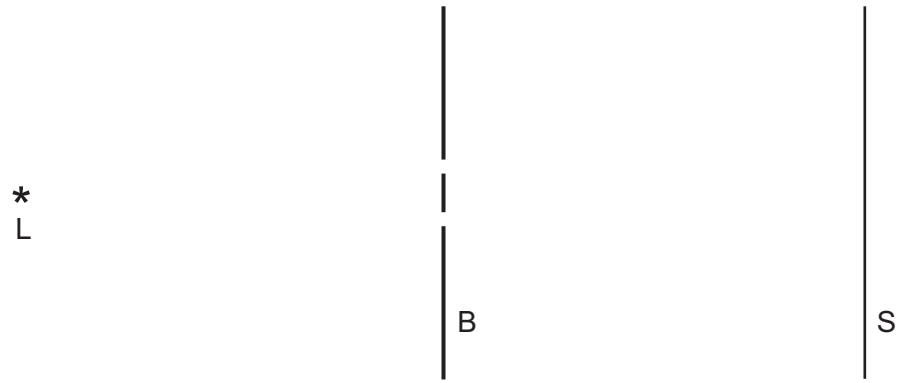
28 The diagram shows a view from above of a double slit interference demonstration.

L is a monochromatic light source with a vertical filament. B is a barrier with two narrow vertical slits and S is a screen upon which interference fringes form.



The intensity is I at a point on the screen where the centre of the fringe pattern forms.

What is the intensity, at the same point, when one of the slits is covered up?

A $\frac{I}{\sqrt{2}}$ **B** $\frac{I}{2}$ **C** $\frac{I}{2\sqrt{2}}$ **D** $\frac{I}{4}$

Space for working