

Forklift Carriage

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

Class I carriages are rated for loads as much as 2000 lbs. The carriage bar spacing for Class I is thirteen 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 used for this capacity is twenty five inches.

The carriages for pin type tines may be different depending on the manufacturer. Pin mounted forks may differ by the amount of offset between the tine eye and the tine. Carriage capacity would be established by the carriage pin size and by the tine size.