

18 Two equal and opposite charges  $+q$  and  $-q$  are situated 0.90 m apart.

At a point P, 0.30 m from the charge  $+q$ , the magnitude of the electric field strength due to the charge  $+q$  alone is  $10.0 \text{ NC}^{-1}$ .



What is the magnitude of the electric field strength at P due to both charges?

- A  $5.0 \text{ NC}^{-1}$
- B  $7.5 \text{ NC}^{-1}$
- C  $12.5 \text{ NC}^{-1}$
- D  $15.0 \text{ NC}^{-1}$

