

1. Course Overview Matrix

	Course Name	Minimum Age	Number of Required Dives	Student to Instructor Ratio in Water	Prerequisite Certification and Dives	Certification Card must be issued by SDI
3	Divemaster	18	40	8	Advanced Adventure, Rescue, CPR, First Aid, 40 logged dives, and Deep, night & limited visibility & navigation specialty	Yes
4	Assistant Instructor	18	See course description	8	Divemaster, CPR, First Aid, 60 logged dives or 50 logged dives and 25 hours underwater	Yes
5	Non-Diving Specialty Instructor	18	N/A		See course description	Yes
6	Visual Inspection Procedure Instructor	21	See course description	N/A	See course description	Yes
7	Instructor Development Course (IDC)	18	See course description	8	Divemaster or Assistant Instructor	Yes
8	Course Director	21	N/A	N/A	See course description	Yes
9	Instructor Trainer	21	N/A	N/A	See course description	Yes
10	Course Director and Instructor Trainer Crossover	21	N/A	N/A	See course description	Yes
11	International Training Crossover	18	N/A	N/A	Open Water instructor rating from recognized agency	Yes