

Carriage for Forklift

Carriages and Carriage Parts - There are actually 4 sizes of hook type tine carriages rated by the blade carriage lifting capability. Hook type tine carriages have been uniform.

The carriage bar spacing for Class 1 is something like thirteen inches and the Class 1 carriage is rated to carry loads up to 2000lbs. The Class 2 carriage is rated to hold cargo 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 for this capacity is twenty five inches.

Pin mounted blades vary by the amount of offset between the fork and the fork 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.