

# Mineral Industry Surveys

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## **ACTIVE METAL AND INDUSTRIAL MINERAL UNDERGROUND MINES IN THE UNITED STATES IN 2001**

Mining companies with underground mines that were active in 2001 and surveyed by the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) are listed in this report. The list was derived from data reported on the Mine, Development, and Mineral Exploration Supplement, a statistical survey conducted by the USGS, and from data reported on other individual mineral commodity production surveys. Data for 2001 were derived from annual USGS production and consumption surveys of nonfuel mineral producers; these surveys covered 58 nonfuel mineral commodities produced in the United States. Nonfuel minerals do not include coal, petroleum, coke, and related products.

Total domestic mining for nonfuel mineral materials at underground operations amounted to 135 million metric tons (Mt) in 2001. Crude ore mined at these underground operations was 132 Mt. The balance was ore and waste from development. Total underground mining for industrial minerals amounted to 107 Mt, of which nearly all was crude ore. Underground mining for metal ores amounted to 28 Mt, of which 89% was crude ore.

Company name, as listed in table 1, represents the mine owner. The mine operator, where known, is shown in parentheses. Mineral commodity data listed in table 1 are reported according to the primary product of a mine or operation. The primary product is determined by the product with the highest total value for the year.

**TABLE 1.—METAL AND INDUSTRIAL MINERAL UNDERGROUND MINES  
IN THE UNITED STATES WITH REPORTED PRODUCTION IN 2001**

State and Company	Operation <sup>1</sup>	Commodity <sup>2</sup>	County
<b>Alabama</b>			
Fort Payne Quarry LLC	Fort Payne Quarry	Stone, crushed	De Kalb
Rock Products, Inc.	Sylacauga Quarry	do.	Talladega
<b>Alaska</b>			
Kennecott Minerals Co. (Kennecott Greens Creek Mining Co. and Hecla Mining Co.)	Greens Creek Mine	Silver	Juneau
<b>Arkansas</b>			
Unimin Corp.	Guion Mine	Sand and gravel, industrial	Izard
<b>California</b>			
Canyon Resources Corp.	Briggs Mine	Gold	Inyo
<b>Georgia</b>			
Huber Engineered Mineral Imerys Marble, Inc.	Marble Hill Mine Mine #4	Stone, crushed do.	Pickens Do.
	New York Mine	do.	Do.
Oglebay Norton Co. (Global Stone Filler Products, Inc.)	Cisco Mine Marble Hill Mine	do. do.	Murray Gilmer
<b>Idaho</b>			
Coeur d'Alene Mines Corp. (Coeur Silver Valley, Inc.)	Galena Mine	Silver	Shoshone
Hecla Mining Co.	Lucky Friday Mine	do.	Do.
<b>Illinois</b>			
Conco-Western Stone Co. (Galena Platteville, Inc.)	Aurora Quarry and Mine	Stone, crushed	Kane
J.M. Huber Corp.	Quincy Mine	do.	Adams
Martin Marietta Aggregates	Kaskaskia Quarry	do.	Randolph
Mississippi Lime Co. (Bluff City Minerals, L.P.)	Bluff City Minerals Mine	do.	Madison
<b>Indiana</b>			
Hanson Building Materials America	Harding Street Quarry	Stone, crushed	Marion
Hoosier Calcium Corp.	Hoosier Calcium Corp. Mine	do.	Monroe
Martin Marietta Aggregates	Kentucky Avenue Mine and Mill	do.	Marion
	River Avenue Quarry	do.	Hamilton
National Gypsum Co.	Shoals Mine	Gypsum, crude	Martin
<b>Iowa</b>			
Bruening Rock Products, Inc.	S&S Quarry	Stone, crushed	Marion
Douds Stone, Inc.	Underground Mine	do.	Van Buren
Martin Marietta Aggregates	Ames Mine	do.	Story
	Fort Dodge Mine	do.	Webster
	Malcom Mine	do.	Poweshiek
	Sully Mine	do.	Jasper
McCarthy Bush (Linwood Mining and Minerals Corp.)	Linwood Mine	do.	Scott

<sup>1</sup>Excludes operations with production from brine wells and solution mining.

<sup>2</sup>Primary product of a mine or operation (highest total value for the year).

