

4 Tank data plates

- 4.1 All tank containers and swap tanks require essential manufacturing and test data to be recorded on a data plate. This will be generally found on the rear of the tank but may be found attached to the side of one of the rear corner posts.
- 4.2 The plate shown in figure 4.11 is a typical tank data plate with the sections identified.

	Owner's name and address
	Manufacturers name, address and manufacturing serial number
	Tank design details
	Operation details
	Pressures
	Materials
	Connections
	Inspecting authority
	Hydraulic test data
	Timber content
	CSC safety approval plate
	Customs plate

Figure 4.11 Typical tank data plate

- 4.3 The important sections are the CSC safety approval plate and the hydraulic test data. Every tank should be subjected to a pressure test every 30 months and a full hydraulic test every 5 years and the date of the test marked on the data plate.