

Headquartered in the Greater Toronto Area, our client manufactures nutrient inputs for global producers of horticultural crops. Focused on producing high quality, innovative products and providing world-class customer service, the company is looking to improve their quality management system by hiring a new Quality Control Specialist. Bring your technical skills and chemistry experience to our client's facilities and focus on quality control, sales support, and laboratory management. This is a collaborative role integrated into the manufacturing and commercial sides of the business that will provide an R&D leader with an opportunity for personal and professional development.

Quality Control Specialist

Greater Toronto Area

Reporting to the Technical Manager, you will:

- Review production and lot reports, noting any impacts on product quality
- Ensure ongoing quality of produced material and inputs through various programs
- Release on-hold materials by evaluating all results and visual inspection methods; determining status of non-shippable or usable material
- Complete internal testing for new products
- Complete internal testing for new inputs, determining quality standards and compatibility
- Create Certificates of Analysis and special reports as needed for external use by the sales and technical teams
- Prepare small batch samples of products as needed
- Design and undertakes experimental testing related to product performance
- Evaluate potential for improvement of existing and new products based on knowledge of and experience with materials
- Maintain stock and calibration of laboratory supplies by verifying inventory of items, and place orders when items are needed or requiring calibration
- Oversee external testing and maintain relationships with analytical laboratory vendors
- Manage all testing data and related documents for internal and external use
- Maintain a safe work environment by following company standards, participating in training workshops

Your background includes:

- Bachelor of Science, Chemistry or a related field. An MSc is an asset.
- Five years prior laboratory experience with emphasis on quality and chemistry, ideal in commercial setting
- High attention to detail and accuracy with strong comprehension of chemicals and chemical safety
- Excellent analytical skills, data management, and communication
- Strong computer skills – Microsoft Excel, Word and Scheduling, Outlook, Time Management etc.
- Enjoys collaborating and contributing to team effort

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To learn more about this position and our client, contact Brook Coatsworth at bmc@litherlandco.com
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