# **MARTIN PBM MARINER**

## **MARINER SERVICE**

Manufacturer: The Martin Aircraft Co., Baltimore, Maryland, USA

Model: 162
Designation: PBM
Name: Mariner

First official flight: XPBM-1 18 Feb 1939 Factory production period: 1938 – 1949 Primary service period: 1940 – 1952

Last official flight: PBM-5G 1958

## **MARINER VARIANTS**

1939 1940	Model 162 Model 162	XPBM-1 PBM-1	1 20	Total: 0021
1942	Model 162	XPBM-2	1	Total: 0001
1942	Model 162B	PBM-3R	49	
1942	Model 162B	XPBM-3E	1	
1942	Model 162B	PBM-3C	274	
1943	Model 162B	PBM-3D	259	
1943	Model 162B	PBM-3S	94	Total: 0677
1943	Model 162	XPBM-5	2	
1944	Model 162	PBM-5	629	
1947	Model 162	XPBM-5A	1	
1948	Model 162	PBM-5A	36	Total: 0668

**Total: 1367** 

## **MARINER PRODUCTION**

### XPBM-1

Prototype twin-engined, patrol

bomber flying boat.

produced 1938 - 1939

Martin Baltimore, Maryland (M)

BuNo. 0796 - 1 **Total: 0001** 

PBM-1

As XPBM-1, angled tail-planes and fins.

produced 1940 - 1941

Martin Baltimore, Maryland (M)

BuNo. 1246

BuNo. 1248 / 1266 - 20 **Total: 0020** 

XPBM-2		
As PBM-1, prototype catapult test-bed.		
produced 1942		
Martin Baltimore, Maryland (M)		
BuNo. 1247 -	1	Total: 0001
<b>PBM-3</b> – As PBM-1, fixed floats, engine / nacelle 4-bladed props. Built in the following value.		
PBM-3R		
As PBM-3, unarmed cargo version,		
side cargo door, strengthened floor,		
20 passenger seats.		
produced 1942 – 1943		
Martin Middle River, Maryland (M)		
BuNo. 6455 -		
BuNo. 6457 / 6504 -	49	Total: 0049
XPBM-3E		
As PBM-3, prototype for		
radar development.		
produced 1942		
Martin Middle River, Maryland (M)		
BuNo. 6456 -	1	Total: 0001
PBM-3C		
As PBM-3, equipment upgrade,		
later had dorsal search radar fitted. 4 transferred to USCG.		
produced 1942 – 1943		
Martin Middle River, Maryland (M)		
BuNo. 6505 / 6754 -		
- 12 to RAAF as <b>PBM-3R</b> .		
A70-1 / A70-12.		
BuNo. 01650 / 01673 -	274	Total: 0274
PBM-3D		
As PBM-3C, engine / armament upgrade,		
dorsal search radar fitted as standard.		
produced 1943 – 1944		
Martin Middle River, Maryland (M)		
BuNo. 45205 / 45274 -		
BuNo. 45277 / 45404 -		
BuNo. 48124 -		
BuNo. 48164 / 48223 -	259	Total: 0259
PBM-3S		
As PBM-3C, ASW version,		
reduced armament.		
produced 1943 – 1944		
Martin Middle River, Maryland (M)		
BuNo. 01674 / 01728 -		
BuNo. 48125 / 48163 -	94	Total: 0094

PBM-4 – 1941, projected version with engine upgrade, cancelled. 180 of variant PBM-4E cancelled.

As PBM-3D, engine upgrade.

produced 1943

Martin Middle River, Maryland (M)

BuNo. 45275, 45276 - 2 **Total: 0002** 

#### PBM-5

As XPBM-5, engine upgrade, radar equipped versions delivered as **PBM-5E**. BuNo. 98616 built as the **XP5M-1 Marlin** prototype.

produced 1944 - 1945

Martin Middle River, Maryland (M)

BuNo. 45405 / 45444 BuNo. 59000 / 59348

- 4 factory converted as **PBM-5A**.

BuNo. 84590 / 84789 BuNo. 85136 / 85160

BuNo. 98602 / 98616 - 629 **Total: 0629** 

757 additional airframes cancelled.

#### XPBM-5A

As XPBM-5, amphibious version with retractable tricycle undercarriage.

produced 1947

Martin Middle River, Maryland (M)

BuNo. 59349 - 1 **Total: 0001** 

## PBM-5A

As XPBM-5A, production version, many for military export.

produced 1948 - 1949

Martin Middle River, Maryland (M)

BuNo. 122067 / 122086 BuNo. 122468 / 122471

BuNo. 122602 / 122613 - 36 **Total: 0036** 

**Total: 1367** 

## **MARINER CONVERSIONS & TRANSFERS**

#### **US Navy**

XPBM-1A 1 XPBM-1, conversion for armament testing. PBM-5G 24 PBM-5, USCG designation for SAR duties.

