

Truss Jib

Truss Jib - Truss jib's can be used in order to pick up, move and position trusses. The additional part is designed to operate as an extended jib attachment together with a triangular or pyramid shaped frame. Normally, truss jibs are mounted on machines like a skid steer loader, a compact telehandler or even a forklift making use of a quick-coupler attachment.

Older style cranes that have deep triangular truss jibs are most often assemble and fastened with bolts and rivets into standard open structural shapes. There are rarely any welds on these style jibs. Each and every riveted or bolted joint is prone to rust and therefore needs frequent upkeep and check up.

Truss jibs are made with a back-to-back arrangement of lacing members separated by the width of the flange thickness of an additional structural member. This design can cause narrow separation among the smooth surfaces of the lacings. There is little room and limited access to clean and preserve them against corrosion. Numerous bolts loosen and rust within their bores and must be replaced.