

GIS Technician

A GIS forester manages geographic information systems (GIS) to support land management and other forestry activities. GIS is a leading technology in the natural resources profession. It results from the organization of geographic information into computer databases and analysis software, which allows for statistical analysis, calculations, custom map production, and many other manipulations to support planning, development, and research projects for working forests.

Other job titles include: GIS Analyst, GIS Administrator, GIS Coordinator.

Education & Training

Most of these occupations require a four-year bachelor's degree, but some do not

Salary

National Average Salary

\$46,540 - \$166,780

National Average Hourly

\$22.37 - \$80.18



This job may be right for you if your interests include: investigative, realistic & conventional.



This job may be right for you if your skills include: complex problem solving & critical thinking.



This job may be right for you if your values include: achievement, working conditions & independence.

