



7. Consider the arithmetic sequences 1998, 2005, 2012, ... and 1996, 2005, 2014, .... Which is the next number after 2005 that appears in both sequences?
- A 2054      B 2059      C 2061      D 2063      E 2068

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7. **E** The sequences have common differences of 7 and 9 respectively. The lowest common multiple of 7 and 9 is 63, so the next term after 2005 to appear in both sequences is  $2005 + 63$ , that is 2068.