

LABOURERS IN FISH AND SEAFOOD PROCESSING (NOC: 9618)



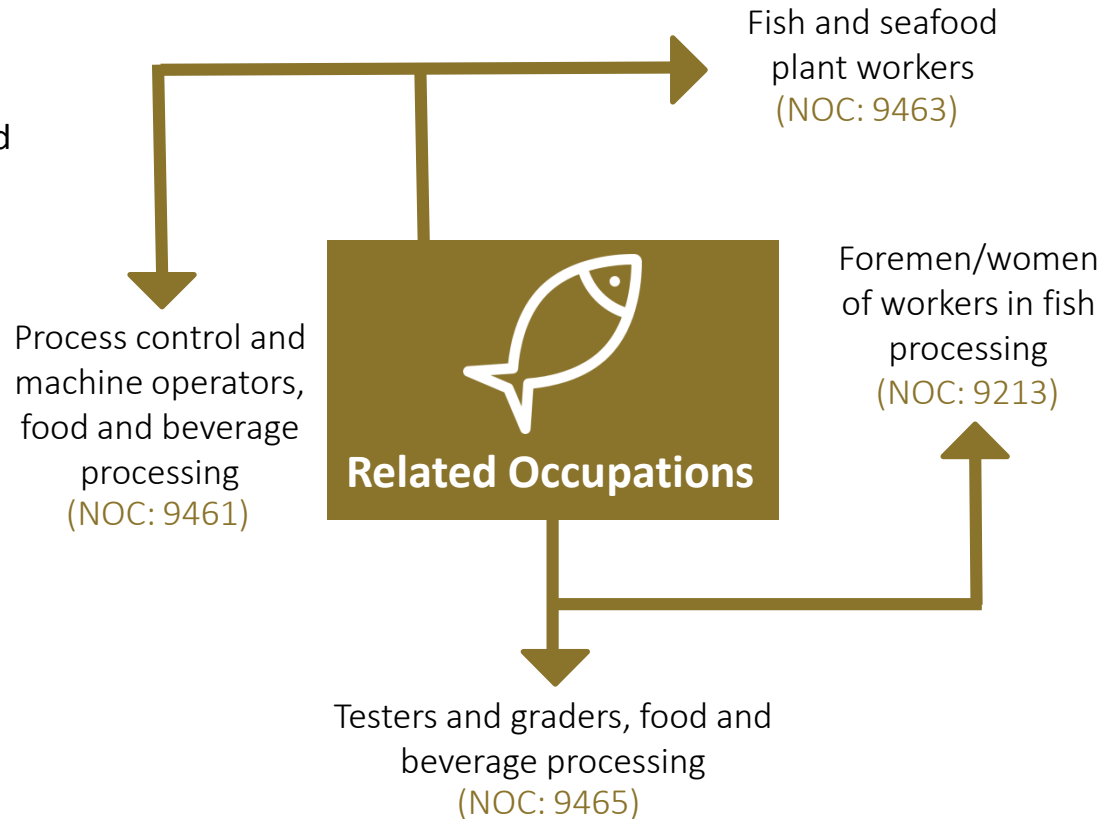
Labourers in this unit group perform clean-up, packaging, material handling and other elemental activities related to fish and seafood processing. They are employed in fish and seafood processing and packaging plants.



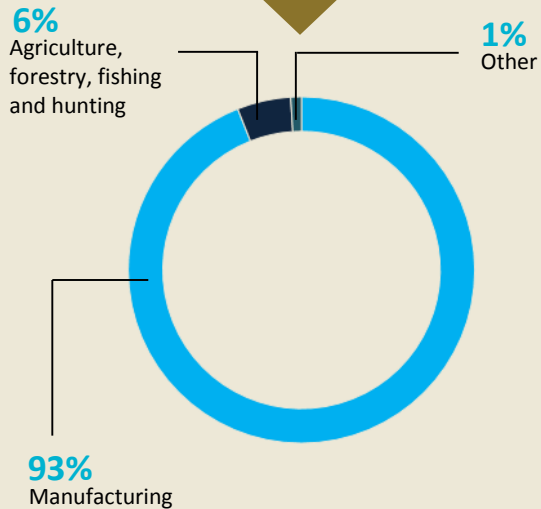
Completion of **secondary school** may be required.



Work Prospects
(2018 - 2020): **Fair**



Employment by Industry



Examples of duties performed

- Unload fish and shellfish from fishing vessels and transport them by hand or forklift truck to work area in fish processing plant
- Immerse fresh fish fillets in brine solution to condition them for wrapping or freezing
- Weigh fish or shellfish, record weight and pack fish in ice
- Sort fish according to species, weight and destination
- Clean work areas and equipment
- Transport supplies and packaging materials throughout plant and storage area manually or with powered equipment



Sample Job Titles

Fish plant labourer

Shellfish labourer

Fish briner – fish processing

381

Job Openings
2017-2026

\$13.35

Median
Wage
(per hour)



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