

Forklift Carriage

Carriages and Carriage Parts - Rated by the fork carriage hoisting capability, there are actually four sizings of hook type blade 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 utilized for Class I is 13 inches. Class II carriages are rated for loads as much as 5,550 lbs. Their carriage bar spacing is sixteen inches. Class III carriages are rated for loads up to 10,000 lbs. The carriage bar spacing for this class is 20 inches. Class IV carriages are rated for loads as much as 15,500 lbs. The carriage bar spacing for this capacity is 25 inches.

Pin mounted tines differ by the amount of offset between the blade and the blade eye. Some makers will vary the carriages for pin type tines. Carriage capacity will be established by the carriage pin size and by the tine size.