

MissionSite

top unreached locations



BIRMINGHAM, AL

CENSUS TRACT: 01073010805

REGION: North Central Region

ASSOCIATION: Birmingham

DISTRICT: 11: Birmingham Metro District

COUNTY: Jefferson

SITESCAPE: Suburbscape

DENSITY PATTERN: E1

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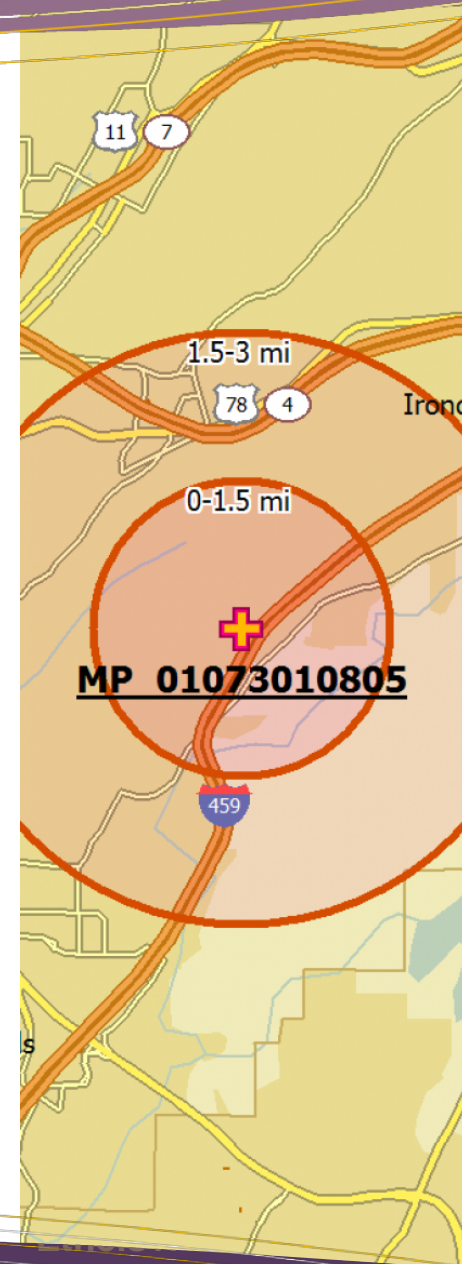
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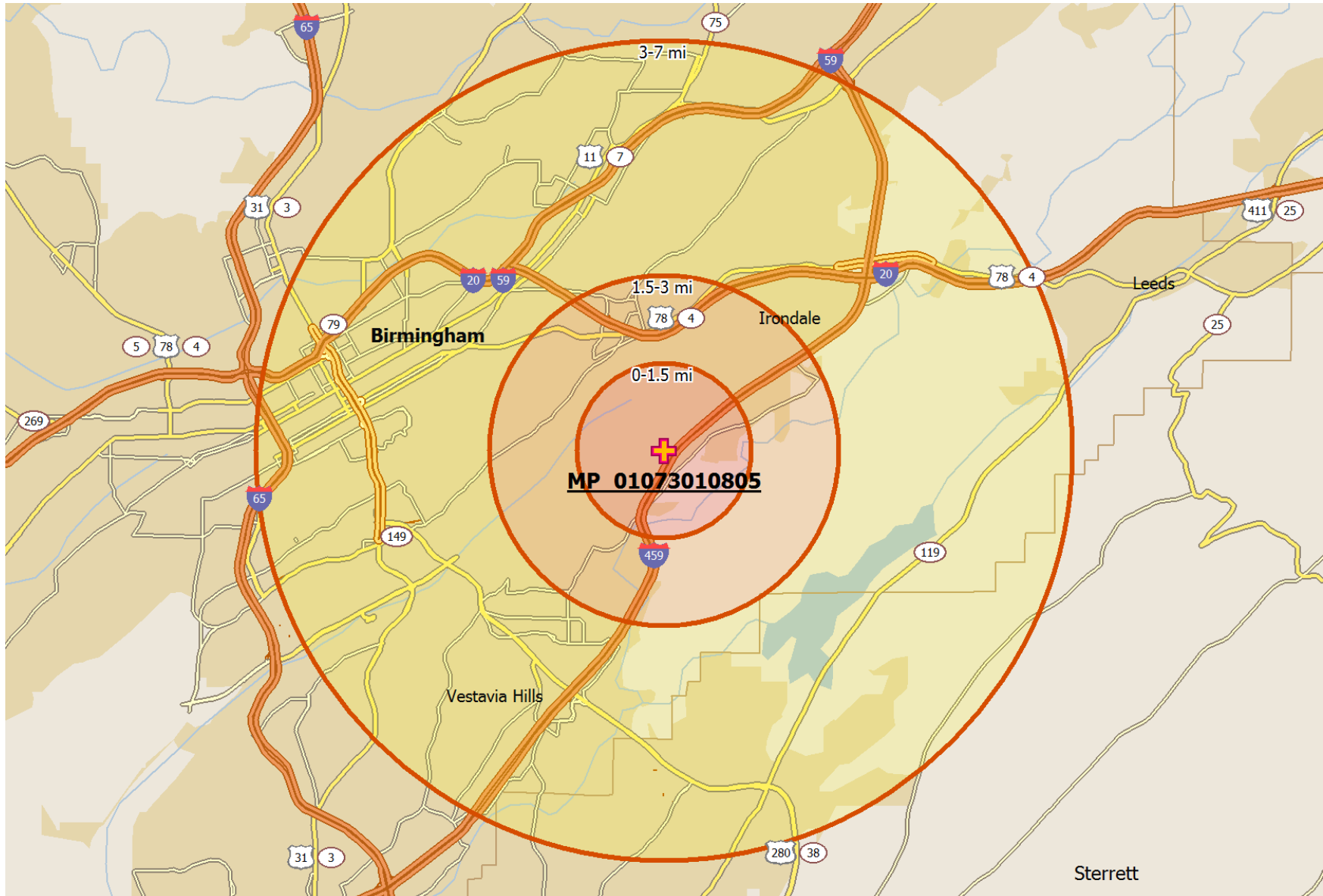
Site Location Summary

The site location of this MissionSite (TM) report is based upon the SITESCAPE typology developed by the staff of IICM. The SITESCAPE is an analysis of the 0-1.5 mile, 1.5-3 mile, and 3-7 mile bands around each of the 65,399 US census tract centroids (or geographical centers). Each census tract has been assigned a large number of variables based upon this analysis. These variables include information regarding the spirituality of this particular location. This report reflects a "Top Unreached Location" meaning that this site has a significant number of households that have not been reached by the gospel of Jesus Christ. Sitescape definitions may be found online at the MissionalCyclopedia.org site.

	Location Typography	CODE	LOCATION
1	Region	0102	North Central Region
2	Association	1096	Birmingham
3	District	11	Birmingham Metro District
4	County Location	01073	Jefferson
5	Zipcode	35223	Jefferson
6	Sitescape Category	3	Suburbscape
7	Sitescape Group	3.2	Medium Suburbs
8	Sitescape Subgroup	3.24	Medium suburbs adjacent to a small city in metro area
9	Sitescape Density Pattern	E1	50000-250000-250000



Site Location Summary - Map of the Site Location



Site Location Summary - Urbanicity

One key issue in site location is the degree of urbanicity - how rural or how urban is this setting? A number of government agencies have tackled this question in order to better compare various types of communities in the United States. The chart below provides a summary of how various government agencies have defined this particular location. IICM took the Rural Urban Commuting Areas (RUCA) from the US Department of Agriculture and created an index value based on the most rural value being a "0" and the most urban value being a "100". You will also see their ERS RUCA Commuting Value. The percent of households that commute from a non-metro to a metro area is also given.

	RURAL / URBAN	CODE	EXPLANATION
1	Metro or Non-Metro	1	Metro
2	Urban Influence	1	Large-in a metro area with at least 1 million residents or more
3	Rural / Urban Continuum	1	County in metro area with 1 million population or more
4	NCHS Rural Urban Codes	1	Large Central Metro - counties in metropolitan statistical area of 1 million or more population
5	NCES Urban Centric Locale Codes	21	Suburb: Large: Territory outside a principal city and inside an urbanized area with population of 250,000 or more.
6	IICM RUCA Values Index	100	Metropolitan core commuting: No additional code
7	ERS RUCA Commuting Value	1	Metropolitan area core: primary flow within an urbanized area
8	Percent Commuting to Metro	0	Percent commuting from non metro to metro areas

Site Location Summary - Band Composition

Below is a summary of the composition of the three bands around the center of the census tract. Values for the total population, and various types of group quarters in each band are provided below. In addition to current population estimates, each band has been compared to all of the other census tract bands around the country. Population density, language diversity, foreign born diversity, ancestry diversity and racial (broad census categories) diversity have all been indexed across the country with a "0" value representing the least value and 100 representing the most in each category. For an explanation of these indices please see the Sitescape article at MissionalCyclopedia.org.

BAND COMPOSITION	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
2010 Population	7,604	20,337	150,035
2010 Households	2,863	8,569	64,429
2010 Group Quarters Population	14	768	7,235

BAND COMPOSITION	0-3 MILES	3-7 MILES	7-10 MILES
Population Density National Index	38	57	58
Language Diversity National Index	30	30	30
Foreign Born Diversity National Index	98	71	47
Ancestry Diversity National Index	68	32	15
Racial Diversity National Index	42	65	72

Site Location Summary - County Environment

In 2004, the US Department of Agriculture created a county typology that categorizes all of the 3140 US counties into 6 economic-dependency types and 7 other county-types. Although the specific bands of this report may differ from the dominant characteristics of the county, the county environment is useful to better understand the site location context. Further information about these categories may be found at the MissionalCyclopedia.org website.

COUNTY ENVIRONMENT	CODE	INDICATORS
Housing Stress County	0	False
Low-education County	0	False
Low-employment County	0	False
Persistent Poverty County	0	False
Population Loss County	0	False
Non-metro Recreation County	0	False
Retirement Destination County	0	False

ECONOMIC DEPENDENCY	CODE	INDICATORS
Farm-dependent county indicator	0	False
Mining-dependent county indicator	0	False
Manufacturing-dependent county indicator	0	False
Federal/State government-dependent county indicator	0	False
Services-dependent county indicator	1	True
Nonspecialized-dependent county indicator	0	False



Site Location Summary - Social Environment

The MOSAIC USA lifestyle segmentation system was created by Experian, a global company based in the UK. This segmentation system has the US population subdivided into 60 lifestyle segments and 12 social groups. IICM has built upon this by creating a typology of six social environments of which each segment and social group is a part. The chart below gives the number of households that are in the 0-1.5 mile band that are in each of the six social environment. The households in each environment share a common situation that produces shared cultural practices, values and spiritual issues. For an explanation of these community cultures, please consult the corresponding articles at MissionalCyclopedia.org.

SOCIAL ENVIRONMENT	0-1.5 MI BAND	HHLDS	PERCENT
Upscale Communities	Affluent, White-collar Families	1,812	63.29%
Mainstay Communities	Established, Diverse Households	68	2.38%
Working Communities	Blue-collar, Working Families	32	1.12%
Country Communities	Rural, Agri. & Mining Families	0	0%
Aspiring Communities	Young Singles / Aspiring-Multihousing	953	33.29%
Urban Communities	High Density, Inner-city Neighborhoods	0	0%



Using the Site Location Summary

The site location summary has been designed to aid APEPT missional response teams, church planters and church planting sponsors in determining potential sites for starting new ministries and new congregations and choosing appropriate personnel for the location. Below is a list of several issues that need to be considered in choosing a potential site location.

Issues for Your Consideration

1. The SITEScape category, group and density pattern listed on page 3 identifies this location within a continuum that reaches from country to town to suburb to city. Ideally, church planters and missional team members should have already acculturated to this type of location. It may be difficult for a "City Person" to minister effectively in a "country" location and vice versa.
2. The urbanicity designations on page 5 may have implications for ministry development. The extent of commuting within a metro area may need to be considered in choosing a potential building site or in developing evening events or ministries. The percent of the population that commute from a non-metro to metro area may also need to be taken into consideration.

Using the Site Location Summary

Issues for Your Consideration - continued

3. Band composition and the comparison of population between the bands on page 6 may have implications regarding types of anticipated ministry development - from "a neighborhood" congregation to a more "regional" approach. The numbers and types of group quarters (usually some form of multi-family housing) may suggest the need for multi-housing ministry. The density and diversity indices compare this site to other site locations across the country. Values over 50 in each of these indicates a higher level of diversity or density than most other locations.
4. Each US location exists in a county or county-equivalent, as shown on page 7. This overall context may affect the environment of this site location. The type of economic dependence of a county may shape the background of a church planter that will be needed for this particular site.
5. The dominant social environments in this particular site noted on page 8 create specific cultural practices and values that will need to be taken into consideration when starting a new ministry or new congregation. Please read the summary articles at MissionalCyclopedia.org for the top 2 largest social environments. What implications do you see based on the dominant social environments in this location?

Spirituality Indicators Overview - Evangelscape

The Evangelscape is an IICM dataset based on a national study conducted by the Simmons Market Research Bureau as indexed to the MOSAIC lifestyle segmentation system. The dataset includes the percent of households for each MOSAIC lifestyle segment that are considered "unreached," "religious but not evangelical," "spiritual but not religious or evangelical," and "not evangelical and not interested in religion or spirituality." For an explanation of these terms see the Evangelscape article at MissionalCyclopedia.org.

The chart below compares the count and percent of households in the county with the count and percent of households in the 0-1.5 mile band that are in each category. The index value assumes that if the county percent and the 0-1.5 mile band percent were both the same, the index would be 100. Thus values lower than 100 reflect categories where the percentage in the 0-1.5 mile band are lower than the county average. The values that are higher than 100 reflect categories where the percentage is higher for the 0-1.5 mile band. A value of 200 would be twice the value of 100 (which would be a 100% increase over the county average).

EVANGELSCAPE: SPIRITUALITY	COUNTY	0-1.5 MILE BAND	% INDEX
Unreached Households	188,839	2,063	1.09%
Unreached %	70.04%	72.06%	102.89
Religious But NOT Evangelical HH	59,062	607	1.03%
Religious But NOT Evangelical %	21.91%	21.2%	96.79
Spiritual But NOT Relig or Evang HH	23,159	278	1.2%
Spiritual But NOT Relig or Evang %	8.59%	9.73%	113.22
Not Evangelical, Not Interested HH	108,094	1,178	1.09%
Not Evangelical, Not Interested %	40.09%	41.13%	102.6



Spirituality Indicators - Churchscape

IICM's Churchscape indicates the number of ALSBOM within 3 miles of the site location. It also compares the percentage of active and inactive evangelicals in the county to those in this site location. The index value provides a snapshot of how this site location compares to the county levels. The number of new churches needed at this site location is based upon the need to have one church for every 2000 households (or roughly every 4-5,000 people).

ECCLESCAPE: CHURCHES	COUNTY	3 MILE RING	PERCENT & INDEX
Num of ALSBOM Churches	258	10	3.88%
Active ALSBOM Attenders	47,650	1,807	3.79%
Active Evangelical Households	60,770	2,339	3.85%
Active Evangelical Percent	22.54%	20.46%	90.78
Inactive Evangelical Households	20,000	770	3.85%
Inactive Evangelical Percent	7.42%	6.73%	90.76
# New Churches Needed	0	0	0%



Spirituality Indicators - 30 Closest ALSBOM Churches

The table below lists the 30 closest ALSBOM churches to this site location. You will also find the distance from the site, their average worship attendance over the last five years, and their growth rate. The growth rate is based upon the growth rate of the church's resident membership, Sunday School average and AM Worship attendance. You will want to visit the closest churches as part of your site location review as you prepare to begin a new ministry or congregation. You may also want to discuss the type of people that each church is reaching with the closest churches.

