

Carriage for Forklift

Carriages and Carriage Parts - Rated by the fork carriage hoisting capacity, there are four sizings of hook type fork carriages. The hook type blade carriages have been standardized.

Class I carriages are rated for cargo up to 2000 lbs. The carriage bar spacing utilized 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 twenty inches. Class IV carriages are rated for loads up to 15,500 lbs. The carriage bar spacing for this capacity is 25 inches.

Pin mounted forks differ by the amount of offset between the fork and the blade eye. Various makers would differ the carriages for pin type tines. Carriage capacity will be determined by the carriage pin size and by the blade size.