## **Truss Jibs**

Truss Jib - Truss jib's can be used to lift, transport and position trusses. The additional part is designed to work as an extended jib attachment together with a pyramid or triangular shaped frame. Typically, truss jibs are mounted on machines like for instance a skid steer loader, a compact telehandler or a forklift using a quick-coupler attachment.

Older models of cranes have deep triangular truss jibs which are assembled from standard open structural shapes that are fastened utilizing bolts or rivets. On these style jibs, there are few if any welds. Each riveted or bolted joint is prone to corrosion and therefore requires frequent maintenance and inspection.

Truss jibs are built with a back-to-back collection of lacing members separated by the width of the flange thickness of an additional structural member. This particular design could cause narrow separation among the smooth surfaces of the lacings. There is little room and limited access to preserve and clean them against rust. A lot of rivets loosen and corrode in their bores and must be replaced.