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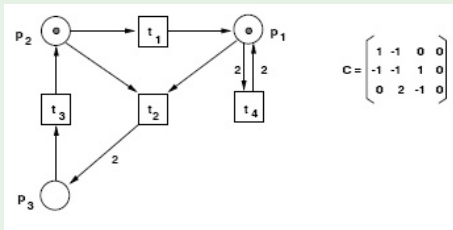
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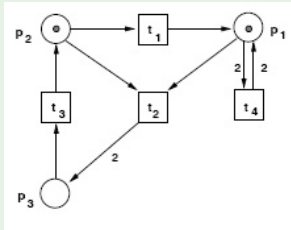
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Useful application of the theorem:

Whenever N is not covered by T-invariants, then for every marking it holds N not live or not bounded.

$$m[\Phi(t)] > m$$

↑

t is a T-invariant

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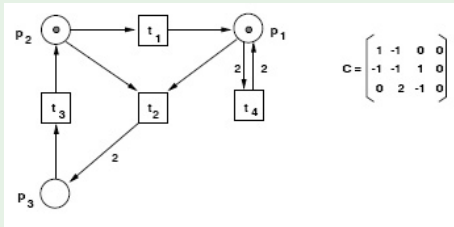
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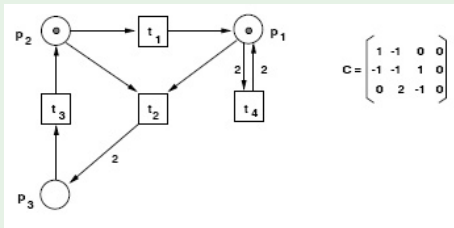
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 $p_1 \quad p_2 \quad p_3$

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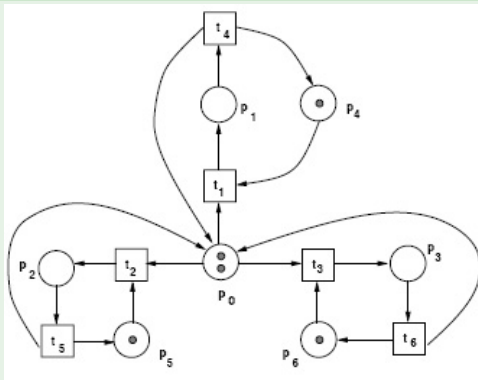
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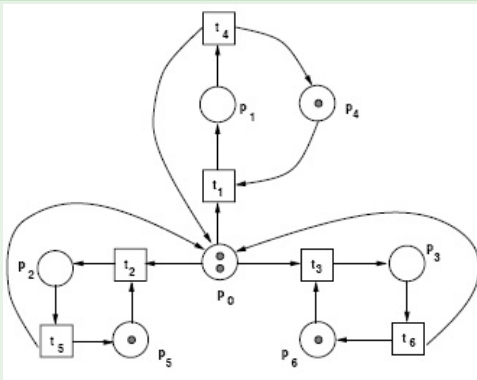
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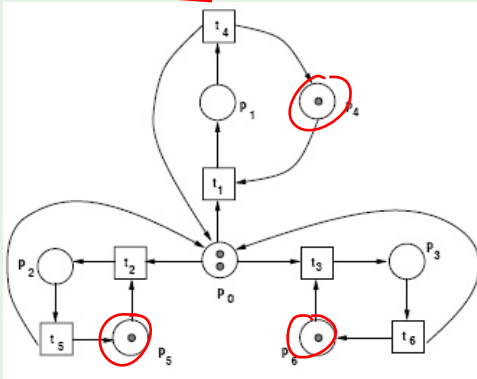
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- Let p a place with capacity $k = c(p), k \geq 1$. Let p^{co} be the complementary place of p which is assigned the initial marking $k - m_0(p)$.
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whenever $\Delta t(p) < 0$, we introduce an arc from t to p^{co} with multiplicity $-\Delta t(p)$.

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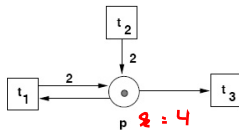
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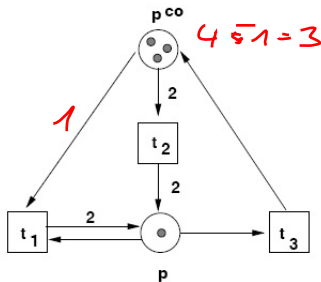
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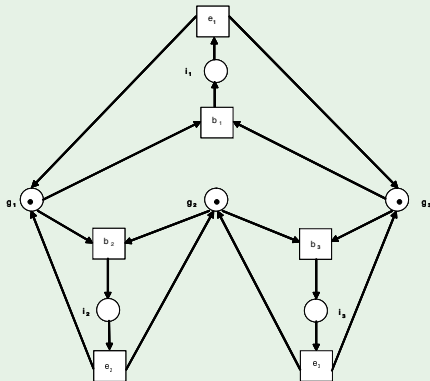
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Section 7.6 S-Nets with Colors

