

Easy

Table: Point

Column Name	Type
x	int

In SQL, x is the primary key column for this table.

Each row of this table indicates the position of a point on the X-axis.

Find the shortest distance between any two points from the Point table.

The result format is in the following example.

Example 1:

Input:

Point table:

x
-1
0
2

Output:

shortest
1

Explanation: The shortest distance is between points -1 and 0 which is $|(-1) - 0| = 1$.

Follow up: How could you optimize your solution if the Point table is ordered in ascending order?

Write your MySQL query statement below

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SELECT MIN(abs(p1.x-p2.x)) AS shortest
FROM Point p1
CROSS JOIN Point p2
WHERE p1.x!=p2.x
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