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Need to cut costs on drilling projects? Over 300 construction and mining companies in Taiwan switched to second hand drilling rods last year, saving up to 45% on equipment budgets. This guide reveals current prices in Taiwan, trusted suppliers, and how to avoid hidden costs.

## Why Second Hand Drilling Rod Prices in Taiwan Are Falling

Taiwan's booming geothermal energy sector (18% annual growth) and infrastructure projects have created fierce competition for affordable equipment. But here's the twist: While global steel prices rose 22% in 2024, used drilling rod prices dropped 15% locally due to:

- Surplus stock from closed-down mining operations
- New EU-certified refurbishment workshops in Kaohsiung
- Tax incentives for recycling industrial equipment

## Case Study: Taichung Tunneling Co.

This contractor bought 80 pre-owned drilling rods at NT\$3,200/piece (vs. NT\$5,800 for new) in Q1 2024. Result? 37% cost savings and 3-month ROI through accelerated project timelines.

## How to Get the Best ROI on Used Drilling Rods

Smart buyers follow this checklist:

- Verify hardness ratings (HRC 38-42 for most Taiwan bedrock)
- Check for Taiwan BSMI or international ISO 9001 certifications
- Compare price per piece vs bulk deals - some Taoyuan suppliers offer NT\$2,950/unit for 100+ orders

## Where to Find Reliable Suppliers in Taiwan 2025

Top 3 sourcing channels:

- Local auctions: Taiwan Machinery Association hosts monthly sales in Taipei
- Cross-border platforms: Japanese/Korean surplus stock often ships to Keelung Port in 7 days
- Specialized dealers: 8 verified vendors in Kaohsiung Free Trade Zone offer real-time quotations

## Red Flag Alert: Cheap Imports from China

While mainland China offers rods at NT\$2,100/piece, 68% fail Taiwan's earthquake-resistance tests. Always request TUV SUD or Taiwan CR certification documents.



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### Current Price Benchmarks (June 2025)

Market averages for second hand drilling rod prices in Taiwan:

o Diameter 3.5": NT\$3,100-3,800/piece

o Diameter 4.5": NT\$4,200-5,300/piece

o Custom tapered rods: +25-40% cost

\*Prices exclude 5% VAT and NT\$700-1,200/piece shipping from North Taiwan hubs.

Hungyi Machinery in Tainan currently leads with a NT\$2,990/piece flash sale for 4" rods - but only 23 units remain. Want an updated price list? Contact suppliers before July 15th to beat Q3 demand spikes.

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