

Carriage for Forklift

Carriages and Carriage Parts - There are 4 sizings of hook type blade carriages rated by the fork carriage lifting capacity. Hook type fork carriages have been consistent.

The carriage bar spacing utilized for Class 1 is something like thirteen inches and the Class 1 carriage is rated to hold loads up to 2000lbs. The Class 2 carriage is rated to carry cargo as much as 5,500lbs with carriage bar spacing of sixteen inches. Class III carriages are rated for cargo as much as 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 for this capacity is 25 inches.

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