Forklift Carriage

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

The carriage bar spacing used for Class 1 is more or less thirteen inches and the Class 1 carriage is rated to hold cargo as much as 2000lbs. The Class 2 carriage is rated to carry cargo as much as 5,500lbs with carriage bar spacing of 16 inches. Class III carriages are rated for cargo as much as 10,000 lbs. The carriage bar spacing for this class is 20 inches. Class IV carriages are rated for cargo as much as 15,500 lbs. The carriage bar spacing utilized for this capacity is 25 inches.

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