



Skills

- ✓ Mechanical Skills
- ✓ Electrical Skills
- ✓ Ability to interpret technical drawings and planes
- ✓ Communication skills to work with others
- √ Report writing skills



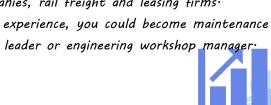
**Salary** UK Average £37,774



There are apprenticeships available to get into this career. You'll take work-based qualifications in personal track safety, installation, testing and maintenance.

You may work for train operating companies, London Underground, light rail and metro companies, rail freight and leasing firms: With experience, you could become maintenance team leader or engineering workshop manager:





## Related Careers

Vehicle Engineer Electrical Engineer



## Qualifications

Qualifications as a mechanical fitter, electrician or craftsperson with a rail engineering company. You may also have an aptitude test to assess your skills.





## Working Hours

37 hours a week, usually in shifts, which could include weekends and bank holidays. You'll spend most of your time in a rail depot or engineering workshop, with some duties outside on the sidings

Labour Market
UK Growth:
1.3% increase by

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