

Pressure :

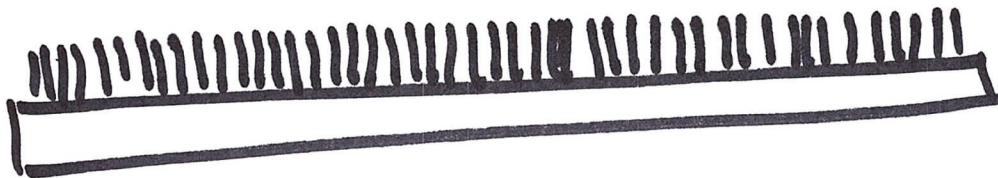
Force per unit area

$$P = \frac{F}{A}$$

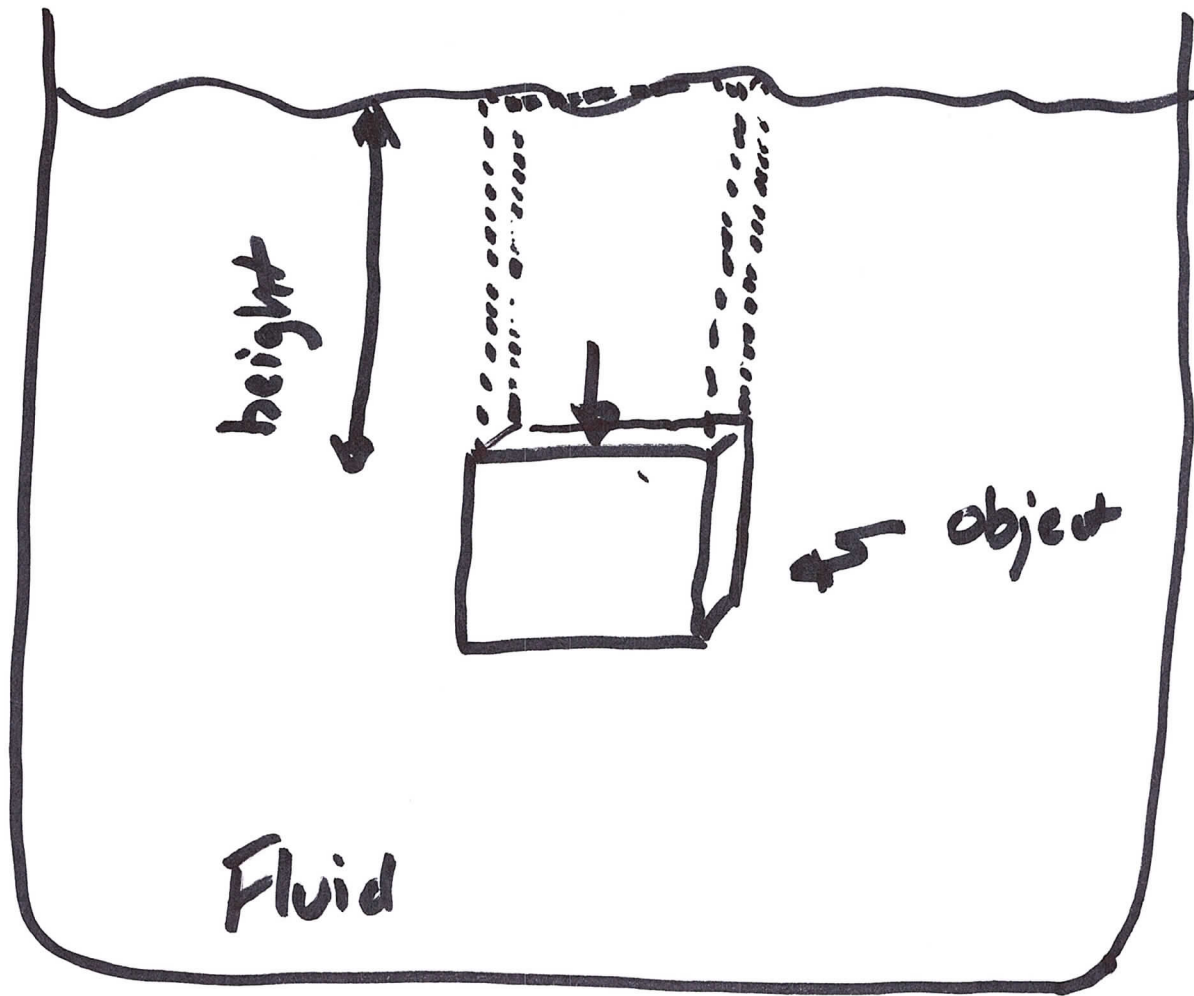
F: Force (N)

A: Area (m^2)

units: $\frac{\text{N}}{\text{m}^2}$ or Pascal (Pa)



Pressure of a Fluid Pushing on object



Weight of column of fluid

$$W = mg \quad \rightarrow 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\text{mass of fluid} = \rho V$$

"rho" $\rightarrow \rho = \text{density of fluid}$

$V = \text{Volume of fluid}$

$$V = l \times w \times h$$

$$\therefore m = \rho A h$$

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 $\text{Area} = l \times w$

$$W_{\text{fluid}} = (\rho A h)g$$

$$\text{Pressure} = \frac{F}{A}$$

$F = \text{weight of column of fluid}$

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h : depth of object

g : Acc. due to the force of G

ρ : density of fluid

* The pressure of the fluid pushing on the object is a function of " h " ... or "depth"

- Pressure is pushing on object in all directions