	CHURCHES	DIST.	WRSHP AVG	IICM CGR
1	Overton First	0.39 mi	29	Declining
2	Christ for the Nations	1.50 mi	0	Plateauing
3	Irondale First	1.97 mi	216	Plateauing
4	Pineview	2.02 mi	51	Declining
5	McElwain	2.13 mi	318	Plateauing
6	Grantswood	2.24 mi	47	Growing
7	Liberty Park	2.35 mi	291	Plateauing
8	Ruffner Valley	2.46 mi	60	Declining
9	Brookwood	2.58 mi	562	Declining
10	Crestway	2.91 mi	233	Declining
11	Rose Hill	3.18 mi	27	Growing
12	Mt. Mariah	3.24 mi	0	Plateauing
13	Cahaba Heights	3.69 mi	91	Declining
14	Mountain Brook	3.83 mi	529	Plateauing
15	Lakewood	3.96 mi	118	Declining

	CHURCHES	DIST.	WRSHP AVG	IICM CGR
16	Spirit of Faith	4.08 mi	14	Plateauing
17	East Lake Full Gospel	4.30 mi	87	Growing
18	Agape Missionary	4.53 mi	0	Plateauing
19	Central Missionary	4.57 mi	65	Declining
20	Philadelphia	4.58 mi	239	Growing
21	South Roebuck	4.77 mi	272	Plateauing
22	New Hope-South Avondale	4.82 mi	0	Plateauing
23	Lake Highland	4.85 mi	58	Growing
24	Cahaba View	5.17 mi	33	Plateauing
25	The River Church Birmingham	5.21 mi	44	Growing
26	Roebuck Plaza First	5.42 mi	72	Growing
27	Eastside	5.43 mi	277	Declining
28	Vestavia Hills	5.43 mi	413	Plateauing
29	Mount Hebron	5.78 mi	57	Declining
30	The Church at Brook Hills	5.80 mi	2,792	Growing

Using the Spirituality Indicators

Below are some issues related to the spirituality indicators that you may want to consider as you review this site as a potential location for a new ministry or new congregation.

Issues for Your Consideration

1. The Evangelscape on page 11 provides an overview of the spiritual topography of this location. While the percent of unreached households is significant, the other percentages may need further clarification as you conduct an on-site review. The percentage of the population who are religious (meaning actively attend some form of institutionalized religion) and spiritual (meaning embracing spirituality but not institutional religion) may require further investigation. Those in the "not evangelical, but not interested in religion or spirituality" category may require an outreach process rooted in incarnational ministry.
2. Your team may want to seriously discuss the Churchscape on page 12. The percentage of active evangelicals in this site is a key figure for you to consider - both in terms of recruiting additional help, but also in terms of the significance of the need for a new ministry or new congregation. The number of new churches needed is another significant value.
3. The list of churches on page 13 only includes ALSBOM churches. You will need to take other churches into account as well. How your new ministry or new congregation will relate to these churches needs to be decided early in the process.

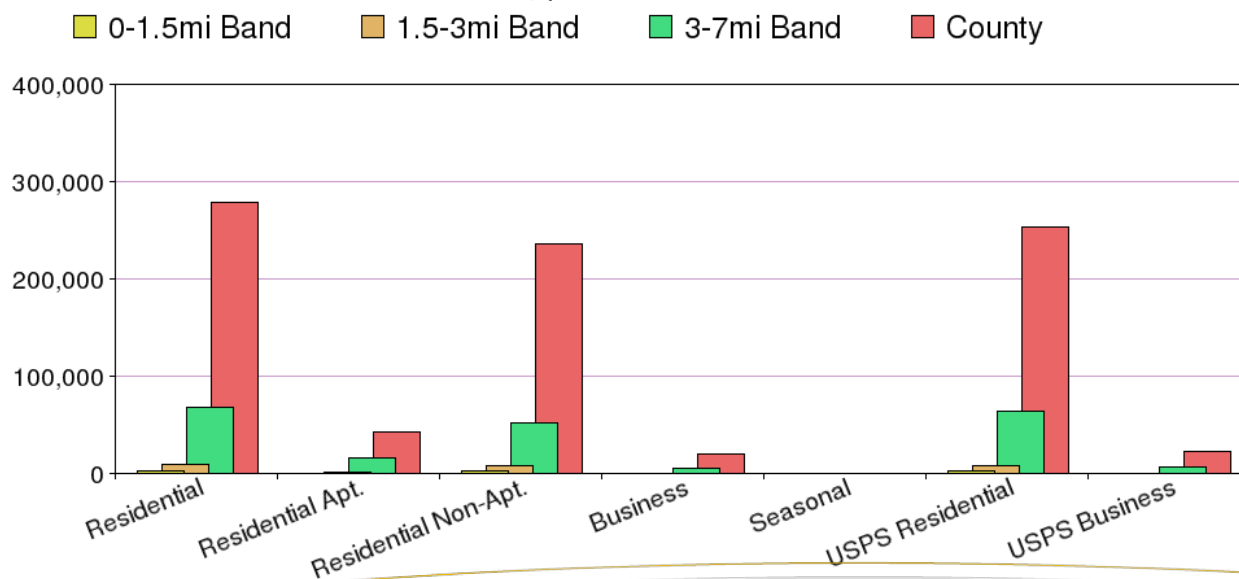
Current Demographic Summary

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DEMOSCAPE	COUNTY	BAND	% OF CO
1990 Population	651,526	7,813	1.2%
2000 Population	662,047	7,778	1.17%
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DEMOSCAPE	COUNTY	BAND	% OF CO
1990 Households	251,478	2,682	1.07%
2000 Households	263,265	2,867	1.09%
2010 Households	269,609	2,863	1.06%

Location Types in this MissionSite



Location Type	0-1.5mi Band
Residential	2,993
Residential Apt.	0
Residential Non-Apt.	2,993
Business	41
Seasonal	0
USPS Residential	2,781
USPS Business	24

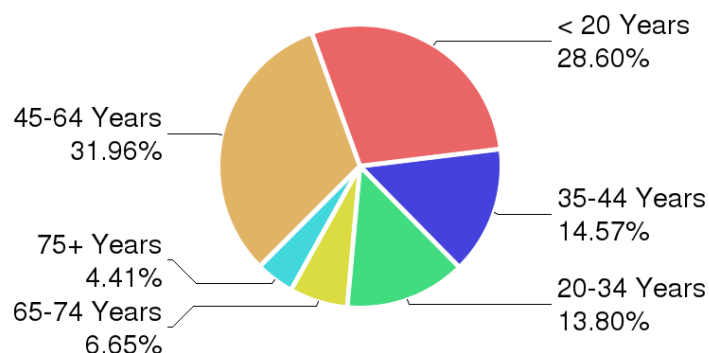
Current Demographic Summary

A current year demographic summary of age categories for the site location appears on the right.

For each category both county and 0-1.5 mile band percentages are given. The Index value assumes that if the county percent and the 0-1.5 mile band percent were both the same, the index would be 100.

2010 POP. ESTIMATES	COUNTY	BAND	INDEX
0-3 Years	5.68%	5.39%	94.89
4-5 Years	2.7%	2.52%	93.33
6-8 Years	3.98%	4.27%	107.29
9-11 Years	3.86%	4.39%	113.73
12-13 Years	2.52%	3.39%	134.52
14-17 Years	5.08%	5.68%	111.81
18-19 Years	2.53%	2.93%	115.81
0-5 Years	8.38%	7.92%	94.51
6-12 Years	9.1%	10.38%	114.07
13-19 Years	8.87%	10.3%	116.12
< 20 Years	26.35%	28.6%	108.54
20-34 Years	20.74%	13.8%	66.54
35-44 Years	12.98%	14.57%	112.25
45-64 Years	25.86%	31.96%	123.59
65-74 Years	7.12%	6.65%	93.4
75+ Years	6.94%	4.41%	63.54
Median Age	37	40	108.64
Median Age (Male)	35	40	112.45
Median Age (Female)	39	41	105.81

Age Group Percentages

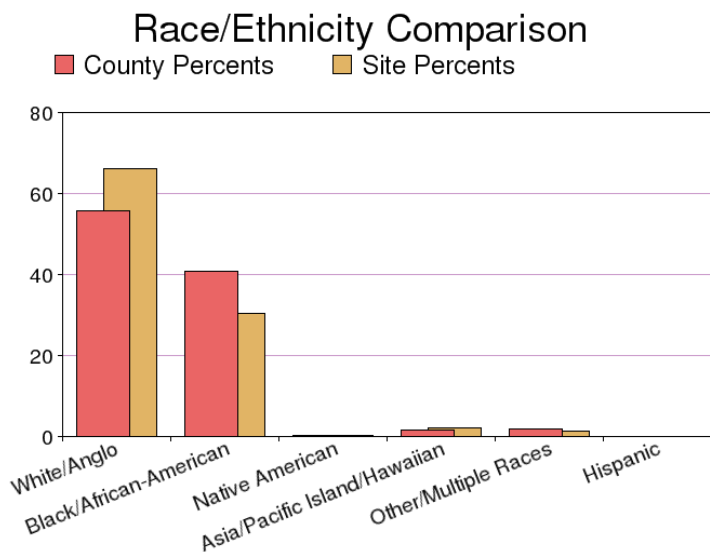


Current Demographic Summary

A current year demographic summary of race/ethnicity and education of adults for the site location appears on the right.

For each category both county and 0-1.5 mile band percentages are given. The Index value assumes that if the county percent and the 0-1.5 mile band percent were both the same, the index would be 100.

2010 POP. ESTIMATES	COUNTY	BAND	INDEX
Race/Ethnicity			
White, Anglo	55.64%	66.16%	118.92
Black, African-American	40.69%	30.3%	74.47
Native American	0.36%	0.16%	43.66
Asian	1.49%	2.09%	140.06
Pacific Island, Hawaiian	0.08%	0.08%	94.97
Other/Multiple Races	1.74%	1.22%	70.41
Hispanic	0%	1.99%	0



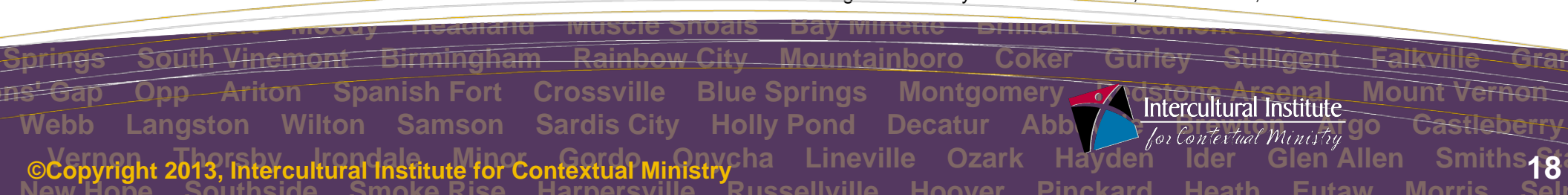
Education of Adults (25 yrs+)			
Total Adults over age 25 years.	447,863	5,145	
Less than 9th Grade	3.46%	0.84%	414.13
No High School Diploma	8.86%	3.38%	261.96
High School Graduate	28.96%	14.27%	202.96
Some College, no degree	22.64%	21.26%	106.47
Associate Degree	7.22%	5.87%	123
College Degree	17.82%	30.71%	58.04
Graduate/Prof. degree	11.04%	23.67%	46.64

Current Demographic Summary

A current year demographic summary of family and non-family households for the site location appears on the right.

For each category both county and 0-1.5 mile band percentages are given. The Index value assumes that if the county percent and the 0-1.5 mile band percent were both the same, the index would be 100. Thus values lower than 100 reflect categories where the percentage in the 0-1.5 mile band are lower than the county average. The values that are higher than 100 reflect categories where the percentage is higher for the 0-1.5 mile band. A value of 200 would be twice the value of 100 (which would be a 100% increase over the county average). A value of 50 would be 50% of the county average.

2010 HOUSEHOLD ESTIMATES	COUNTY	BAND	INDEX
Household Income			
< \$10,000	8.23%	1.99%	30.97
\$10,000 to \$19,999	13.29%	3.11%	23.38
\$20,000 to \$29,999	12.05%	5.41%	44.94
\$30,000 to \$49,999	20.54%	13.9%	67.67
\$50,000 to \$59,999	8.47%	6.78%	79.97
\$60,000 to \$69,999	6.88%	5.2%	75.67
\$70,000 to \$79,999	5.9%	8.03%	136.09
\$80,000 to \$89,999	4.74%	8.38%	176.91
\$90,000 to \$99,999	3.22%	6.36%	197.66
\$100,000 to \$124,999	6.59%	13.62%	206.82
\$125,000 to \$149,999	3.44%	8.45%	245.63
\$150,000 to \$199,999	3.44%	8.21%	238.57
\$200,000 to \$249,999	1.12%	3.53%	313.9
\$250,000 or more	2.08%	6.99%	335.12
Median Household	45,427	85,701	188.66
Average Household	68,011	128,366	188.74
Per Capita Household	28,213	48,336	171.33
Family/Non-Family Household Income			
Median Family Income	58,390	102,666	175.83
Average Family Income	83,931	147,319	175.52
Median Non-Family Income	28,382	46,469	163.73
Average Non-Family Income	39,159	60,470	154.42



Current Demographic Summary

A current year demographic summary of household types, housing units and households by size and count by person for the site location appears at right.

For each category both county and 0-1.5 mile band percentages are given. The Index value assumes that if the county percent and the 0-1.5 mile band percent were both the same, the index would be 100. Thus values lower than 100 reflect categories where the percentage in the 0-1.5 mile band are lower than the county average. The values that are higher than 100 reflect categories where the percentage is higher for the 0-1.5 mile band. A value of 200 would be twice the value of 100 (which would be a 100% increase over the county average). A value of 50 would be 50% of the county average.

