

Mining										per ore	
Ore / Deposit	Base Skill	red	orange	yellow	green	grey	Vendor Pays	AH Avg			
Copper Vein	1	0	1 - 24	25 - 46	47-99	100 - 375	5c	5s			
Tin Vein	65	0 - 64	65 - 89	90 - 114	115 - 164	165 - 375	25c	5s			
Silver Vein	75	0 - 74	75 - 99	100 - 124	125 - 174	175 - 375	75c	40s		rare spawn of a tin vein	
Iron Deposit	125	0 - 124	125 - 149	150 - 174	175 - 224	225 - 375	1s50	15s			
Gold Vein	155	0 - 154	155 - 174	175 - 204	205 - 254	255 - 375	5s	35s		rare spawn of an iron deposit	
Mithril Deposit	175	0 - 174	175 - 199	200 - 224	225 - 274	275 - 375	2s50	15s			
Truesilver Deposit	230	0 - 229	230 - 254	255 - 279	280 - 329	330 - 375	5s	30s		rare spawn of a mithril deposit	
Small Thorium Vein	245	0 - 244	245 - 269	270 - 294	295 - 344	345-375	2s50	20s			
Rich Thorium Vein	275	0 - 274	275 - 299	300 - 324	325 - 375		2s50	20s			
Fel Iron Deposit	300	0 - 299	300 - 324	325 - 349	350 - 375		10s	tbd			
Eternium (Ore)	n/a	0 - 299	300 - 324	325 - 349	350 - 375		12s50	tbd		found only in other deposits	
Adamantite Deposit	325	0 - 324	325 - 349	350 - 375			15s	tbd			
Rich Adamantite D.	350	0 - 349	350 - 375				15s	tbd			
Khorium Vein	375	0 - 374	375				25s	tbd			
Cobalt Node	350	0 - 360	never	360 - 399	400 - 449	450		tbd		Wrath of the Lich King - beta	
Rich Cobalt Node	375	0 - 374	375 - 399	400 - 449	450			tbd		Wrath of the Lich King - beta	
Saronite Node	400	0 - 399	400 - 424	425 - 449	450			tbd		Wrath of the Lich King - beta	
Rich Saronite Node	425	0 - 424	425 - 449	450				tbd		Wrath of the Lich King - beta	
Titanium Node	450	0 - 449	450					tbd		Wrath of the Lich King - beta	
Rethban	1	0	1 - 24	25 - 44	45 - 99	100 - 375	n/a	10s		(Rethban Caverns, RR Mtns)	
Incendicite	65	0 - 64	65 - 89	90 - 114	115 - 164	165 - 375	30c	12s50		(Theigen Rock, Wetlands)	
Lesser Bloodstone	75	0 - 74	75 - 99	100 - 124	125 - 174	175 - 375	25c	15s		(Drywhisker Gorge, Arathi H.)	
Indurium	150	0 - 149	150 - 174	175 - 199	200 - 249	250 - 375	n/a	12s50		(Uldaman)	
Dark Iron	230	0 - 229	230 - 254	255 - 279	280 - 329	330 - 375	5s	60s		(Blackrock Mtn., SG, BS)	
Hakkari Thorium Vein	275	0 - 274	275 - 299	300 - 324	325 - 349	350 - 375	2s50	20s		Mined only in Zul'Gurub	
*Obsidian Chunk	305	0 - 304	305 - 329	330 - 354	355 - 375	never	25s	2g50		Mined only in Ahn'Qiraj	
Nethercite Deposit	350	0 - 349	never	never	never	350 - 375	15s	50s		Netherwing Ledge, SMV	
Smelting										per bar	
Bar	Base Skill	red	orange	yellow	green	grey	Vendor Pays	AH Avg			
Copper	1	0	1 - 24	25 - 46	47-69	70 - 375	10c	4s50			
Tin	65	0 - 64	never	65 - 69	70 - 74	75 - 375	35c	2s			
Bronze	65	0 - 64	never	65 - 89	90 - 114	115 - 375	50c	2s50		1 Copper + 1 Tin = 2 Bronze	
Silver	75	0 - 74	75 - 99	115 - 121	122 - 129	130 - 375	1s	15s			
Iron	125	0 - 124	125 - 129	130 - 144	145 - 159	140 - 375	2s	15s			
Gold	155	0 - 154	155 - 169	170 - 176	177 - 184	185 - 375	6s	20s			
Steel	165	1 - 164	never	never	never	165 - 375	60c	30s		1 Iron +1 Coal = 1 Steel	
Mithril	175	0 - 174	never	175 - 201	202 - 229	230 - 375	4s	20s			
Truesilver	230	0 - 229	230 - 234	235 - 241	242 - 249	250 - 375	12s50	40s			
Dark Iron	230	0 - 229	230 - 299	300 - 304	305 - 309	310 - 375	6s	8g		Smelt only at Black Forge, BRD	
Thorium	250	0 - 249	never	250 - 269	270 - 289	290 - 375	6s	25s			
Elementium	300	0 - 299	300 - 349	350 - 361	362 - 374	375	10g	varies		1 ore, 10 Arcanite bar, fiery core, e. flux	
Fel Iron	300	0 - 299	never	300 - 306	307 - 314	315 - 375	20s	1g		2 Fel Iron ore = 1 Fel Iron bar	
Adamantite	325	0 - 324	never	325 - 331	332 - 339	340 - 375	30s	2g		2 Adamantite ore = 1 bar	

