

## PADI Qualification Comparison Table

<b>BSAC</b>	<b>PADI Equivalent</b>
Ocean Diver or Club Diver	Open Water Diver
Sport Diver	Open Water Diver
Sport Diver w/ at least 20 logged dives	Advanced Open Water Diver
Dive Leader	Rescue Diver
Advanced Diver	Divemaster or IDC Candidate
Club Instructor	IDC Candidate
Open Water Instructor	IDC Candidate
Advanced Instructor	IDC Candidate

<b>CMAS</b>	<b>PADI Equivalent</b>
CMAS 1 Star Diver	Open Water Diver
CMAS 2 Star Diver (with verification of Night and Navigation dive)	Rescue Diver
CMAS 3 Star Diver	Divemaster or IDC Candidate
CMAS 1 Star Instructor	IDC Candidate
CMAS 2 Star Instructor	IDC Candidate

<b>SSI</b>	<b>PADI Equivalent</b>
SSI Open Water	Open Water Diver
SSI Advanced open Water	Advanced Open Water Diver
SSI Advanced Adventurer (with underwater navigation)	Advanced Open Water Diver
SSI Stress & Rescue Techniques	Rescue Diver
SSI Master Diver	Rescue Diver
SSI Dive Con	Divemaster
SSI O/W / Dive Con Instructor	IDC Candidate if instructor certified for 6 months.

<b>NAUI</b>	<b>PADI Equivalent</b>
NAUI Scuba Diver	Open Water Diver
Advanced Scuba Diver	Advanced Open Water Diver
NAUI Master Scuba Diver	Rescue Diver
NAUI Divemaster	Divemaster
Scuba Instructor	IDC Candidate

<b>SAA</b>	<b>PADI Equivalent</b>
Club Diver	Open Water Diver
Club Diver (with at least 20 logged dives and Experience in Deep and Navigation)	Advanced Open Water Diver
Dive Leader (with at least 20 logged dives)	Advanced Open Water Diver
Dive Leader (with Diver Rescue)	Rescue Diver
Dive Supervisor (with Diver Rescue)	Divemaster
Assistant and Club Instructor (with Diver Rescue)	IDC Candidate
SAA Regional Instructor	IDC Candidate

<b>HSE</b>	<b>PADI Equivalent</b>
Level 2	Open Water Diver
Level 3	Advanced Open Water Diver
Level 4 (dependant on specialities)	Rescue Diver
	Divemaster

<b>IDSA (Commercial)</b>	<b>PADI Equivalent</b>
Level 1	Open Water Diver
Level 2 (with PPB and table specialities)	Advanced Open Water Diver