

PROTEC 3* DIVER**

PROTEC SCUBA DIVER 3

(Dive Leader, Dive Master, Gold Degree, CMAS***)

Intention of this course

The Intention of this course is to check the skills of an advanced scuba diver some time after scuba diver 2 courses and more diving practice, to extend these skills and to confirm them accordingly in case of success.

Instruction by ProTec 2** instructor.

Training environment

Any open water, safe for scuba diving.

Prerequisites

A very good physical condition and fitness, very good diving skills and good skills in the specialities such as

- Night Diving
- Advanced Navigation
- Search & Recovery
- Deep Diving (40 msw)
- OHE diving (cavern or any wreck/cave or ice diving)
- Equipment Maintenance
- Rescue Diver
- Dive Leader

all that should be proved through

- appropriate speciality brevets
- certification scuba 2** diver
- confirmation of 100 logged dives
- a medical statement.

- minimum age is 18 years.

Accomplishment

In contrast to scuba diver 2** course where the most important special areas are tested essentially and the structure of additional skills comes in the first place, the emphasis in scuba diver 3*** is on extending and testing the available skills to work out more on details in the special fields - and to get rid of mistakes.

A special attention is to be given to the ability of the diver to control and to guide other (well-trained) divers, to realize and avoid risks in advance and to react correctly in problematic situations as a (private, non professional) dive leader/guide.

Theoretical & practical exercises and tests

Like scuba diver 2** in general, however, it is extended in the details and above all a higher details requirements in special areas that should be tested although they are proved by special divers. (for example; searching sample in search & recovery together with advanced compass exercises). Also orientation on CMAS*** course.

First lessons/trainings in the duties of a dive guide / dive leader.

The instructor is supposed to test the behavior of the candidates UW exactly. Inadequacy is not allowed neither by the generally buoyancy control, the movement UW & breathing techniques, nor by the particular exercises. Scuba Diver 3*** level is an option for advanced diver and not a condition for free sport diving. Who would like to get SD3 certification, should prove first class diving skills and talents!

Max. diving depth is 40 msw. Deco dives are allowed but should be avoided. Max. deco time 10 min.

Courseware

Visit ProTec members area for any material / price list.

- Checklist