PBM-5M 1 PBM-5, conversion for missile tests. Also designated PBM-5C.

PBM-5N 1 PBM-5, conversion for night operations.
PBM-5S 1+ PBM-5, specialized ASW equipment fitted.

(PBM-5S2) 1 PBM-5S, Korean War conversion with upgraded radar.

#### **British RAF**

### Mariner GR.Mk. I

24 12 PBM-3C / 12 PBM-3S, 1943-1945, Lend-Lease version for the RAF. US designation was PBM-3B. Assigned RAF s/n: JX100 / JX123. 18 additional deliveries cancelled, most returned to US Navy service by 1945.

### FOREIGN MILITARY / CIVILIAN SERVICE

- Mariners in service during and post World War II with Argentina, Australia, The Netherlands and Uruquay.
- Several Mariners used briefly on the civil market as cargo transports.

## **MARTIN P5M MARLIN**

### MARLIN SERVICE

Manufacturer: The Martin Aircraft Co., Baltimore, Maryland, USA

(In 1956, became The Martin Co.)

Models: 237, 313

Designations: P5M; P7M, P-5

Name: Marlin

First official flight: XP5M-1 30 May 1948

P5M-1 22 Jun 1951

Factory production period: 1950 – 1960 Primary service period: 1952 – 1966

Last official flight: SP-5B 1967

### **MARLIN VARIANTS**

1951 **Model 237A P5M-1** 160

1954 **Model 237A P5M-1G** 7 **Total: 167** 

1954 **Model 237B P5M-2** 115

1956 **Model 237B P5M-2G** 4 **Total: 119** 

**Total: 286** 

## MARLIN PRODUCTION

### XP5M-1

**Model 237**, 1948, PBM-5 (BuNo. 98616). Prototype patrol flying boat, fuselage extension, single tail, engine upgrade, various changes.

### P5M-1

As XP5M-1, redesigned fuselage.

cockpit, nose radome.

produced 1950 - 1954

Martin Middle River, Maryland (M)

BuNo. 124910 / 124914 - BuNo. 126490 / 126511 - BuNo. 127696 / 127719 - BuNo. 130265 / 130351 -

BuNo. 135452 / 135473 - 160 **Total: 160** 

3 additional airframes cancelled.

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P5M-1G
      As P5M-1, unarmed SAR version for USCG.
       To USN in 1961 as P5M-1T crew trainers,
      BuNo. 149825 / 149831.
      produced 1954
      Martin Middle River, Maryland (M)
       (USCG) 1284 / 1287
      (USCG) 1295 / 1297
                                                                    Total: 007
P5M-2
      As P5M-1, T-tail, MAD boom, engine
      upgrade, various improvements.
      produced 1953 - 1960
      Martin Middle River, Maryland (M)
      BuNo. 135474 / 135543
      BuNo. 137846 / 137848
      BuNo. 140140 / 140150
      BuNo. 141252 / 141258
      BuNo. 146440 / 146445
      - 6 to French Navy.
      BuNo. 147539 / 147542
      - 4 to French Navy.
      BuNo. 147575, 147576
      - 2 to French Navy.
                                                                    Total: 115
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      BuNo. 147926 / 147937
       10 additional airframes cancelled.
P5M-2G
      As P5M-2, unarmed SAR version for
      USCG. To USN in 1961 as P5M-2T
      crew trainers, BuNo. 149832 / 149835.
      produced 1956
      Martin Middle River, Maryland (M)
      (USCG) 1312, 1318
      (USCG) 1319, 1320
                                                                    Total: 004
(Model 313) P5M-3 – Prototype 4 engined variant, later with jet
                      engine and BLC system as the P7M-1.
                     Mock-up only built in 1956.
                                                                    Total: 286
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## **MARLIN CONVERSIONS & TRANSFERS**

SP-5B

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<b>US Navy</b>						
P5M-1S	80	P5M-1, conversions with ASW detection equipment.				
P5M-2S	1+	P5M-2, conversions with ASW detection equipment.				
US Navy (1962 redesignations)						
P-5A	1+	1962, redesignation of the P5M-1.				
SP-5A	80	1962, redesignation of the P5M-1S.				
TP-5A	7	1962, redesignation of the P5M-1T.				
P-5B	1+	1962, redesignation of the P5M-2.				

1962, redesignation of the P5M-2S.