2010 HOUSEHOLD ESTIMATES	COUNTY	BAND	
Family Households			Index
% Family Households	64.44%	75.62%	117.35
Families with Children	32.53%	38.39%	117.99
Families without Children	31.91%	37.23%	116.69
Non-Family Households			
% Non-Family Households	35.56%	24.38%	68.56
Non-Families with Children	0.19	0.07	36.43
Non-Families without Children	35.37	24.31	68.74
Housing Units			Index
Total Housing Units	313,876	3,172	
Vacant percent	14.1%	9.74%	69.07
Owned percent	58.37%	80.71%	138.26%
Rented Percent	27.52%	9.55%	34.71
Households by Size			Index
Avg household size	2.41	2.65	109.96
Avg family hh size	3.12	3.15	100.96
Avg non-family hh size	1.13	1.10	97.35
Households By Count of Persons			Percent
One	84,836	612	0.72%
Two	81,467	961	1.18%
Three or Four	80,946	1,006	1.24%
Five+	22,360	285	1.27%

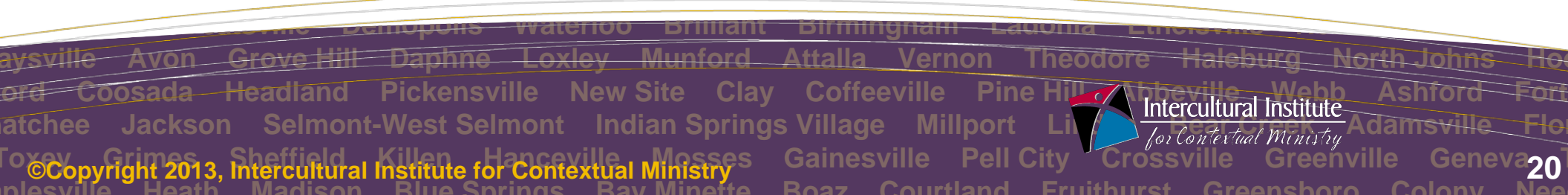
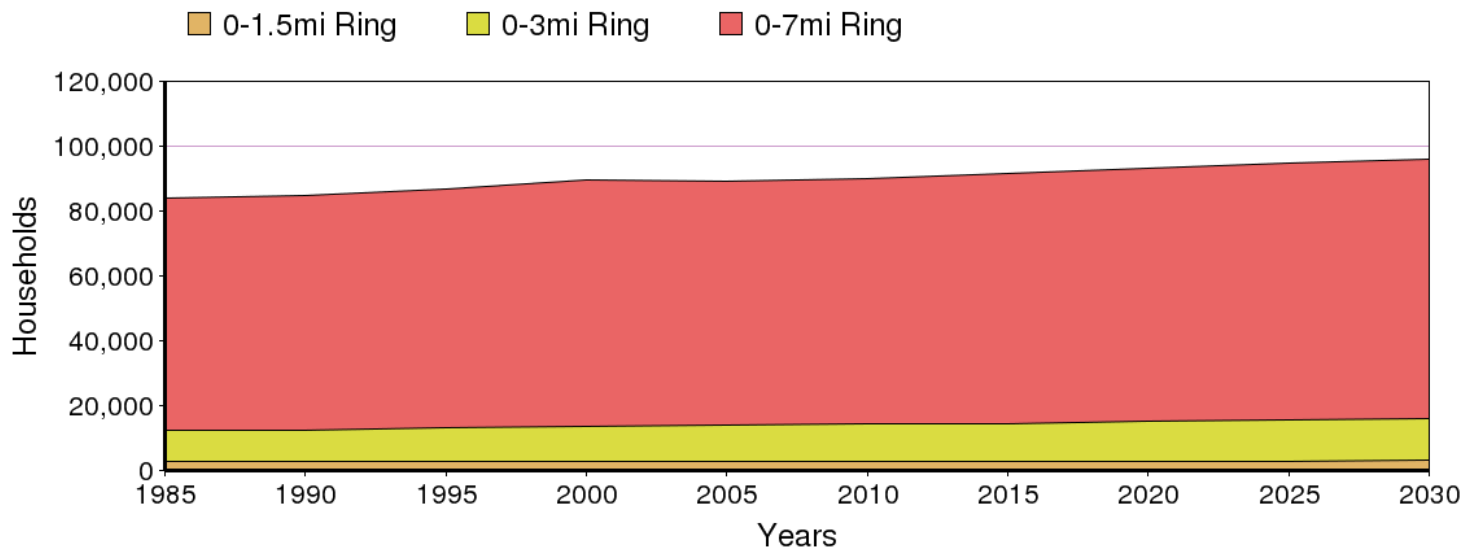
Projected Demographic Summary

The population and household figures from IICM's Demoscope report are given below for this site location. Historical figures from the 1990 and 2000 US Census precede the current year estimates and the five year projections for both the county in which this site location exists and also for the 0-1.5 mile ring. The percentage of the county population and number of households that appears in the 0-1.5 mile ring is given for each year. The graph illustrates household change from 1985 to 2030.

DEMOSCAPE	COUNTY	RING	% OF CO
1990 Population	651,526	7,813	1.2%
2000 Population	662,047	7,778	1.17%
2010 Population	666,792	7,604	1.14%
2015 Population	675,554	7,552	1.12%

DEMOSCAPE	COUNTY	RING	% OF CO
1990 Households	251,478	2,682	1.07%
2000 Households	263,265	2,867	1.09%
2010 Households	269,609	2,863	1.06%
2015 Households	277,141	2,892	1.04%

Household Change from 1985 to 2030



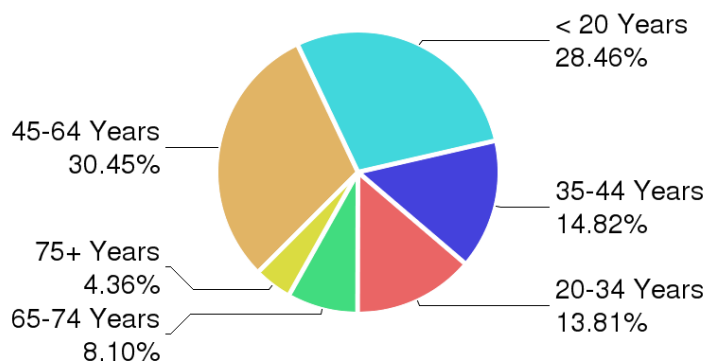
Projected Demographic Summary

A comparison between the current and PROJECTED demographic summary of age group categories for the site location for five years from the current year appears on the right.

For each category both the current year and the projected percents for the 0-1.5 mile band are given. The Index value assumes that if the current and projected percents were both the same, the index would be 100.

CURRENT VS. PROJECTED	CURRENT	PLUS 5 YEARS	INDEX
0-3 Years	5.39%	5.48%	101.67
4-5 Years	2.52%	2.48%	98.41
6-8 Years	4.27%	4.29%	100.47
9-11 Years	4.39%	4.52%	102.96
12-13 Years	3.39%	3.42%	100.88
14-17 Years	5.68%	5.64%	99.3
18-19 Years	2.93%	2.65%	90.44
0-5 Years	7.92%	7.96%	100.51
6-12 Years	10.38%	10.51%	101.25
13-19 Years	10.3%	10%	97.09
< 20 Years	28.6%	28.47%	99.55
20-34 Years	13.8%	13.81%	100.07
35-44 Years	14.57%	14.82%	101.72
45-64 Years	31.96%	30.46%	95.31
65-74 Years	6.65%	8.1%	121.8
75+ Years	4.41%	4.36%	98.87
Median Age	37	41	109.44
Median Age (Male)	35	40	114.32
Median Age (Female)	39	41	105.47

Projected Age Group Percentages

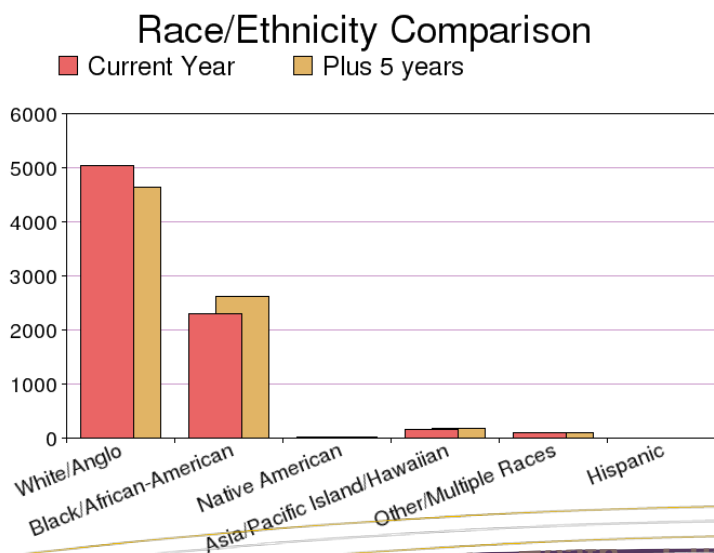


Projected Demographic Summary

A comparison between the current and PROJECTED demographic summary of race/ethnicity and education categories for the site location for five years from the current year appears on the right.

For each category both the current year and the projected percents for the 0-1.5 mile band are given. The Index value assumes that if the current and projected percents were both the same, the index, would be 100.

CURRENT VS. PROJECTED	CURRENT	PLUS 5 YRS	INDEX
Race/Ethnicity			
White, Anglo	66.16%	61.52%	92.98
Black, African-American	30.3%	34.64%	114.32
Native American	0.16%	0.21%	134.25
Asian	2.09%	2.24%	107.02
Pacific Island, Hawaiian	0.08%	0.12%	151.03
Other/Multiple Races	1.22%	1.28%	105.02
Hispanic	0%	0%	0
Education of Adults (25 yrs+)			
Total Adults over age 25 years.	5,145	5,111	
Less than 9th Grade	0.84%	0.59%	70.23
No High School Diploma	3.38%	2.66%	78.68
High School Graduate	14.27%	14.17%	99.29
Some College, no degree	21.26%	20.47%	96.25
Associate Degree	5.87%	6.34%	108
College Degree	30.71%	30.89%	100.6
Graduate/Prof. degree	23.67%	24.89%	105.13



Projected Demographic Summary

A comparison between the current and PROJECTED demographic summary of household income and family / non-family income for the site location appears on the right. For each category both the current year and the projected percents for the 0-1.5 mile band are given. The Index value given, assumes that if the current and projected percents were both the same, the index would be 100. Thus values lower than 100 reflect categories where the projected percentage in the 0-1.5 mile band are lower than the current percents. The values that are higher than 100 reflect categories where the projected percentage is higher for the 0-1.5 mile band. A value of 200 would be twice the value of 100 (which would be a 100% increase over the current percent). A value of 50 would be 50% of the current percent.

CURRENT VS. PROJECTED	CURRENT	PLUS 5 YEARS	INDEX
Household Income			
< \$10,000	1.99%	1.52%	76.42
\$10,000 to \$19,999	3.11%	2.59%	83.42
\$20,000 to \$29,999	5.41%	4.74%	87.5
\$30,000 to \$49,999	13.9%	12.9%	92.78
\$50,000 to \$59,999	6.78%	6.33%	93.38
\$60,000 to \$69,999	5.2%	4.88%	93.68
\$70,000 to \$79,999	8.03%	7.95%	98.57
\$80,000 to \$89,999	8.38%	8.68%	101.47
\$90,000 to \$99,999	6.36%	6.33%	99.54
\$100,000 to \$249,999	13.62%	14.35%	105.34
\$125,000 to \$149,999	8.45%	9.27%	109.63
\$150,000 to \$199,999	8.21%	9.16%	111.64
\$200,000 to \$249,999	3.53%	3.8%	107.82
\$250,000 or more	6.99%	7.26%	103.95
Median Household	85,701	90,808	105.96
Average Household	128,366	137,339	106.99
Per Capita Household	48,336	52,599	108.82
Family/Non-Family Household Income			
Median Family Income	102,666	106,743	103.97
Average Family Income	147,319	158,940	107.89
Median Non-Family Income	46,469	51,041	109.84
Average Non-Family Income	60,470	66,830	110.52

Projected Demographic Summary

A comparison between the current and PROJECTED demographic summary of family and non-family households, housing units, households by size, and households by count of persons for the site location appears on the right. For each category both the current year and the projected percents for the 0-1.5 mile band are given. The Index value assumes that if the current and Projected percents were both the same, the index would be 100. Thus values lower than 100 reflect categories where the projected percentage in the 0-1.5 mile band are lower than the current percents. The values that are higher than 100 reflect categories where the projected percentage is higher for the 0-1.5 mile band. A value of 200 would be twice the value of 100 (which would be a 100% increase over the current percent). A value of 50 would be 50% of the current percent.

CURRENT VS. PROJECTED	CURRENT	PLUS 5 YEARS	INDEX
Family Households			
% Family Households	75.62%	73.89%	97.72
Families with Children	38.39	36.83	95.93
Families without Children	37.23	35.89	96.4
Non-Family Households			
% Non-Family Households	24.38%	26.11%	107.08
Non-Families with Children	0.07	0.07	107.08
Non-Families without Children	24.31	26.04	107.1
Housing Units			
Total Housing Units	3,172	3,201	100.91%
Vacant percent	9.74%	9.65%	99.09
Owned percent	80.71%	80.76%	100.06
Rented Percent	9.55%	9.56%	100.08
Households by Size			
Avg household size	2.65	2.61	98.49%
Avg family hh size	3.15	3.16	100.32%
Avg non-family hh size	1.10	1.05	95.45%
Households By Count of Persons			
One	612	660	107.84%
Two	961	963	100.21%
Three or Four	1,006	989	98.31%
Five+	285	279	97.89%

Ethnographic Summary

The heart of the missional task is reaching specific people groups. Some of the ethnic, language, ancestry, and foreign-born groups in your missional site may need contextual approaches to reach them and multiply disciples among them. Foreign born peoples bring much of their culture from their homelands with them. However, over time they begin to adapt to their new surroundings. Different approaches may be needed for groups at different levels of acculturation. For more information about acculturation please see the MissionalCyclopedia.org.

BORN IN:	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Foreign Born Pop	461	425	5,237
Northern Europe	88	26	254
Western Europe	22	33	306
Southern Europe	5	10	96
Eastern Europe	62	56	366
Other Europe	0	0	0
Eastern Asia	30	43	814
So. Central Asia	72	25	419
SE Asia	11	28	320
Western Asia	8	17	177
Other Asia	0	0	12

BORN IN:	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Eastern Africa	9	30	183
Middle Africa	0	0	8
Northern Africa	7	0	43
Southern Africa	14	13	8
Western Africa	7	0	62
Other Africa	0	0	30
Oceania	0	0	32
Caribbean	0	5	218
Central Amer.	33	109	1,461
South America	66	5	216
North America	27	25	212
Born at sea	0	0	0

Language Summary

The table below provides the percentage of population over the age of 5 who speak these languages within the three site bands. The data is based upon the 2000 Census SF3 dataset.

SPOKEN AT HOME	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
English only	9,842	14,427	135,494
Spanish	239	339	4,008
Other Indo-Euro language	346	322	2,553
French (incl. Patois, Cajun)	57	124	871
French Creole	0	0	9
Italian	0	18	112
Portuguese	11	8	19
German	28	52	561
Yiddish	0	0	57
Other West Germanic	15	12	47
A Scandinavian Language	0	0	3
Greek	0	22	140
Russian	57	31	162
Polish	16	7	6
Serbo-Croatian	0	0	18
Other Slavic Language	0	7	98
Armenian	0	0	10
Persian	0	2	18
Gujarathi	0	2	73
Hindi	95	8	148
Urdu	22	0	34

SPOKEN AT HOME	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Other Indo-Euro	20	23	97
Asian/PI languages	0	0	0
Chinese	35	31	599
Japanese	3	7	148
Korean	0	0	72
Mon-Khmer, Cambodian	0	0	32
Miao, Hmong	0	0	0
Thai	0	0	34
Laotian	0	0	0
Vietnamese	0	4	175
Other Asian	2	5	208
Tagalog	8	0	93
Other Pacific Is	0	0	6
Other languages	37	73	563
Navajo	0	0	0
Other Native N. American	0	0	2
Hungarian	0	6	13
Arabic	14	22	188
Hebrew	7	0	132
African languages	16	45	218
Other unspecified	0	0	10

Ancestry Summary

The table below provides the percentage of population with a historical national heritage within the three site bands. The data is based upon the 2000 Census SF3 dataset.

ANCESTRY	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Reporting ancestry	8,810	11,444	115,709
Arab	44	64	547
Armenian	0	0	7
Austrian	21	24	143
British	154	106	946
Canadian	14	21	125
Croatian	0	0	26
Czech	29	16	119
Czechoslovak	6	15	53
Danish	0	0	72
Dutch	37	93	793
English	1,665	1,442	13,887
European	157	245	1,567
Finnish	0	0	34
French (not Basque)	100	145	1,934
French Canadian	21	38	215
German	588	836	6,748
Greek	114	87	523
Hungarian	19	46	112
Iranian	0	0	49

ANCESTRY	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Irish	622	935	6,579
Italian	227	414	2,578
Lithuanian	32	21	98
Norwegian	82	45	493
Polish	114	106	646
Portuguese	24	4	60
Romanian	5	3	49
Russian	118	79	510
Scandinavian	9	7	54
Scotch-Irish	361	497	3,960
Scottish	320	309	3,215
Slovak	5	4	74
Subsaharan African	87	102	1,277
Swedish	17	33	245
Swiss	5	12	180
Ukrainian	20	11	137
US/American	948	1,667	12,799
Welsh	60	68	581
West Indian	0	4	215
Yugoslavian	0	0	41
Other	2,785	3,945	54,018

Using the Demographic Indicators

Below are some issues related to the demographic indicators that you may want to consider as you review this site as a potential location for a new ministry or new congregation.

