**CPM MONITORING LOCATORS AND INDICATORS**

**A provisional model**

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**Monitor.** Personnel report certain inputs, actions and outcomes by . Personnel receive and compile those reports, and results are sent on to their leaders and personnel. Results help in adjusting plans and in evaluating ministry effectiveness.

**Locators.** (Qualitative dimension) Identifiable places and social groups wherein disciple-making and church-planting efforts occur. Locators may be classed as (1) unengaged or (2) engaged, then as (3) unreached and (4) reached determined by agreement of ministry leaders. Locators must prove:

* Identifiable – can be observed, named, mapped or classed.
* Local – reachable by focused effort of ministry personnel.
* Cultural –respective of both emic and etic classification terms, including census data.
* Ethnic – recognized by language, history, food and customs.

**Indicators.** (Quantitative dimension) 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 Locators

Research results Documents: statistics, maps, resources, workshops Place & People

Peoples penetrated Maps: peoples, places, languages, classes, castes Place & People

Teams in field Personnel mobilized: names, places, dates, reports Place & People

**2. Activities**

Activity Indicator Locators

Plans adjusted New contacts: communes, personnel, seekers Place & People

Mentoring practiced Generational chains: frequency, duties, content Place & People

Churches obedient Lord's supper taken: frequency and communicants

**3. Outcomes**

Outcome Indicator Locators

Believers Baptized households: men, women, children Place & People

Disciples Worshipers: teaching, table, prayers and sharing Place & People

Churches Leaders: appointed, mentored, empowered Place & People

**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.

Mt 28:18-20 Then Jesus came up and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. 19 Therefore go [personnel] and make disciples [believers] of all nations [ethnicity], baptizing [baptisms] them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, 20 teaching [instruction] them to obey [action] everything I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."