



Material Handler

Employer

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Job Description

Material Handler assist production by providing required raw materials from stock for continuous production, verifying pallet count, complete accurate labeling, and remove finished parts/products from the production floor. This position will be required to verify correct packaging, stage and/or load finished parts/products for internal and external shipping.

Essential Function

Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions. Job scope includes:

- Verifies receipt of rail cars and color
- Identifies and delivers color to storage areas
- Performs daily and monthly physical inventories
- Pumps resin into silos
- Manages regrind materials and delivers regrind to production upon request
- Operates forklift and other power and hand tools in a safe manner to accomplish assigned duties.
- Works with department members, and with employees from other departments, to resolve problems and complete jobs
- Follow safety policies and guidelines
- Wear protective equipment as required by assignment

Competencies

- Strong analytical skills and systematic approach to problem solving.
- Ability to read, write and perform basic mathematical calculations.
- Safety awareness- Identify and correct conditions that affect employee safety and enforce safety standards at all times.
- Ability to follow work procedures on rail for identification and receipt of materials.
- Ability to uphold product quality by identifying which resin is in a silo or rail car to ensure that resins
- Understands Raw Material quality requirements
- Has a clear understanding of sampling requirements for melt index testing and color testing product identification requirements.
- Able to conduct daily inventory, resolves inventory problems, and completes the required form correctly.

Supervisory Responsibility

This position has no direct supervisory responsibilities.

Work Environment

This job will be performed in a production setting that does experience extreme heat and moderate to loud noise levels. This position will routinely work on the production floor around industrial equipment including: motors, motor control centers, water

coolers, air compressors, grinders, CNC machines and other hand tools. The production equipment may have exposure to hazardous materials.

Physical Demands

Standing, walking, bending, stooping for long periods of time, grip/grasping, twisting, reaching above head, climbing stairs, lifting and carrying 0-75 pounds, use of hand tools and/or power tools, and other industrial equipment; Able to work in a manufacturing environment with extreme heat up to 120 degrees; Wear necessary Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

Position Type/Expected Hours of Work

This is a full time hourly position that works a scheduled 12 hour shift listed below:

- 5:00 pm to 5:00 am on a rotating schedule of 3-2-2-3
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Overtime may be voluntary or mandatory. Departments may be required to work holidays and weekend's

Advancement Opportunities

This position will provide a pathway for advancement within Processing, as well as other departments at Western Industries.

Qualifications

Required Experience

- High School Diploma is preferred
- 2 years or more of previous manufacturing experience is preferred
- 2 years or more of forklift experience is preferred

Additional Education and Experience

Ability to be forklift certified

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