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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement MARIN SOFTWARE INC [MRIN] Walcott Wister (Month/Day/Year) 03/21/2013 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) C/O MARIN SOFTWARE (Check all applicable)

INCORPORATED, 123 MISSION STREET, 25TH **FLOOR**

(Street)

10% Owner Director _X__ Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) EVP, Products and Platform

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

SAN FRANCISCO. CAÂ 94105

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

Common Stock

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

Ownership Form:

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect (Instr. 5)

604,983

Held by the Walcott Family Trust dated September 12, 2007 (1)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially

owned directly or indirectly.

SEC 1473 (7-02)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security 3. Title and Amount of 5. 6. Nature of Indirect 2. Date Exercisable and (Instr. 4) **Expiration Date** Securities Underlying Conversion Ownership Beneficial Ownership

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	(Month/Day/Year)		Derivative Se (Instr. 4)	curity	or Exercise Price of	Form of Derivative	(Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(2)	01/27/2021	Common Stock	26,659	\$ 2.39	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(2)	01/30/2023	Common Stock	25,000	\$ 12.15	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Walcott Wister C/O MARIN SOFTWARE INCORPORATED 123 MISSION STREET, 25TH FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105	Â	Â	EVP, Products and Platform	Â		

Signatures

/s/ Wister Walcott by Stephen Chen, Attorney-in-Fact

03/21/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The Reporting Person serves as a co-trustee of the trust.
- (2) The stock option grant is immediately exercisable in full.

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