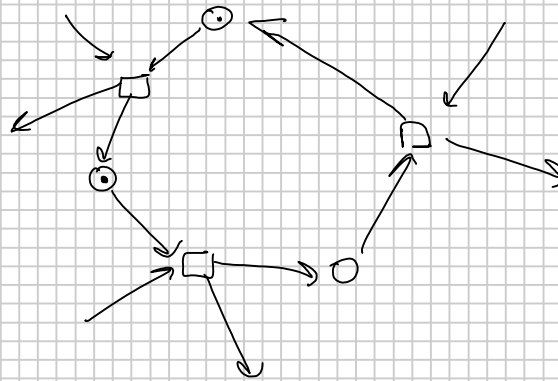
Let γ be a circuit of a net and let M be a marking. Let R be the set of places of γ . The token count $M(\gamma)$ of γ at M is defined as $M(R)$.

A circuit γ is marked at M if $M(\gamma) > 0$.

A circuit of a system is initially marked if it is marked at the initial marking.

Proposition 3.14 *Fundamental property of T-systems*

Let γ be a circuit of a T-system (N, M_0) . For every reachable marking M , $M(\gamma) = M_0(\gamma)$.



Theorem 3.15 Liveness Theorem

A T-system is live iff every circuit is initially marked.

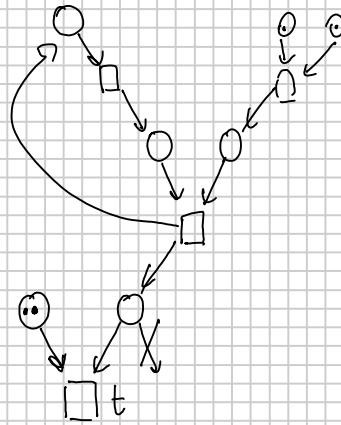
Proof (\Rightarrow) If a circuit is initially unmarked, then it remains unmarked \rightarrow the T-system is not live, because the transitions of the circuit can never occur.

(\Leftarrow) Assume every circuit is initially marked.

Let M be an arbitrary reachable marking

Let t be an arbitrary transition

We show that t can be fired from M



This backwards construction either terminates, and then firing all transitions from the top we finally fire t , or it doesn't terminate. But in this case the net necessarily contains a circuit without tokens, a contradiction.

Proposition 3.16 *T-invariants of T-nets*

Let $N = (S, T, F)$ be a connected T-net. A vector $J: T \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}$ is a T-invariant iff $J = (x \dots x)$ for some x . \square

Proof We show that (x, x, \dots, x) is a T-invariant.



\Downarrow If (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) is a T-invariant, then

$$x_1 = x_2 = \dots = x_n$$



Theorem 3.17 *Liveness in strongly connected T-systems*

Let (N, M_0) be a strongly connected T-system. The following statements are equivalent:

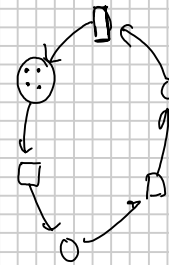
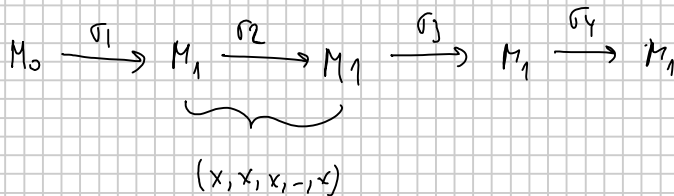
- (a) (N, M_0) is live.
- (b) (N, M_0) is deadlock-free.
- (c) (N, M_0) has an infinite occurrence sequence.

