



Using mercury-water interface as reference,

$$\text{height of mercury} = 2x$$

$$\text{height of water} = h$$

$$\text{pressure at water} = \text{pressure at mercury}$$

$$\rho_w gh = \rho_m g (2x)$$

$$x = \frac{\rho_w h}{2\rho_m} = \frac{(1.029 \text{ kg/m}^3)(11.2 \text{ cm})}{2(13.6 \text{ g/cm}^3)} = 0.412 \text{ cm}$$

$$(2) (a) \text{ Weight of water is } W = mg = \rho Vg$$

$$= (1.0 \times 10^3 \text{ kg/m}^3)(80 \text{ ft})(30 \text{ ft})(8.0 \text{ ft})(0.3048 \text{ m/ft})^3 (9.8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2})$$

$$= 5.3 \times 10^6 \text{ N} \quad (= \text{force on bottom})$$

$$(b) \text{ Pressure at bottom} = \rho gh = (1.0 \times 10^3 \text{ kg/m}^3)(9.8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2})(8.0 \text{ ft})(0.3048 \text{ m/ft})$$

$$= 2.39 \times 10^4 \text{ N/m}^2$$

$$\text{Average pressure on sides} = \frac{1}{2}(2.39 \times 10^4 \text{ N/m}^2)$$

$$\text{Area of side} = (8.0 \text{ ft})(8.0 \text{ ft})(0.3048 \text{ m/ft})^2 = 59.46 \text{ m}^2$$

$$\text{Force on side} = \frac{1}{2}(2.39 \times 10^4 \text{ N/m}^2)(59.46 \text{ m}^2) = 7.1 \times 10^5 \text{ N}$$

$$(c) \text{ Force on end} = \frac{1}{2}(2.39 \times 10^4 \text{ N/m}^2)(30 \text{ ft})(8.0 \text{ ft})(0.3048 \text{ m/ft})^2$$

$$= 2.7 \times 10^5 \text{ N.}$$

③ Assume entire volume of can is submerged

$$\text{Bouyant force} = \rho V g = (1.00 \times 10^3 \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{m}^3})(120 \times 10^{-6} \text{m}^3)(9.8 \frac{\text{N}}{\text{kg}})$$
$$= 11.76 \text{N}$$

$$\text{Floating weight} = (m_{\text{can}} + m_{\text{lead}})g = 11.76 \text{N}$$

$$m_{\text{can}} + m_{\text{lead}} = 1.200 \text{kg}$$
$$m_{\text{lead}} = 1.200 \text{kg} - 0.130 \text{kg} = 1.070 \text{kg}$$