

Job Task Analysis			
Job Identification: 19-4092			
Job Title		Certified Latent Print Examiner (LPE)	
Job Purpose		A Certified Friction Ridge Examination professional identifies anatomical concepts underlying the biological uniqueness and persistence of friction ridge skin as well as classification techniques, analysis and comparison methods for criminal investigations.	
What are related job titles?		* Federal Agencies and Laboratories * State Agencies and Laboratories * City/County Departments * Forensic Technician	*Private Laboratories * Military Investigators * Tribal Agencies
What are the functions/tasks of the position?		* Prepare reports that detail findings * Take photographs * Catalog and preserve evidence * Perform chemical, and microscopic analyses *Explore possible links between suspects	* Input exemplars into AFIS * Maintains latent fingerprint file * Develops, evaluates, compares, and identifies whole, partial, fragmentary or distorted latent finger and palm prints * Uses various fingerprint identification equipment and other technical and scientific equipment
Importance	Knowledge	Skills	Abilities
High - 1 Average - 2 Low - 3	* Law and Government - 2 * Public Safety and Security -1 * English Language- 2 * Chemistry- 1 * Computers and Electronics - 1	* Active Listening - 2 * Critical Thinking - 2 * Reading Comprehension - 3 * Speaking - 2 * Writing - 1 * Confidentiality - 1	* Flexibility of Closure - 2 * Inductive Reasoning - 2 * Deductive Reasoning - 2 * Near Vision - 1 * Oral Comprehension - 2
Professional Conduct Regulation		Code of Ethics Standards of Professional Conduct Confidentiality standards	
Median Salary		\$50,356 per year	
Education		High school diploma	
2016 Jobs		15,000	
2026 Jobs		17,200	
Increase by 2020		+ 15%	

Statistics obtained from Bureau of Labor Statistics.