

## List of Equivalence - Equivalent National Standard & taught by IDSA Members

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Always check the information of authorities before starting to work in another country.

Only students of a training during fullmembership can apply for IDSA Card

Country / IDSA Member	IDSA LEVEL 1 Commercial SCUBA Diver	IDSA LEVEL 2 Surface Supplied Inshore Air Diver	IDSA LEVEL 3 Surface Supplied Offshore Air Diver	IDSA LEVEL 4 Closed Bell Mixed Gas Diver
<b>AUSTRALIA</b>				
Equivalent National Standard <u>Ref ADAS</u> See Note 4	Part 1		Part 3	Part 4
<b>BELGIUM</b>				
Equivalent National Standard		OOW - SYNTRA	Beroepsduiker Offshore SSE	
<u>Syntra-AB</u>	Combined with Level 2 See Note 1	YES	YES	
<b>CANADA</b>				
Equivalent National Standard <u>Ref DCBC</u> See Note 4	Unrestricted SCUBA	Unrestricted SCUBA <b>Plus</b> Restricted Surface Supplied Diver	Unrestricted Surface Supplied Diver to 50m + Unrestricted SCUBA	Bell Diver
<b>DENMARK</b>				
Equivalent National Standard	National SCUBA Diver		Surface Supplied Diver to 50m	
<b>Egypt</b>				
Equivalent National Standard	Commercial Scuba Diver	Inshore Surface Supply Diver	Offshore Surface Supply Diver	
<u>Arab Academy for Science &amp; Technology &amp; Marine Transport</u>	YES	YES		
<u>Egyptian International Diving School (EIDS)</u>	YES	YES	YES	
<u>Middle East for Commercial Diving (MECD)</u>	YES	YES		
<u>National Institute for Commercial Diving (NICD)</u>				
<b>Estonia</b>				
<u>GT Corporation SE</u>				
<b>Faroe</b>				
<u>Faroe Dive</u>				
<b>FINLAND</b>				
Equivalent National Standard	National SCUBA Diver	National Surface Supply Diver – 50m		
<u>Luksia</u>	Combined with Level 2 See Note 1	YES		
<b>FRANCE</b>				
Equivalent National Standard	Class 1 Mention B to 40 m		Class 2 Mention A	Class 3 Mention A
<u>Ecole Nationale des Scaphandriers</u>	YES		YES	
<u>I.N.P.P. Institut National de Plongee Professionnelle</u>	YES		YES	YES

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<u>Centre Activités Plongée de TREBEURDEN</u>	YES		YES	
<b>Hungary</b>				
<u>Búvár KF</u>				
<b>Iran</b>				
<u>Búvár KF</u>				
<b>Ireland</b>				
National Standard – <a href="#">QQI</a>	QQI Level 6 Commercial SCUBA Diver to 30 m	QQI Level 6 Surface Supplied Diving (Inshore) to 30m		
<u>The Irish Navy Diving School</u>	YES	YES	YES	
<u>Irish Sea Fisheries Board (BIM)</u>	YES	YES		
<b>Israel</b>				
<u>Nahshon Marine Construction LTD</u>				
<b>Jordan</b>				
<u>Aqaba Beach Academy for Commercial Diving</u>				
<b>ITALY</b>				
<u>Centro Studi C.E.DI FO.P</u>	YES	YES	YES	
<b>Kuwait</b>				
<u>IDEA Kuwait</u>				
<b>Latvia</b>				
<u>Daivtechnoserviss</u>				
<u>Liepaja Maritime College</u>				
<b>Mexico</b>				
<u>Instituto De Buceo Comercial Techdiving A.c.</u>				
<b>Montenegro</b>				
<u>Regional Diving Centre for Divers Training and Underwater Demining</u>				
<b>MALAYSIA</b>				
Equivalent National Standard Ref JPK/CDN OG-040-3-2015	Restricted commercial SCUBA diver 30m NOSS level 1	Restricted Surface Supplied Air Diver 30m NOSS level 2		
<u>Divestuff SDN BHD</u>	YES	YES		
<b>MOROCCO</b>				
Equivalent National Standard	Class 1 Mention A or B	Class 1 Mention A	Class 2 Mention A	
<u>Centre Méditerranéen de Plongée Professionnelle (C.M.P.P.)</u>	Combined with Level 3 See Note 1	Combined with Level 3 See Note 1		
<b>NETHERLANDS</b>				
Equivalent National Standard	Certificate A3	Certificate B3	Certificate B4	Certificate C
<u>Foundation NOK</u>	Combined with Level 3 See Note 1	Combined with Level 3 See Note 1	YES	
<b>NEW ZEALAND</b>				
Equivalent National Standard See Note 4	Part 1		Part 3	Part 4

