



VALLEY FORGE & BOLT MANUFACTURING CO.

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Product Engineer / Product Manager

Valley Forge & Bolt is looking to expand our ever-growing team with a Product Engineer/Product Manager. With 45 years in the bolt manufacturing industry, we take great pride in our quality products and customer service and are seeking a detail-oriented, customer-focused professional with the same enthusiasm for manufacturing and servicing customers.

This position is a full-time, direct hire role that offers competitive compensation, 401K, and insurance coverage (medical/dental/vision)

If you possess a high sense of urgency, self-motivation, and strong communication skills, please consider joining our VF Family.

Objective & Focus

The focus of the Valley Forge product engineer is to drive new product development. Leading and coordinating the development and launch of new products that are better and differentiated to create benefits and value for customers.

Job Functions & Responsibilities

- Manage from concept, to design, sample production, testing, forecast, cost, mass production, promotion, support, to product end of life.
- Lead a cross-functional team to deliver an end-product through the implementation of a product strategy and product roadmap.
- Determine the defining features of the product. Work with the Engineering Director, Sales Manager and Sales Team.
- Development of Prototype and Pre-production hardware for evaluation, test and performance verification.
- Development and execution of product test plans.
- Co-ordination of Prototype hardware manufacture.
- Participate in Design for Manufacture of new products, including potential Outsource requirements.
- Participate in the marketing for the product, including sales forecasting and profit analysis.
- Analyze market and competitive conditions through SWOT analysis.
- Develop Product Team Plan to include a project timeline and schedule for implementation.
- Know customer needs through research and market data.
- Create product marketing communications objectives.
- Work with the sales manager to create product sales strategies.
- Determine product pricing based on market research, production costs and anticipated demand.

Skills, Attributes and Experience Required

- Product management and product development.
- People management and customer research.
- Requirements analysis including pricing and planning.
- Competitive analysis.
- Sales planning and inventory control.

Preferred Qualifications

- Mechanical Engineering Degree or equivalent

To apply for this position, email your resume to careers@vfbolts.com.