WASC 75 Colour Schames for Wasto Explosive Container



Plate 3.9 (ref 3.1). Every explosive composition had its own unique colour code, and containers were painted accordingly. This illustration shows a selection of waste containers, together with their codes. Even though the photograph is in black and white, the description enables us to distinguish different explosive container types. This illustration was originally a poster displayed throughout the factory.

ammunition. This task had been added to the design of the factory in 1938.

The production processes

The production process was associated with the layout of the factory and the group system, so that despite the variety of products made and filled at Chorley between 1939 and 1945