

## Indiana Band Instrument Co. Surviving Brass Instruments

Serial #	Date	Instrument	Model	Description
	1928	The Indiana Band Instrument Company is incorporated in December by Bassett & Holtz to produce a line of student instruments in the Martin factory. These used the same workers using older, retired models and tooling or less expensive options on newer models. The Indiana saxophone was really the older Handcraft Standard model (Chris Holtz, grandson of FA Holtz).		
	1929	The Indiana Band Instrument Co is a registered trademark on 5/19/31 with a first use on 4/1/29.		
Serial number dates below are based on a graph made from dates found at TheMartinStory.net. Updated 4/3/2024.				
0	1929	April 1 start		
181	1929	French Horn	3 vlv	[HUC]
1494	1929	Sax		Indiana Band Instrument Co; Low Pitch A
3000	1930			
3867	1930	Sax		IBIC; Low Pitch A
5624	1930	Trumpet		IBIC; style matches Martin Troubadour
6847	1930	Cornet		IBIC
6874	1930	Cornet	Bb	4.5" bell; 0.432" bore [HUC]
7000	1931			
7263	1931	Trumpet	Bb	IBIC; narrow profile; Martin mouthpiece [saved]
7813	1931	Baritone		IBIC [HUC]
8000	1932			
8358	1932	Trumpet	Bb	IBIC; narrow profile matching Troubadour
8521	1932	Trumpet	Bb	no Martin
86xx	1932	Cornet		IBIC

9000	1933			
9750	1934			
10500	1935			
11390	1935	Sax		IBIC; Martin Handcraft case
11800	1935			
12152	1935	Trombone		IBIC
13000	1936			
13088	1936	Sousaphone	Eb	[HUC]
14770	1936	Cornet	Bb	IBIC
15000	1937			
15601	1937	Trumpet		IBIC
17500	1938			
17832	1938	Cornet	Bb	IBIC; no Martin
17890	1938	Cornet	Bb	IBIC; 4.5" bell [HUC]
18251	1938	Sousaphone	BBb	[Simonetti]
19500	1939			
19734	1939	Sax		IBIC
20160	1939	Trumpet		IBIC
21262	1939	Cornet		IBIC
22000	1940			
22xxx	1940	Sax		IBIC
22158	1940	Cornet		IBIC
23461	1940	Trumpet		IBIC

24000	1941			
24092	1941	Cornet		IBIC
26500	1942	Martin moves to war production and changes the separate IBIC name to "Indiana by Martin".		
	1943 – 1944	WWII		
28500	1945			
30424	1945	Cornet	Indiana	no Martin
30500	1946			
30772	1946	Trumpet	Indiana	The Indiana / Elkhart / USA
32000	1947			
32158	1947	Trumpet	Indiana	
32245	1947	Trumpet	The Indiana	
34000	1948			
35293	1948	Trumpet	Indiana	
35321	1948	Trumpet	Indiana	no Martin
36000	1949			
36716	1949	Sax	Indiana	The Indiana by Martin
37500	1950			
37642	1950	Sax	Indiana	Indiana by Martin
39500	1951			
39632	1951	Sax		The Indiana by Martin
41500	1952			
41508	1952	Cornet	Indiana	
44522	1952	Trombone	Indiana	

44619	1952	Cornet	Indiana	by Martin
45500	1953			
45579	1953	Cornet	The Indiana	no Martin name
45885	1953	Sax	Indiana	The Indiana by Martin
47080	1953	Trombone	Indiana	The Indiana; Martin mouthpiece
48141	1953	Trumpet	Indiana	The Indiana / Elkhart
48340	1953	Trumpet	Indiana	Indiana by Martin
49000	1954			
52500	1955			
53028	1955	Cornet	Indiana	
53725	1955	Trumpet	The Indiana	
56000	1956			
56130	1956	Trumpet	Indiana	The Indiana; Elkhart, USA
56238	1956	Trumpet	The Indiana	no Martin
58880	1956	Cornet	Indiana	by Martin
60496	1956	Trumpet	The Indiana	by Martin
60713	1956	Cornet	Indiana	The Indiana; Elkhart; USA; Martin Band Inst Co [HUC]
60810	1956	Cornet	Indiana	by Martin
60924	1956	Cornet	Indiana	[HUC]
61000	1957			
62019	1957	Sax	Indiana	The Indiana by Martin; Elkhart; USA
62849	1957	Sax	Indiana	The Indiana by Martin
66000	1958			

