Side Tilt Carriage

Side Tilt Carriage - There are actually 4 sizings of hook type blade carriages rated by the fork carriage hoisting capacity. Hook type blade carriages have been standardized.

The carriage bar spacing for Class 1 is roughly thirteen inches and the Class 1 carriage is rated to carry cargo up to 2000lbs. The Class 2 carriage is rated to hold loads as much as 5,500lbs with carriage bar spacing of sixteen inches. Class III carriages are rated for cargo up to 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 for this capacity is twenty five inches.

The carriages for pin type forks may be different depending on the manufacturer. Pin mounted blades could differ by the amount of offset between the tine eye and the tine. Carriage capacity would be established by the carriage pin size and by the fork size.