
BLAINE FOSSEN

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SUMMARY

Hardworking and reliable Material Handler with strong ability in inventory control. Offering 22 years of experience in various warehouse environments and inventory control systems. Highly organized, initiative-taking, and punctual with team-oriented mentality.

SKILLS

- Warehouse Organization (Familiar with 5S concepts)
- Forklift Operation (Stand up, sit down, reach trucks)
- Attention to Detail
- Shipping and Receiving Experience
- Microsoft Office-Outlook, Excel, Teams, and Word
- Materials Handling and Transport
- Teamwork and Collaboration
- Cycle Counts, Root Cause Analysis, and Corrective Actions
- ERP Software Experience (NetSuite and SAP)

EXPERIENCE

LIGHTNING EMOTORS

Loveland, CO

Lead Material Handler

09/2020 to Current

- Helped the Warehouse Supervisor manage all aspects of the daily operations of the warehouse.
- Collaborated with production teams to achieve production goals.
- Communicated with and supported multiple teams in the factory. Including Production, Procurement, Engineering, R&D, Field Service, TAMs (Technical Account Managers), Quality, and Finance.
- Helped set up material storage and delivery strategies in production areas.
- Loaded, unloaded, stored, and moved parts and materials by hand or with basic material handling equipment such as pallet jacks and forklifts.
- Monitored stock of parts and materials and notified the Procurement Team of shortages/outages.
- Assisted with daily cycle count activities. Including variance investigations, root cause analysis, and corrective actions.
- Assisted the Warehouse Supervisor in setting up and organizing the warehouse utilizing 5S concepts.
- Completed work orders, sales orders, item receipts, and other necessary inventory transactions in Netsuite.

VESTAS WIND SYSTEMS

Brighton, CO

Inventory Controller

04/2014 to 09/2020

- Responsible for daily cycle counts, researching and correcting inventory variances, determining the root causes of the variances, and reporting them to the Inventory Process Lead.
- Helped with warehouse activities as needed.
- Reached Vestas Tier 3 employee status showing proficiency in Warehouse, Receiving, Data Team, Kanban, and Inventory processes.
- Used SAP to record cycle counts, process work orders, and complete other necessary inventory transactions.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

SOME COLLEGE (NO DEGREE): COMPUTER SCIENCE
Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO