

## Carriage for Forklift

Carriage - There are actually 4 sizes of hook type fork carriages rated by the tine carriage hoisting capacity. Hook type fork carriages have been the same.

Class I carriages are rated for cargo up to 2000 lbs. The carriage bar spacing utilized for Class I is 13 inches. Class II carriages are rated for loads up to 5,550 lbs. Their carriage bar spacing is sixteen 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 used for this capacity is 25 inches.

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