

Job Title: Operator Mechanic - Sprayer

Job Type: Full Time

Job Description:

The operator mechanic will perform all phases of field operations for crop production and assist in maintaining and repairing all equipment needed in the farm operations with an emphasis on chemical/fertilizer application.

Responsibilities:

- o Operate and maintain all spray equipment and all supporting hardware needed.
- o Complete spray work orders in a safe and timely manner.
- Operate or drive all the various types of equipment needed in the company's farm operations.
- o Maintain knowledge of computer controls used with all precision ag equipment.
- Perform all duties required to successfully produce the crops grown including tillage, planting, fertilization, chemical application, cultivation, harvesting, and transporting of the crop.
- Assist in performing all maintenance and repairs where needed on all equipment and vehicles used in the farming operations.
- Observe and report all technical and mechanical concerns to the Lead Mechanic.
- o Comply with company and customer regulations and policies.
- o Continually monitor and report all health, safety, and food concerns or deviations to supervisory management.

Preferred Qualifications:

- o Experience in the operation of farm equipment including tractors, harvesters, cultivators, tillage equipment, etc.
- Candidate <u>MUST</u> be a self-motivated and detail-oriented person with a high drive to be able to focus in a high tempo environment with ability to adapt to changing situations on a daily basis.
- Knowledge of chemicals and their handling or application requirements.
- Ability to obtain a Pesticide Applicators License.
- Ability to perform general math and basic computer skills.
- o Agricultural knowledge of plumbing, electrical, hydraulic, and computer systems.
- o Good mechanical aptitude to detect and correct or repair equipment issues.
- o Available to travel to various crop areas.
- $\circ\quad \mbox{Pay scale will be determined by qualifications.}$
- Must have knowledge of health, safety, and food safety standards pertaining to the agricultural infrastructure (training provided).

The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by people assigned to this classification. They are not to be construed as an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, duties, and skills required of personnel. All personnel may be required to perform duties outside of their normal responsibilities from time to time, as needed. This may include mandatory overtime, weekends, and occasional holiday work during the season.