

POSITION DESCRIPTION

TITLE: Automation Technician - (2nd Shift)
DEPARTMENT: Maintenance
REPORTS TO: Automation Supervisor

OVERALL ROLE:

Programs, repairs and maintains all automated machinery and auxiliary equipment as directed by supervisors.

ESSENTIAL RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Responsible for the repair and maintenance of:
 - All automated devices used for the purpose of runner removal, part handling, separation or packing.
 - All machinery located at the press or in the Assembly department used in secondary operations
 - All auxiliary equipment
- Diagnose trouble, disassemble, and determine extent of repairs necessary.
- Make up repair parts, replace defective components.
- Perform necessary welding and sheet metal operations involved in repairing equipment.
- Operate lathe, vertical mill, drill press and grinders as required.
- Occasionally direct an assigned helper.
- Maintain work area in neat and orderly manner
- Observe safety rules and wearing of prescribed protective clothing or items.
- This job description does not contain every function/responsibility that may be required in the performance of this job. All team members are required to perform other related duties/functions as assigned.
- All team members shall:
 - Maintain a positive work atmosphere by acting and communicating in a manner so that you get along with customers, clients, co-workers and management.
 - Continue to grow job specific knowledge and use tools to identify and assist with continuous improvement.
 - Comply with safety regulations and maintain clean and orderly work areas

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Minimum 2 year technical degree in related field
- 5 years of experience in related discipline required.
- Mechanical comprehension as well as strong understanding of pneumatics, hydraulics, electrical applications and blueprints
- Programming knowledge of PLC systems such as Allen Bradley, Siemens, etc.
- Robotic experience as well as vision detection systems
- Use of Computer Aided Design Software and strong general computer skills

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

- Walk, bend, push, reach and lift up to 50 lbs (additional weight may be required with assistance)
- Ability to sit and stand for hours at a time
- Noise level generated from other distribution activity can be somewhat loud at times, but no damaging levels or protective equipment required
- Temperature in the distribution center can vary greatly from warm to cool

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