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Club Crossover Guidance Chart Re Equivalent Qualifications

SAA	BSAC	SCOTSAC	PADI	NAUI	SSI	CMAS
Elementary Diver			Basic Scuba	Scuba Diver	Open Water Diver	
Open Water Diver	Ocean Diver		Open Water & Advanced Open Water	Advanced Scuba Diver	Advanced Open Water Diver	1 Star
Club Diver *	Sport Diver *	Sport Diver * (SD)	Rescue Diver & Master Scuba Diver	Sports Diver	Master Diver	2 Star
Diver Leader	Dive Leader	Sports Diver with DL Endorsement	Dive Master	Diver Master		2 Star
Diver Supervisor	Advanced Diver & above	Master Diver				3 Star
National Diver						4 Star

* Equates to CMAS 1* until 10 additional dives have been done.

This guide gives the highest permitted crossover level. Each Club Diving Officer reserves the right to assess each application on experience as well as qualifications held and may cross qualifications over at a lower level.

Nothing in this guide alters the policy that Diving Officers may not award certification higher than that held themselves.

Grades above SAA Dive Supervisor may only be awarded by the National Diving Officer.