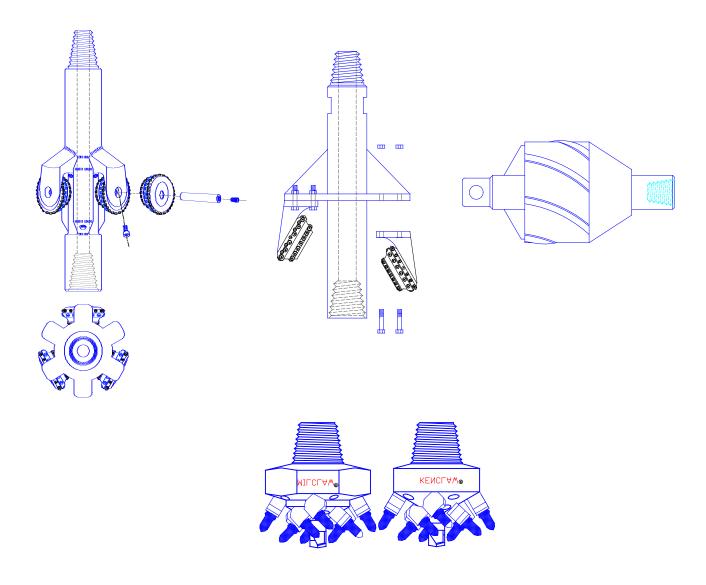
# **Horizontal Directional Drilling (HDD)**

Horizontal Directional Drilling (HDD) continues to be the most popular method of installing electrical cable, fiber optics, utility conduits and irrigation lines in industrial, commercial and residential applications. This technology eliminates the need for open trenching to install utility lines and surface obstructions can be avoided with minimal environmental disturbance and limited interruptions to traffic or services.

Mills Machine has been manufacturing horizontal drilling bits, holeopeners and horizontal road boring bits for over twenty years. Specific information regarding these products is found in sections 4, 6, 7, and 8 of our general product catalog. We also, manufacture hollow stem augers and solid core augers that have HDD applications found in sections 1 and 4 of our catalog.

This new catalog section features Claw, Blade or Roller Horizontal Holeopeners and Claw, Blade or Roller Back Reamers.

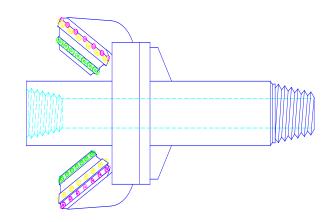


## Horizontal Directional Drilling (HDD)

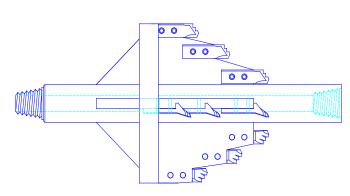
#### **Roller Cone Horizontal Holeopeners.**

Mills Machine has over **forty-five years of experience** in manufacturing our custom designed horizontal roller holeopeners, which are, available in sizes from 6 to 120 (150 mm to 3 Meters) and larger. We custom manufacture these Holeopeners to meet your specific requirements. These ruggedly constructed units are made from **4142 alloy steel** and the roller rock bit cutters of your choice.

The horizontal holeopeners are available in single stage, two stages or multiple stage depending on the pilot hole and the finished hole size. The lead and trailing necks can be as long as you desire with breakout flats or lugs as needed. Circulation can be standard or reverse for horizontal or raised bore drilling and circulation can be fluid or air depending on your rig capabilities.



Roller Cone Horizontal Holeopeners are made with tricone roller rock bits and are available in Steel Tooth or TCI Button, in new, retip or rerun condition and with open or sealed journal bearings.

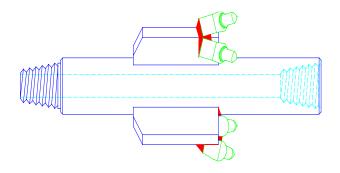


#### **Drag Type Horizontal Holeopeners**

Mills also manufacturers large drag (blade)
Holeopeners for horizontal drilling using replaceable
bolt on teeth in a step tooth or chevron apex tooth
construction or a combination of teeth and bullet bits.
This type of reamer is designed for soft to medium
formations and can be made in any size with any
thread front or back. Another option to this bit is to put
cutters and jets on the back side of the bit if you have
to reverse out of the hole.

