**CPM MONITORING INDICATORS**

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**Monitor.** Monitoring tracks progress in the field by recording qualitative descriptors (locators and implementers) and quantitative measures (indicators).

Field *personnel* (mentors and leaders) report on progress *Indicators* (inputs, activities and outcomes) for various *locators* (places and peoples).

Personnel submit reports to Coordinators who compile those reports and send them on to ministry leaders. Results help coordinators, mentors and leaders draw maps, evaluate effectiveness and adjust plans.

**Qualitative Descriptors**

**Locators.** Field mediators class their reports by geographical places and identifiable social groups that are legally and culturally meaningful.

Place Locators

Official and customary names, locality (region, town, village), gps, code

People Locators

Official and customary identity, ethnicity, language, class, code

**Personnel.** Line supervisors, trainers, mentors, apostles, evangelists and local leaders follow agreed plans frequently adjusted in response to mentoring results.

Personnel Function

Coordinator Compiles report

Mentor (may also be a coordinator) Receives report

Local leader (may also be a mentor) Fills in report

Trainees (may also be a local leader) Provide data

**Quantitative Measures**

**Indicators.** Visible persons, objects and events that indicate, show or prove that invisible or immeasurable (1) *inputs* have been applied, (2) *activities* have been conducted and (3) *outcomes* have happened. Thus, indicators must be:

* Measurable – can be accessed and quantified.
* Verifiable – others can measure the same things and get similar results.
* Economical – it does not take too much time or money to measure.
* Informative – the measures reveal or prove inputs, activities and outcomes.

***1. Inputs***

Input Indicator

Research results Documents: statistics, maps, resources, workshops

Peoples penetrated Maps: peoples, places, languages, classes, castes

Teams in field Personnel mobilized: names, places, dates, reports

***2. Activities***

Activity Indicator

Plans adjusted New contacts: communes, personnel, seekers

Mentoring practiced Generational chains: frequency, duties, content

Churches obedient Lord's supper taken: frequency and communicants

***3. Outcomes***

Outcome Indicator

Believers Baptized households: men, women, children

Disciples Worshipers: teaching, table, prayers and sharing

Churches Leaders: appointed, mentored, empowered

**Biblical Growth Indicators**

**Numbers Baptisms and addition growth by gender**

Act 2:41 So those who received his word were baptized, and there were added that day about three thousand souls.

Act 2:47 And the Lord added to their number day by day those who were being saved.

Act 5:14 And more than ever believers were added to the Lord, multitudes of both men and women...

Act 11:24 And a great many people were added to the Lord.

**Numbers of disciples by city and by social class**

Acts 6:1 Now in these days when the disciples were increasing in number...

Act 6:7 And the word of God continued to increase, and the number of the disciples multiplied greatly in Jerusalem, and a great many of the priests became obedient to the faith.

**Churches by region**

Act 9:31 So the church throughout all Judea and Galilee and Samaria had peace and was being built up. And walking in the fear of the Lord and in the comfort of the Holy Spirit, it multiplied.

Act 16:5 So the churches were strengthened in the faith, and they increased in numbers daily.

**Regions knowing the Word of God**

Act 12:24 But the word of God increased and multiplied

Acts 13:48-49 48 And when the Gentiles heard this, they began rejoicing and glorifying the word of the Lord, and as many as were appointed to eternal life believed. 49 And the word of the Lord was spreading throughout the whole region.

Act 19:20 So the word of the Lord continued to increase and prevail mightily.

Rom 15:18-21 18 For I will not venture to speak of anything except what Christ has accomplished through me to bring the Gentiles to obedience–by word and deed, 19 by the power of signs and wonders, by the power of the Spirit of God–so that from Jerusalem and all the way around to Illyricum I have fulfilled the ministry of the gospel of Christ; 20 and thus I make it my ambition to preach the gospel, not where Christ has already been named, lest I build on someone else's foundation, 21 but as it is written, "Those who have never been told of him will see, and those who have never heard will understand."

2 Co 10:12-18 12 Not that we dare to classify or compare ourselves with some of those who are commending themselves. But when they measure themselves by one another and compare themselves with one another, they are without understanding. 13 But we will not boast beyond limits, but will boast only with regard to the area of influence God assigned to us, to reach even to you. 14 For we are not overextending ourselves, as though we did not reach you. For we were the first to come all the way to you with the gospel of Christ. 15 We do not boast beyond limit in the labors of others. But our hope is that as your faith increases, our area of influence among you may be greatly enlarged, 16 so that we may preach the gospel in lands beyond you, without boasting of work already done in another's area of influence. 17 "Let the one who boasts, boast in the Lord." 18 For it is not the one who commends himself who is approved, but the one whom the Lord commends.