

JOB OPPORTUNITY

FULL TIME PRODUCT TESTING AND CERTIFICATION TECHNICIAN WHITEFIELD

JOB DESCRIPTION

The Role:

An excellent opportunity has arisen to join our Technical Services team as a Product Testing & Certification Technologist.

Working within our technical and product development environment, you will play an important role in testing and evaluating flooring products, supporting certification activities and contributing to research and development projects focused on product improvement, innovation and sustainability.

This is an exciting opportunity for someone with a scientific or engineering background who is interested in applying their technical knowledge within an industrial manufacturing environment.

Duties:

- Conduct testing on finished flooring products to verify conformance with national and international performance standards, as well as internal quality specifications.
- Develop an understanding of different classes of flooring products and the standard test methods applicable to them.
- Operate and maintain laboratory instruments, including gauges, tensimeters, melt flow indexers, indenters and spectrophotometers.
- Ensure laboratory testing equipment is maintained, calibrated and compliant with relevant testing standards.
- Coordinate with external testing facilities, ensuring samples are prepared and supplied in the correct format and to the agreed specification.
- Accurately document test procedures and results in accordance with internal procedures and regulatory requirements.
- Record, develop and manage data generated through testing activities using departmental databases.
- Operate laboratory-scale polymer processing equipment, including mills, hot presses, high-speed mixers and polymer coating and curing equipment.
- Support formulation development through the preparation of experimental batches and evaluation of new raw materials.
- Support and lead R&D projects aimed at developing innovative new products and improving existing product quality, performance and sustainability.
- Plan and supervise manufacturing plant trials.
- Contribute to departmental health and safety objectives and promote safe working practices.

EXPERIENCE

- Knowledge of polymer chemistry and polymer processing techniques.
- An understanding of the importance of good laboratory practice and safe working practices.
- The ability to organise, analyse, interpret and communicate laboratory test data accurately.
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills.
- The ability to work effectively both independently and as part of a team.
- Good IT skills, including proficiency in Microsoft Excel and Word.
- Experience working in a laboratory or industrial manufacturing environment would be advantageous.
- A self-motivated, organised and resourceful approach to work.
- The ability to manage priorities and contribute effectively to projects and deadlines.

HOW TO APPLY

Apply online at
www.polyflor.com/about-us/careers

Call us for an application form on
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Email your CV to
careers@polyflor.com

JOB TYPE

Hours: Monday – Friday, 09:00 – 17:00

CLOSING DATE

27th November 2026