



INSTALLATION GUIDE

Hippo Water Tank

Choose whether you want to place your Hippo Tank on the ground, a stand or on a concrete plinth (recommended) and then follow these instructions:

On ground	On concrete slab (recommended)	On Stand
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Choose where you want the tank. 2. Level and compact the chosen site 3. The diameter of the compacted ground must be at least 300mm greater than the diameter of the tank. 4. The water tank site must be smooth and level and cleared of all rocks, stones sticks and sharp objects 5. Place the tank in the middle of the site. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Choose where you want the tank. 2. Level and compact the chosen site 3. Measure and lay the shuttering for the concrete slab 4. The diameter of the slab must be at least 300mm greater than the diameter of the tank. 5. Lay the concrete so that the top of the slab is level and with a smooth finish. Avoid rough screeding 6. Place the tank in the center of the slab 	<p>Water tank stands can be used, but must be designed by a consulting engineer.</p>

During transportation and installation of Hippo Tanks

1. Empty Hippo tank before moving.
2. Avoid sliding on rough & sharp surfaces. Lift the water tank when moving into position.
3. Prevent Hippo tank from being in contact with hot exhaust or exhaust gases.
4. Ensure that the Hippo tank is not dropped onto corners.
5. Ensure that the Hippo tank is not too tightly tied down when securing for transport or otherwise.
6. Do not use cables or wire to secure the Hippo tank. Use straps.
7. Store only products that are compatible with the Hippo tank specifications. If in doubt, contact Hippo for more advice.
8. Only use Hippo approved flanges, pipe fittings and tank connections.
9. Avoid standing and working on tank domes.

Chemical and heavy duty tanks

1. Test with water for at least 24 hours to ensure no leakage before using for chemical or other costly products
2. Use adequate secondary containment according to particular danger to meet governmental and industry requirements.

Hippo vertical tank is designed for aboveground use only.

Underground tanks will be available soon and are designed for underground purpose only.

HIPPO PLASTIQUE will take no liability for incorrectly installed tanks