

23. MINING AND QUARRYING

23.1. Number of Mining and Quarrying units in the District YEAR: 2010-11

Sl.No.	Name of the Block/Municipality	Number of Mining and Quarrying	
		Major	Minor
1	Namakkal Taluk.	10	55
2	Rasipuram Taluk.	2	12
3	Thiruchengode Taluk	45	72
4	Paramthi Velur Taluk.	14	12
	Total	71	151

Source: Assistant Director of Geology.

23.2. Classification - wise production during the year YEAR: 2010-11

Sl.No.	Name of the Minerals	Production (in metric Tonnes)	
		Unit	Amount (Rs.)
1	Magnesite	1270	99958
2	Bauxite	-	-
3	Quartz	6295	537450
4	Feldsper	6755	344090
5	Limestone	30730	2068688
6	Roughstone	316814Cum	10205865
7	River Sand	-	-
8	Granite	3932.949Cum	6854474
9	Soap Stone	-	-

Source: Assistant Director of Geology