Secret Sharing Pad

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## Decryption instructions



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2. Find the list of three-digit codes printed next to the letter of the other pad. Working left-toright, add the codes on the first pad to the codes on the second pad and write down the answers.

3. Use the table above to turn the last three digits of each sum into a character. Stop when you find a sum whose last three digits are '000'. The remaining codes just hide the secret's real length.

Troubleshooting: The last three digits of summed codes should be either 000 or between 032 and 126. If this is not the case, check the pad numbers match and that you're looking at the correct list of codes. Check your steps against the example in the pictures above.

Using spreadsheet (optional): Copy the three-digit codes for your two pads into columns A and B of your spreadsheet. Type $=\operatorname{MOD}(A 1+B 1,1000)$ into cell C1 and $=\operatorname{CHAR}(C 1)$ into cell D1. Use auto-fill to repeat the formulae in columns $C$ and $D$ over the remaining rows.

## Secret 1: IRC Password

This is the password for the username 'AzureDiamond'.

| B | 462 | 818 | 340 | 492 | 452 | 318 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | 252 | 906 | 058 | 394 | 954 | 216 |

## Secret 2: Luggage combination

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| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 798 | 094 | 942 | 606 | 046 | 784 |  |

$$
\begin{array}{l|llllll}
C & 810 & 982 & 170 & 188 & 236 & 786 \\
844 & 590 & 898 & 758 & 294 & 564
\end{array}
$$

| D | 378 | 176 | 636 | 992 | 446 | 798 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 890 | 920 | 294 | 932 | 428 | 800 |  |

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| A | 912 | 789 | 196 | 024 | 109 | 368 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | 086 | 664 | 024 | 718 | 648 | 700 |

Secret 2: Luggage combination

| $B$ | 294 | 135 | 940 | 928 | 865 | 328 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | 206 | 410 | 102 | 242 | 706 | 436 |

D $\left\lvert\, \begin{array}{llllll}928 & 380 & 954 & 462 & 850 & 012 \\ 758 & 410 & 168 & 806 & 238 & 118\end{array}\right.$

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| A | 332 | 947 | 614 | 986 | 405 | 698 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 212 | 136 | 808 | 626 | 384 | 776 |  |

## Secret 2: Luggage combination

C| $\begin{array}{lllllll}176 & 737 & 156 & 654 & 251 & 102 \\ 292 & 590 & 832 & 194 & 762 & 882\end{array}$

