

Carriages

Carriages - There are actually 4 sizes of hook type tine carriages rated by the fork carriage hoisting capability. Hook type tine carriages have been consistent.

Class I carriages are rated for cargo up to 2000 lbs. The carriage bar spacing for Class I is thirteen inches. Class II carriages are rated for loads 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 as much as 15,500 lbs. The carriage bar spacing for this capacity is twenty five inches.

The carriages for pin type blades may be different depending on the maker. Pin mounted blades can vary by the amount of offset between the tine eye and the fork. Carriage capacity will be determined by the carriage pin size and by the blade size.