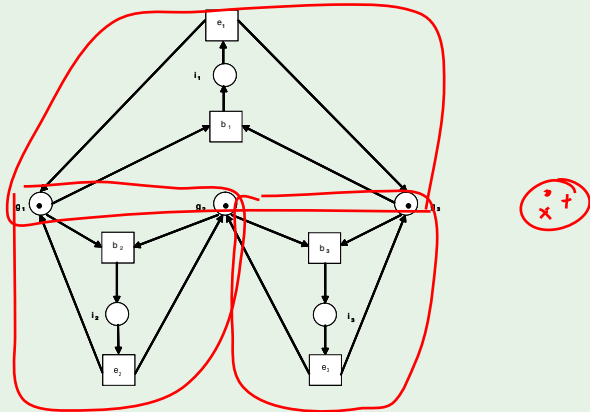
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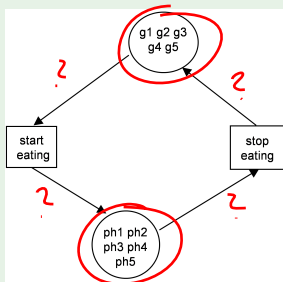
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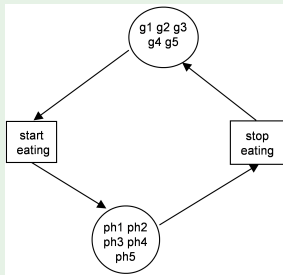
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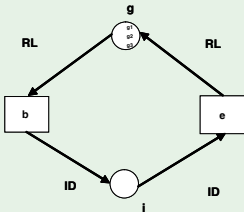
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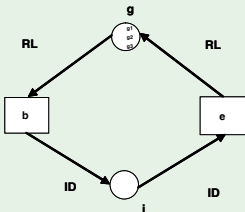
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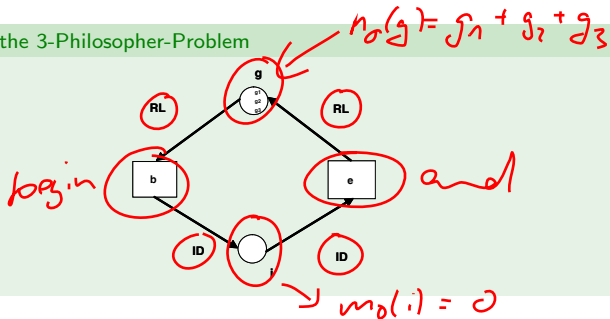
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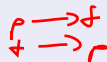
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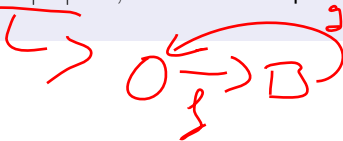
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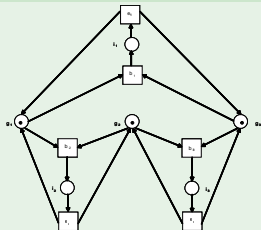
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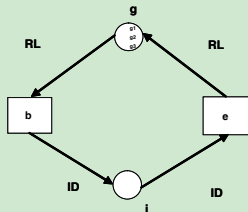


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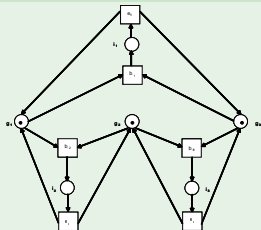
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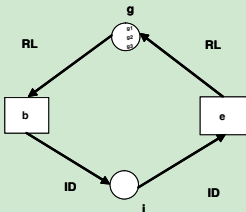


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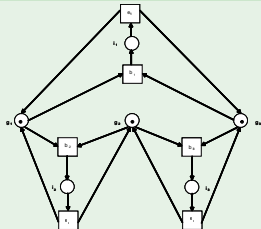
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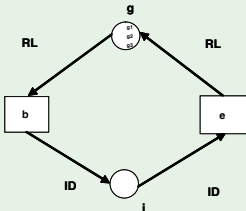


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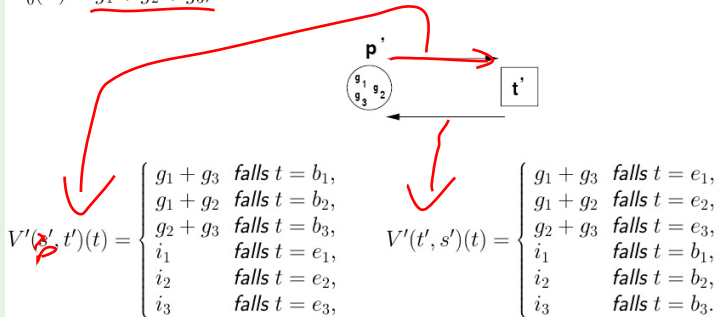
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$$m'_0(s') = \underline{g_1 + g_2 + g_3},$$

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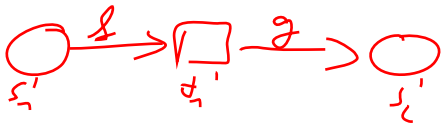
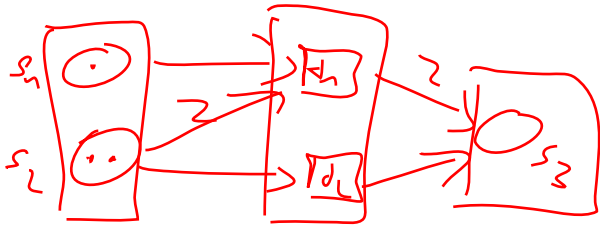
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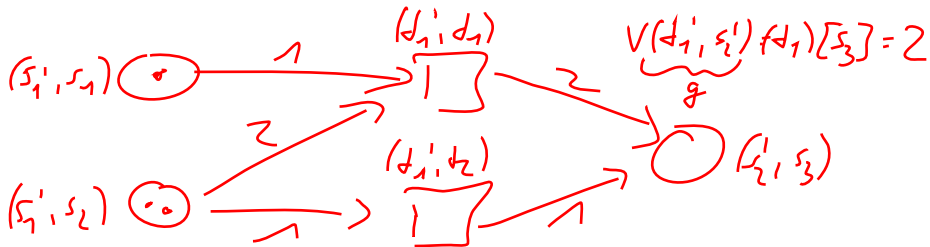
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