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Monk and New Array

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PROBLEM

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Monk has a matrix of size $N \times M$, and he wants to pick one element from each row to make a new array A of size N . He wants to find the minimum possible value of absolute difference between any two adjacent elements in the array A . Please note that the element picked from row 1, will become $A[1]$, element picked from row 2 will become $A[2]$, and so on.

Input:

First line consists of two space separated integers denoting N and M .

Each of the following N lines consists of M space separated integers denoting the matrix mat .

Output:

Print the required answer in a new line.

Constraints:

$$2 \leq N, M \leq 1000$$

$$1 \leq mat[i][j] \leq 10^9$$

SAMPLE INPUT

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2 2
8 4
6 8
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SAMPLE OUTPUT

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0
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Explanation

Minimum difference Monk can achieve is 0 by choosing 8 from both rows.

Time Limit: 1.0 sec(s) for each input file.

Memory Limit: 256 MB

Source Limit: 1024 KB

Marking Scheme: Marks are awarded when all the testcases pass.

Allowed Languages: C, C++, Clojure, C#, D, Erlang, F#, Go, Groovy, Haskell, Java, Java 8, JavaScript(Rhino), JavaScript(Node.js), Lisp, Lisp (SBCL), Lua, Objective-C, OCaml, Octave, Pascal, Perl, PHP, Python, Python 3, R(RScript), Racket, Ruby, Rust, Scala, Scala 2.11.8, Swift, Visual Basic