66128	1958	Trumpet	Indiana	by Martin
66453	1958	Trumpet	Indiana	by Martin
67250	1958	Sax	Indiana	The Indiana by Martin
69392	1958	Cornet	Indiana	by Martin
69402	1958	Trumpet	Indiana	by Martin
69497	1958	Cornet	Indiana	
70441	1958	Sax	Indiana	The Indiana by Martin
70500	1959			
729xx	1959	Sax	Indiana	Indiana by Martin; no RMC
73092	1959	Cornet	The Indiana	by Martin; no RMC; Martin pre-Wurlitzer case
74024	1959	Sax	Indiana	The Indiana by Martin, no RMC
74469	1959	Sax	Indiana	The Indiana by Martin
75316	1959	Cornet	Indiana	no RMC; fat bowl mpc
75374	1959	Sax	Indiana	The Indiana by Martin, no RMC
75740	1959	Trumpet	Indiana	[York Master]
76000	1960			
76484	1960	Trumpet	Indiana	by Martin; 0.457" bore
77094	1960	Trumpet	Indiana	by Martin
77680	1960	Trumpet	Indiana	by Martin, no RMC
78742	1960	Sax	Indiana	Indiana by Martin; no RMC
80350	1960	Trumpet	Indiana	by Martin; no RMC
	1961	Martin is purchased by RMC. Brass may have changed to 100000 at this time.		
81500	1961			

84728	1961	Sax	Indiana	RMC
85608	1961	Sax	Indiana	The Martin Indiana; RMC
86267	1961	Sax	Indiana	The Martin Indiana; RMC
86677	1961	Sax	Indiana	The Martin Indiana; RMC
87xxx	1961	Sax	Indiana	Richards Martin Indiana; RMC
87500	1962			
875xx	1962	Sax	Indiana	Richards Martin Indiana; RMC
90113	1962	Sax	Indiana	Martin Indiana; RMC
103063	1961	Trumpet	Indiana	
113058	1962	Trombone	Indiana	RMC
113276	1962	Trumpet	Indiana	The Martin Indiana; RMC; 0.460"; 4.75" bell
113374	1962	Trumpet	Indiana	The Martin Indiana; RMC
113383	1962	Trumpet	Indiana	The Martin Indiana
114208	1962	Trumpet	Indiana	The Martin Indiana
116000	1963			
117759	1963	Trumpet	Indiana	The Martin Indiana; RMC
118891	1963	Cornet	Indiana	The Martin Indiana
125446	1963	Cornet	Indiana	RMC [HUC]
126168	1963	Trumpet	Indiana	RMC
127116	1963	Trumpet	Indiana	by Martin; RMC; TU55 on inlet
130613	1963	Trumpet	Indiana	by Martin
130616	1963	Cornet	Indiana	Martin; RMC
130834	1963	Trombone	Indiana	RMC

131000	1963	Trumpet	Indiana	Indiana by Martin
131243	1963	Cornet	Indiana	by Martin; RMC
132537	1963	Cornet	Indiana	RMC
132876	1963	Trumpet	Indiana	RMC; by Martin
132879	1963	Trumpet	Indiana	RMC; large bore
180686	1964	Trumpet	Indiana	RMC; 0.468" bore [ebay]
199973	1964	Trumpet	Indiana	Indiana by Martin; RMC

1964 Martin is sold to Wurlitzer and serial numbers change to the 700k range. The Indiana line is probably ended at this time.