Carriages

Carriage for Forklift - There are 4 sizes of hook type blade carriages rated by the tine carriage lifting capability. Hook type blade carriages have been consistent.

Class I carriages are rated for loads up to 2000 lbs. The carriage bar spacing used for Class I is 13 inches. Class II carriages are rated for cargo as much as 5,550 lbs. Their carriage bar spacing is 16 inches. Class III carriages are rated for cargo up to 10,000 lbs. The carriage bar spacing for this particular class is 20 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 blades differ by the amount of offset between the blade and the tine eye. Different makers will differ the carriages for pin type forks. Carriage capacity will be determined by the carriage pin size and by the blade size.