

1. In the RSA cryptosystem,  $de \equiv 1 \pmod{(p-1)(q-1)}$ . Thus, given  $p$ ,  $q$ , and  $d$  or  $e$ , we can easily find the missing value. First, we calculate  $(p-1)(q-1) = (19-1)(29-1) = 18 \times 28 = 504$ . From here, we must simply calculate the modular inverse of  $e = 17$  to find  $d$ . Because this is a lengthy process and we've been over it in class before (using the Extended Euclidean Algorithm), I won't elaborate on how it is found, but this inverse is 89.
2. (a) To uniquely specify 132 elements, we need at least 8 binary digits;  $2^7 = 128$ ,  $2^8 = 256$ .
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