To solve our approximate string matching problem, we use a table, called $R^k[n,m]$.

where $1 \le i \le n$ and $1 \le j \le m$.

$$R^{k}(i,j)$$
 $\begin{cases} = 1 \text{ if there exists a suffix } A \text{ of } T_{1,i} \text{ such that } d(A,P_{1,j}) \leq k. \\ = 0 \text{ otherwise.} \end{cases}$