Proof (c) \Rightarrow (a) ^{infinite}

We show that every occurrence sequence contains all transitions infinitely often



So every circuit contains at least one token, and so the T-system is live



Theorem 3.18 Boundedness Theorem

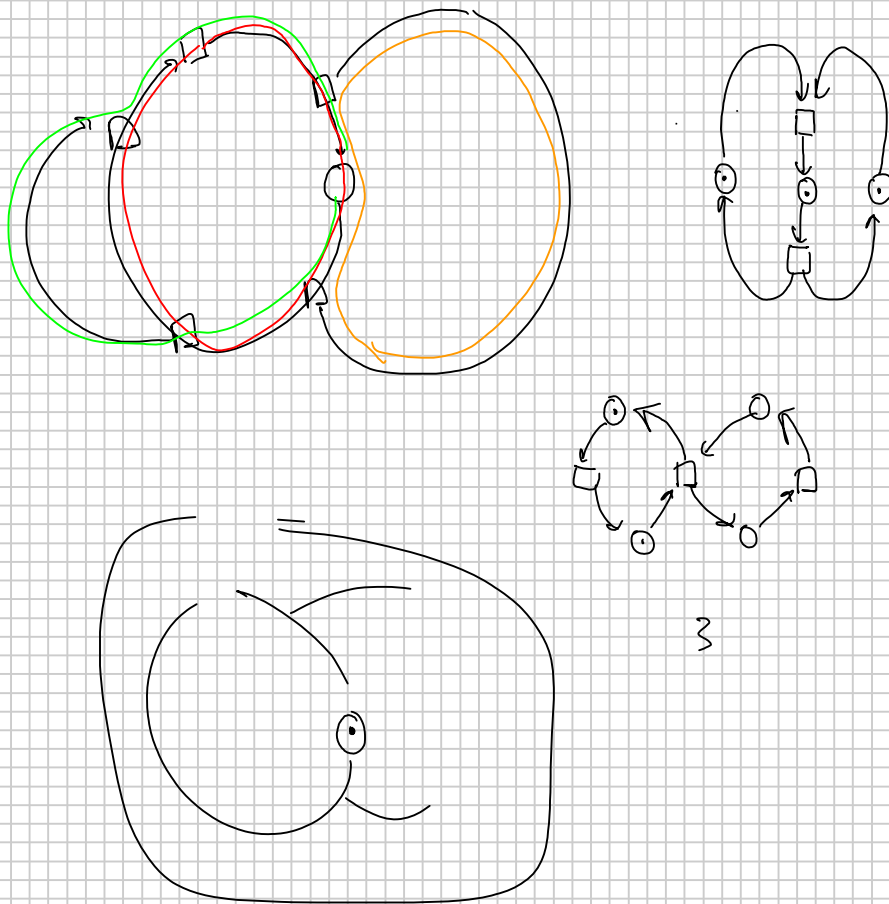
A live T-system (N, M_0) is b -bounded iff for every place s there exists a circuit γ which contains s and satisfies $M_0(\gamma) \leq b$.

Proof Assume there exists a circuit γ containing s and satisfying $M_0(\gamma) \leq b$

Then for every reachable marking we have $M(\gamma) = M_0(\gamma) \leq b$, and so the place s satisfies $M(s) \leq b$.

Assume that the system (N, M_0) is live and for every circuit γ containing s we have $M_0(\gamma) > b$. We show that some reachable marking M satisfies $M(s) > b$.

$b=1$



By liveness, we can put one token in the place s .

"Freeze" that token

The remaining tokens still make the net live (liveness theorem).

So we can put another token in s .

... and so on

Theorem 3.21 Reachability Theorem

Let (N, M_0) be a live T-system. A marking M is reachable iff it agrees with M_0 on all S-invariants.

Proof (\Rightarrow) Holds for all Petri nets

(\Leftarrow) Assume M agrees with M_0 on all S-invariants

We know: there is a $X \in \mathbb{Q}^{|T|}$ such that

$$M = M_0 + C \cdot X$$

(a) There is $Y \in \mathbb{N}^{|T|}$ such that $M = M_0 + C \cdot Y$

$$\text{Take } Y(t) = \lceil X(t) \rceil \text{ for every } t. \quad (3.5, 2.3, 1.7)$$