Issues for Your Consideration

1. The Demoscope information on page 20 highlights the rate of population change at the site compared to its county from 1990 to a projected date 5 years from the current year. What changes do you see over time? How significant is this site location as a percentage of the county? Is this a growing, plateauing or declining location?
2. The age categories on pages 16 and 21 clearly indicate the site population in various age-graded groups. Which age groups are the largest at this site? What changes are projected in the next 5 years? What implications does this have for small groups and other ministries?
3. The racial/ethnic and education categories listed on pages 17 & 22 provide a window into the type of people that need to be reached at the site. What is the dominant racial/ethnic category that needs to be reached? What do the educational levels tell you about the ways in which you need to design your outreach and discipleship? What implications arise from the changes that are projected in the next 5 years?



Using the Demographic Indicators

Issues for Your Consideration - continued

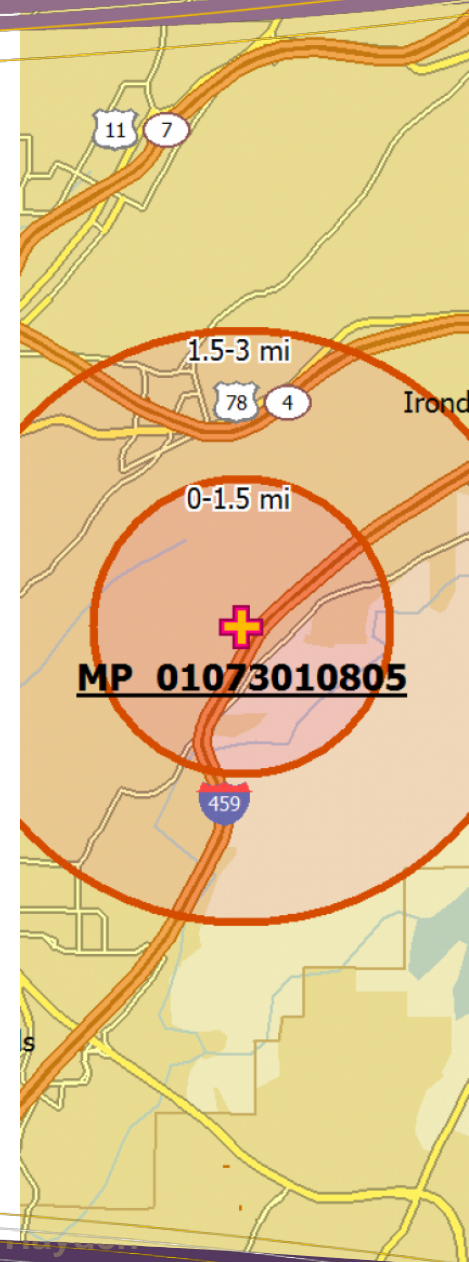
4. Socioeconomics has a profound effect on many aspects of ministry and missional design. Pages 18 & 23 highlight income categories at the site compared to county percentages and 5 year projections. What are the dominant economic categories for this location? How does this site compare to the rest of the country? How do family and non-family households compare economically at this site? What implications arise from the changes projected over the next 5 years? What are the implications for missional ministry?
5. A summary of family and non-family households, housing units, households by size and households by count of persons for both the site, the county and 5 year projections are listed on pages 19 & 24. What are the primary family types for this location? How does this site compare to the rest of the county? What changes are anticipated over the next 5 years? What are the implications for missional ministry?
6. The ethnic summary on pages 25, 26 & 27 provide an overview of the foreign-born population, language diversity and ancestry. From this information which groups of people are most significant at this site and in comparison to the country? How does this impact the development of new ministries and new congregations at this site?



Unreached Households by Lifestyle Segment

In recent years, both George Barna and George Gallup have completed national polls that indicate that approximately 30% to 32% of the US population consider themselves "evangelical." However, their polling process interviews about 1000 statistically sampled people from which they derive this number. Simmons Market Research Bureau, the oldest and most authoritative source for market research in the US today, has conducted a similar poll. However, their methodology interviews approximately 27,000 people across the US. Their survey found that 31.9% of the US population consider themselves to be evangelical. The large sampling size enables IICM to cross reference their findings across the 60 MOSAIC lifestyle segments in the US. From this IICM has created an "Evangeliscape dataset" that establishes the extent to which each of the 60 MOSAIC lifestyle segments are unreached in your site location.

This section of your MissionSite report provides one view of the number of households in your area that have not been reached with the gospel. To obtain a full Evangeliscape report of your area you will want to purchase a TRIBALDEX report at MissionalContext.org. To create a neighborhood level map of the unreached status of your missional site area you will want to subscribe to the IICM mapping site at MissionalCulturescape.org.



Rock Mills Brewton Triana Fort Rucker Union Springs Northport Munford Horn Hill Douglas Andalusia
Albertville Fairview Columbiana Butler Cullman Citronelle Aliceville Grading Oak Grove Kimberly E
Lowndesboro Marion Camden Reform Moody Roanoke Ohatchee
Hobson City Pleasant Grove Theodore Bridgeport Fort Payne Goodwater Lanett Anderson Greer
Locust Fork McDonald Chapel Pisgah Good Hope Concord Livingston Lemison Homewood West Point

Unreached Households by Lifestyle Segment

The table below lists 18 lifestyle segments in three social groups, A-Affluent Suburbia, B-Upscale America, and C-Small Town Success. For the 0-1.5 mile ring, the number of households is listed together with the percent of the band in that segment. The number of unreached households is also listed together with the percent of the total unreached that are in the segment.

2010 MOSAIC HHids	0-1.5 HH & Percent		Unreached HH & Percent	
Total	2,863	100%	2,065	100%
AFFLUENT SUBURBIA	1,637	57.18%	1,173	56.8%
America's Wealthiest	182	6.36%	146	7.07%
Dream Weavers	622	21.73%	445	21.55%
White Collar Suburbia	0	0%	0	0%
Upscale Suburbia	110	3.84%	92	4.46%
Enterprising Couples	504	17.6%	338	16.37%
Small Town Success	219	7.65%	152	7.36%
New Suburbia Fam.	0	0%	0	0%
UPSCALE AMERICA	175	6.11%	119	5.76%
Status Conscious Consumers	25	0.87%	18	0.87%
Affluent Urban Professionals	0	0%	0	0%
Urban Commuter Fam.	146	5.1%	98	4.75%
Solid Suburban Mix	0	0%	0	0%
2nd Generation Success	0	0%	0	0%
Successful Urban Sprawl	4	0.14%	3	0.15%
SM TWN SUCCESS	67	2.34%	44	2.13%
2nd City Homebodies	0	0%	0	0%
Prime Middle America	67	2.34%	44	2.13%
Urban Optimists	0	0%	0	0%
Family Convenience	0	0%	0	0%
Mid-Market Enterprise	0	0%	0	0%



Unreached Households by Lifestyle Segment

The table below lists 15 lifestyle segments in three social groups, D-Blue Collar Backbone, E-American Diversity, and F-Metro Fringe. For the 0-1.5 mile ring, the number of households is listed together with the percent of the band in that segment. The number of unreached households is also listed together with the percent of the total unreached that are in the segment.

2010 MOSAIC HHlds	0-1.5 HH & Percent		Unreached HH & Percent	
Total	2,863	100%	2,065	100%
BLUE COLLAR BACKBONE	0	0%	0	0%
Nuevo Hispanic Fam.	0	0%	0	0%
Working Rural Suburbia	0	0%	0	0%
Lower Income Essentials	0	0%	0	0%
Small Town Endeavors	0	0%	0	0%
AMER. DIVERSITY	1	0.03%	1	0.05%
Ethnic Urban Mix	0	0%	0	0%
Urban Blues	0	0%	0	0%
Professional Urbanites	1	0.03%	1	0.05%
Urban Advancement	0	0%	0	0%
Amer. Great Outdoors	0	0%	0	0%
Mature America	0	0%	0	0%
METRO FRINGE	32	1.12%	22	1.07%
Steadfast Conservative	30	1.05%	21	1.02%
Moderate Conventionalists	2	0.07%	1	0.05%
Southern Blues	0	0%	0	0%
Urban Grit	0	0%	0	0%
Grass-Roots Living	0	0%	0	0%

Unreached Households by Lifestyle Segment

The table below lists 13 lifestyle segments in three social groups, G-Remote America, H-Aspiring Contemporaries, and I-Rural Villages & Farms. For the 0-1.5 mile ring, the number of households is listed together with the percent of the band in that segment. The number of unreached households is also listed together with the percent of the total unreached that are in the segment.

2010 MOSAIC HHids	0-1.5 HH & Percent		Unreached HH & Percent	
Total	2,863	100%	2,065	100%
REMOTE AMERICA	0	0%	0	0%
Hardy Rural Fam.	0	0%	0	0%
Rural Southern Living	0	0%	0	0%
Coal & Crops	0	0%	0	0%
Native America	0	0%	0	0%
ASPIRING CONTEMP'S	953	33.29%	706	34.19%
Young Cosmopolitans	0	0%	0	0%
Minority Metro Communities	950	33.18%	704	34.09%
Stable Careers	3	0.1%	2	0.1%
Aspiring Hispania	0	0%	0	0%
RURAL VILLAGES & FARMS	0	0%	0	0%
Industrious Country Living	0	0%	0	0%
America's Farmland	0	0%	0	0%
Comfy Country Living	0	0%	0	0%
Small Town Connections	0	0%	0	0%
Hinterland Fam.	0	0%	0	0%

Unreached Households by Lifestyle Segment

The table below lists 14 lifestyle segments in three social groups, J-Struggling Societies, K-Urban Essence, and L-Varying Lifestyles. For each the 0-1.5 mile ring, the number of households is listed together with the percent of the band in that segment. The number of unreached households is also listed together with the percent of the total unreached that are in the segment.

2010 MOSAIC HHids	0-1.5 HH & Percent		Unreached HH & Percent	
Total	2,863	100%	2,065	100%
STRUGGLING SOCIETIES	0	0%	0	0%
Rugged Southern Style	0	0%	0	0%
Latino Nuevo	0	0%	0	0%
Struggling city Centers	0	0%	0	0%
College Town Communities	0	0%	0	0%
New Beginnings	0	0%	0	0%
URBAN ESSENCE	0	0%	0	0%
Unattached Multicultures	0	0%	0	0%
Academic Necessities	0	0%	0	0%
Af. Amer. Neighborhoods	0	0%	0	0%
Urban Diversity	0	0%	0	0%
New Generation Activists	0	0%	0	0%
Getting By	0	0%	0	0%
VARYING LIFESTYLES	0	0%	0	0%
Military Family Life	0	0%	0	0%
Major University Towns	0	0%	0	0%
Gray Perspectives	0	0%	0	0%

Identifying Focus Groups in this Location

Within the 0-1.5 mile, 1.5-3 mile and 3-7 mile bands of this site location, there are several types of people groups including ethnic, lifestyle, lifestage, and socio-religious people groups. A focus group is a group of people to whom you feel especially called to reach. Below are some suggestions regarding identifying focus groups in this site location.

Issues for Your Consideration

1. Review the current demographic summary on pages 15-19 for this site location. What demographic groups are prevalent in this particular site location?
2. Next take a look at the projected demographic summary on pages 20-24. What increase or decrease is expected for these groups in this site location?
3. Review the current ethnic summary on pages 25-27. What ethnic groups are prevalent in this site location?
4. Review the unreached households by lifestyle segment on pages 31-34. Which social groups have the largest number of unreached households? Which lifestyle groups have a significant number of unreached households?
5. Compile your answers to numbers 1 through 4 and begin prayerfully prioritizing the list of people groups that you could attempt to reach in this location. Which groupings would appear to culturally "fit" together well? Which groups likely need special consideration in developing a culturally appropriate new missional ministry or congregation?

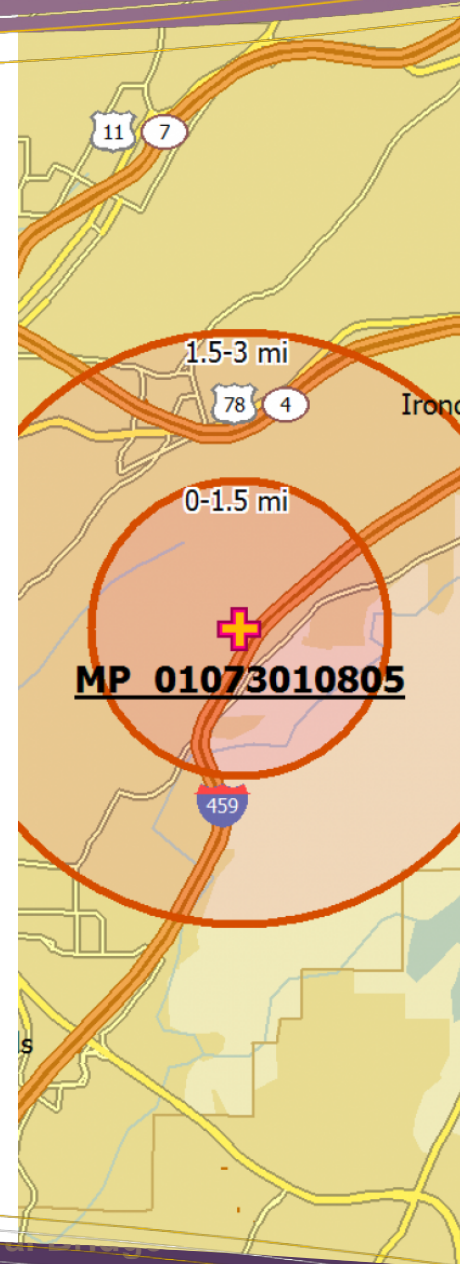
Potential Cultural Bridges

Donald McGavran in his book, *The Bridges of God*, emphasized the need for people to come to faith within the context of their own culture. "People like to become Christians without crossing racial, linguistic, or class barriers." In addition, research into evangelism suggests that most people come to faith in Christ as the result of the witness of a Christian with whom they have a close personal relationship (mostly a friend or a relative).

Missional congregations intentionally release their people to permeate the community in order to develop relational bridges across which they can present Christ. These relational bridges usually are established in some context: arts & cultural organizations, sports teams and sporting events, park & recreational facility use, community organizations, community cultural events, and community social concerns and needs.

Thus, cultural bridges are those characteristics that could be used to build relationships with people in the lifestyle group. Various activities, interests, or opinions (AIO) represented among the consumer behavior characteristics of the lifestyle groups in the community offer ways for believers to build relationships with people in those lifestyle groups and through that relationship impact them for Christ.

[i] McGavran, Donald A. *The Bridges of God*. Revised edition. (New York: Friendship Press, 1981).



Potential Cultural Bridges

The tables below list 20 consumer behavior variables related to computer and internet use at this mission site. For each of the three bands - 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles - the percent of the households in the missional site location that participate in the activity is given. For more detailed information, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org

BRIDGES	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
PC-HH Own	86%	83%	77%
Use Comp. for Internet/E-mail	69%	68%	60%
Internet Use: E-Mail	61%	60%	53%
Use Comp. for Word Processing	52%	51%	43%
Use Comp. for Shopping	46%	45%	37%
Use Comp. for Comp. Games	44%	41%	37%
Use Comp. for Digital Camera	40%	39%	34%
Photo Editing			
Use Comp. for Banking	40%	39%	34%
HH Owns DVD Player	37%	36%	32%
Use Comp. for Education	37%	36%	33%

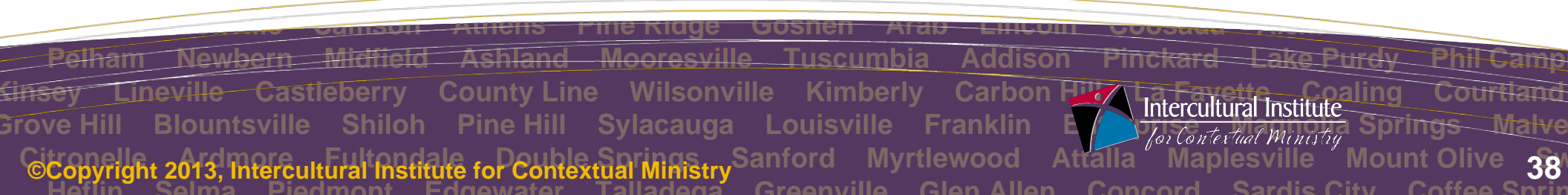
BRIDGES	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Internet Use: News/ Weather	37%	36%	31%
Use Comp. for News/Info./Data Service	34%	33%	27%
Internet Use: Banking	32%	31%	29%
PC-Network-HH Has One	31%	28%	22%
Use Comp. for Personal Financial Mngmnt	24%	23%	18%
Use Comp. for Accounting	22%	21%	17%
Internet Use: Shopping: Gathered Info. for Shopping	19%	18%	16%
Use Comp. for Filing/DB Mngmnt	18%	17%	15%
Internet Use: Shopping: Made A Purchase	17%	17%	14%
Internet Use: Research/ Education	17%	16%	14%

Potential Cultural Bridges

The tables below lists 20 consumer behavior variables related to top leisure activities, auto maintenance, prescription drug use, and diet control at this mission site. For each of the three bands - 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles - the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. For more detailed information, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

BRIDGES	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Listening To Music	70%	70%	70%
Dining Out (Not Fast Food)	66%	65%	59%
Reading Books	62%	62%	59%
Card Games	45%	44%	41%
Go To A Beach/Lake	43%	42%	37%
Cooking for Fun	41%	40%	39%
Board Games	36%	35%	30%
Gardening	36%	35%	31%
Visit Museum	30%	30%	25%
Visit Zoo	23%	22%	19%

BRIDGES	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Any Ailment	69%	67%	66%
Gen./Fam. Practitioner	39%	39%	37%
Dentist	35%	34%	30%
Eye Dr.	25%	24%	22%
Backache	21%	20%	21%
High Cholesterol	21%	20%	18%
None Of These	20%	21%	21%
Hypertension/High Blood Pressure	19%	19%	18%
OB/GYN	16%	14%	13%
Any Arthritis	14%	14%	13%



Potential Cultural Bridges

The tables below lists 20 consumer behavior variables related to attending performances, movies and sporting events at this mission site. For each of the three bands - 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles - the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. For more detailed information, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

BRIDGES	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Concert	36.25%	35.28%	32.88%
Live Theater	32.39%	31.53%	26.99%
Live Theater Most Often	26.02%	25.64%	21.49%
Rock/Pop Concerts Most Often	19.2%	17.7%	17.1%
Comedy Club	11.72%	11.46%	11.04%
Dance Performance	11.03%	11.83%	12.14%
Movies: Comedy	43.17%	41.61%	42.15%
Movies: Action/Adventure	41.34%	41.47%	41.25%
Movies: Drama	26.66%	26.5%	25.95%

BRIDGES	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Movies: Romantic Comedy	25.8%	24.97%	23.47%
Movies: Fam.	23.39%	21.32%	20.53%
Movies: Mystery	18%	19.72%	20.56%
College Football Reg. Season	11.56%	9.95%	7.84%
MLB Baseball Reg. Season	11.33%	11.19%	10.4%
NFL Football Reg. Season	10.2%	9.1%	7.59%
College Basketball Reg. Season	7.64%	6.46%	5.86%
NBA Basketball Reg. Season	5.92%	5.7%	4.93%
NHL Hockey Reg. Season	3.98%	4.22%	4.08%

Potential Cultural Bridges

The tables below lists 28 consumer behavior variables related to fitness participation at this mission site. For each of the three bands - 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles - the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. For more detailed information, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org

BRIDGES	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Walking for Exercise	46.88%	46.12%	42.83%
Swimming	38.43%	37.1%	32.23%
Bowling	24.99%	23.03%	21.19%
Weight Training	20.82%	21.38%	18.96%
Golf	19.97%	19.51%	15.02%
Jogging/Running	19.13%	18.64%	18.63%
Using Cardio Machine	18.61%	19.03%	16.56%
Basketball	17.37%	15.02%	15.22%
Billiards/Pool	16.64%	16.77%	18.11%
Mountain/Road Biking	15.93%	16.05%	13.37%
Stationary Cycling	15.37%	15.23%	13.64%
Aerobics	14.37%	13.21%	12.34%
Freshwater Fishing	13.6%	13.43%	13.07%
Backpacking/Hiking	12.01%	12.22%	10.31%

BRIDGES	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Camping Trips	11.67%	12.68%	10.97%
Baseball	10.71%	10.06%	10.48%
Football	10.57%	9.18%	9.91%
Tennis	10.08%	9.98%	9.01%
Yoga	9.04%	9.51%	8.99%
Soccer	8.91%	8.17%	7.68%
Power Boating	8.66%	9.31%	7.24%
Volleyball	8.45%	8.04%	7.77%
Downhill & X-Country	7.62%	8.39%	6.15%
Skiing			
Softball	7.61%	7.02%	7.42%
Canoeing/Kayaking	7.6%	7.74%	6.29%
Saltwater Fishing	7.58%	7.18%	6.53%
Ice Skating	7.17%	7.05%	6.01%
Target Shooting	6.26%	6.53%	6.14%

Potential Cultural Bridges

The tables below lists 20 consumer behavior variables related to fitness participation at this mission site. For each of the three bands - 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles - the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. However, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org

BRIDGES	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Roller Skating	5.88%	5.69%	5.84%
Hunting	5.64%	5.93%	5.41%
Motorcycling	5.59%	5.39%	4.5%
Snorkeling	5.59%	5.97%	5.37%
Horseback Riding	5.16%	5.01%	4.78%
Jet Skiing	4.79%	4.95%	4.36%
Water Skiing	4.78%	4.95%	4%
Racquetball	4.62%	4.31%	3.95%
Hockey	4.46%	4.12%	3.43%
Sailing	4.24%	4.52%	3.65%

BRIDGES	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Fly Fishing	4.15%	4.15%	3.75%
Martial Arts	3.84%	4.16%	3.66%
Rock Climbing	3.49%	3.65%	3.41%
Snowboarding	3.38%	3.84%	3.23%
Rowing	3.32%	3.58%	2.58%
Skateboarding	3.19%	3.33%	2.81%
Snowmobiling	3.17%	3.44%	2.85%
Archery	2.98%	3.56%	3.11%
Surfing & Windsurfing	2.65%	2.94%	2.69%
Auto Racing	2.35%	2.71%	2.62%

Potential Cultural Barriers -- Introduction (part 1)

Most community barriers are related to some aspect of culture that stand in the way of some segments of society having the understanding or acceptance necessary to come to faith in Jesus Christ. These barriers inhibit the flow of the gospel within a people grouping. Other types of barriers include biblical barriers and ecclesial barriers.

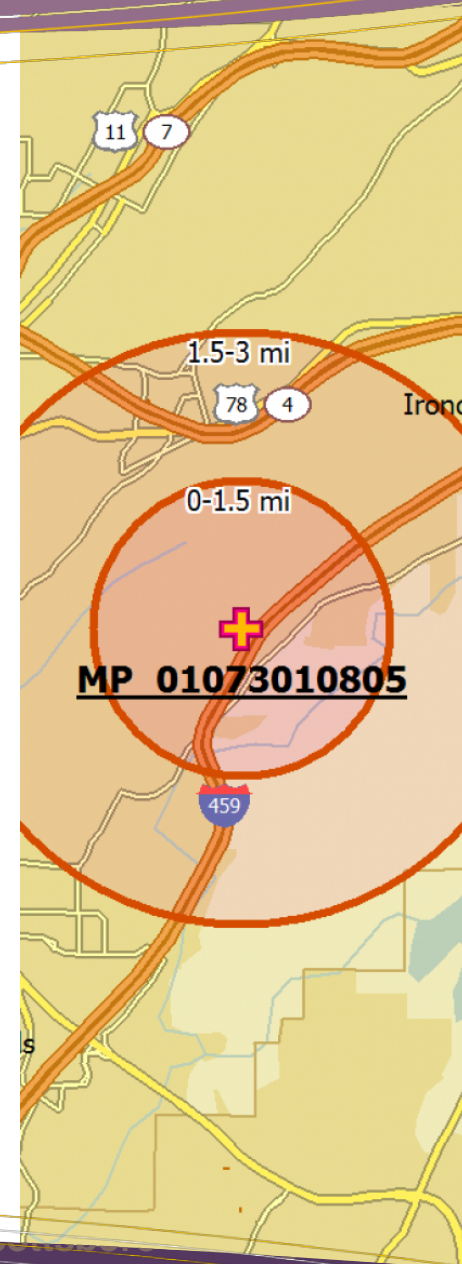
BIBLICAL BARRIERS

The term Biblical barriers, is used to describe aspects of biblical truth that are offensive to the community. Biblical barriers can be divided into two types: 1) barriers based on clear, biblical teaching; 2) barriers based on the cultural application of biblical principles. Barriers caused by clear, biblical teaching cannot be eliminated without compromising the truth of scripture. Application barriers should be re-evaluated in light of the culture of the people group to verify that the application is transcultural instead of culture-specific.

ECCLESIAL BARRIERS

Ecclesial barriers are barriers that arise from the perceptions that people outside the church have of the church, its people, its programming, and its leadership. In a classic study of the attitudes of the unchurched, people were asked: "What keeps people like you from considering the Christian faith?" Approximately 75 percent of unchurched people answered the question by referring to an ecclesial barrier. "They resist becoming Christians because they 'don't want to become like church people'"^[i]

[i] Hunter, George G., Jr. Church for the Unchurched. (Smyrna: Abingdon Press, 1996), 59.



Potential Cultural Barriers -- Introduction (part 2)

CULTURAL BARRIERS OF UNDERSTANDING

Cultural barriers may impede either understanding or acceptance. Cultural barriers of understanding occur because of problems with the communication of the message. Often people do not understand the gospel when it is presented to them.

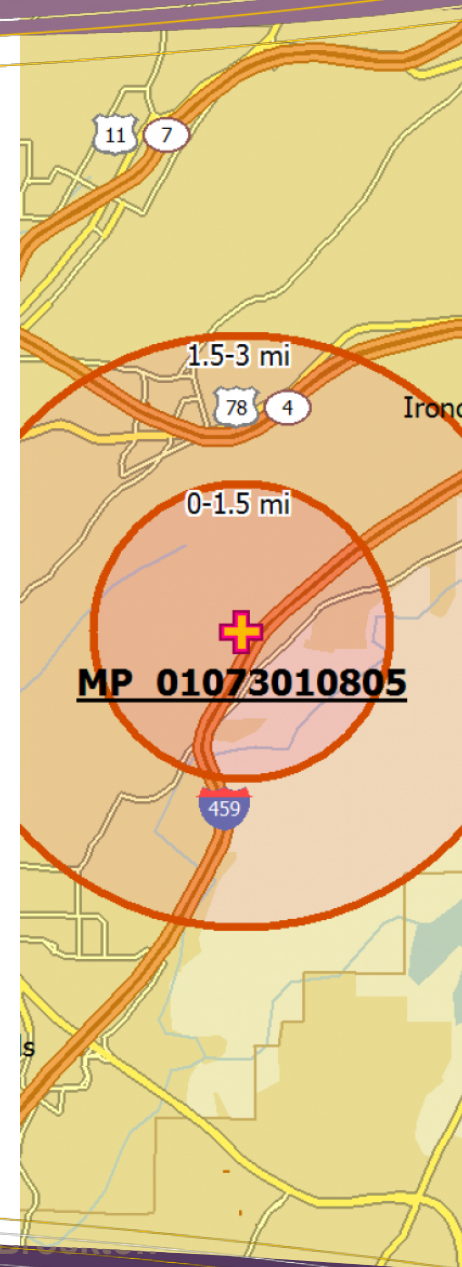
CULTURAL BARRIERS OF ACCEPTANCE

Christian Subculture

Cultural barriers of acceptance occur because of a variety of problems, including those related to the Christian sub-culture as well as the culture of the hearer. Sometimes unchurched people have understood that they must adopt the evangelical Christian subculture in order to come to faith -- and become like "church people" -- including dressing like them, participating in all of the church functions and activities, passively following church leadership, not questioning aspects of Christian faith and beliefs, and ignoring the poor and minorities.

Unreached People Group

Sometimes cultural aspects from within the unchurched people group -- currently held values, attitudes & behaviors are seen as antithetical to Christianity, which inhibits them from coming to faith. Some aspects of culture may be redeemed for God's glory and used to please him. Other cultural aspects are so perverted by sin that they cannot be used without syncretizing. In order to identify cultural barriers of acceptance, missional congregations develop relationships within the cultural group and seek to understand who they are and what an indigenous church would look like among them in order to eliminate unnecessary barriers that have been identified that the missionary should consider in reaching out to the lifestyle segments in this site location.

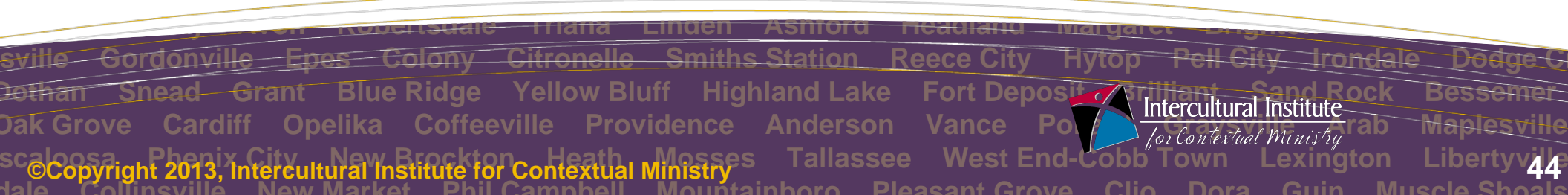


Potential Cultural Barriers:

The tables below list 24 personal attitude variables related to cultural barriers at this mission site. For each of the three bands -- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the household in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. For more detailed information, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

BARRIERS	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Important Continue Learning New Things	51%	51%	51%
Prefer To Have Few Possessions As Possible	43%	44%	40%
Find It Difficult To Say No To My Kids	40%	37%	36%
Speak My Mind Even If It Upsets People	35%	35%	35%
If Won Lottery Would Never Work Again	34%	35%	31%
Woman's Place Is In The Home	34%	33%	32%
Like Control Over People And Resources	33%	31%	33%
Like To Do Unconventional Things	30%	28%	26%
Friends More Important Than My Fam.	29%	31%	29%
Don't Judge People/Way They Live Life	28%	29%	30%
Money Is Best Measure Of Success	26%	26%	25%
Marijuana Should Be Legalized	24%	24%	22%

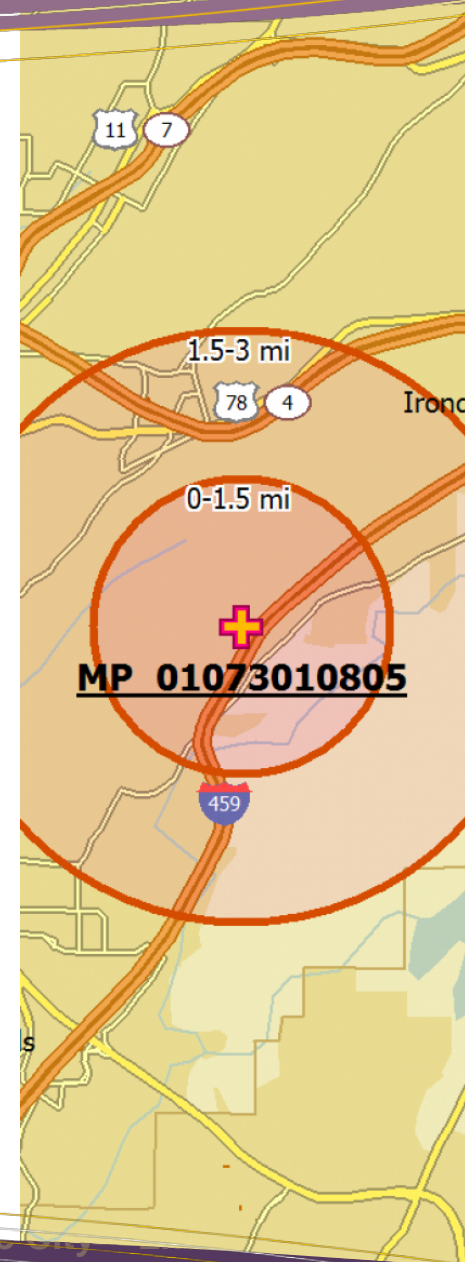
BARRIERS	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Too Much Sponsorship In Arts/Sports	22%	21%	23%
Like to Stand Out In A Crowd	19%	19%	20%
Like To Pursue Challenge/Novelty/Change	19%	19%	19%
I Am A Workaholic	17%	16%	20%
Rarely Sit Down to a Meal Together At Home	16%	16%	15%
Happy With My Standard Of Living	16%	17%	16%
Only Work Current Job for The Money	13%	14%	14%
We Should Strive for Equality for All	13%	14%	15%
On Whole People Get What They Deserve	9%	11%	12%
Indulge My Kids With The Little Extras	9%	8%	9%
Little I Can Do To Change My Life	8%	8%	8%
I Am A Perfectionist	7%	8%	9%



Potential Cultural Themes

Typically many Christians explain the gospel the way it was presented to them. However, today many nonbelievers in North America do not have a Christian background nor do they have any interest in the Christian Church or Christianity. Because of this the gospel messages that they have "heard" (with their ears or eyes on TV) has not registered in their mind, heart or soul -- truly they have not actually "heard" (in the Biblical sense of the word) the gospel yet. They need to hear the gospel in a way that grips them where they live.

