

COMSATS University Islamabad, Lahore Campus

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Problem 1 (10)

Four of the light bulbs in a box of ten bulbs are burnt out or otherwise defective. If two bulbs are selected at random without replacement and tested,

- (i) What is the probability that exactly one defective bulb is found?
- (ii) What is the probability that exactly two defective bulbs are found?

Problem 2 (10)

A company produces machine components which pass through an automatic testing machine. 5% of the components entering the testing machine are defective. However, the machine is not entirely reliable. If a component is defective there is 4% probability that it will not be rejected. If a component is not defective there is 7% probability that it will be rejected.

- a) What fraction of all the components is rejected?
- b) What fraction of the components rejected is actually not defective?
- c) What fraction of those not rejected is defective?