







Monetary and Multidimensional **Child Poverty Analysis**



Previous studies have shown that children born in preprosperous families are more vulnerable to the negative consequences of poverty than children who are born in prosperous families.

Study Objective

The objective of this study is to **analyze monetary child poverty**.

Methodology



In this research, the definition of the child refers to Law No. 23 of 2002 on Child Protection, that is, an individual aged 0-17 years.

Analyses of child poverty level, factors associated with child poverty, and child poverty trends are based on Susenas data of March 2022.

Analyses use household income or expenditure as proxy.

Findings

Children in the following categories have the potential to live in poverty in the future.



- Children with disability
- Children living in large families
- Children living with many children their age

- **Children with** low-educated parents
- Children living in single-parent households
- **Children with** parents working in the agricultural sector

The child poverty trend increased from 11.75% of the total population before the COVID-19 pandemic (2019) to 12.63% (2021).

Recommendation

Poverty reduction and economic improvement programs need to target households with children that have specific household characteristics as well as individual characteristics.

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