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Q1)

~~$P(\text{transmit } 0) = P(T_0)$~~

A digital communication system transmits "on the average" equal number of 0 and 1 bits over a noisy channel. Assume the probability of error at the receiver when detecting a 0 bit is  $5 \times 10^{-9}$ , and the probability of error when detecting a 1 bit is  $1 \times 10^{-9}$ . **Show your work**

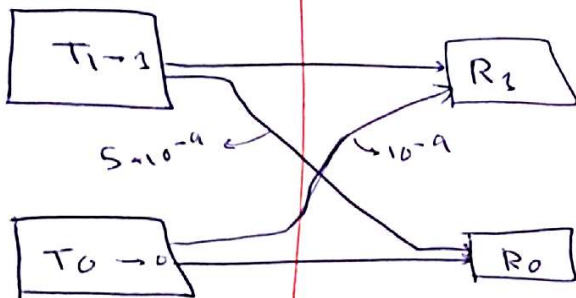
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 (5)

- Sketch a probabilistic model for such communication system?
- Calculate the probability of error for the communication system?

$P(T_1) = P(T_0) = \frac{1}{2}$

$P(\text{error detecting } 0) = 5 \times 10^{-9}$

$P(\text{error } \dots \text{ } 1) = 10^{-9}$



$P(\text{error detecting } 0)$   
 $= P(\text{receiving } 0 \mid \text{transmitting } 1)$   
 $= 5 \times 10^{-9}$

$P(\text{error detecting } 1)$   
 $= P(\text{receiving } 1 \mid \text{transmitting } 0)$   
 $= 10^{-9}$

ⓐ  $P(\text{error detection})$

$\equiv P\{0 \text{ error} \mid 1\}$

$= 5 \times 10^{-9}$

$P(\text{error detection})$

$\equiv P\{1 \text{ error} \mid 0\}$

$= 10^{-9}$

~~$P(R_0 | T_0) =$~~

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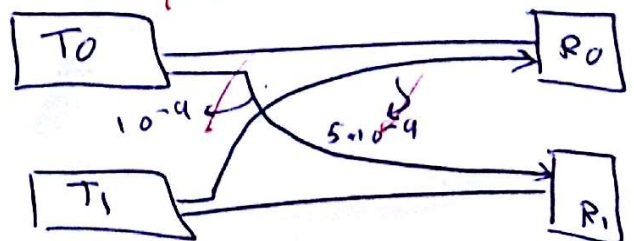
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$P(R_0) = P(R_0 | T_0) P(T_0) + P(R_0 | T_1) P(T_1)$

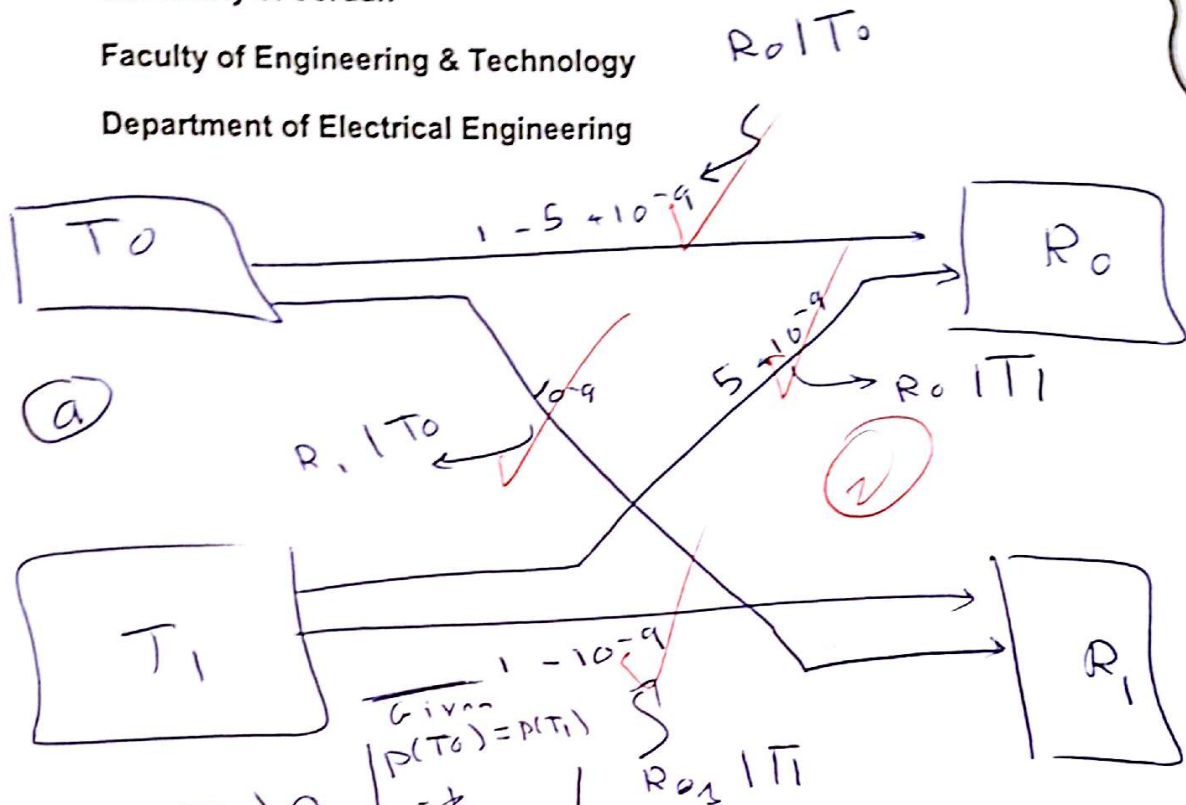
$P(R_0 | T_0) = 5 \times 10^{-9} \times \frac{1}{2} + (1 - 5 \times 10^{-9}) \times \frac{1}{2}$

