

Sub-Group 202-03, Drilling, Quarries & Peat Moss Industry Sector 2: Mines, Quarries & Oil Wells

Rate Risk Category

200%

Included	Similar but Classified Elsewhere
<p>✓ Diamond drilling for exploration purposes to obtain core samples of ground and rock, underground (in mines) or surface. Holes drilled range from 100 to 3,000 feet deep.</p> <p>A core sample collects in an inner tube that can be pulled to the surface without pulling the bit.</p> <p>✓ Seismic drilling, when conducted as part of the diamond drilling operation.</p>	<p>✗ Drilling for oil and gas is found under 202-04, "Oil & Gas Wells".</p> <p>✗ Mining activities are found under 201-02, "Mining, Exploration & Prospecting".</p> <p>✗ Seismic drilling for exploration purposes is found under 201-02, "Mining, Exploration & Prospecting".</p>
<p>✓ Water well drilling. Generally, a truck-mounted auger drills wells for water 50 to 500 feet in depth.</p> <p>Once the hole has been drilled, a casing or shaft is placed in the hole to prevent the hole from caving in and contamination.</p> <p>✓ The contractor may install the pumps (surface or submersible).</p>	<p>✗ Drilling done in conjunction with the installation of ground source heating and cooling systems is found under 402-04, "Plumbing, Insulating & Mechanical".</p> <p>✗ Oil or gas well drilling is found under 202-04, "Oil & Gas Wells".</p> <p>✗ Drilling piles for foundation work may be found under:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 407-06, "Excavation, Foundations & Installing Pools" • 407-09, "Piling & Under Water Construction" <p>✗ Drilling concrete can be found under 401-10, "Concrete Work".</p> <p>✗ Post hole drilling for wooden fencing can be found under 401-02, "Building</p>

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	<p>Construction".</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✘ Custom post-hole drilling is found under 408-09, "Equipment Contractors"
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ The operation of a quarry - an open pit used to mine building stone. <p>Includes cutting the stone into building blocks/bricks/pieces and/or crushing the stone into gravel. May include polishing (e.g. granite).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Types of stone in Manitoba are usually Tyndall stone, limestone or granite. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✘ The manufacturing of man-made construction blocks/bricks is found under 314-08, "Manufacturing Bricks & Blocks". ✘ Finishing stone pieces into a variety of usable items is found under: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 321-02, "Manufacturing Stone & Marble Products". ✘ The operation of a sand or gravel pit is found under 408-06, "Gravel & Stone Pits".
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Harvesting peat moss involves draining a marsh or bog where the peat moss is scraped off, stockpiled then vacuumed to remove any foreign material. <p>Processing the peat includes milting and pulverizing, then adding moisture before being bailed and packaged.</p> <p>Soil additives may be added to the processing to produce potting soil as a by-product.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✘ The production of any other kind of fertilizer or potting soil is found under 316-16, "Manufacturing Fertilizer & Potting Soil".

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