

Ball Diamond

Church Planter Management System includes a wonderful resource library called The Pastor's Module. This module keeps track of articles, books, illustrations, sermons, tapes, personnel information, financial and statistical data and counseling information.

While there are many features in the Pastor's Module, explaining the value of the ball diamond and how the statistics are developed will be discussed in this section.



Objectives

At the completion of this chapter, you will be able to:

- Understand the Ball Diamond Chart
- Access the Ball Diamond

Understanding the Ball Diamond Chart

The Ball Diamond is a wonderful tool to visually see where the congregation is in their discipleship process. It shows the number and percentage of people (over 18) that have completed Class 101, 201, 301 and 401 (called Membership, Maturity, Ministry, and Missions) classes.

The statistics are developed as follows:

1. People over 18 years old. This is triggered by checking YES under the 'Over 18?' question in the Basic Info section.
2. There must be a date entered for each class (101, 201, 301 and 401) in the Discipleship section.
3. The percentages are calculated as follows:
 - * Total % is the percentage of ALL people over 18.
 - * For Class 201, % 101 is the percentage of people who have completed Class 101.
 - * For Class 301, % 201 is the percentage of people who have completed Class 201.
 - * For Class 401, % 301 is the percentage of people who have completed Class 301.

Once the completion dates for the classes attended have been entered in the discipleship section, the Ball Diamond will be automatically created.

Accessing the Ball Diamond

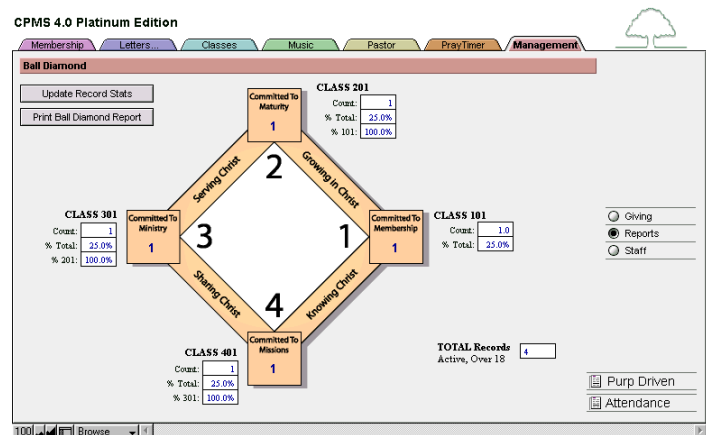
To access the ball diamond, do the following:

1. Click the **Pastor** tab.
2. Click **Purpose Driven Statistics**.

Understanding the Ball Diamond Chart (Continued)

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3. Click **Ball Diamond** on the right-hand side of the window.
4. The following diagram will be displayed:



5. To print the diagram, click **Print Ball Diamond Report**.
6. To update the numbers and percentages, click **Update Record Stats**.