

Forklift Carriage

Carriages and Carriage Parts - Rated by the tine carriage lifting capability, there are four sizings of hook type tine carriages. The hook type blade carriages have been standardized.

The carriage bar spacing for Class 1 is around thirteen inches and the Class 1 carriage is rated to carry cargo as much as 2000lbs. The Class 2 carriage is rated to carry loads up to 5,500lbs with carriage bar spacing of sixteen inches. Class III carriages are rated for loads as much as 10,000 lbs. The carriage bar spacing for this class is twenty inches. Class IV carriages are rated for loads up to 15,500 lbs. The carriage bar spacing utilized for this capacity is twenty five inches.

The carriages for pin type blades could be different depending on the maker. Pin mounted blades could vary by the amount of offset between the fork eye and the fork. Carriage capacity will be established by the carriage pin size and by the blade size.