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1. The time-independent Schrödinger equation of a particle is given by

$$\left[-\frac{1}{2m} \frac{d^2}{dx^2} - \frac{a^2}{m} \operatorname{sech}^2(ax) \right] \psi(x) = \varepsilon \psi(x). \quad (\hbar \equiv 1) \quad (1)$$

- (a) Show that $e^{ikx}[\tanh(ax) + c]$ can be a solution by selecting a proper c . Based on the result, calculate the reflection and transmission coefficients. (b) Check that $A \operatorname{sech}(ax)$ is the ground state wave function and normalize it.