#### **Bullet Type Horizontal Holeopeners**

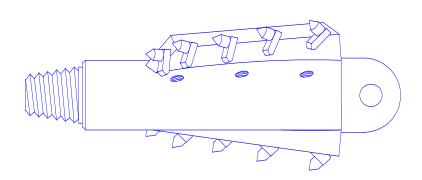
Truly one of the most versatile bits that we manufacture is the Bullet Type Reamer. Designed for hard compacted clay to soft limestone this rugged bit with replaceable carbide cutters offers the most capability and convenience for the money. It is a very aggressive cutting bit that will increase your production while reducing your overhead.



The only limit of our capabilities is your imagination. Working together, we can help solve all of your tough drilling problems.

## **HDD Components**

### Winged Claw Backreamer



Carbide bullet cutters rotate in their block to promote a self-sharpening action and reduce torque on the drill string. The Inexpensive, replaceable cutters are easy to change in the field. This bit works well in unconsolidated formations where layers of soft and hard rock are encountered. Water jets clean the bullet cutters as you drill. We can add the box, pin or connection of your choice.

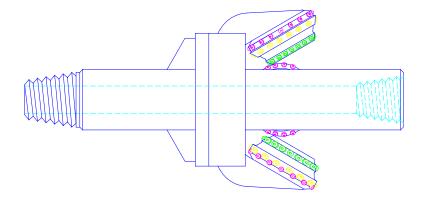
Available in sizes shown in the table or to meet your specific needs. On the sizes 10 and larger we can build this bit to include the pull swivel to reduce the overall length. Contact us for details.

| Part # | Description                         |
|--------|-------------------------------------|
| CBBR6  | 6 Claw Backreamer, connections TBD  |
| CBBR8  | 8 Claw Backreamer, connections TBD  |
| CBBR10 | 10 Claw Backreamer, connections TBD |
| CBBR12 | 12 Claw Backreamer, connections TBD |
| CBBR14 | 14 Claw Backreamer, connections TBD |
| CBBR16 | 16 Claw Backreamer, connections TBD |
| CBBR18 | 18 Claw Backreamer, connections TBD |
| CBBR20 | 20 Claw Backreamer, connections TBD |
| CBBR22 | 22 Claw Backreamer, connections TBD |
| CBBR24 | 24 Claw Backreamer, connections TBD |

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Horizontal backreamers are available in single stage, two stages or multiple stage depending on the pilot hole and the finished hole size. The lead and trailing necks can be as long as you desire with breakout flats or lugs as needed. Circulation can be standard or reverse for horizontal or raised bore drilling and circulation can be fluid or air depending on your rig capabilities.

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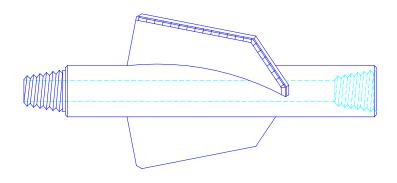
| Part # | Description                                |
|--------|--|
| RCBR6  | 6 Roller Cone Backreamer, connections TBD  |
| RCBR8  | 8 Roller Cone Backreamer, connections TBD  |
| RCBR10 | 10 Roller Cone Backreamer, connections TBD |
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## **HDD Components**

## **Spiral Blade Backreamer**

Mills also manufacturers spiral blade backreamers for horizontal drilling using carbide tipped drag blades. This type of reamer is designed for soft to medium formations and can be made in any size with any thread or connection on the front or back.



| Part # | Description                               |
|--------|---|
| DBBR6  | 6 Drag Blade Backreamer, connections TBD  |
| DBBR8  | 8 Drag Blade Backreamer, connections TBD  |
| DBBR10 | 10 Drag Blade Backreamer, connections TBD |
| DBBR12 | 12 Drag Blade Backreamer, connections TBD |
| DBBR14 | 14 Drag Blade Backreamer, connections TBD |
| DBBR16 | 16 Drag Blade Backreamer, connections TBD |
| DBBR18 | 18 Drag Blade Backreamer, connections TBD |
| DBBR20 | 20 Drag Blade Backreamer, connections TBD |
| DBBR22 | 22 Drag Blade Backreamer, connections TBD |
| DBBR24 | 24 Drag Blade Backreamer, connections TBD |

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