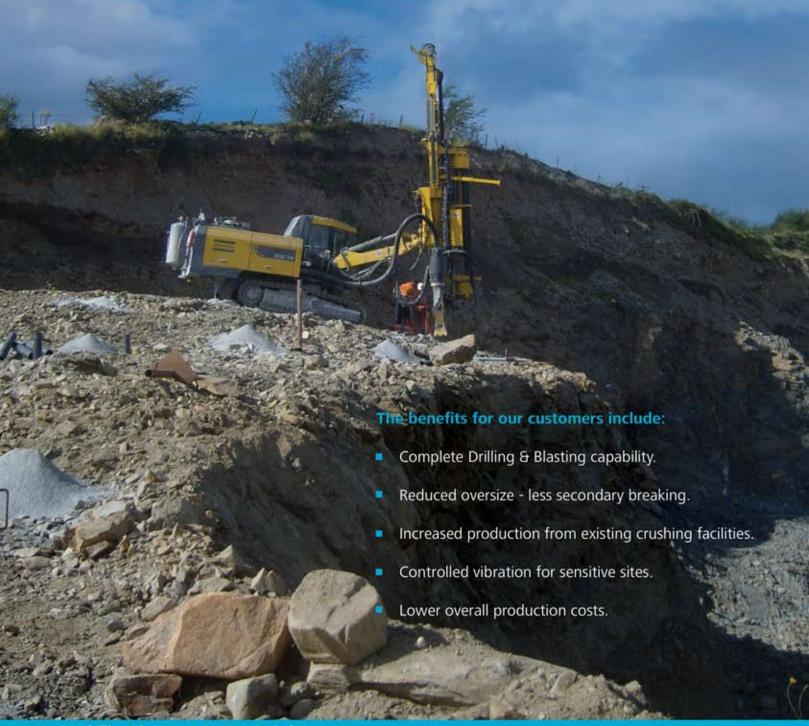




Rocdrill Ltd has been providing high quality services to the quarrying and civil engineering industries throughout Ireland since 1996 and previously as part of A S Ballantine Ltd. quarry owners based in Donemana, Co. Tyrone. A S Ballantine carried out contract drilling for a number of years when it was decided to purchase a new semi automatic drill with a cabin in 1992, the first of its kind in Ireland.

As part of a planned expansion, we now operate four fully self-contained high performance drilling rigs, which represent the latest in drilling technology. Operating in some 30 quarries, Rocdrill is one of the leading drilling contractors in Ireland, providing a high level of quality assured service and expertise to clients.

Understanding quarry management and desired blast results gives Rocdrill a leading edge over our competitors. We believe we can work with our customers to achieve the most efficient blast design for the entire production process.



Main Services offered

- Quarry Drilling & Blasting.
- Civil Engineering Drilling & Blasting.
- Crushing.
- Laser profiling & blast design.
- Rock sampling.
- Vibration Monitoring.



Continuous investment in the latest drilling equipment ensure that environmental concerns are addressed by excellent fuel economy, low noise and efficient dust collection with water suppression.

In addition to our own rigorous Health and Safety procedures, all personnel are fully trained and have undergone the SPA Safety Passport course approved by the Health and Safety Executive.









The latest GPS technology (above) is used on our rigs to ensure angled holes are parallel. This is a great advantage especially when working at night or in poor weather conditions where other methods cannot be used accurately.

Water tanks fitted to all rigs (above) allow the use of foam to stabilize the hole when drilling broken formations.

It can also be used to help control dust in environmentally sensitive sites.

The sampling device fitted here (above) enables accurate samples of rock to be collected to establish grade or quality of rock at varying depths.







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