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<b>Iowa (continued)</b>			
River Products Co., Inc.	Columbus Junction Mine	Stone, crushed	Louisa
U.S. Gypsum Co.	Sperry Mine	Gypsum, crude	Des Moines
<b>Kansas</b>			
Americold Logistics, Inc.	Inland Quarries	Stone, crushed	Wyandotte
Bromley Quarry & Asphalt, Inc.	Bromley Mine and Mill	do.	Atchison
Georgia Pacific Corp.	Blue Rapid Mine	Gypsum, crude	Marshall
<b>Kentucky</b>			
Allen Co., Inc., The	Boonesboro Quarry	Stone, crushed	Madison
Carmeuse & Lafarge North America (Dravo Lime, Inc.)	Black River Mine	do.	Pendleton
	Maysville Mine	do.	Mason
Hanson Building Materials America	Mt. Vernon Mine	do.	Rockcastle
	Tyrone Mine	do.	Anderson
	Yellow Rock Mine and Mill	do.	Lee
Harrod Concrete & Stone Co.	Glenns Creek Mine and Mill	do.	Franklin
Hinkle Contracting Corp.	Casey Stone Co. Pit	do.	Casey
Lexington Quarry Co.	Catnip Hill Quarry	do.	Jessamine
Liter's Quarry of Indiana, Inc.	Rock Springs Mine	do.	Oldham
	Lockport Quarry and Mine	do.	Henry
M.A. Walker Co., Inc.	Clover Bottom Underground Mine	do.	Jackson
Nally & Gibson Georgetown LLC	Georgetown Quarry	do.	Scott
Rogers Group, Inc. (Oldham County Stone Co.)	Oldham County Mine	do.	Oldham
Scottys Contracting & Stone LLC	Grayson County Quarry	do.	Grayson
	Grayson Underground Mine	do.	Do.
Sterling Ventures LLC	Sterling Material Mine	do.	Gallatin
Vulcan Materials Co.	Central #512 Quarry	do.	Fayette
	Richmond Road #510 Quarry	do.	Do.
Yager Materials, Inc. (Riverside Stone Co.)	Riverside Underground Mine	do.	Meade
<b>Maryland</b>			
Maryland Materials, Inc.	Thayerville Mine	Stone, crushed	Garrett
<b>Michigan</b>			
Georgia Pacific Corp.	Grand Rapids Mine	Gypsum, crude	Kent
<b>Missouri</b>			
Doe Run Resources Corp.	Brushy Creek Mine	Lead	Iron
	Buick Mine	do.	Reynolds
	Casteel Mine	do.	Iron
	Fletcher Mine	do.	Reynolds
	Sweetwater Mine	do.	Do.
	Viburnum #28 Mine	do.	Iron
	do.	Stone, crushed	Do.
Doss & Harper Stone Co.	Doss & Harper Stone Co. Mine	do.	Howell
Hunt Midwest Enterprises, Inc.	Randolph Mine	do.	Clay
Lafarge North America, Inc.	Sugar Creek Mine	do.	Jackson
Martin Marietta Aggregates	Parkville #378 Quarry	do.	Platte
Springfield Underground, Inc. (Joplin Stone Co.)	Springfield Mine	do.	Greene
Table Rock Asphalt Constr. Co., Inc.	Quarry #3	do.	Stone

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<b>Missouri (continued)</b>			
W.A. Ellis Construction Co. (Missouri Rock, Inc.)	Missouri Rock Mine	Stone, crushed	Clay
<b>Montana</b>			
Stillwater Mining Co.	Stillwater Mine	Platinum-group metals	Stillwater
<b>Nebraska</b>			
Kerford Limestone Co.	Kerford Quarry	Stone, crushed	Cass
Potash Corp. of Saskatchewan, Inc.	Potash Corp. of Saskatchewan, Inc. Mine	do.	Do.
<b>Nevada</b>			
Anglo Gold Ltd./Meridian Gold Co. (Independence Mining Co., Inc.)	Jerritt Canyon Mine	Gold	Elko
Barrick Gold Corp.	Meikle Mine	do.	Do.
Echo Bay Mines Ltd.	McCoy/Cove Mine	do.	Lander
Euro-Nevada Mining Co.	Ken Snyder Mine	do.	Elko
Newmont Gold Co.	Carlin Mines operations (5 mines)	do.	Elko and Eureka
<b>New Mexico</b>			
IMC Potash	IMC Potash Mine and Mill	Potash	Eddy
Mississippi Potash, Inc.	Mississippi Potash Mine and Mill	do.	Do.
Unocal Corp.	Questa Mine	Molybdenum	Taos
<b>Ohio</b>			
Stone Creek Brick Co.	Clay Mine	Clay	Tuscarawas
<b>Oklahoma</b>			
Oglebay Norton Co.	#2 Marble City Operation	Stone, crushed	Sequoyah
<b>Pennsylvania</b>			
Bradys Bend Corp.	Kaylor Mine #3 and Plant	Stone, crushed	Armstrong
Coolspring Stone Supply, Inc.	Coolspring Quarry	do.	Fayette
Graymont, Inc.	Pleasant Gap Mine	do.	Centre
Latrobe Construction Co.	Blue Stone Quarry	do.	Westmoreland
M & M Lime Co., Inc.	Underground Mine Quarry	do.	Armstrong
Winfield Lime & Stone Co., Inc.	Winfield Mine and Mill	do.	Butler
<b>South Dakota</b>			
Homestake Mining Co.	Homestake Mine	Gold	Lawrence
<b>Tennessee</b>			
Columbia Rock Products Corp.	Quarry #1	Stone, crushed	Maury
Franklin Industries Minerals	Anderson Mine	do.	Franklin
	Crab Orchard Mine	do.	Cumberland
Oglebay Norton Co. (Global Stone Tenn-Luttrell Co.)	Chesney #3 Underground Mine	do.	Union
Pasminco Ltd.	Cumberland Mine	Zinc	Smith
	Gordonsville Mine	do.	Do.
	Clinch Valley Mine	do.	Grainger
Rinker Materials Corp. (American Limestone Co.)	Young Mine	Stone, crushed	Jefferson
	do.	Zinc	Do.
Vulcan Materials Co.	Richard City #21 Quarry	Stone, crushed	Marion

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<b>Texas</b>			
J.M. Huber Co.	Huber Engineered Materials Division and Marble Mine	Stone, crushed	Burnet
Texas Architectural Aggregates Unimin Corp.	Van Horn White Marble Mine Cleburne Mine	do. Sand and gravel, industrial	Culberson Johnson
<b>Virginia</b>			
Morefield Gem Mine, Inc.	Morefield Mine	Mica, sheet	Amelia
<b>Washington</b>			
Echo Bay Mines Ltd.	Kettle River Mine	Gold	Ferry
<b>West Virginia</b>			
Greer Industries, Inc.	Decker Creek Mine Greer Mine	Stone, crushed do.	Monongalia Do.
Martin Marietta Aggregates	Burning Springs #428 Mine Manheim Mine	do. do.	Wood Preston

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