

## Process that has led to propose the establishment of European Standards in Scientific Scuba Diving:

Date	Place	Title / chair / organisers	Financial support	Products
26-27 April 1993	Brussels	Workshop on advanced training and standards in Scientific diving (Co-Chairman: Dr M.Weydert [EU] and Dr N.Flemming [UK])	most probably DGXII-MAST	State of the art in European scientific diving. Two resolutions. One concerning organisation of symposia and specific courses One recommending CMAS 3* divers certification as a technical baseline for scientific diving.  Draft report N° CAN/MAST 93/17
1-2 Feb. 1996	Brussels	Workshop on Scientific diving (Chairman: Prof P.Ryan [IE], organiser Dr M.Weydert [EU])	DGXII-MAST	State of the art in European scientific scuba diving Draft standard dated 25/09/1995 and 10/06/1996
1-11.May 1997	Elba	<i>Course / Seminar for the Instructors of European Scientific Divers</i> (organiser: Marco Abbiati [IT])	DGXII-MAST	Tests of potential minimum standards for Scientific Diving new version of standard labelled Elba version
19 January 1998	Brussels	(Chairperson: Paul Ryan [IE], organisers: Marco Weydert [EU] & Laurent d'Ozouville [ESF] ?)	DGXII-MAST, ESF ?	European Scientific Diving Committee + draft standards dated 4/2/1998
14 October 2000	Banyuls-sur-mer	<i>Workshop of the European Scientific Diving Committee</i> (Chairperson, organiser: Jean-Pierre Féral [FR])	CNRS-INSU (partly)	European standards for Scientific Diving dated 24/10/2000