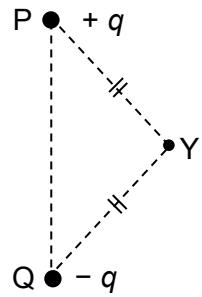


- 17 Two oppositely charged particles are fixed in positions P and Q as shown. Y is equidistant from P and Q.



Which one of the following options describes the resultant electric field strength at point Y?

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| <b>A</b> downwards        | <b>B</b> upwards |
| <b>C</b> towards the left | <b>D</b> zero    |

