

Mutual Recognition Arrangements

Country / Organisation	Qualification	ADAS Qualification
<i>Diver Qualifications</i>		
Australian Army <i>Qualifications issued prior to 1/08/2017 only</i>	Army Work Diver	SSBA Diver to 30m (Part 2)
	Army Work Diver - Demolitions Operator	SSBA Diver to 30m (Part 2)
Royal Australian Navy (RAN) <i>Qualifications issued prior to 1/03/2012 only</i>	RAN Scuba Air Diver / Ships Diver	SCUBA Diver to 30m (Part 1)
	RAN Reserve Scuba Air Diver to 20m	SCUBA Diver to 30m (Part 1)
	RAN Clearance Diver – all levels	Restricted SSBA Diver to 50m (Part 3R) with Chamber Operator and Nitrox endorsements
Canada Diver Certification Board of Canada (DCBC)	Unrestricted Scuba Diver	SCUBA Diver to 30m (Part 1)
	Restricted Surface Supply	Restricted SSBA Diver to 30m (Part 2R)
	Unrestricted Surface Supply	SSBA Diver to 50m (Part 3) with Chamber Operator endorsement
	Surface Supplied Mixed Gas Diver (to 70m)	SSBA Diver to 50m (Part 3) + SSMG with Chamber Operator endorsement
	Closed Bell Diver	Closed Bell Diver (Part 4)* with Chamber Operator endorsement
France Institut National De Plongee Professionnelle (INPP)	Class 1 - Mention B	Restricted SCUBA Diver to 30m (Part 1R)
	Class 1 - Mention A	SCUBA Diver to 30m (Part 1)
	Class 2 - Mention A	SSBA Diver to 50m (Part 3) with Chamber Operator endorsement
	Class 3 - Mention A	Closed Bell Diver (Part 4)* with Chamber Operator endorsement
Norway Petroleum Safety Authority (PSA)	Diving Certificate Class I – Surface Orientated Diver	SSBA Diver to 50m (Part 3) with Chamber Operator endorsement
	Diving Certificate Class III – Advanced Underwater Work	SSBA Diver to 30m (Part 2)
	Bell Diver	Closed Bell Diver (Part 4)* with Chamber Operator endorsement

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Netherlands Netherlands Diving Centre (NDC)	Pre July 2012	Duikarbeid Categorie A	SCUBA to 30m (Part 1)
		Duikarbeid Categorie B	SSBA Diver to 50m (Part 3) <i>with Chamber Operator endorsement</i>
		Duikarbeid Categorie C	Closed Bell Diver (Part 4)* <i>with Chamber Operator endorsement</i>
	Post July 2012	Category A3	SCUBA to 30m (Part 1)
		Category B2	SSBA to 30m (Part 2)
		Category B3 – no wet bell	Restricted SSBA to 50m (Part 3R) <i>with Chamber Operator endorsement</i>
		Category B4	SSBA to 50m (Part 3) <i>with Chamber Operator endorsement</i>
		Category C	Closed Bell (Part 4)*
South Africa Dept of Labour (DOL) <i>Qualifications issued prior to 30/06/2010 only</i>	Class I	Closed Bell Diver (Part 4)* <i>with Chamber Operator endorsement</i>	
	Class II	SSBA Diver to 50m (Part 3) <i>with Chamber Operator endorsement</i>	
	Class II Surface Mixed Gas Diver 75m	SSBA Diver to 50m (Part 3) + SSMG <i>with Chamber Operator endorsement</i>	
	Class III	SSBA Diver to 30m (Part 2)	
	Class IV	Occupational Scuba Diver to 30m (Part 1)	
UK Health and Safety Executive (HSE)	Pre 1989	Part 1	SSBA Diver to 50m (Part 3) <i>with Chamber Operator endorsement</i>
		Part 2	Closed Bell Diver (Part 4)* <i>with Chamber Operator endorsement</i>
		Part 3	SSBA Diver to 30m (Part 2)
		Part 4	Occupational Scuba Diver to 30m (Part 1)
	Post 1989	Scuba	Occupational Scuba Diver to 30m (Part 1)
		Surface Supply	SSBA Diver to 30m (Part 2)
		Surface Supply (Top up)	SSBA Diver to 50m (Part 3) <i>with Chamber Operator endorsement</i>
		Closed Bell	Closed Bell Diver (Part 4)* <i>with Chamber Operator endorsement</i>

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<i>Onshore Supervisor Qualifications</i>		
NB: While ADAS may accept onshore supervisor applications from Canada, Netherlands and South Africa, training varies in each country, so applications are judged on an individual basis.		
Royal Australian Navy (RAN) <i>Qualifications issued prior to 1/03/2012 only</i>	RAN SCUBA Air Supervisor	Scuba to 30m (Part 1 Supervisor)
	Advanced Clearance Divers	Scuba to 30m & SSBA to 50m (Part 1 & 3 Supervisor)
	Intermediate Clearance Divers	Scuba to 30m & SSBA to 30m (Part 1 & 2 Supervisor)
	RAN Clearance Diving Officers	Scuba to 30m & SSBA to 50m (Part 1 & 3 Supervisor)
	RAN Reserve Diver SSBA Supervisor	SSBA to 30m (Part 2 Supervisor)
Australian Army	Army Working Diving Supervisor	SSBA to 30m (Part 2 Supervisor)
<i>Offshore Supervisor Qualifications</i>		
International Marine Contractors Association (IMCA)	Air Diving Supervisor	Offshore Air Supervisor
	Bell Diving Supervisor	Offshore Air & Bell Supervisor
Canada Diver Certification Board of Canada (DCBC)	Air Diving Supervisor	Offshore Air Supervisor
	Bell Diving Supervisor	Offshore Air & Bell Supervisor
<i>Diver Medical Technician Qualifications</i>		
International Marine Contractors Association (IMCA)	Diver Medic	Diver Medical Technician (DMT)
Diver Certification Board of Canada (DCBC)	Diving Medical Technician	Diver Medical Technician (DMT)
<i>Life Support Technician Qualifications</i>		
International Marine Contractors Association (IMCA)	Assistant Life Support Technician	Assistant Life Support Technician (ALST)
	Life Support Technician	Life Support Technician (LST)
	Life Support Technician Supervisor	Life Support Technician Supervisor (LSS)

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* Closed Bell Crossover Applications

ADAS reserves the right to undertake logbook checks on Part 4 (Closed Bell) applications to ensure that the training received is consistent with the IDRCF Standards, which includes the following requirements:

- 29 bell lockouts as a diver including one to 55 metres, one to 70 metres and one deeper than 80 metres.
- Act as a diver from a storage depth deeper than 50 metres on two bell runs. The lockout for these bell runs should be at least 15 minutes for each dive on each occasion.
- 29 bell lockouts acting as a bell-man (standby diver)
- 14 complete bell runs including transfer under pressure
- Decompression from a living depth deeper than 50 metres

Applicants who cannot show evidence of having completed the above will be required to demonstrate competency in the missing components. This can be achieved via a top-up training program, operational experience or a combination of both. Applications will be considered on a case-by-case basis by ADAS.