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<b>NORWAY</b>				
Equivalent National Standard	Labour Inspection Authority (LIA) Level A Inshore SCUBA	Norwegian Labour inspection Authority Level B	Petroleum Safety Authority (PSA) Part 1: Surface orientated Diver North Sea Offshore LIA Level B: Surface Orientated Diver Inshore	NPD Bell Diver
<u>Norwegian School of Commercial Diving (NYD)</u>	YES	Combined with Level 3 See Note 1	YES	
<u>Western Norway University of Applied Sciences, Diver Education</u>	YES	YES	YES	
<b>SAUDI ARABIA</b>				
<u>Equivalent National Standard</u>	Commercial SCUBA Diver Modules A&B	Commercial Supplied Inshore Air Diver Modules A, B & C		
<u>Hasco Group – Port Academy for Maritime &amp; Technical Studies</u>	YES	YES		
<b>SOUTH AFRICA</b>				
Equivalent National Standard See Note 4	Class 4	Class 3	Class 2	Class 1
<b>SPAIN</b>				
Equivalent National Standard	Bussejador Petita Profunditat 30m		Bussejador Mitjana Profunditat SSD 50m & Wet Bell	
<u>Oceanos Escuela de Buceo Profesional SL</u>	YES	YES	YES	
<b>SWEDEN</b>				
Equivalent National Standard	Diver Certificate A	Diver Certificate B	Diver Certificate C Wet Bell 60m	
<u>Swedish Armed Forces Diving and Naval Medicine Centre</u>	YES	YES		
<u>Yrgo-Commercial Diving School</u>	YES	YES	YES	
<b>SWEDEN/Armed Forces Diving &amp; Naval medicine Centre</b>				
IDSA Level; taught	Combined with Level 2 See Note 1	YES		
Equivalent National Standard	Diver Certificate A	Diver Certificate B	Diver Certificate C Wet Bell 60m	
<b>UK – PRE APRIL 1998</b>				
Equivalent National Standard See Note 3	HSE Part 4	HSE Part 3 <b>Plus</b> Task Training module	HSE Part 1	HSE Part 2
<b>UK – Post April 1998</b>				
Equivalent National Standard See Note 3	HSE SCUBA	HSE SCUBA <b>Plus</b> HSE Surface Supply <b>Plus</b> Tools Training module.	HSE SCUBA <b>Plus</b> HSE Surface Supply <b>Plus</b> Tools Training module <b>Plus</b> Surface Supplied Top Up	HSE Closed Bell
<b>U.A.E.</b>				
<u>Gulf Marine Contracting FZE</u>				

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<u>Atlantis Marine Services LLC</u>				
<u>Divetech Underwater Services</u>				
<u>Integrated Subsea Engineering &amp; Services LLC</u>				
<b>Ukraine</b>				
<u>Pidvodni Technologi</u>				
<b>USA</b>				
Equivalent National Standard		American National Standard for Divers - ANSI/ACDE-01-2015 (USA)	ADCI International Endorsement Surface Supplied Diver to 50m + HSE Commercial SCUBA	
<u>Barbara City Colleg</u>				
<u>BG Dive Solutions Ltd</u>				
<u>Divers Institute of Technology</u>	YES		YES	
<u>The Ocean Corporation</u>				

Notes:

1. Not taught as a separate course.
2. Currently the Training Programmes of the members of the Association of Commercial Diving Educators (ACDE) meet the ANSI Standards, and students are eligible for IDSA certification once they have achieved the necessary authenticated in-water experience.
3. The Task Training Module must cover the requirements for Task Training contained in the IDSA Level 2 Standard.
4. Subject to confirmation
5. Generally the high standards cover all those below, i.e. the award of IDSA Level 3 is conditional upon the diver having qualified Levels 1 & 2 previously.