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## Why Second Hand DTH Rigs Are Hot in Kenya's Market

Kenya's construction boom demands affordable drilling solutions. A second hand DTH drilling rig costs 30-60% less than new units - that's \$25,000-\$70,000 vs \$100,000+ for brand-new models. With 78% of local contractors preferring refurbished heavy machinery (KNBS 2024), these rigs dominate water well and mining projects nationwide.

## The Hidden Costs of Cheap Deals

Last year, a Nairobi contractor lost \$18,000 on a rig from an unverified seller. Why? Undisclosed engine faults and missing hammer assemblies. This is common when chasing the lowest price per piece without inspection reports. Always ask:

Service history (minimum 2 owners max)

Latest maintenance certificates

Spare parts availability in Kenya

## 2025 Price Trends & Top Suppliers

Expect second hand DTH rig prices in Kenya to rise 8-12% this year due to Euro-III engine upgrades. Reliable Chinese models like Sinocoredrill CD-500 now sell for \$42,000-\$55,000 locally. Compare this to German refurbished units at \$65,000+.

## How to Get Discounted Quotations

Mombasa-based Horizon Drilling saved 22% by:

Bulk-buying 3 rigs from Shanghai Heavy Machinery

Requesting FOB pricing instead of CIF

Opting for sea freight during low season (April-June)

## ROI Calculation: Used vs New Rig

A \$50,000 second hand DTH drilling rig earns back costs in 14 months for typical 300m water wells. Key factors:

Fuel efficiency: 18-22 liters/hour

Daily rental rate: \$350-\$500

Chinese hammer bit lifespan: 800-1,200 drilling hours



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Major suppliers like XCMG Kenya offer wholesale packages with 6-month warranties. Request their 2025 catalog via WhatsApp (+254 700 000 000) for exact price lists. Remember: Always inspect rigs personally or use third-party verification services - it's worth the \$200 fee.

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