

Section

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HOLT PHYSICS

Concept Review*Fluids and Buoyant Force*

A raft is made of a plastic block with a density of 650 kg/m^3 , and its dimensions are $2.00 \text{ m} \times 3.00 \text{ m} \times 5.00 \text{ m}$.

1. What is the volume of the raft?

2. What is its mass?

3. What is its weight?

4. What is the raft's apparent weight in water?
(Hint: density of water = $1.00 \times 10^3 \text{ kg/m}^3$)

5. What is the buoyant force on the raft in water?

6. What is the mass of the displaced water?

7. What is the volume of the displaced water?

8. How much of the raft's volume is below water? How much is above?

9. Answer items 5–8 using ethanol (density = $0.806 \times 10^3 \text{ kg/m}^3$) instead of water.