~~$P(T_0) = .5$~~

~~$P(R_1) = .5$~~



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~~$P(R_0 | T_0)$~~   
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Given  
 $P(T_0) = P(T_1)$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}$   
 $\frac{P(R_0 | T_1)}{P(R_1 | T_0)} = \frac{5 \cdot 10^{-9}}{10^{-9}} = 5 \cdot 10^{-9}$

$P(T_0) = P(T_1) = 1/2$   
 $P(R_0 | T_1) = 5 \cdot 10^{-9}$   
 $P(R_1 | T_0) = 10^{-9}$

$P(R_0 | T_0) + P(R_0 | T_1) = 1$   
 $P(R_0 | T_0) = 1 - 5 \cdot 10^{-9}$   


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 $P(R_1 | T_1) = 1 - P(R_1 | T_0)$   
 $= 1 - 10^{-9}$

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(b)  $P(\text{error}) = P(R_0 | T_1) P(T_1) + P(R_1 | T_0) P(T_0)$   
 $= 5 \cdot 10^{-9} \cdot \frac{1}{2} + 10^{-9} \cdot \frac{1}{2}$   
 $P(\text{error}) = 3 \cdot 10^{-9}$



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Q2)

An assembly line technician checked out electrical resistors in a batch size of 1000. Suppose that the probability of any electrical resistor coming out defective is 0.002. **Show your work**  $P(\text{def}) = 0.002$

- Find the probability that no more than 3 components come out defective  
(3, 2, 1, 0) def.
- Find the probability of exactly 5 components are defective given that 3 resistors have been observed to be defective already
- What is the probability that only 3 components are defective

# of resistors = 1000

$P(\text{def}) = 0.002$

$P(\text{undef.}) = 0.998$

$$+ \left( \frac{1000!}{997! \cdot 3!} \right) (0.002)^3 + (0.998)^{997}$$

= 0.8573 = P{3 or less def}

(a) ~~P{X}~~

P{3 or less def}

~~$\binom{3}{0} (0.002)^0 (1-0.002)^3$~~   
 0 def or 3 def + 2 def or 3 def

P{3 or less out of 1000 is def}

$\left\{ \binom{1000}{0} \text{ def.} + \binom{1000}{1} \text{ def.} \right\}$   
 $\left\{ \binom{1000}{2} \text{ def.} + \binom{1000}{3} \text{ def.} \right\}$

$P(A) = \left[ \frac{1000!}{(1000-0)! \cdot 0!} \right] (0.002)^0 + 0.998$

$+ \left[ \frac{1000!}{999! \cdot 1!} \right] (0.002)^1 + 0.998$

$+ \left( \frac{1000!}{998! \cdot 2!} \right) (0.002)^2 + (0.998)^{998}$

(b) ~~P{def}~~  $A = \geq 3 \text{ def.}$

$P(A) = \binom{1000}{3} (0.002)^3 + 0.998^{997}$   
 = 0.1806

P(2 def. | A)

$P(2 \text{ def.} | A) = P\left(\binom{997}{2} (0.002)^2 + 0.998^{995}\right)$

$P(B) \Rightarrow \frac{0.27094}{0.26986} = P(2 \text{ def.} | A)$

(c)  $P\left(\binom{1000}{3} (0.002)^3 + 0.998^{997}\right)$

$P(C) = 0.1806$



Q3)

The joint probabilities of students' weights (W) and heights (H) in a class are listed in the following table. Find the following and **show your work**:

- The probability of student's height is in the range 5' 8" - 6"?
- The probability of student's weight is in the range 160 - 190 lbs given that his height is 5' 8" - 6"?
- The probability of students' weight is in the range 190 - 220 lbs given that his weight is more than 5' 8"?

	W <sub>1</sub> 100-130	W <sub>2</sub> 130-160	W <sub>3</sub> 160-190	W <sub>4</sub> 190-220	W <sub>5</sub> 220-250	P[H <sub>i</sub> ]
H <sub>1</sub> 5' - 5' 4"	0.08	0.04	0.02	0	0	0.14
H <sub>2</sub> 5' 4" - 5' 8"	0.06	0.12	0.06	0.02	0	0.26
H <sub>3</sub> 5' 8" - 6'	0	0.06	0.14	0.06	0	0.26
H <sub>4</sub> 6' - 6' 4"	0	0.02	0.06	0.10	0.04	0.22
H <sub>5</sub> 6' 4" - 6' 8"	0	0	0	0.08	0.04	0.12

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{a) } P(5' 8'' - 6') &= P(H_3) \\
 &= 0.26 \quad \text{(2)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{b) } P(W_3 | H_3) &= \frac{P(W_3 \cap H_3)}{P(H_3)} \\
 &= \frac{0.14}{0.26} = 0.5385 \quad \text{(2)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{c) } P(W_4) &= P(W_4 | H_3) P(H_3) \\
 &+ P(W_4 | H_4) P(H_4) \\
 &+ P(W_4 | H_5) P(H_5)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{c) } P(C) &= \frac{0.06}{0.26} \cdot 0.26 \\
 &= P(W_4 \cap H_3) + P(W_4 \cap H_4) \\
 &+ P(W_4 \cap H_5) \\
 &= 0.06 + 0.1 + 0.08 \\
 &= 0.24
 \end{aligned}$$

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