

CU Code
7759-001Employer
Classification

Other Scientific and Technical Services Amendment/08

Status

Compulsory under Schedule 1

Scope

Business activities include scientific and technical services which are not elsewhere classified.

Included are

- air testing services
- assaying services
- cartography services
- environmental assessment services
- geophysical prospecting services
- gravimetric services
- [home inspection services](#)
- hydrographic services
- laboratory testing services (excluding medical)
- magnetometric survey services
- [meteorological services](#)
- [nuclear densimeter testing services](#)
- photogrammetric services
- quantity surveyors
- seismographic survey services
- surveying services, land and marine
- urban planning services
- water testing services.

Included in this classification unit are soil studies and testing for construction and environmental assessment carried out by geotechnical engineers. Also included is asphalt and concrete testing, excluding the drilling activity.

Included is the operation of a drafting/CAD design service that does not fall under the category of I-958-07, Offices of Architects or I-958-08, Offices of Engineers.

Also included here is sterilization services for items such as medical and scientific instruments, food products, cartons, and containers.

[Also included in this category is non-destructive testing \(NDT\) as a business activity when performed on-site to test the material integrity of safety critical equipment, structures, parts and components. NDT can detect signs of corrosion, cracks, and other flaws, without destroying the test object.](#)

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Included as well is the provision of quality assurance or inspection services when conducted on large-scale machinery being installed, or already installed, on site.

Excluded is the drilling activity for soil testing, and soil testing for mining or agricultural purposes.

Excluded is the provision of on site non-destructive testing services described under G-704-02, Testing, Inspection, and Related Services.

Also excluded is the provision of regulatory services for a government ministry or agency.

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- the drilling activity for soil testing, and soil testing for mining or agricultural purposes
- the provision of regulatory services for a government ministry or agency.
- testing or inspection performed on large scale stationary equipment where the testing firm is required to dismantle the equipment. Refer to G-737-01, Millwright and Rigging Work.
- testing performed in conjunction with a service to maintain or repair equipment. Refer to ~~G-707-05~~I-933-08, Industrial Maintenance and Repair Contracting or another CU related to equipment repair.
- the provision of quality assurance services associated with product development. Refer to I-958-22, Quality Assurance.

Cross reference

B-119-15, Other Services Incidental to Crude Oil.
B-119-17, Other Services Incidental to Mining.
C-184-07, Other Services Incidental to Agriculture.
G-704-02, Testing, Inspection, and Related Services.
H-845-05, Other Services Incidental to Government.
I-958-07, Offices of Architects.
I-958-08, Offices of Engineers.
I-958-22, Quality Assurance.
I-958-26, Research and Development.