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SeaLife Unveils New SportDiver S Underwater Smartphone Housing

MOORESTOWN, NJ - SeaLife has introduced the all-new SportDiver S, an underwater smartphone housing designed for divers & snorkelers of all abilities. The new compact housing dives to a depth of 100 feet (30 meters) and offers several updates over the original SportDiver model, the new “S” version offers compatibility with all iPhone models including Max sizes, as well as many Android smartphones.

Engineered for absolute reliability and ease of use, the SportDiver S allows divers and snorkelers to capture stunning photos and videos with their smartphones down to depths of 100 feet (30 meters). Constructed from premium polycarbonate, stainless steel, hard-anodized aluminum, and optical-grade glass, the housing weighs just 22.6 ounces pounds (641 grams) on land while offering almost neutral buoyancy in water, depending on the smartphone used.

Ergonomically designed for comfortable handling and ease of use, the SportDiver S features a large shutter lever and rear control buttons, enabling effortless operation even while wearing dive gloves. Photographers can expand their creativity by utilizing advanced camera settings such as zoom control,

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exposure adjustment, auto/manual focus, white balance, lens selection, RAW+JPEG mode, and much more, depending on the phone model.

The new housing works with the free SportDiver camera app, available for both Android and iOS platforms. The app when combined with the housing, turns a smartphone into a highly capable underwater camera, and easily switches between photo and video modes, harnessing the native camera technology of the smartphone to deliver the high-quality images and videos users have come to expect. Additionally, the app's power-save mode temporarily turns off the camera and dims the display, conserving battery life while keeping instant accessibility with a single touch.

The SportDiver S housing uses Bluetooth® Low Energy wireless technology, which automatically connects to the user's smartphone when opening the SportDiver app. The free SportDiver app is compatible with iPhones and Android smartphones, which are available for free download on the Apple App Store and Google Play Store under the name "SportDiver". Unlike most other apps, the SportDiver app does not request your email address or personal information, ensuring your complete privacy. The SportDiver housing features ultra-low power consumption, powered by two AAA batteries that last over 50 hours of continuous use.

For enhanced imaging results, three optional removable underwater color-correction filters are available for purchase; Red for restoring natural underwater colors, Magenta for color correction of green water, or Yellow for deep blue water and fluorescent lights. The filters can be attached or removed while submerged and include a safety tether to prevent loss.

SeaLife also offers optional lenses and a 52mm/67mm lens mount to further expand divers imaging creativity.

Designed for added lights and versatility, the SportDiver S housing features three 1/4-20 tripod mount options, which allows it to be seamlessly mounted with any standard tripod-threaded light or light tray, such as SeaLife's own Sea Dragon underwater photo/video lights. For best results, SeaLife recommends using an attached light source when diving with the SportDiver S.

Ensuring maximum protection for the user's smartphone, the SportDiver S incorporates a sturdy holding spring and rubber grip tabs that securely holds the smartphone in place, providing shock-protection for small and larger phone models.

Protecting your valuable smartphone remains a top priority. A Leak Avoidance System features a pre-dive pressure test to ensure the housing is airtight and waterproof before entering the water. In addition to the pre-dive pressure test, an internal moisture sensor activates an on-screen warning in the unlikely event the waterproof seal is compromised.

The SportDiver S features a new interior design that protects sensitive components and electronics from damage in the event water drops accidentally enter the housing when opening the door after diving. The anti-fogging "Moisture Muncher" capsule prevents fogging and internal condensation.

The housing is sealed with a high-temperature resistant silicone O-ring seal and a robust cam-lock sealing latch, ensuring a secure, waterproof seal. Extra O-rings and O-ring lubricant are included.

To ensure compatibility, users should consult SeaLife's "fit-guide" on the website (www.sealife-cameras.com/sportdiver-compatibility/) or simply scan the QR code provided to determine if their phone model will fit seamlessly into the SportDiver S housing.

Item	Description	US Retail
SL408	SportDiver S Underwater Smartphone Housing	\$299.95

Included with SeaLife SportDiver S, Model SL408:

SportDiver Ultra Underwater Smartphone Housing
 Three ¼-20 Accessory mounts (for lights, trays & grips)
 Vacuum pump
 Rubber Grip Tabs (12x Small, 12x Medium and 12x Large)
 Spare O-rings (1x Main Seal and Vacuum Check Port O-ring)
 O-ring lubricant
 O-ring removal tool
 Anti-Glare Strips (3)

Moisture Muncher sample pack (1 capsule)
 AAA alkaline batteries (2)
 SportDiver S Travel Pouch
 Wrist lanyard

For larger smartphones, including Samsung's range of Galaxy Ultra models and Google's Pixel range, users can select the deeper diving (130'/40m) **SeaLife SportDiver Ultra**, which includes a red color-correction filter, seven ¼-20 accessory mounts, and a custom-fit EVA travel case. All SeaLife SportDiver models function with the same SportDiver app, and adapt to all SportDiver accessories.

SeaLife's SportDiver S phone housing will be available worldwide in late April 2025.

About SeaLife:

SeaLife Underwater Cameras are designed and created by Pioneer Research in Moorestown, NJ and were first introduced in 1993. In 2000, SeaLife developed the world's first digital underwater camera. In 2007, SeaLife developed the first non-housing digital underwater camera, and in 2013 SeaLife introduced the Sea Dragon underwater lighting system and its innovative Flex-Connect tray, grip, arm, and mounting accessories. In 2014, SeaLife introduced the Micro HD, the world's first permanently and fully sealed digital underwater camera, followed by the new Micro 2.0 in 2015 and the cutting-edge DC2000 underwater camera in 2017. In 2018 the company expanded into ultra-compact underwater cameras with its ReefMaster RM-4K, and in 2020 SeaLife introduced the full-featured Micro 3.0 camera. In 2021, SeaLife introduced their first ever underwater smartphone housing, the SeaLife SportDiver. SeaLife cameras, lighting and accessories are sold and serviced in over 60 countries around the world. For more information visit www.SeaLife-Cameras.com

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