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# Example of Shift Mechanic Job Description

Our company is growing rapidly and is looking for a shift mechanic. Thank you in advance for taking a look at the list of responsibilities and qualifications. We look forward to reviewing your resume.

## Responsibilities for shift mechanic

* Locates damaged air and hydraulic pipes on machine and measures, cuts, threads, and installs new pipes
* Assists Mechanical Engineer to modify sketches or computer generated designs of machine components such as hydraulic system and drive mechanism
* Lays out, installs and maintains a variety of systems and equipment, such as powerhouse piping, high pressure seam piping, compressors, boilers, accumulators, pumps and other kinds of steam, gas, air and hydraulic equipment
* Performs Arc and/or Acetylene welding on diversified products, parts or structures, usually involving high strength or pressure requirements
* Monitor and improve equipment to ensure maximum safety, quality and productivity
* Work with vendors to come up with innovative solutions to equipment improvements or challenges
* Collaborate with other workers to repair or move machines, machine parts, or equipment
* Assembles, disassembles or installs mechanical equipment working from engineering drawings, field sketches, other related documents and verbal field instruction needed to perform assigned duties
* Completes records and reports (including but not limited to, MCMS, SAP, Log sheet, Oil log)
* Operates automotive equipment as required (including, but not limited to, payloader, trucks, forklifts)

## Qualifications for shift mechanic

* Two years technical college or two years working as a Maintenance Technician in a manufacturing setting
* Strong mechanical aptitude, equipment troubleshooting and repair skills
* Fundamentals of electricity and controls (wiring, schematics, drawings, etc)
* Machine shop equipment operation and safe work practices (lathe, mill, drill press, horizontal and vertical saws, sheet metal sheer and brake)
* Automated packaging and process equipment operation and safe work practices during operation and maintenance of packaging and process equipment (fillers, cappers, conveyors, cartoners, labelers)
* Ability to use technical drawings, specification sheets, charts, tables, and handbook formulas to root cause problem solve random and chronic problems