

# Atley Manues

Plant Controller

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## Education

**Bachelor of Science in  
Accounting or Finance at  
Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA**  
Sep 2014 - May 2018

Relevant Coursework: Financial Accounting, Managerial Accounting, Corporate Finance, Financial Analysis, Auditing, Taxation, Cost Accounting, Financial Statement Analysis, Investments, and Financial Planning.

## Links

[linkedin.com/in/atleymanues](https://www.linkedin.com/in/atleymanues)

## Skills

Budgeting  
Forecasting  
SAP proficiency  
Lean Manufacturing  
Inventory Management  
Cost Accounting  
Financial Analysis

## Languages

English  
Mandarin

## Hobbies

## Profile

Results-driven Plant Controller with 5 years of experience in managing financial activities and optimizing operational efficiency within the manufacturing sector. Proficient in budgeting, cost control, and implementing financial strategies to enhance plant performance. Demonstrated ability to ensure accurate financial reporting, streamline processes, and drive continuous improvement initiatives. Strong analytical and problem-solving skills, with a proven track record of fostering cross-functional collaboration to achieve business objectives.

## Employment History

### Plant Controller at Virginia Green Lawn Care, VA

Feb 2023 - Present

- Successfully reduced operational costs by 15% through implementation of efficient budgeting and forecasting techniques, resulting in annual savings of \$200,000 for Virginia Green Lawn Care.
- Streamlined financial reporting processes, leading to a 25% reduction in time spent on monthly closings and a 20% improvement in the accuracy of financial data, enhancing overall decision-making capabilities for the company.
- Identified and eliminated financial inefficiencies, resulting in a 10% increase in overall profitability for Virginia Green Lawn Care, equating to an additional \$150,000 in annual profits.
- Led the successful implementation of a new inventory management system, reducing stock discrepancies by 30% and improving overall supply chain efficiency, which contributed to a 5% increase in customer satisfaction rates.

### Assistant Plant Controller at Smithfield Foods, VA

Jul 2018 - Dec 2022

- Successfully reduced annual operating costs by 15%, equivalent to \$2 million, by implementing process improvements and streamlining workflows in the plant.
- Oversaw the preparation and analysis of monthly financial statements, leading to a 10% increase in overall accuracy and timeliness, resulting in better decision-making for the management team.
- Identified and corrected a major discrepancy in inventory valuation, saving the company over \$500,000 in potential losses and ensuring compliance with accounting standards.
- Played a key role in the execution of a \$1.5 million capital project, resulting in a 20% increase in production capacity and contributing to a 12% growth in annual revenue for the plant.

## Certificates

### Certified Management Accountant (CMA)

Dec 2021

### Certified Plant Controller Program (CPCP)

Dec 2019