

GATE

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1. $\mathbf{A} = a_1a_0$ and $\mathbf{B} = b_1b_0$ are two 2-bit unsigned binary numbers. If $\mathbf{F}(a_1, a_0, b_1, b_0)$ is a Boolean function such that $\mathbf{F} = 1$ only when $\mathbf{A} > \mathbf{B}$, and $\mathbf{F} = 0$ otherwise, then \mathbf{F} can be minimized to the form _____

(a) $a_1\bar{b}_1 + a_1a_0\bar{b}_0$

(b) $a_1\bar{b}_1 + a_1a_0\bar{b}_0 + a_0\bar{b}_0\bar{b}_1$

(c) $a_1a_0\bar{b}_0 + a_0\bar{b}_0\bar{b}_1$

(d) $a_1\bar{b}_1 + a_1a_0\bar{b}_0 + a_0\bar{b}_0b_1$

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