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with $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$

Which of the following quantities is exactly determined for an electron in one the states?

- (A) Energy
- (B) Momentum
- (C) Position
- (D) None of these
- (E) More than one of these

Electron in infinite square well potential

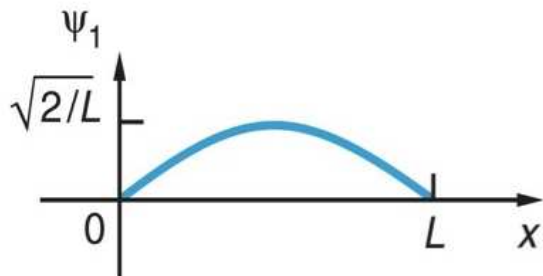
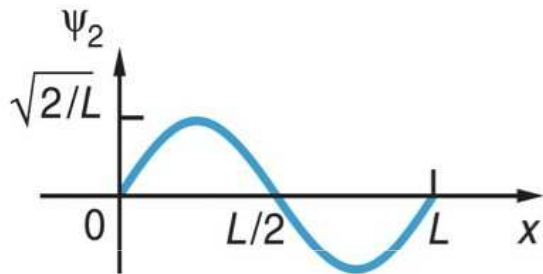
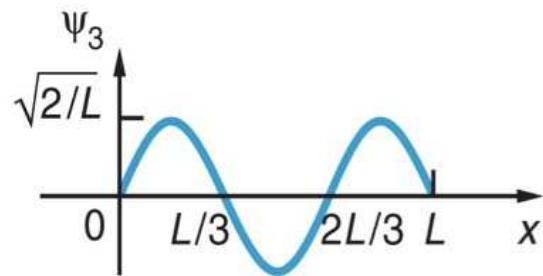
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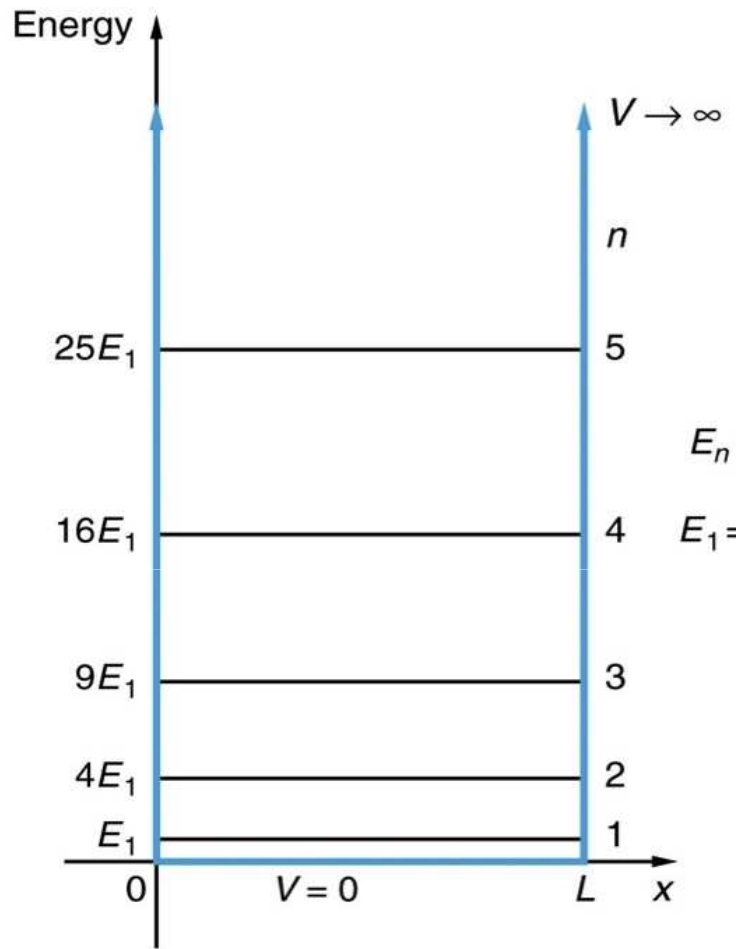
How do the wave functions for the first states look like?



$$\Psi(x, t) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{L}} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) e^{-iEt/\hbar}$$

How does probability of finding electron close to $L/2$ if in $n=3$ excited state compared to probability for when $n=2$ excited state?

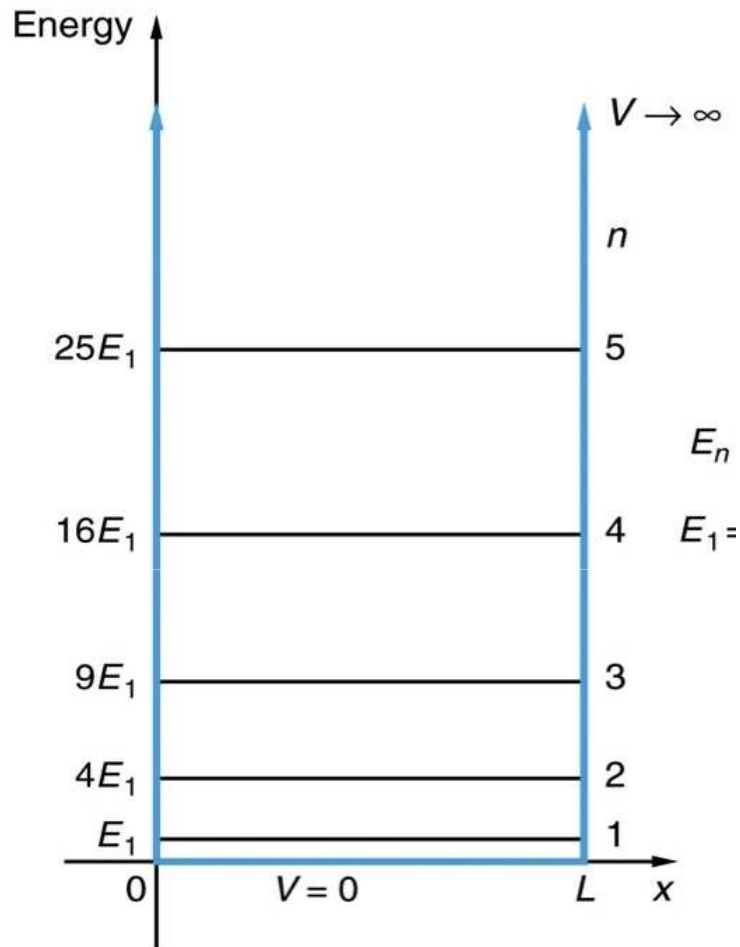
- (A) much more likely for $n=3$.
- (B) equal prob. for both
- (C) much more likely for $n=2$



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What is the potential energy for the 4th excited state?

- (A) E_1
- (B) 0
- (C) ∞
- (D) Could be anything



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Discrete energy values
 \rightarrow quantization

Consider the ground state ($n=1$). Is the uncertainty principle fulfilled?

- (A) Yes (B) No