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Directions: Show all work. No credit for answers without work.

1. **[5 points]** Solve the following system of congruences; your solution should identify the set of all possible solutions.

 $x \equiv 23 \pmod{31}$

 $2x \equiv 43 \pmod{53}$

 $x \equiv 6 \pmod{25}$

2. [4 points] Convert the following system of coungruences to an equivalent system of congruences with prime power moduli. (Do not solve.)

 $x \equiv 58 \pmod{98}$

 $x \equiv 16 \pmod{21}$

 $x \equiv 16 \pmod{36}$

3. [1 point] Without using CRT, show that if x = 9r + 5 and x = 7s + 3 for $r, s \in \mathbb{Z}$, then x = 63n + 59 for some $n \in \mathbb{Z}$.