$$\downarrow$$

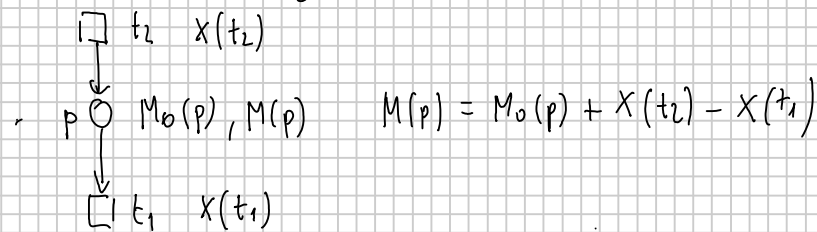
$$(4, 3, 2)$$

(If X contains negative components, consider the vector $X + \lambda(1, 1, \dots, 1)$ for sufficiently large λ to make X nonnegative.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{We have } M_0 + C \cdot (X + \lambda(1, \dots, 1)) \\ &= M_0 + C \cdot X + \lambda \cdot \underbrace{C \cdot (1, 1, \dots, 1)}_{= 0} \\ &= M_0 + C \cdot X \end{aligned}$$

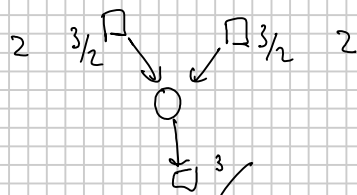
} because $(1, 1, \dots, 1)$ is a T-invariant

Let p be an arbitrary place



Since $M(p), M_0(p) \in \mathbb{N}$ we have $X(t_2) - X(t_1) \in \mathbb{N}$

It follows $\lceil X(t_2) \rceil - \lceil X(t_1) \rceil = X(t_2) - X(t_1)$



$$\text{So } M_0 + C \cdot Y = M_0 + C \cdot X = M$$

(b) $M_0 \xrightarrow{*} M \quad M \in [M_0]$

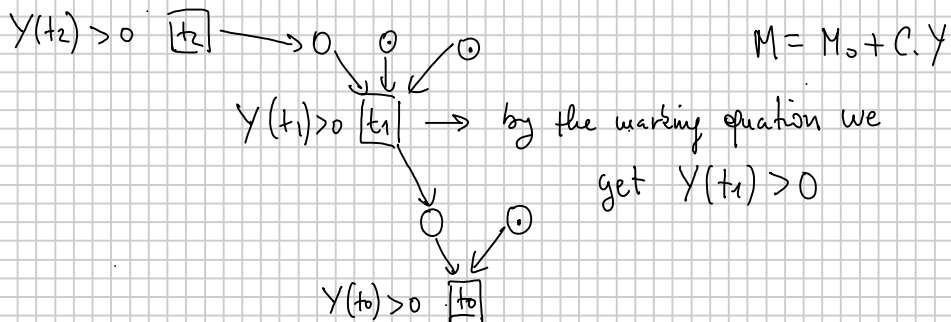
By induction on $|Y|$

Base $|Y| = 0$ ✓

Step $|Y| > 0$.

(b1) M_0 enables some transition t s.t. $Y(t) > 0$

We use the "backwards construction" but starting at a transition t_0 such that $Y(t_0) > 0$



The "backwards construction" cannot "run into a circuit" because the net is live, and so it must terminate with some transition t_i that is enabled at M_0 .

Take $t = t_i$

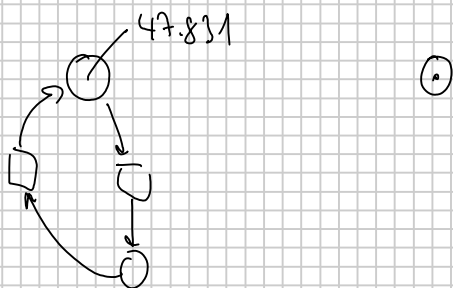
(b2) Let $M_0 \xrightarrow{t} M_1$ and let $Y_1 : T \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$ given by

$$Y_1(t') = \begin{cases} Y(t') & \text{if } t' \neq t \\ Y(t) - 1 & \text{if } t' = t \end{cases}$$

$$\text{We have } M_0 + C.Y = M = M_1 + C.Y_1$$

By induction hypothesis ($|Y_1| = |Y| - 1$) we have

$$M_1 \xrightarrow{*} M \text{ and so } M_0 \xrightarrow{t} M_1 \xrightarrow{*} M$$



"Lemma 3.23"

Let (N, M_0) be a T-system and let $M_0 \xrightarrow{\sigma_1 \sigma_2 t}$ such that

- $t \notin A(\sigma_1)$ (where $A(\sigma_1)$ denotes the set of transitions that occur in σ_1)

