



Instrumentation/Electrical Technician (Wild Goose Natural Gas Storage)

JOB CHARACTERISTICS

Purpose

The purpose of this document is to outline the basic role and responsibilities of an Instrumentation Technician for Wild Goose Natural Gas Storage and the associated reporting structure. It is not the intent of this document to specify all duties associated with the position, but to give a general understanding of the expectations and capabilities the position carries.

Position Description

Reporting to the Gas Storage Superintendent, the incumbent will work in a team environment within the Gas Storage Business Unit. The successful candidate will be responsible for ensuring the safe, reliable and efficient maintenance of the Natural Gas Storage facilities and Field. This position requires a self-motivated, hands-on individual with strong team and analytical skills.

Note: This position is located in Gridley, California. The successful candidate must reside within one hour of the plant site.

Typical Duties and Responsibilities

- Hands on troubleshooting, maintenance and repair of electrical and instrumentation problems and equipment while identifying opportunities for improvement and optimization.
- Maintain all plant and field processing equipment utilizing SCADA control systems.
- Maintain superior records and documentation standards throughout the plant and field areas.
- Responsible for maintenance, calibration, repair of all instrumentation and electrical equipment.
- Understands and performs safety responsibilities such as hazard identification, equipment lockout, emergency response, implement safe work procedures, etc.
- Ensure compliance with environmental and safety regulatory requirements. Responsible for corrective action if required.
- Ensure effective communication with operations, maintenance and management staff.
- Ongoing performance improvement including job progression, site-specific training, equipment training, etc.
- Willing to work extra hours and be on call when required.

- The successful candidate will be expected to offer assistance as required at our Salt Plains Gas Storage Facility in Oklahoma.

Qualifications

- Candidate must possess instrumentation and electrical qualifications and or work history with a minimum of 5+ years experience in the oil & gas industry. Formal training in both instrumentation and electrical would definitely be an asset.
- A valid driver's license.
- Team player with strong interpersonal, organizational and communication skills required, as well as proven trouble shooting and analytical skills.
- Strong computer skills required in programming and configuration of PLC's, Fisher Roc's, HMI software such as Iconics, Intellution, Roc Links, Rslogics, Windows NT, Windows 2000 operating systems, OPC based equipment, Hart communications, Foundation Fieldbus, MS Word, Excel & PVR.
- Proven ability to work and maintain such equipment as compressor controls both pneumatic and electronic, PLC HMI equipment hardware and software, valve repair, motor controls, switch gear, VFD's, transmitters and process equipment, Scada equipment, and good understanding of computer hardware and network equipment, and radio equipment.
- Self motivated with a strong work ethic and has the ability to work independently when required.
- Demonstrated ability and willingness to learn equipment maintenance and calibration requirements.
- Open on taking on new challenges in a changing operation.

For all interested candidates, please forward your resume to careers@niskags.com

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Niska Gas Storage is an equal opportunity employer and strongly supports diversity in the workplace; all candidates who are authorized to work in the country in which the job opportunity is located are welcome to apply.

We thank all applicants for their interest in Niska Gas Storage; however only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.

