Computing Dlog in $(Z_p)^*$

(n-bit prime p)

Best known algorithm (GNFS): run time exp($\tilde{O}(\sqrt[3]{n})$)

<u>cipher key size</u>	<u>modulus size</u>	group size
80 bits	1024 bits	160 bits
128 bits	3072 bits	256 bits
256 bits (AES)	15360 bits	512 bits

As a result: slow transition away from (mod p) to elliptic curves