Cultural themes that arise from their attitudes, beliefs, and life stories provide a significant way for missionaries to share the gospel in their own terms. Just as missionaries in Papua New Guinea shared the story of the legendary "peace child" that a jungle tribe anticipated from their folklore, so too missionaries to this site location need to take "themes" out of the culture to use in sharing the gospel in a fresh and culturally appropriate way. This section provides many significant themes that may be considered as a basis for developing a contextual gospel presentation to people in this site location.

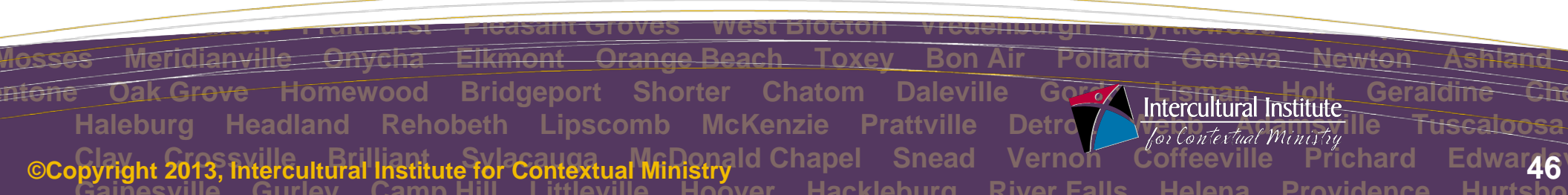


Potential Cultural Themes:

The tables below list 24 personal attitude variables related to cultural themes at this mission site. For each of the three bands-- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. For more detailed information, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

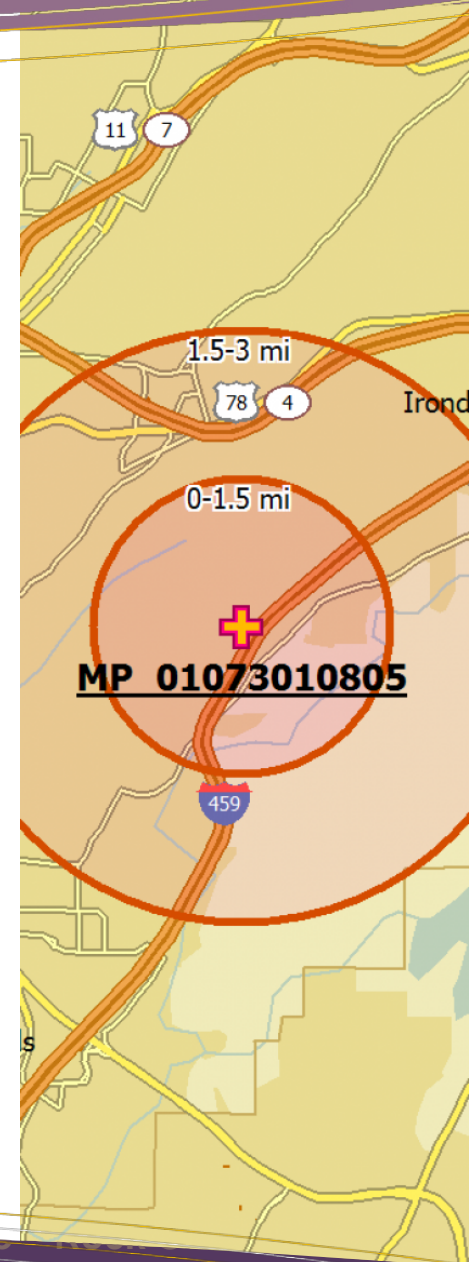
THEMES	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Important To Respect Customs And Beliefs	72%	68%	64%
You Should Seize Opportunities In Life	59%	59%	58%
Prefer To Have Few Possessions As Possible	43%	44%	40%
Like To Understand About Nature	41%	40%	40%
Prefer Work Part Of Team Than Alone	36%	34%	34%
Important Feel Respected By My Peers	33%	35%	35%
Have Keen Sense Of Adventure	29%	29%	29%
Important To Juggle Various Tasks	29%	29%	31%
People Have To Take Me As They Find Me	27%	27%	26%
Good At Fixing Things	26%	26%	28%
Like To Just Enjoy Life	24%	26%	24%
Worried About Pollution Caused By Cars	23%	22%	22%

THEMES	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Consider Myself Interested In The Arts	19%	19%	20%
Real Men Don't Cry	17%	17%	17%
Looking for New Ideas To Improve Home	15%	15%	15%
Try Not To Worry About The Future	15%	16%	16%
Is An Important Part Of Who I Am	13%	14%	15%
Enjoy Spending Time With My Fam.	12%	11%	12%
Provide My Kids With The Little Extras	11%	10%	13%
Children Should Be Allowed To Express Themselves	6%	6%	6%
Like Spending Most Time With Fam.	5%	5%	5%
Feel Very Alone In The World	5%	5%	6%
Would Like To Set Up Own Business	3%	4%	4%
Decor Particular Interest To Me	3%	4%	4%



Potential Shared Places

While missional strategy is important, unless someone begins a missional relationship with a non-believer and shares the gospel with them the missional strategy is ineffective. A key component of missions is "hanging out" with lost people in order to build relationships and to allow the Holy Spirit to use us in moving them toward the claims of the gospel. This section provides some ideas of where to hang out -- where to meet people in the lifestyle segment you are attempting to reach.



Potential Shared Places:

The tables below list 24 shared variables related to shared places at this mission site. For each of the three bands - 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that frequent the place is given. However, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

PLACE	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Fam. Restaurants/Steak Houses-Visit Any	85.67%	81.91%	78.45%
Fast Food/Drive-In Restaurant-Visit Any	85.1%	82.25%	82.01%
McDonald's	56.95%	53.94%	53.53%
Burger King	34.18%	33.34%	34.65%
Wendy's	32.85%	29.28%	28.87%
Applebee's	32.26%	28.67%	26.28%
Subway	32.07%	29.41%	27.81%
Kentucky Fried Chicken (KFC)	27.38%	24.14%	26.69%
Taco Bell	24.84%	25.2%	25.17%
Olive Garden	22.9%	22.25%	20.78%
Arby's	22.14%	20.02%	19.32%
Chick-Fil-A	19.63%	16%	14.48%

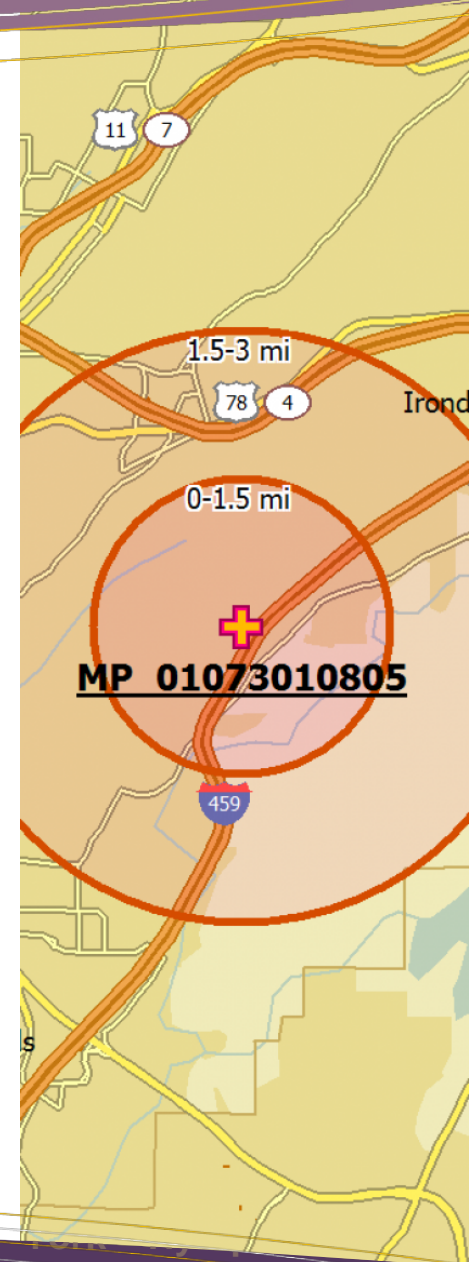
PLACE	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Starbucks	19.53%	17.9%	16.7%
Pizza Hut	19.36%	17.92%	19.28%
Chili's Grill and Bar	19.16%	17.05%	15.05%
Red Lobster	19%	16.51%	16.48%
Outback Steakhouse	18.66%	17.24%	15.55%
IHOP (International House Of Pancakes)	17.93%	15.79%	15.26%
Cracker Barrel	17.08%	14.36%	12.43%
TGI Friday's	16.93%	15.42%	14.89%
Dairy Queen	15.37%	14.81%	14.09%
Domino's Pizza	15.12%	13.05%	13.91%
Panera Bread	15.05%	13.11%	11.07%
Ruby Tuesday	14.11%	11.35%	11.11%

Potential Shared Projects

Shared projects are those social or community projects in which people at this site location are involved that Christians could join in with them as a means of developing relationships while "serving with them." So often Christians either expect nonbelievers to come to them ("come to our church service or event") or the church creates a social type activity (church softball league, etc) in the community to invite nonbelievers to attend or join. These type of church-sponsored events and activities are often intimidating to a nonbeliever.

Shared projects are community activities that already exist in the missional site location in which nonbelievers are already participating. When missional believers, who live in the community, join community organizations and participate in community events, they have opportunities to be salt and light in their neighborhoods.

This section of the MissionSite report provides a list of common community activities together with the percentage of the site location that we would expect to be already participating. Find these community organizations, activities or events and join in with others in your community! What a way to build evangelistic relationships!



Potential Shared Projects

The tables below list 12 attitude variables related to shared projects at this mission site. For each of the three bands-- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. However, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

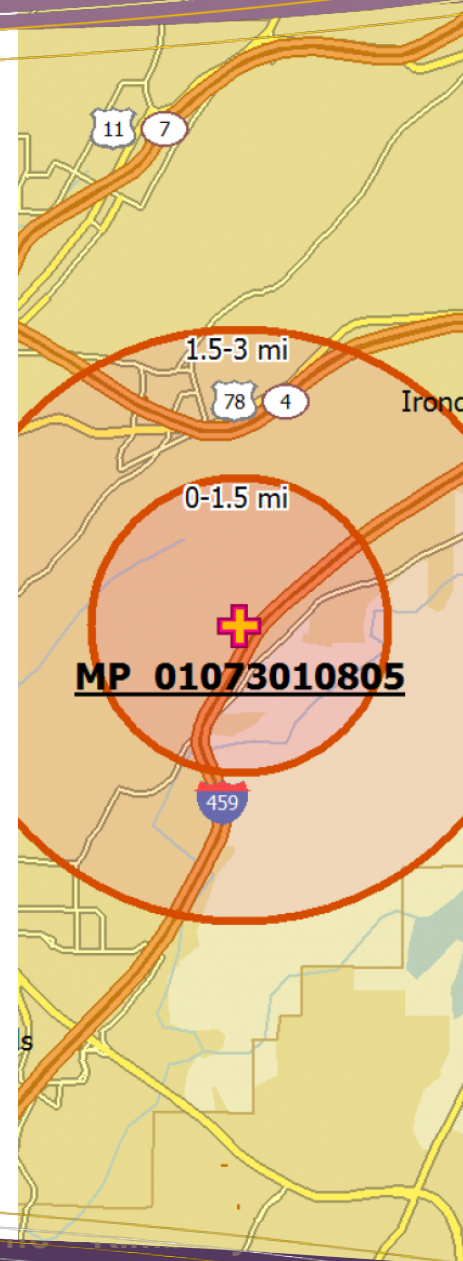
PROJECTS	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Voted in fed/state/local election	55.01%	53.46%	48.18%
Recycled products	42.43%	42.59%	36.54%
Worked as volunteer (non political)	20.85%	20.89%	17.98%
Engaged in fund raising	14.72%	13.48%	12.31%
Religious club member	9.53%	8.42%	7.8%
Wrote to elected offcl about publ bus	7.83%	8.03%	6.97%

PROJECTS	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Charitable Organization	7.13%	7.26%	6.42%
Church Board	7.02%	5.26%	5.12%
Wrote to editor of mag or newspaper	6.44%	6.39%	6.07%
Addressed a public meeting	6.37%	6.16%	5.26%
Took active part in local civic issue	6.35%	6.43%	5.93%
Union member	6.31%	5.49%	4.86%

Communication Media Content

The media-saturated 21st century poses both unique challenges and unique opportunities for missional leaders today. A major challenge you will face in this missional site location is cutting through the many layers of media that bombard your intended audience. Through the din of competing voices, the message of the gospel needs to become a clarion call.

Understanding the type of media content people in your site location use may help you to begin planning a comprehensive media strategy. Combining an understanding of this media content with the cultural bridges, barriers, and themes mentioned on pages 37-46 will enable you to begin shaping targeted messages to your intended audience.



Potential Print Media Content:

The table below list 18 variables related to book and magazine usage at this mission site. For each of the three bands -- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the household in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given.

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BOOKS	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Novel	22.73%	22.62%	19.86%
Children's Books	15.63%	14.98%	14.04%
Mystery	12.65%	14.18%	12.97%
Cookbooks	11.22%	11.59%	10.66%
Religious (not Bibles)	9.9%	9%	9.08%
Biography	9.06%	9.16%	8.07%
Personal/Business	8.98%	8.62%	8.02%
Self-help			
History	8.65%	9.43%	8.29%
Romance	6.93%	7.12%	6.96%

MAGAZINES	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Newspaper	74.8%	74.74%	70.88%
Distributed			
Gen. Editorial	54.99%	53.23%	51.45%
Womens	48.25%	45.41%	44.47%
Service	38.97%	39.1%	35.53%
Business/Finance	29.82%	26.72%	22.97%
Mens	20.42%	19.39%	19.5%
Sports	18.55%	18.35%	16.91%
Mature Market	15.28%	14.55%	12.02%
Health	14.26%	13.4%	13.05%

Potential Print & Audio Media Content:

The tables below list 31 variables related to newspaper & radio usage at this mission site. For each of the three bands -- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given.

However, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behaviors and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

NEWSPAPERS	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Gen. News	57.86%	58.14%	54.62%
Business/Finance	36.96%	37.07%	32.46%
Sport	34.57%	35.04%	33.29%
Editorial Page	32.44%	32.73%	29.76%
Movie Listings & Reviews	28.76%	29.27%	27.67%
Food/Cooking	28.61%	28.56%	25.95%
Classified	27.5%	28.24%	30.42%
Home/Gardening	25.96%	25.18%	22.17%
TV/Radio Listings	25.83%	26.43%	23.98%
Travel	25.8%	25.38%	22.15%
Comics	25.33%	26.84%	25.85%
Science/Technology	22%	21.26%	18.83%
Fashion	18.92%	17.31%	16.42%

RADIO	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Urban Contemporary	22.97%	16.57%	21.89%
CHR Contemp Hit Radio	18.2%	17.85%	18.02%
Adult Contemporary	16.6%	18.87%	16.79%
News/Talk	16.31%	16.97%	13.76%
All News	13.07%	11.51%	8.95%
Oldies	11.7%	12.1%	11.12%
Jazz	11.68%	8.08%	7.43%
Country	11.57%	14.05%	13.36%
Variety	11.14%	9.22%	9.44%
Alternative	10.09%	11.24%	10.21%
Rock	9.88%	10.81%	10.1%
Classic Rock	9.4%	10.41%	8.81%
Soft Contemporary	8.84%	8.17%	6.89%
Religious	7.07%	6.32%	5.79%
Sports	6.77%	6.52%	5.25%
Classical	5.88%	6.27%	5.13%
All Talk	5.79%	6.06%	5.24%
Public	4.99%	4.92%	4.23%

Potential Multimedia Content:

The tables below list 24 variables related to television content and delivery at this mission site. For each of the three bands -- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. For more detailed information, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org

MULTIMEDIA: TV	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Fox News Channel	68.94%	66.71%	63.59%
Satellite Dish	62.47%	55.86%	50.1%
Soapnet	55.6%	53.89%	51.62%
Comedy Central	42.72%	43.78%	38.54%
Other Video-On-Demand	41.36%	41.06%	40.91%
Sci-Fi Channel	38.77%	36.96%	35.13%
Adult Pay Per View TV	36.97%	33.54%	29.47%
Subscribe Digital Cable	36.44%	33.3%	31.48%
MSNBC	35.01%	33.3%	32.15%
TV Info From Sunday TV Magazine	33.88%	32.39%	29.47%
Hallmark Channel	31.59%	29.63%	26.93%
ESPN Classic	31.43%	32.17%	27.78%

MULTIMEDIA: TV	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
ABC Fam.	30.62%	30.76%	28.85%
The Golf Channel	29.88%	29.02%	25.44%
Video-On-Demand Movies	29.76%	26.19%	22.07%
TCM (Turner Classic Movies)	29.75%	28.25%	26.09%
USA Network	29.56%	28.71%	25.67%
TV Info From Newspapers	28.95%	27.04%	25.97%
ESPN2	28.03%	28.85%	27.39%
Nickelodeon	27.45%	26.57%	25.81%
Adult Swim	27%	27.12%	24.98%
ESPN News	26.59%	27.96%	24.06%
Nick At Nite	25.25%	24.38%	23.39%
TV Info From Monthly Cable Guide	24.99%	24.09%	23.51%

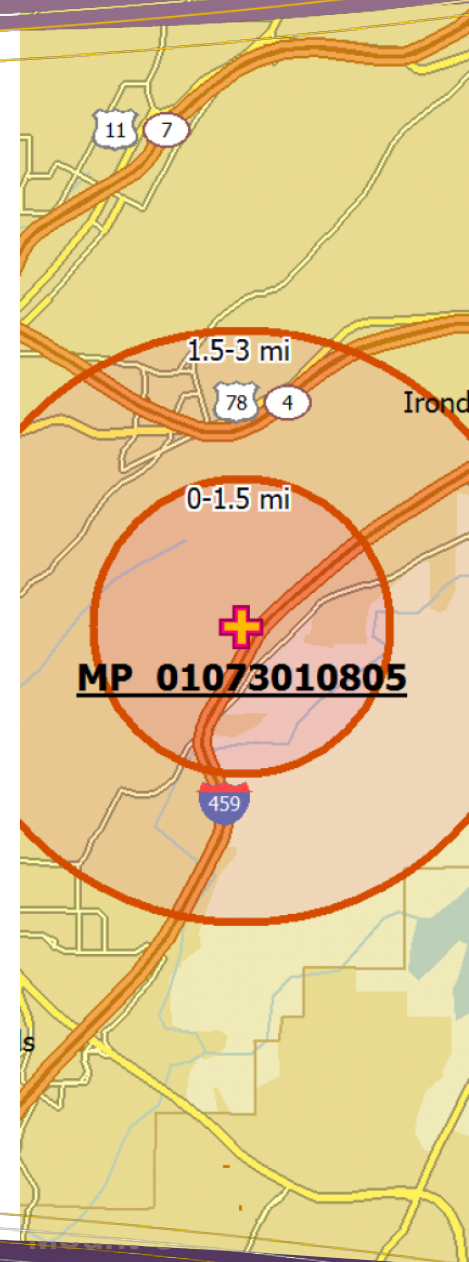


Communication Media Usage

It is not enough to understand the type of media that your intended audience uses. It may also be helpful to understand the extent to which people in your site location use various media types and when they use the media. Media usage is generally measured by frequency or extent. Time usage is measured in blocks of day, night and weekend usage.

Taken together, media content, media usage, and time usage may be combined with demographics, lifestyles, and consumer behavior to paint a picture of who does what and when at the site location.

Each of these components may help you to begin planning a comprehensive media strategy. Combining media with the cultural bridges, barriers, and themes mentioned on pages 37-46 will enable you to deliver targeted messages to your intended audience at times when they are apt to listen.



Potential Print Media Usage:

The tables below list 23 variables related to print media usage at this mission site. For each of the three bands -- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the households that participate in the activity or an index value is given. For more detailed information you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

MEDIUM	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Book Readers			
Heavy Users (7+)	24.27%	24.23%	21.91%
Medium Users (4-6)	11.96%	12.63%	11%
Light Users (1-3)	21.21%	21.11%	20.59%
Quintiles (20%)			
Newspaper I (Heavy)	0.44%	0.95%	0.92%
Newspaper II	1.6%	1.52%	1.56%
Newspaper III	2.28%	2.35%	2.68%
Newspaper IV	0.08%	0.19%	0.29%
Newspaper V (Light)	0.5%	0.82%	0.93%

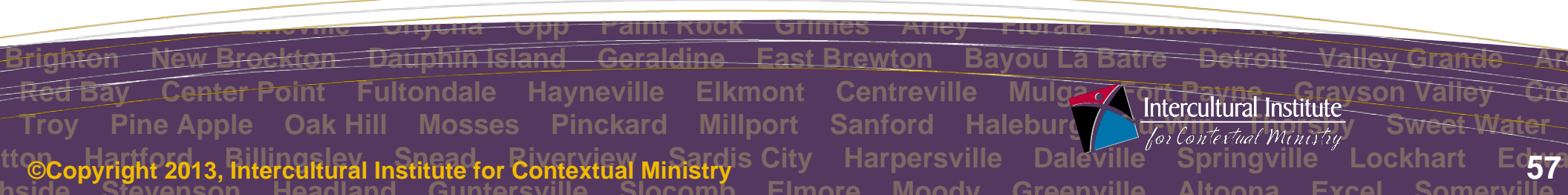
MEDIUM	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Quintiles (20%)			
Magazines I (Heavy)	19.13%	18.94%	20.61%
Magazines II	8.43%	8.37%	9.22%
Magazines III	9.44%	9.26%	9.94%
Magazines IV	11.27%	11.24%	12.4%
Magazines V (Light)	1.15%	0.82%	0.76%
Outdoor I (Heavy)	8.19%	8.03%	8.31%
Outdoor II	3.37%	3.09%	3.43%
Outdoor III	3.78%	3.94%	4.34%
Outdoor IV	14.75%	15.48%	15.72%
Outdoor V (Light)	25.72%	26.68%	24.65%
Yellow Pages I (Heavy)	13.83%	13.68%	14.11%
Yellow Pages II	8%	7.31%	7.48%
Yellow Pages III	6.33%	5.74%	6.99%
Yellow Pages IV	18.9%	19.09%	21.41%
Yellow Pages V (Light)	3.01%	3.29%	4%

Potential Multimedia Usage

The tables below list 23 variables related to multimedia usage at this mission site. For each of the three bands -- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the households that participate in the activity or an index value is given. For more detailed information you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

MEDIUM	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Radio Drive Time Quintiles (fifths / 20%)			
Drive Time I & II (Heavy)	2.44%	2.98%	3.4%
Drive Time III (Medium)	0.8%	0.7%	0.98%
Radio IV & V (Light)	2.14%	2.3%	2.76%
Radio Media Quintiles (fifths / 20%)			
Radio I & II (Heavy)	9.5%	9.23%	10.08%
Radio III (Medium)	4.61%	4.54%	4.6%
Radio IV & V (Light)	3.59%	3.23%	3.64%
Cable TV Quintiles (fifths / 20%)			
Cable I & II (Heavy)	17.17%	16.08%	15.06%
Cable III (Medium)	4.07%	4.61%	4.99%
Cable IV & V (Light)	33.53%	33.15%	34.75%

MEDIUM	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
TV Prime Time Quintiles (fifths / 20%)			
Prime Time I & II (Heavy)	3.48%	3.49%	4.11%
Prime Time III (Medium)	1.34%	1.44%	1.58%
Prime Time IV & V (Light)	7.52%	7.64%	9.21%
TV Early/Late Fringe Quintiles (fifths / 20%)			
Fringe I & II (Heavy)	40.52%	40.86%	41.52%
Fringe III (Medium)	49.06%	48.91%	50.67%
Fringe IV (Light)	53.84%	52.83%	53.82%
TV All Day Quintiles (fifths / 20%)			
All Day I & II (Heavy)	12.73%	13.21%	14.55%
All Day III (Medium)	22.23%	22.61%	23.74%
All Day IV (Light)	16.39%	14.67%	16.82%

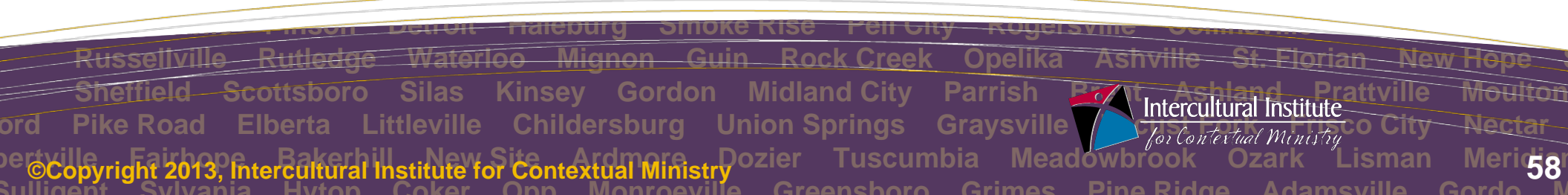


Potential Audio & Prime Time TV Media Usage:

The tables below list 23 variables related to audio & prime time TV media usage at this mission site. For each of the three bands -- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. For more detailed information, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

USAGE	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Day-time Radio			
Listeners			
Dayparts [summary]	12.75%	13.01%	12.61%
6:00am - 10:00am	23.51%	22.82%	22.02%
10:00am - 3:00pm	9.54%	9.72%	11.47%
3:00pm - 7:00pm	13.41%	13.36%	14.73%
7:00pm - Midnight	16.23%	15.99%	14.89%
Midnight - 6:00am	6.55%	7.21%	7.53%
Weekend Radio			
Listeners			
Dayparts [summary]	14.71%	14.09%	13.9%
6:00am - 10:00am	4.49%	5.07%	4.97%
10:00am-3:00pm	8.96%	9.48%	8.62%
3:00pm - 7:00pm	7.18%	8.08%	8.07%
7:00pm - Midnight	10.71%	10.45%	10.31%
Midnight - 6:00am	14.51%	14.19%	14.33%

USAGE	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Prime Time TV Viewers			
8:00-11:00pm	10.39%	10.1%	8.66%
Saturday:	9.19%	9.09%	8.68%
8:00-11:00pm			
Sunday: 7:00-11:00pm	10.67%	10.42%	10.13%
9:00am-1:00pm	25.25%	24.38%	23.39%
9:00am-4:00pm	29.24%	28.23%	27.31%
4:00pm-7:00pm	35.12%	32.25%	31.02%
11:00pm-1:00am	43.37%	41.06%	40.44%
AVG Prime time	4.24%	3.74%	4.26%
Mon-Sun			



Potential Weekday & Weekend TV Media Usage:

The table below lists 28 variables related to weekday & weekend media usage at this mission site. For each of the three bands -- 0-1.5 miles, 1.5-3 miles, 3-7 miles -- the percent of the households in the entire missional site location that participate in the activity is given. For more detailed information, you can order a MISSIONDEX report that provides 497 consumer behavior and attitudinal variables, each broken down by the participation percent within each lifestyle segment and social group within your missional site location at MissionalContext.org.

TV VIEWERS	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Weekday			
6-7am	17.98%	19.13%	19.2%
7-9am	28.03%	28.85%	27.39%
9am-12noon	20.96%	19.75%	18.12%
12noon-4pm	8.28%	8.48%	9.19%
4-6pm	62.21%	58.15%	53.23%
6-7pm	17.42%	17.06%	17.3%
7-7:30pm	2.05%	1.89%	1.77%
7:30-8pm	10.26%	9.46%	10.4%
8-11pm	10.39%	10.1%	8.66%
11pm-12am	35.01%	33.3%	32.15%
11pm-1am	43.37%	41.06%	40.44%
1-6am	40.63%	38.46%	34.37%

TV VIEWERS	0-1.5 MILES	1.5-3 MILES	3-7 MILES
Weekend			
Sat: 7-10am	23.5%	22.96%	21.3%
Sat: 10am-1pm	9.12%	9.29%	9.94%
Sat: 1-4pm	28.02%	26.54%	24.79%
Sat: 4-6pm	7.79%	7.84%	8.09%
Sat: 6-7pm	2.48%	2.34%	2.14%
Sat: 7-8pm	1.76%	1.55%	1.29%
Sat: 8-11pm	9.19%	9.09%	8.68%
Sat: 11pm-1am	6.77%	6.12%	6.38%
Sat: 1am-7pm	29.56%	28.71%	25.67%
Sun: 7-10am	2.02%	1.91%	2.02%
Sun: 10am-1pm	6.69%	6.37%	5.67%
Sun: 1-4pm	6.97%	6.42%	6.18%
Sun: 4-7pm	13.5%	13.15%	12.76%
Sun: 7-11pm	10.67%	10.42%	10.13%
Sun: 11pm-1am	4.79%	4.97%	5.51%
Sun: 1-7am	23.72%	22.42%	21.67%

Using the Cultural Bridges, Barriers and Themes

The Cultural Bridges provide lists of activities and interests that are common among some groups of people in this mission site. Missional team members and church planters may use this data as the basis for creating intentional redemptive relationships. The Cultural Barriers list gives attitudes that may become a barrier to the spread of the gospel. The Cultural Themes are attitudes that may be the basis for developing a gospel presentation.

Issues for Your Consideration

1. Please read pages 62 and 63 on Biblical Missional Multiplication and Establishing Redemptive Relationships before considering the following issues.
2. Look through the cultural bridges listed on pages 37-41. Has anyone on the missional team been personally involved or interested in any of these bridge areas in the past? How can the team get involved in these activities with people who live and/or work in the mission site area?
3. Review the cultural barriers listed on page 44. Discuss how each of the attitudes reflected in this mission site may become a barrier to the spread of the gospel. Also discuss what steps the missional team may take to overcome these barriers.
4. Review the cultural themes listed on page 46. Choose two or three of the major themes that are prevalent at this mission site and begin developing presentations that wrap the gospel around these themes. Discuss how to "steer" the conversation to these themes and bridge into the gospel presentation.

