2. Pressure is defined as force per unit area or

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P=F / A
$$

We multiply both sides of the equation by the area to solve for the force as

$$
\begin{aligned}
& F=P A \\
& F=(300 \mathrm{~Pa})\left(0.5 \mathrm{~m}^{2}\right) \\
& \mathrm{F}=150(\mathrm{~Pa}) \mathrm{m}^{2}=150\left(\mathrm{~N} / \mathrm{m}^{2}\right) \mathrm{m}^{2} \\
& \mathrm{~F}=150 \mathrm{~N}
\end{aligned}
$$

