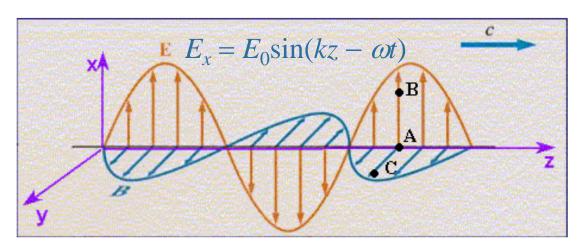
CheckPoint 2b

An electromagnetic plane-wave is traveling in the +z direction. The illustration below shows this wave at some instant in time. Points A, B and C have the same z coordinate.



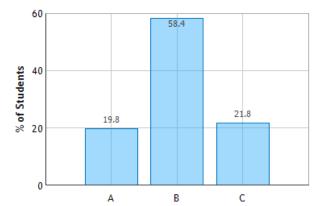
Compare the magnitudes of the electric fields at points A and C

A.
$$E_A < E_C$$

B.
$$E_A = E_C$$

$$C. E_A > E_C$$

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$$E = E_0 \sin(kz - \omega t)$$
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E depends only on z coordinate for constant t. z coordinate is same for A, B, C.

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