Using the Shared Places, Projects, Media Content and Usage

The Shared Places provides a list of restaurants and restaurant types that are frequented by some groups of people in the mission site. If a particular restaurant chain is not in your area, look for similar types of restaurants. The Shared Projects section lists various activities in which some people in the mission site are engaged. The Media Content and Usage sections give a window into the types of media content that is preferred and the times media is commonly used

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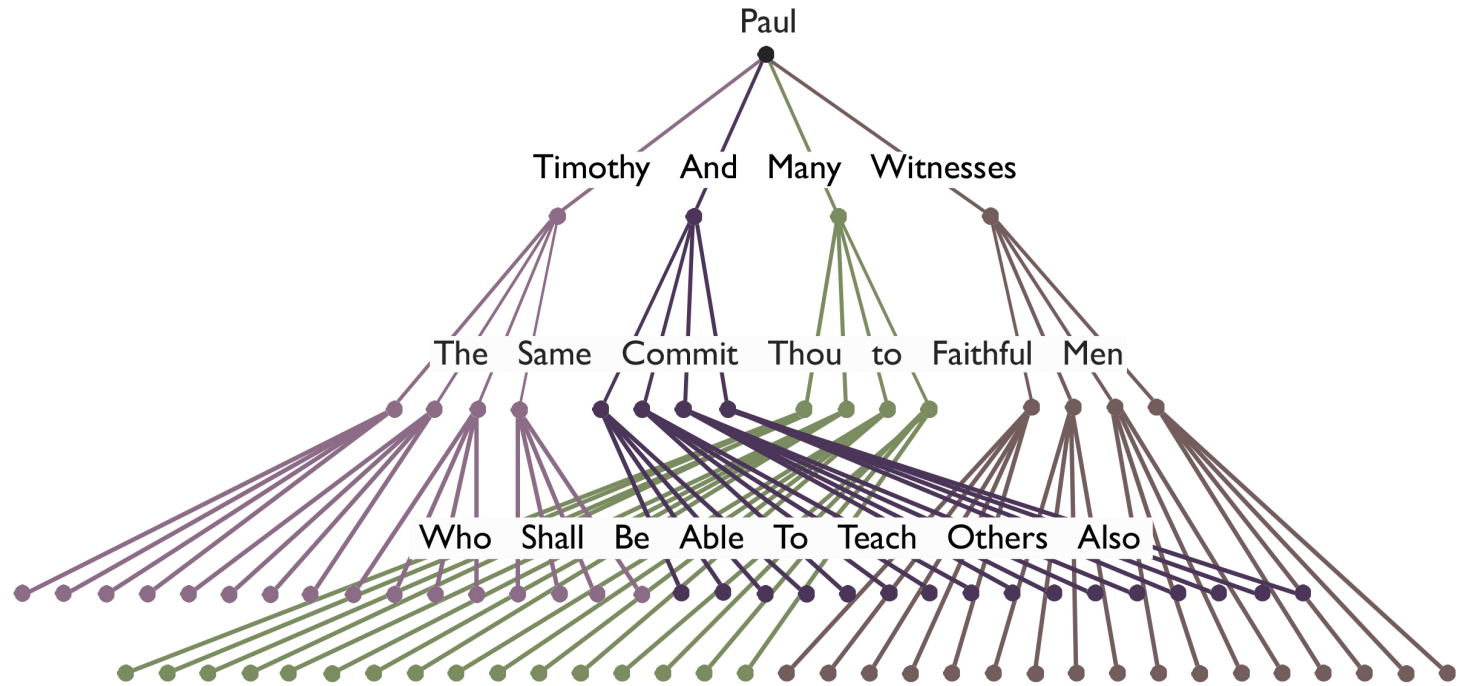
1. Review the shared places listed on page 48. Discuss these types of organizations that may be found at the mission site. Discuss how the mission team may become part of these organizations in order to develop redemptive relationships.
2. Review the shared projects listed on page 50. Discuss ways in which people in the mission site may be involved in these activities. Has anyone on the missional team been personally involved in these activities with people who live and/or work in the mission site area.
3. Review the print, radio, and television media content listed on pages 52-54. What do people in this mission site read, listen to or watch? Describe the "typical" types of people in the mission site based on this information. How does this information shape the ways in which the missional team should present the gospel and the church? What mediums could be used to communicate with people at this mission site more effectively?
4. Review the print, radio and television media usage on pages 56-59. Describe the frequency and times of media usage by people at this mission site. How does this inform what media the missional team should use and when the media should be employed?

Biblical Missional Multiplication

Biblical missional multiplication builds upon discipling and spiritual reproduction. Jesus and his disciples multiplied their efforts by investing in relationships with others. The diagram to the right illustrates how social networking in the New Testament era was behind the success of this multiplication.

The MissionSite report provides insights into ways that we too can build redemptive relationships and foster missional multiplication at this site location.

Missional Multiplication Principle *2nd Timothy 2:2*

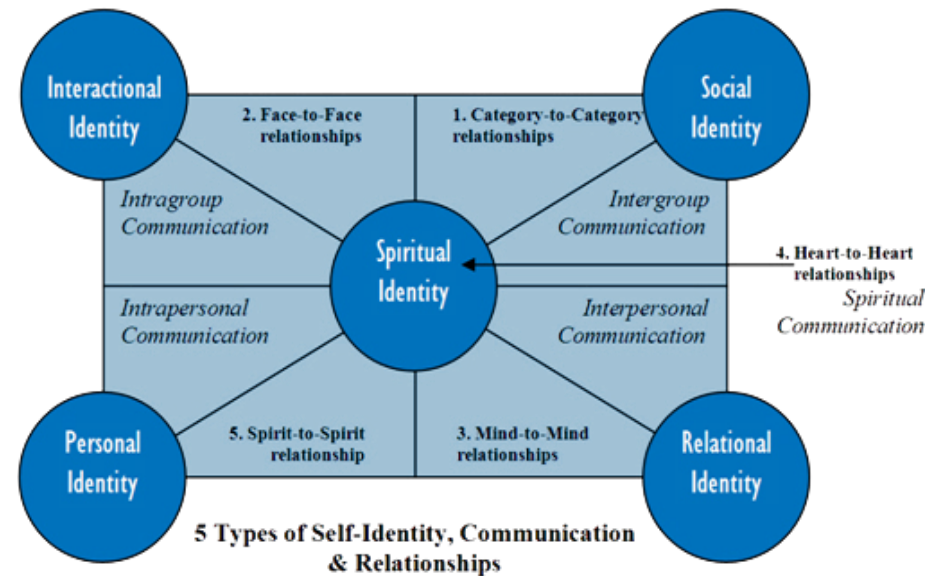


Establishing Redemptive Relationships

Missional Multiplication occurs when redemptive relationships move people through a process to bring people to Christ. This process is most successful as we relate to people based on their identity. Five types of identity enable us to connect with people and see them move through this process.

Communication Steps

1. **Category-to-Category:** Connect through a common social identity; some activity, interest, or behavior that you share with the person.
2. **Face-to-Face:** Begin interacting with the person; building a personal rapport.
3. **Mind-to-Mind:** After building a rapport, move the conversation towards spiritual issues.
4. **Heart-to-Heart:** As the Holy Spirit leads you, wrap the gospel presentation around a theme that connects with the person.
5. **Spirit-to-Spirit:** This is the level at which the Holy Spirit works speaks to our inner self. The previous 4 steps facilitates the Holy Spirit doing his regenerative work.

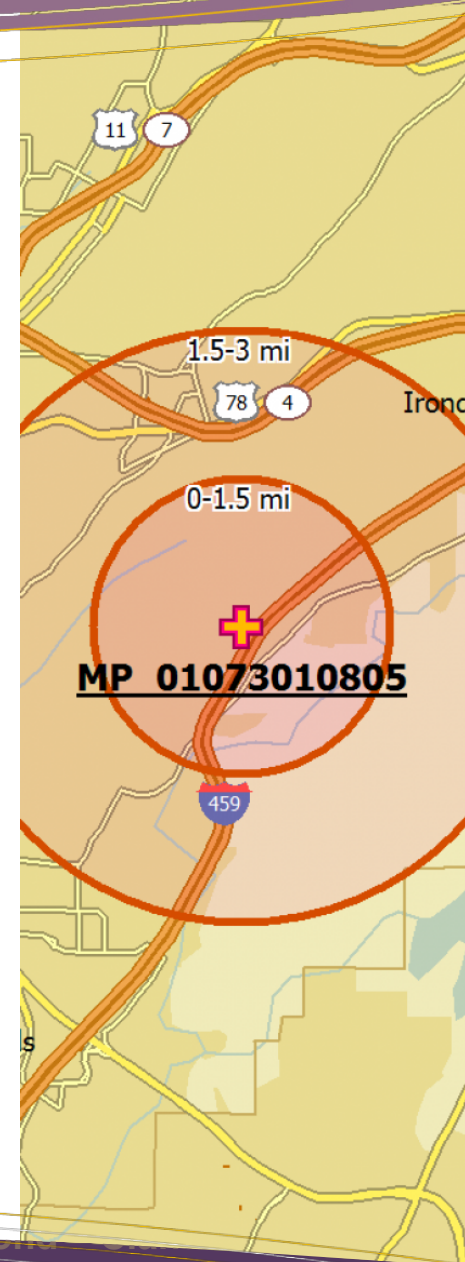


Your MissionSite and the Missional Suite

The site location of this MissionSite report is based upon the SITESCAPE typology developed by the staff of IICM. The SITESCAPE is an analysis of the 0-1/2 mile, 0-1 1/2 mile, 0-3 mile, 3-7 mile, 7-10 mile, and 10-15 mile bands around each of the 65,370 US census tract centroids (or geographical centers). Each census tract has been assigned a large number of variables based upon this analysis. These variables include information regarding the spirituality of this particular location. This report reflects a "Top Unreached Location" meaning that this site has a significant number of households that have not been reached by the gospel of Jesus Christ. Sitescape definitions may be found online at the MissionalCyclopedia.org site.

Additional help regarding this MissionSite location may be obtained at www.iicm.net. IICM provides access to a number of resources:

- Online personal missional profile at APEPT.org
- Custom reports at MissionalContext.org
- Custom mapping at MissionalCulturescape.org
- Missional information at MissionalCyclopedia.org
- Networking & Zipcode level data at MissionalCorps.org
- Information on top lifestyle groups at MissionalZipcode.org



Notes and Sources

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APPENDIX: ALSBOM Churches by Distance

	CHURCH	ADDRESS	DISTANCE	WRSHIP AVG	IICM CGR
1	Overton First	4137 Buckthorn Rd Birmingham, AL 35210	0.39 mi	29	Declining
2	Christ for the Nations	PO Box 110456 Birmingham, AL 35211	1.50 mi	0	Plateauing
3	Irondale First	6001 Old Leeds Rd Irondale, AL 35210	1.97 mi	216	Plateauing
4	Pineview	905 Pineview Rd Irondale, AL 35210	2.02 mi	51	Declining
5	McElwain	4445 Montevallo Rd S Birmingham, AL 35213	2.13 mi	318	Plateauing
6	Grantswood	4850 Grantswood Pl Irondale, AL 35210	2.24 mi	47	Growing
7	Liberty Park	12001 Liberty Pkwy Vestavia Hills, AL 35242	2.35 mi	291	Plateauing
8	Ruffner Valley	557 Ruffner Rd Irondale, AL 35210	2.46 mi	60	Declining
9	Brookwood	3449 Overton Rd Mountain Brook, AL 35223	2.58 mi	562	Declining
10	Crestway	6400 Crestwood Blvd Birmingham, AL 35212	2.91 mi	233	Declining
11	Rose Hill	1670 Alton Rd Irondale, AL 35210	3.18 mi	27	Growing
12	Mt. Mariah	7300 Georgia Rd Birmingham, AL 35212	3.24 mi	0	Plateauing
13	Cahaba Heights	3800 Crosshaven Dr Birmingham, AL 35243	3.69 mi	91	Declining
14	Mountain Brook	3631 Montevallo Rd S Birmingham, AL 35213	3.83 mi	529	Plateauing
15	Lakewood	8300 9th Ave S Birmingham, AL 35206	3.96 mi	118	Declining



APPENDIX: ALSBOM Churches by Distance - Continued

	CHURCH	ADDRESS	DISTANCE	WRSHIP AVG	IICM CGR
16	Spirit of Faith	PO Box 611230 Birmingham, AL 35261	4.08 mi	14	Plateauing
17	East Lake Full Gospel	7220 4th Ave N Birmingham, AL 35206	4.30 mi	87	Growing
18	Agape Missionary	8078 Lizmore LN Pinson, AL 35126	4.53 mi	0	Plateauing
19	Central Missionary	PO Box 12784 Birmingham, AL 35202	4.57 mi	65	Declining
20	Philadelphia	3001 Pump House Rd Birmingham, AL 35243	4.58 mi	239	Growing
21	South Roebuck	501 Mountain Dr Birmingham, AL 35206	4.77 mi	272	Plateauing
22	New Hope-South Avondale	4022 4th Ave S Birmingham, AL 35222	4.82 mi	0	Plateauing
23	Lake Highland	508 82nd St N Birmingham, AL 35206	4.85 mi	58	Growing
24	Cahaba View	1441 W Riverview Rd Trussville, AL 35173	5.17 mi	33	Plateauing
25	The River Church Birmingham	6111 Towhee Dr Pinson, AL 35126	5.21 mi	44	Growing
26	Roebuck Plaza First	967 Gadsden Rd Birmingham, AL 35235	5.42 mi	72	Growing
27	Eastside	558 Gadsden Hwy Birmingham, AL 35235	5.43 mi	277	Declining
28	Vestavia Hills	2600 Vestavia Dr Vestavia Hills, AL 35216	5.43 mi	413	Plateauing
29	Mount Hebron	2617 Eastern Valley Rd Leeds, AL 35094	5.78 mi	57	Declining
30	The Church at Brook Hills	PO Box 380543 Birmingham, AL 35238	5.80 mi	2,792	Growing



APPENDIX: ALSBOM Churches by Distance - Continued

	CHURCH	ADDRESS	DISTANCE	WRSHIP AVG	IICM CGR
31	Brook Hills Deaf	PO Box 380543 Birmingham, AL 35238	5.80 mi	50	Plateauing
32	Baptist Church of the Covenant	2117 University Blvd Birmingham, AL 35233	5.87 mi	176	Growing
33	Del Rio	410 Del Rio Dr Birmingham, AL 35235	5.95 mi	28	Declining
34	Mount Calvary	2125 Hill Dr Tarrant, AL 35217	5.98 mi	79	Declining
35	Friendship	9429 8th Ave N Birmingham, AL 35217	6.00 mi	30	Plateauing
36	Southside	PO Box 55058 Birmingham, AL 35255	6.06 mi	163	Declining
37	Korean (Southside)	2141 Shadybrook Ln Birmingham, AL 35226	6.06 mi	0	Plateauing
38	Birmingham First	2209 Lakeshore Dr Homewood, AL 35209	6.12 mi	419	Declining
39	Huffman	700 Huffman Rd Birmingham, AL 35215	6.19 mi	735	Declining
40	Tarrant First	1533 E Lake Blvd Birmingham, AL 35217	6.30 mi	69	Declining
41	Downtown Church	612 32nd St S 102 Birmingham, AL 35233	6.32 mi	0	Plateauing
42	Plainview	1389 Park Ave Birmingham, AL 35217	6.43 mi	38	Declining
43	Queenstown	PO Box 574 Leeds, AL 35094	6.68 mi	25	Plateauing
44	Central	1225 E Lake Blvd Birmingham, AL 35217	6.80 mi	101	Declining
45	Oak Grove	6555 Cahaba Valley Rd Birmingham, AL 35242	6.90 mi	44	Declining



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