

$p = 1 - \text{probability that no two messages have identical}$   
 $= 1 - (1 - 1/2^d) * \dots * (1 - 199/2^d) < 1/2$

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>>> for d in range(1, 28):  
...     product = 1  
...     for i in range(1, 200):  
...         product *= (2**d-i)/2**d  
...     if 1-product<0.5:  
...         print(d)  
...         break  
...  
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$d = 15$