

Farm Supervisor

Position Details

Occupation: Farm Supervisor (Equivalent to ANZSCO Skill Level 3)

6-digit Code: 070499

Reports to: Farmer/Farm Manager

Position Description: The role of Farm Supervisor is to oversee and supervise farm operations such as; livestock management, crop cultivation, fruit and vegetable production and other agricultural enterprises. The Farm Supervisor is responsible for supervising farm hands; therefore leadership skills are highly beneficial.

Main Duties and Tasks:

- Recruit, train and supervise farm workers – coordinate and direct their activities
- Supervise a wide range of farm operations including cultivation, sowing, spraying and harvesting
- Ensures deadlines are met for activities such as seeding and harvesting
- Confers with managers to coordinate activities with other farm units
- Monitoring staff rosters, hours, performance and resolving any grievances
- Organises transportation for livestock and crops
- Oversees the work of farming units and suggests improvements and changes
- Inspect farm buildings and equipment, ensuring routine maintenance is carried out and repairs are made when necessary
- Installation, maintenance and regular monitoring of irrigation system
- Ensure and enforce compliance with government regulations and health and safety standards