- $A(\sigma_2) \subseteq A(\sigma_1)$

Then $M_0 \xrightarrow{\sigma_1 t \sigma_2}$

Proof By induction on the length of σ_2

Base $|\sigma_2| = 0$ $\sigma_1 \sigma_2 t = \sigma_1 t \sigma_2$ ✓

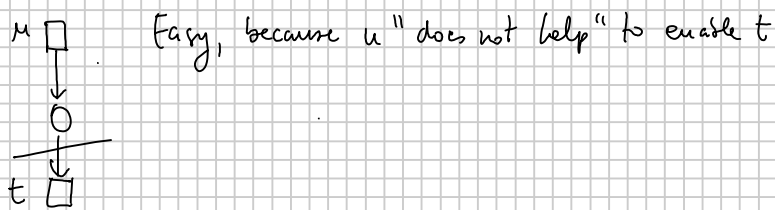
Step $\sigma_2 = \sigma_2' u$

We have to show $M_0 \xrightarrow{\sigma_1 t \sigma_2} \equiv M_0 \xrightarrow{\sigma_1 t \sigma_2' u}$

(a) We show $M_0 \xrightarrow{\sigma_1 \sigma_2' t u}$

Two cases:

1) $u \cap t = \emptyset$ $u t$



2) $u \cap t \neq \emptyset$



Since $u \in A(\sigma_2)$ and $A(\sigma_2) \subseteq A(\sigma_1)$

we have $u \in A(\sigma_1)$.

So after $\sigma_1 \sigma_2' u$ there are at least two tokens in every place "between u and t " (because $t \notin A(\sigma_1)$).

So t was already enabled before firing u , and so

$\sigma_1 \sigma_2' t u$ is fireable.

(b) $M_0 \xrightarrow{\sigma_1 t \sigma_2' u}$

By (a) we have $M_0 \xrightarrow{\sigma_1 \sigma_2' t u}$

By induction hypothesis, since $|\sigma_2'| < |\sigma_2|$ we get

$M_0 \xrightarrow{\sigma_1 t \sigma_2' u}$

" Lemma 3.24 + 3.25 "

Let (N, M_0) be a 1-safe T-system and $M_0 \xrightarrow{\sigma} M$, $|\sigma| \geq 1$.

Then there is σ_1, σ_2 such that

(a) $M_0 \xrightarrow{\sigma_1 \sigma_2} M$

(b) no transition occurs more than once in σ_1

(c) $A(\sigma_2) \subset A(\sigma_1)$

Proof

First we prove the result with \subseteq in (c) instead of \subset by induction on $|\sigma|$

Base $|\sigma| = 1$ Take $\sigma_1 = \sigma$ and $\sigma_2 = \epsilon$

Step $\sigma = \tau t$, $\tau \neq \epsilon$

By induction hypothesis $M_0 \xrightarrow{\tau_1 \tau_2 t} M$ where

- no transition occurs more than once in τ_1 ,

- $A(\tau_2) \subseteq A(\tau_1)$

• If $t \in A(\tau_1)$ then take $\sigma_1 = \tau_1$, $\sigma_2 = \tau_2 t$

• If $t \notin A(\tau_1)$

$M_0 \xrightarrow{\tau_1 t \tau_2} M$ take $\sigma_1 = \tau_1 t$, $\sigma_2 = \tau_2$

• Now, assume $A(\sigma_1) = A(\sigma_2)$ $\sigma_1 \sigma_2$

- If $A(\sigma_1)$ contains every transition, then
replace σ_1 by ϵ ! (because $M_0 \xrightarrow{\sigma_1} M_0$)

- If $A(\sigma_1)$ does not contain every transition then
the net is not 1-safe, contradiction.

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"Theorem 3.27" (Shortest sequence theorem)

Let (N, M_0) be a 1-safe T-system and let M be reachable from M_0 .

then $M_0 \xrightarrow{\sigma} M$ with $|\sigma| \leq \frac{n(n-1)}{2}$ where n is the number of transitions.

$$1\text{-safe } n \text{ } M \quad M_0 \xrightarrow{\sigma} M$$

$$|\sigma| \in \Omega(2^n)$$

