

Forklift Carriage

Carriage - Rated by the tine carriage lifting capacity, there are actually four sizings of hook type tine carriages. The hook type tine carriages have been standardized.

Class I carriages are rated for cargo as much as 2000 lbs. The carriage bar spacing for Class I is 13 inches. Class II carriages are rated for cargo up to 5,550 lbs. Their carriage bar spacing is 16 inches. Class III carriages are rated for loads as much as 10,000 lbs. The carriage bar spacing for this class is 20 inches. Class IV carriages are rated for cargo up to 15,500 lbs. The carriage bar spacing utilized for this capacity is twenty five inches.

Pin mounted blades differ by the amount of offset between the fork and the tine eye. Some manufacturers would vary the carriages for pin type tines. Carriage capacity would be determined by the carriage pin size and by the fork size.