

ABSTRACT

Poverty is one of the problems faced by all countries, whether they are developed or developing countries. Indonesia's Human Development Index level, as an indicator of the country's welfare, increased during the study. However, the increase was not followed by decreased poverty during the research period in Indonesia. Zakat, Islamic Human Development Index (I-HDI), Government Role, and Macroeconomic variables consisting of the Consumer Price Index (CPI), Open Trade (PT), and Population are indicators that can affect the poverty rate. This study aims to analyze the effect of Zakat, I-HDI, Government Role, and Macroeconomic variables on Poverty in Indonesia during the period 2018-2023.

The method in this study uses Panel Data Regression. The data used is secondary data consisting of 34 provinces in Indonesia during 2018-2023 obtained from the Central Statistics Agency (BPS) website, the Ministry of Health, and the Ministry of Trade. Data analysis in this study used the Fixed Effect Model (FEM) method which was processed using Eviews. Descriptive statistical analysis was conducted to describe the characteristics of the data and followed by a classical assumption test to ensure that the data met the BLUE (Best Linear Unbiased Estimator) requirements.

The results of this study show that the variables of Zakat, I-HDI, and Government Role have a negative and significant effect on poverty in Indonesia. While the CPI and Population variables have no significant effect on poverty in Indonesia. The Open Trade (PT) variable has a positive influence on poverty in Indonesia during the study period. These findings indicate that Zakat, I-HDI, Government Role, and Open Trade are important factors that must be considered by the government and society in managing and anticipating the poverty rate in Indonesia. By understanding the influence of these variables, it is expected that strategic steps can be taken to reduce poverty growth in Indonesia.

Keywords: Poverty, Zakat, Islamic Human Development Index, Consumer Price Index, Open Trade, Population, Government Role.

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