

**Question #233****Answer: B**

$$p_{xx} = 1 - q_{xx} = 0.96$$

$$p_x = \sqrt{0.96} = 0.9798$$

$$p_{x+1:x+1} = 1 - q_{x+1:x+1} = 0.99$$

$$p_{x+1} = \sqrt{0.99} = 0.995$$

$$\begin{aligned}\ddot{a}_x &= 1 + vp_x + v^2 \times {}_2p_x = 1 + \frac{0.9798}{1.05} + \frac{(0.9798)(0.995)}{1.05^2} \\ &= 2.8174\end{aligned}$$

$$\ddot{a}_{xx} = 1 + vp_{xx} + v^2 \times {}_2p_{xx} = 1 + \frac{0.96}{1.05} + \frac{(0.96)(0.99)}{1.05^2} = 2.7763$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{EPV} &= 2000\ddot{a}_x + 2000\ddot{a}_x + 6000\ddot{a}_{xx} \\ &= (4000)(2.8174) + (6000)(2.7763) \\ &= 27,927\end{aligned}$$

Notes: The solution assumes that the future lifetimes are identically distributed. The precise description of the benefit would be a special 3-year temporary life annuity-due.