Smelting (cont'd)											
Bar	Base Skill						per bar		Vendor Pays	AH Avg	
		red	orange	yellow	green	grey					
Eternium	350	0 - 349	never	350 - 356	357 - 364	365 - 375	25s	3g		2 Eternium ore = 1 bar	
Felsteel	350	0 - 349	350 - 354	355 - 366	367 - 375	(380)	2g25	15g		5 Fel Iron + 2 Eternium	
Hardened Adamant.	375	0 - 374	never	never	never	375	3g	20g		10 Adamantite bars = 1 bar	
Khorium	375	0 - 374	never	never	never	375	1g25	5g		2 Khorium ore = 1 bar	
Hardened Khorium	375	0 - 374	never	never	never	375	1g25	35g		3 Kho. bar, 1 Hd. Adam. bar	
Cobalt	350	0 - 349	never	350 - 361	362 - 374	375		tbd		2 Cobalt ore = 1 bar	
Saronite	400	0 - 399	never	never	never	400		tbd		2 Saronite ore = 1 bar	
Hardened Saronite	425	0 - 424	never	never	never	425		tbd		10 Saronite bars = 1 bar	
Titanium	450	0 - 449	never	never	never	450		tbd		2 Titanium ore = 1 bar	
Titansteel (daily)	450	0 - 449	never	never	never	450		tbd		1 Titanium bar + 4 Eternal Earth	

Reverse Smelting											
Primal	Base Skill						per bar		Vendor Pays	AH Avg	
		red	orange	yellow	green	grey					
Earth Shatter	300	never	never	never	never	300	n/a	n/a		convert primal earth to motes	
Fire Sunder	300	never	never	never	never	300	n/a	n/a		convert primal fire to motes	

Toughness (Wrath of the Lich King expansion)						
Mining Skill	75	150	225	300	375	450
Stamina Bonus					+20	+35

Notes:

Rethban ore is found in copper and tin veins, and drops from mobs, in the Rethban Caverns, Redridge Mountains
 Rethban, Incendite and Lesser Bloodstone ores are quest items and cannot be smelted or used in trade skills
 Indurium has no known use other than advancing mining skill
 Rare ores spawn from different deposits in high-level zones. Eg: gold spawns at Mithril sites in Felwood (Felwood has no iron)
 Elementium Ore is a DROP in BWL, but Smelt Elementium is learned by [Mind Control] of Master Elemental Shaper Krixix in BWL
 *Obsidian Chunks require mining skill to gather. Pricing based on small obsidian shard, the most likely drop.
 Eternium is found throughout Outland in Fel Iron, Adamantite, Rich Adamantite, and Khorium deposits

Further Details:

Smelting uses and advances the Mining Skill but the Mining and Smelting of an ore have different difficulty ratings
 Mining bonuses (eg: glove enchantments) do not apply to smelting
 More than one skill-up may *sometimes* be gained from a single mine by alternating mining between multiple deposits.
 Prices vary over time and between servers and factions. Suggested Auction House price is a median price determined from observation of auction houses on a single server over a limited time