## **Swing Carriages**

Swing Carriage - The load capacity of a lift truck jib has a maximum of around 1935 lbs to 6000 pounds on either the extended or retracted positions range. You may have to ask a material handling specialist concerning the particular limits of your lift truck application. The load capacity ratings are meant for the jib itself and not the lift truck or even the maximum load which can be transferred securely making use of a particular lift truck. It is essential to keep in mind that every time whichever accessories like for example a lift truck jib are connected to the forklift, the new center of gravity made by the attachment will reduce the general lift capability of the forklift. There are instructions accessible that provide details on the way to correctly determine these load limits.

Before utilizing any forklift jib, be sure that the hooks and shackles are properly secured to the lift truck. Verify and even double check that the pins are tight. It is very important that the weight calculations are properly made and double checked. Remember to consider the truth that rated capacities sometimes decrease whenever the boom is in a raised position, whenever the boom is fully extended with telehandlers or every time the mast is slanted frontward.

Important suggestions when using an adjustable jib is to never pull a load with this particular type of attachment. These types of additions are only meant for vertical raising. Also, refrain from letting the load sway. Utilize extreme caution every time a load is carried to be able to avoid tipping over the truck.