

Truss Jibs

Truss Jib - Truss jib's can be utilized in order to carry, transport and position trusses. The additional part is designed to function as an extended jib attachment along with a pyramid or triangular shaped frame. Normally, truss jibs are mounted on machinery such as a skid steer loader, a compact telehandler or even a forklift making use of a quick-coupler accessory.

Older style cranes which have deep triangular truss jibs are usually assemble and fastened with bolts and rivets into standard open structural shapes. There are rarely any welds on these style jibs. Every bolted or riveted joint is susceptible to rusting and thus needs regular upkeep and check up.

A common design attribute of the truss jib is the back-to-back assembly of lacing members. These are separated by the width of the flange thickness of an additional structural member. This particular design can cause narrow separation amid the flat surfaces of the lacings. There is little room and limited access to preserve and clean them against rusting. Lots of rivets become loose and rust inside their bores and must be changed.