

Major group 26 – Manufacture of general machinery

Overview of the Major group

This Major group comprises establishments engaged in the manufacture of general machinery, except electrical machinery, transportation equipment, precision instruments and machinery, and weapons (ordnance and accessories). Machines driven by a motor which is incorporated in the machine or easily removable from it are classified in this Major group, except electric household appliances.

Establishments engaged in manufacturing hand tools with motors and portable machine tools are classified in the Major group, whereas those engaged in manufacturing hand tools are classified in the Major group 25 – Manufacture of fabricated metal products [2523].