

5. Let M_{col} = column-integrated mass
 P_s = surface pressure (= $M_{col} \cdot g$)

Thus

$$M_{col} = \frac{P_s}{g} = \frac{1.013 (0.1 \text{ MPa})}{9.81 \text{ m s}^{-2}}$$

$$= \frac{1.013 \times 10^5 \text{ Pa}}{9.81 \text{ m s}^{-2}} = 1.033 \times 10^4 \text{ kg m}^{-2}$$

or, to remember this easily, $M_{col} \approx 1 \text{ kg cm}^{-2}$

Then, $N_{col} = \frac{M_{col}}{m} = \frac{1.033 \times 10^4}{23.96 (1.67 \times 10^{-27})} = 2.14 \times 10^{29}$

6. MKS:

(SA)
 Earth's surface area = $4\pi R_E^2 = 4\pi (6.371 \times 10^6 \text{ m})^2$
 $= 5.10 \times 10^{14} \text{ m}^2$

Density of water = $1 \text{ g cm}^{-3} = 10^3 \text{ kg m}^{-3}$

So (V)
 Volume of ocean = $1.4 \times 10^{21} \text{ kg} \left(\frac{1 \text{ m}^3}{10^3 \text{ kg}} \right)$
 $= 1.4 \times 10^{18} \text{ m}^3$

(D)
 Average depth of ocean:
 $D = V/SA = \frac{1.4 \times 10^{18} \text{ m}^3}{5.1 \times 10^{14} \text{ m}^2}$
 $= 2.745 \times 10^3 \text{ m}$

$D = 2.745 \text{ km}$

Column mass: $M_{col} = \rho D = 10^3 \text{ kg m}^{-3} (2.745 \times 10^3 \text{ m})$
 $= 2.745 \times 10^6 \text{ kg m}^{-2}$

Pressure at bottom: $P_{bot} = M_{col} \cdot g = 2.745 \times 10^6 \text{ kg m}^{-2} \cdot (9.81 \text{ m s}^{-2})$
 $= 2.69 \times 10^7 \text{ Pa} = 269 \text{ bar}$

Column number density (next page) \Rightarrow