



Process Operator
Job Description

Reports To: Production Manager

Starting pay: (based on qualifications) \$12-\$16 / hour

Summary: responsible for the operation of the plant, working a 12-hour rotating shift schedule, to ensure maximum production quantity and quality, while supporting the policies, goals and objectives of the company.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities include the following. Other duties may be assigned.

- Monitors, controls, and records plant operations.
- Samples, tests, and records process streams as required by the QA program and procedures.
- Performs preventive maintenance activities and assist maintenance technicians in performing maintenance and repairs.
- Participates in safety, health and environmental programs.
- Works in a safe manner at all times
- Participates in programs and procedures required to ensure plant cleanliness.

Schedule:

- 12-hour shifts on a two-week shift rotation between days and nights

Skills:

- Experience in the operation of a dry-mill ethanol plant is an asset.
- Simple reading, writing and math skills are required.
- Must have the ability to learn and work effectively with the plant's Distributed Control System (DCS).

Physical Requirements:

- The employee must regularly lift and/or move up to 50#.
- Must be able to climb ladders and work at elevations 175 feet.

Working Environment:

- The employee is regularly exposed to
 - moving mechanical parts.
 - dusty conditions.
 - high noise environments.
 - outside weather in all conditions.
 - chemicals used in the process.