



# 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 OUTLOOK



*Undetermined*

## 3-YEAR JOB OPENINGS

**27**

## MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE

**\$24.55**

\$18.16 \$30.01  
LOW HIGH

## TYPICALLY REQUIRED



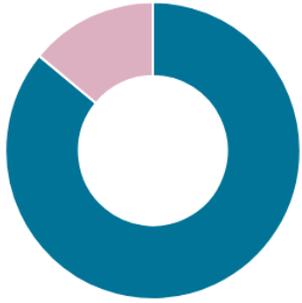
High school / on-the-job training

## EMPLOYED

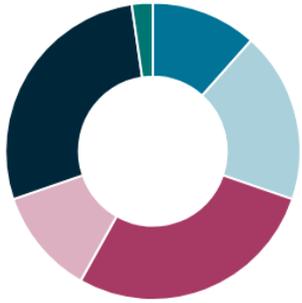
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## AVERAGE SALARY

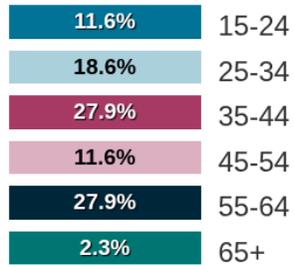
**\$53,000**



## EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY



## EMPLOYMENT BY AGE



## 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:
- 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
  - Monitor operation, regulate material supply and add chemicals and colourants to mixture
  - Operate controls to regulate temperature, speed and other processing conditions
  - Unload mixture into container or conveyor for further processing.

