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# Characteristics Summary

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> Wing area.....1428 sq ft

> Span......116 ft Height......27.9 ft

AVAILABILITY			PROCUREMENT			
Number available		Number to be delivered in fiscal years				
ACTIVE	RESERVE	TOTAL				`.

### STATUS

- 1. Design initiated: Aug 50
- 2. Reconnaissance version of B-47C
- 3. Prototype first flight: Dec 51 (est.)
- 4. Production article acceptance: Sep 52 (est)
- 5. Formerly designated RB-56A

Navy Designation: None

Manufacturer's Model: 450-24-26

#### **POWER PLANT**

(4) J35-A-23\* Allison

ENGINE RATINGS

S. L. Static

LB - RPM

Max: Mil:

9700 - 6100

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Nor:

8200 - 6100

ATO

(1) Aerojet "YLR-45-AJ-1" or (1) M.W.Kellogg "YLR-47-K-1"

4 chambers (5000 lb thr ea.) Total thrust (lb).....20,000

Duration (sec) ...... 60

\*See note 3

## FEATURES

Crew:

Cabin Pressurization Thermal Anti-icing Navigational Radar

Gun-Laying Radar Anti-skid Brakes

Seat Ejection

Int. & Ext Fuel Tank Purging Braking Parachute

Single-Point Refueling Air Refueling Provisions

Photoflash Bombs

Max Fuel Cap: 19,163 gal

# ARMAMENT

Turrets:

Guns:

2x.50 cal

Ammunition (tot.): 1200 rds

Max Flash Bombs: 10xT-9E8

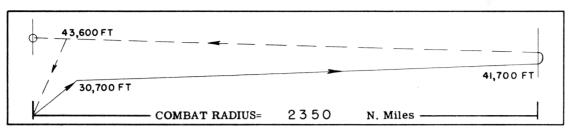
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**RB-47C** 

Classification cancelled

# Characteristics Summary Basic Mission ...... RB-47 C



PERFORMANCE							
COMBAT RADIUS	COMBAT RANGE	COMBAT SPEED					
2350 naut. mi	4730 naut. mi	(d) 484 knots at 35,000 ft alt, max power					
with 0 lb payload	with 0 lb payload	MAXIMUM SPEED					
at 426 knots avg.	at 426knots avg.	(e) 550					
in 11.3 hours.	in 11.4hours.	5800 ft alt, max power					
CLIMB	CEILING	TAKE-OFF					
3250 fpm sea level, take-off weight normal power	35,000 ft 100 fpm, take-off weight normal power	7200 ft 4220 ft assisted					
6700 fpm sea level, combat weight maximum power	42,600 ft 500 fpm, combat weight maximum power	over 50 ft height  8600 ft no assist  5460 ft assisted					
LOAD	WEIGHTS	STALLING SPEED					
Ammunition: 1200 rds/.50 cal	Empty 80,811 lb	138 knots flaps down, take-off weight					
14 760 mg	,	TIME TO CLIMB					
Fuel: 14,760 gal protected 75% droppable 0% external 0%	Take - off 180,000 lb  limited by strength T.O. W't does not include ATO fuel.						

#### NOTES

#### 1. PERFORMANCE BASIS:

- (a) Contractor's estimated data. (Not substantiated by AMC)
- (b) Fuel density: 6.5 lb/gal (JP-3)
- (c) Normal take-off technique is with ATO rockets of 60 second duration fired at start of roll.
- (d) Limited by buffeting
- (e) Limited by strength
- 2. REVISION BASIS: To reflect change in performance data.
- 3. The engine installation for RB-47C aircraft will be J35-A-23 or J47-G-21. Performance data in this analysis is based on the J35-A-23 engine
- \*Daylight mission