

PLASTICS PROCESSING MACHINE OPERATORS

NOC 94111

Set up and operate plastic mixing, extruding and moulding processing machines used in the manufacture of plastic parts and products.







3-YEAR JOB OPENINGS

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MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE

\$18.00

\$15.00 \$26.13 LOW HIGH

TYPICALLY REQUIRED



EMPLOYED

168

AVERAGE SALARY

\$53,000

The information presented is based on data for New Brunswick. To learn more about the data provided, visit www.nbjobs.ca/occupations.

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY

| 86.0% | Manufacturing |
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| N/A | N/A |
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| 14.0% | All Other Industries |

EMPLOYMENT BY AGE

| 11.6% | 15-24 |
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| 18.6% | 25-34 |
| 27.9% | 35-44 |
| 11.6% | 45-54 |
| 27.9% | 55-64 |
| 2.3% | 65+ |

ALSO KNOWN AS

- Bag Machine Operator
- Banbury Operator -Plastic Manufacturing
- Blow Moulding Machine Operator - Plastic Manufacturing

- Calender Operator -Plastic Manufacturing
- Extruder Operator -Plastic Manufacturing
- Injection Moulding Operator - Plastic Manufacturing

MAIN DUTIES:

This group performs some or all of the following duties:

Mixing machine operators

- Weigh resins, colourants and other chemicals according to formula
- Place weighed materials in mixing machine and operate machine to blend plastic and other chemicals to a specified consistency or viscosity

Calendering process operators

 Set up and operate calendering machines which transform dough-consistent plastic mass into continuous sheets or films of specified thickness

Extruding process operators

 Set up and operate one or more extruding machines which extrude plastic composites products through a nozzle or die

Moulding process operators

 Set up and operate one or more moulding machines which mould plastic products according to specifications