

Cellar Operations



MAIN JOBS IN THIS AREA

- Cellar Hand
- Cellar Supervisor
- Leading Hand Winery
- Production Manager
- Cellar Manager
- Laboratory Technician
- Assistant Winemaker
- Winemaker

Usual entry point

- Cellar Hand

What would help get a job

- Any previous experience in a winery
- Written and verbal communication skills
- Mathematical aptitude
- Certificate 1 in Food Processing (Wine)
- Forklift Licence
- Understanding of how pumps work
- Understanding of how fermentation works
- Any OHS&W or food handling training or experience
- Work in Confined Spaces certificate

What type of work

- Cleaning and sanitising tanks, pumps, hoses, barrels and other equipment
- Operating equipment to crush grapes and to clarify, filter wine crushers, centrifuges, filters and presses
- Operating pumping equipment
- Making additions to wine on instruction from winemaker to aid blending and fermentation
- Wine transfers

What type of training

- Forklift Licence
- Work in Confined Spaces certificate
- OHS&W certificates
- Certificates in Food Processing (Wine)

Opportunities for promotion

- Cellar Supervisor
- Leading Hand Winery
- Production Manager
- Cellar Manager

Related jobs in the field

- Laboratory Technician
- Assistant Winemaker
- Winemaker

What would help you succeed

- Experience as a Cellar Hand and completing certificates in Food Processing (Wine)
- Leadership or Frontline Management Certificates
- HACCP and ISO accreditation

Additional benefits in the work

- Opportunity to travel
- Becoming a Winemaker could lead to own wine business

Wine Industry Career Pathways can be grouped into four main branches:

growing vines and grapes; making wine; marketing and selling wine and storing and distributing wine.



The pathways shown above are not necessarily linear and there are some opportunities for movement between different branches.



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