

## Numerical Solutions for Schrodinger's Equation for the Particle in the Finite Potential Well

Parameters go here:  $m := 1$     $V_0 := 2$     $lb := -1$     $rb := 1$     $x_{\min} := lb - 3$     $x_{\max} := rb + 3$

Potential energy  $V(x) := \text{if}[(x \geq lb) \cdot (x \leq rb), 0, V_0]$

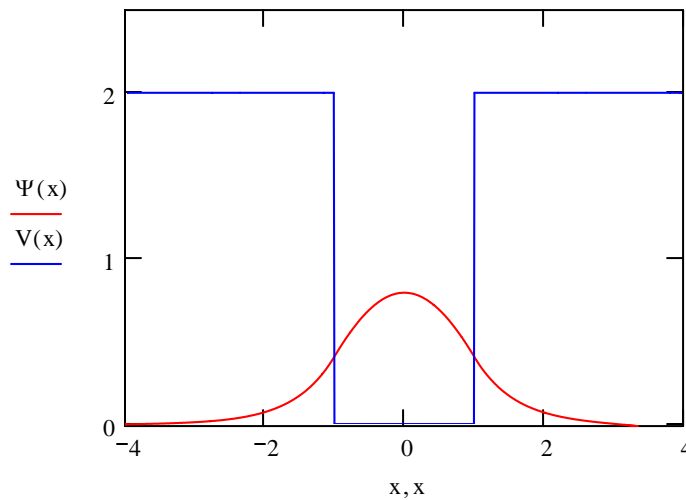
Given  $\frac{-1}{2 \cdot m} \cdot \frac{d^2}{dx^2} \Psi(x) + V(x) \cdot \Psi(x) = E \cdot \Psi(x)$     $\Psi(x_{\min}) = 0$     $\Psi'(0) = 0.1$

$\Psi := \text{Odesolve}(x, x_{\max})$

Normalize wavefunction:

$$\Psi(x) := \frac{\Psi(x)}{\sqrt{\int_{x_{\min}}^{x_{\max}} \Psi(x)^2 dx}}$$

Enter energy guess:  $E \equiv 0.5289$



Calculate the probability the particle is in the barrier:

$$2 \cdot \int_{rb}^{x_{\max}} \Psi(x)^2 dx = 0.099$$