

Carriage

Carriages and Carriage Parts - Rated by the tine carriage hoisting capability, there are actually four sizes of hook type tine carriages. The hook type blade carriages have been standardized.

Class I carriages are rated for loads as much as 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 sixteen inches. Class III carriages are rated for cargo as much as 10,000 lbs. The carriage bar spacing for this particular class is twenty inches. Class IV carriages are rated for loads up to 15,500 lbs. The carriage bar spacing utilized for this capacity is 25 inches.

Pin mounted forks differ by the amount of offset between the fork and the blade eye. Different manufacturers would differ the carriages for pin type blades. Carriage capacity would be determined by the carriage pin size and by the blade size.