

# dan facts

Practical dive safety tips for divers.

## What is PDE?

With Project Dive Exploration, the most extensive study of recreational diving ever conducted, DAN seeks to record dive profiles and produce statistically accurate analyses of those dive profiles, diver characteristics and diver behavior.

**As of June 1, DAN has collected more than 133,000 dive profiles.**

### Study objectives include:

Documenting the condition of the diver 48 hours after the dive series;

Documenting a diver's health changes, whether dive-related or not;

Using statistical analysis and modeling to study the link between diving and health effects;

Developing flexible, low-risk decompression procedures for multilevel, multiday or repetitive diving; and

Studying the effects of flying after diving.

## Send DAN Your Dive Profiles

All certified divers with a Level 2 or 3 dive computers can participate in PDE and send dive profiles directly to DAN using special software. Contact DAN or visit [www.DiversAlertNetwork.org](http://www.DiversAlertNetwork.org) for more information.

Help DAN make diving safer for all divers. PDE is another example of "Divers Helping Divers." For other information about dive safety and membership benefits, call 1-800-446-2671 or 1-919-684-2948 ext. 260

DAN is a nonprofit dive safety organization dedicated to the safety and health of recreational scuba divers. DAN operates a 24-hour diving emergency hotline for injured divers and a diving medical information line.

**DAN Medical Information Line: +1-919-684-2948 ext. 222**

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