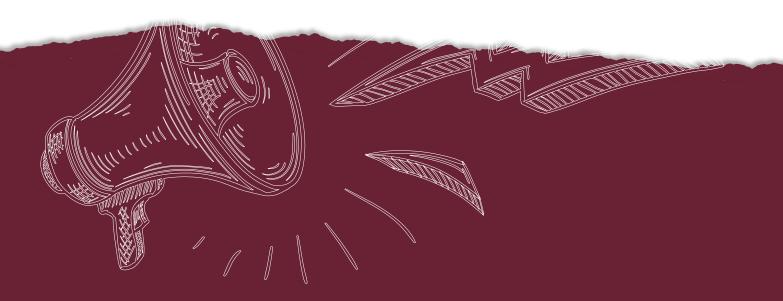


The 34 Sales and Marketing Metrics You Need To Know for Revenue Optimization

(PLUS: 15 Bonus Metrics for All You Overachievers)

Everyone wants revenue growth, but few people can deliver it month over month and year over year. That's because revenue has to be earned with hard work, processes, systems, collaboration, data, analytics and orchestration across teams.



Even more important in today's revenue environment is data and metrics. You need to know what numbers to look at, when to look at them, what they are telling you and what to do with that intelligence.

We're assuming you're already tracking monthly revenue and revenue vs. goals, so we didn't include them in this list. We're also not looking at campaign-specific metrics, since we're providing guidance around more company-level revenue metrics.

With that in mind, here are 34 sales and marketing metrics that every CEO, CMO, VP of sales and COO should know cold.

- 1. Total monthly leads generated from all sources
- 2. Monthly leads generated from all sources this month vs. last month
- **3.** Monthly leads generated from all sources this month vs. the same month last year
- **4.** Monthly leads generated from all sources this month vs. your goal for the month
- **5.** Total monthly visitors to your website
- 6. Monthly visits to your website this month vs. last month
- 7. Monthly visits to your website this month vs. the same month last year
- 8. Monthly visits to your website this month vs. your goal for the month
- 9. Leads generated from your website
- **10.** Monthly leads generated from your website this month vs. last month
- 11. Monthly leads generated from your website this month vs. the same month last year
- **12.** Monthly leads generated from your website this month vs. your goal for the month
- 13. Percentage of all leads that are sales-qualified leads
- 14. Percentage of sales-qualified leads that are viable sales opportunities
- **15.** Percentage of sales opportunities that are getting proposals (or agreements/contracts)
- 16. Close rate on proposals submitted
- 17. Percentage of leads from inbound sources
- 18. Percentage of leads from inbound sources this quarter vs. last quarter
- **19.** Percentage of leads from outbound (or other sources)





- 20. Percentage of leads from outbound sources, this quarter vs. last quarter
- **21.** Percentage of leads by individual source organic search, paid search, social, paid social, email, referral source, events, cold calls, advocacy
- **22.** Percentage of sales opportunities by individual source organic search, paid search, social, paid social, email, referral source, events, cold calls, advocacy
- **23.** Percentage of new customers by individual source organic search, paid search, social, paid social, email, referral source, events, cold calls, advocacy
- **24.** Percentage of revenue by individual source organic search, paid search, social, paid social, email, referral source, events, cold calls, advocacy
- 25. Cost per lead this month
- 26. Cost per lead this quarter vs. last quarter
- 27. Cost per lead this month vs. the same month last year
- 28. Cost per new customer acquired this month
- **29.** Cost per new customer acquired this quarter vs. last quarter
- 30. Cost per new customer acquired this month vs. same month last year
- **31.** Site-wide conversion rate
- **32.** Conversion rate on top-performing landing page (most visits in a month)
- **33.** Total blog subscribers
- **34.** Blog subscriber growth rate

The amount of data and KPIs is almost limitless. If you knew these 34 metrics, you'd be off to a great start and in the top 10% in the industry.

But for you overachievers, here are 15 bonus metrics to take you to the top 1% of revenue leaders.

- 1. Connect rates on cold outreach (email and/or social)
- 2. Connect rates this month vs. last month
- 3. Engagement rates post-connect via email or social outreach
- 4. Engagement rates this month vs. last month
- 5. Lead nurture email campaign open rate
- 6. Lead nurture email campaign click-through rate
- 7. Lead nurture email campaign engagement rate
- **8.** Lifetime value of a new customer (this year vs. last year)
- **9.** Average revenue per new customer (this year vs. last year)





- 10. Annual customer retention rate
- 11. Current sales cycle in days
- **12.** Current sales cycle in days vs. last month
- 13. Current sales cycle in days vs. last quarter
- 14. Current sales cycle in days vs. same month last year
- **15.** Total pipeline value (this month vs. last month)

How many of these do you know? This data is readily available in both your marketing automation tool and your CRM tool. It can easily be extracted and reported on daily, weekly, monthly and quarterly, so you always know how your revenue generation team is doing.

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