

## Outline for November 15, 2006

### Reading: §9.3

1. Greetings and felicitations!
  - a. Puzzle of the day
2. Use of public key cryptosystem
  - a. Normally used as key interchange system to exchange secret keys (cheap)
  - b. Then use secret key system (too expensive to use public key cryptosystem for this)
3. RSA
  - a. Provides both authenticity and confidentiality
  - b. Go through algorithm:

Idea:  $C = M^e \bmod n$ ,  $M = C^d \bmod n$ , with  $ed \bmod \Phi(n) = 1$   
Proof:  $M^{\Phi(n)} \bmod n = 1$  [by Fermat's theorem as generalized by Euler]; follows immediately from  $ed \bmod \Phi(n) = 1$   
Public key is  $(e, n)$ ; private key is  $d$ . Choose  $n = pq$ ; then  $\Phi(n) = (p-1)(q-1)$ .
  - c. Example:  $p = 5$ ,  $q = 7$ ; then  $n = 35$ ,  $\Phi(n) = (5-1)(7-1) = 24$ . Pick  $d = 11$ . Then  $ed \bmod \Phi(n) = 1$ , so  $e = 11$   
To encipher 2,  $C = M^e \bmod n = 2^{11} \bmod 35 = 2048 \bmod 35 = 18$ , and  $M = C^d \bmod n = 18^{11} \bmod 35 = 2$ .
  - d. Example:  $p = 53$ ,  $q = 61$ ; then  $n = 3233$ ,  $\Phi(n) = (53-1)(61-1) = 3120$ . Pick  $d = 791$ . Then  $e = 71$   
To encipher  $M = \text{RENAISSANCE}$ , use the mapping A = 00, B = 01, ..., Z = 25, b = 26.  
Then:  $M = \text{RE NA IS SA NC Eb} = 1704\ 1300\ 0818\ 1800\ 1302\ 0426$   
So:  $C = (1704)^{71} \bmod 3233 = 3106$ ; etc. = 3106 0100 0931 2691 1984 2927