

**WAC 296-17A-3102 Classification 3102.**

**3102-04 Stone wool insulation: Manufacturing**

**Applies to:**

Businesses manufacturing mineral wool insulation from siliceous materials.

**Materials used include, but are not limited to:**

- Glass;
- Rock;
- Slag;
- Other siliceous materials.

**Work activities include, but are not limited to:**

- Blowing hot air or steam through molten rock or slag in a special furnace.
- Drawing molten glass at high speeds through orifices, then subjecting it to jets of high pressure steam which break the glass filaments into fine fibers to produce fiberglass insulation material.
- Shredding the material into a mass of fine intertwined fibers to form the wool.
- Forming and shipping the final product, such as granules which are bagged, or flat sheets which are cut to size, enclosed in paper or foil, and packaged.
- Incidental rock, slag, and glass crushing.

**Exclusions:**

- Digging or quarrying of raw materials is classified in the classification appropriate to the work being performed.
- Manufacturing asbestos products is classified in 3104.

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