

Carriage for Forklift

Carriages - There are 4 sizes of hook type tine carriages rated by the blade carriage hoisting capability. Hook type fork carriages have been the same.

Class I carriages are rated for cargo up to 2000 lbs. The carriage bar spacing used for Class I is thirteen inches. Class II carriages are rated for loads as much as 5,550 lbs. Their carriage bar spacing is 16 inches. Class III carriages are rated for loads up to 10,000 lbs. The carriage bar spacing for this particular class is twenty inches. Class IV carriages are rated for cargo up to 15,500 lbs. The carriage bar spacing used for this capacity is 25 inches.

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