



Figure 1: Two net systems

[Ex. 1] Define the roles of a principal and a contractor. Can a principal be also a contractor?

[Ex. 2] What is the difference between a business process and a business process instance?

[Ex. 3] Consider a net system (P, T, F, M_0) . Formalize the statement “the place p_1 is not safe”.

[Ex. 4] Consider the system in Figure 1(a).

- (i) Draw the reachability graph G .
- (ii) By looking at G , is the system live? (explain)
- (iii) By looking at G , is the system deadlock free? (explain)
- (iv) By looking at G , is the system bounded? (explain)
- (v) By looking at G , is the system safe? (explain)
- (vi) By looking at G , is the system cyclic? (explain)

[Ex. 5] Consider the system in Fig. 1(b). Exploit the Marking Eq. Lemma:

- (i) to find the marking reached after having fired the sequence

$$\sigma = t_2 t_1 t_4 t_1 t_3 t_2 t_4 t_3 t_1 t_3;$$

- (ii) to prove that the sequence

$$\sigma' = t_1 t_2 t_4 t_1 t_3 t_2 t_3 t_2 t_1$$

is not fireable from M_0 .

[Ex. 6] Consider the system in Figure 1(b).

- (i) Is it a T-system?
- (ii) Find a positive S-invariant.
- (iii) How many tokens can be found at most in place p_1 at any time?