NETS VS. OTHER SYSTEM MODELS

- Role of concurrency
- An awareness of finiteness of resources
- Possibility of using the same representation technique on different levels of abstraction

MAJOR CHARACTERISTICS OF PETRI NETS

- Causal dependencies/independencies can be represented explicitly
- Concurrency relation is introduced formally
- System may be represented on different levels of abstraction using the same methodology
- Net representations make it possible to verify system properties (proof of correctness)