

Technician Training 2025

Technician Training Categories	Tech Type	Total Training Hours	Required Classroom Hours	Required On-The-Job Hours	Additional Training Hours	Min. of your hours provided by a QS/CO	Max of your hours provided by an Experienced Tech
Agricultural	Applicator/Flagger Tech	36 hrs	12 hrs Core, Host & Pest ID	24 hrs	-	8 hrs	16 hrs
Agricultural	Sales Tech	36 hrs	12 hrs Core, Host & Pest ID	16 hrs	8 hrs	8 hrs	8 hrs
Agricultural	On-going Experienced	4 hrs	-	-	4 hrs	4 hrs	-
Agricultural	New Hire Experienced	16 hrs	4 hrs Core, Host & Pest ID	8 hrs	4 hrs	8 hrs	-
Aerial Applicator (114)	Aerial Applicator	-	All persons making aerial applications, unmanned aerial vehicles (UAV) included, must hold category 114				
Turf (206 Only)	Applicator Tech	36 hrs	8 hrs Core 4 hrs Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	24 hrs	-	8 hrs	16 hrs
Turf (206 Only)	Sales Tech	40 hrs	8 hrs Core 8 hrs Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	24 hrs	-	8 hrs	16 hrs
Turf (206 Only)	Sales Tech/Applicator Tech	48 hrs	8 hrs Core 16 hrs Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	24 hrs	-	8 hrs	16 hrs
Turf (206 Only)	On-going Experienced	4 hrs	-	-	4 hrs	4 hrs	-
Turf (206 Only)	New Hire Experienced	16 hrs	4 hrs Core, Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	8 hrs	4 hrs	8 hrs	-
Ornamental (207 only)	Applicator Tech	40 hrs	8 hrs Core 8 hrs Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	24 hrs	-	8 hrs	16 hrs
Ornamental (207 only)	Sales Tech	48 hrs	8 hrs Core 16 hrs Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	24 hrs	-	8 hrs	16 hrs
Ornamental (207 only)	Sales Tech/Applicator Tech	56 hrs	8 hrs Core 24 hrs Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	24 hrs	-	8 hrs	16 hrs
Ornamental (207 only)	On-going Experienced	4 hrs	-	-	4 hrs	4 hrs	-
Ornamental (207 only)	New Hire Experienced	16 hrs	4 hrs Core, Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	8 hrs	4 hrs	8 hrs	-
Ornamental and Turf (206 & 207)	Applicator Tech	60 hrs	8 hrs Core 12 hrs Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	40 hrs	-	16 hrs	24 hrs
Ornamental and Turf (206 & 207)	Sales Tech	64 hrs	8 hrs Core 24 hrs Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	32 hrs	-	8 hrs	24 hrs
Ornamental and Turf (206 & 207)	Sales Tech/Applicator Tech	80 hrs	8 hrs Core 32 hrs Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	40 hrs	-	8 hrs	32 hrs
Ornamental and Turf (206 & 207)	On-going Experienced	4 hrs	-	-	4 hrs	4 hrs	-
Ornamental and Turf (206 & 207)	New Hire Experienced	16 hrs	4 hrs Core, Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	8 hrs	4 hrs	8 hrs	-
Structural (301,303, 304)	Sales Tech/Applicator Tech	160 hrs + Written Exam	32 hours Core, Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	120 hrs	8 hrs	60 hrs	60 hrs

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Structural (301,303, 304)	On-going Experienced	12 hrs + Written Exam	3 hrs	-	9 hrs	12 hrs	-
Structural (301,303, 304)	New Hire Experienced	32 hrs	16 hrs Core, Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	16 hrs	-	16 hrs	-
Structural (302, 305, 306, 307, 308)	Applicator Tech	36 hrs	12 hrs Core, Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	24 hrs	-	8 hrs	16 hrs
Structural (302,305, 306, 307, 308)	Sales Tech	36 hrs	12 hrs Core, Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	16 hrs	8 hrs	8 hrs	8 hrs
Structural (302,305, 306, 307, 308)	On-going Experienced	4 hrs	-	-	4 hrs	4 hrs	-
Structural (302,305, 306, 307, 308)	New Hire Experienced	16 hrs	4 hrs Core, Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	8 hrs	4 hrs	8 hrs	
Soil & Non-Soil Fumigation (309A & 309B)	Technician Training	-	Technician training must be provided per the category in which the application is being made (for example, ag weed, structural, etc.)				
Metam Sodium (113)	Applicator Tech	32 hrs	8 hrs Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	24 hrs	-	8 hrs	16 hrs
Metam Sodium (113)	Sales Tech	32 hrs	8 hrs Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	16 hrs	8 hrs	8 hrs	8 hrs
Metam Sodium (113)	On-going Experienced	4 hrs	-	-	4 hrs	4 hrs	
Metam Sodium (113)	New Hire Experienced	16 hrs	4 hrs Pest Mgmt, Host & Pest ID	8 hrs	4 hrs	8 hrs	

Additional training hours shall be divided between classroom hours and on the job training as needed and determined by the QS. These training hours may or may not need to be provided by a QS or CO. Please see or scan the QR code below to view [Part 5 of the Rules for additional information](#).

