## **ABSTRACT**

Economic development is a process that led to the increase in income per capita of the population of a country in the long term (Sukirno , 1985). Development planning in Indonesia is directed to create a society that is more prosperous , prosperous and equitable . Development policy is mainly done to achieve high economic growth by utilizing the potential and existing resources . Indicators of the success of economic development of a country can be seen from the economic growth accompanied by low income inequality and the number of workers absorbed .

This study aims to analyze and determine the effect of income disparity of income per capita, unemployment and income disparity on the number of poor people in Central Java Province. The method used in this research is quantitative analysis with detection of classical assumptions.

These results indicate that the per capita income variable negative effect on the number of poor people, a variable number of unemployed positive effect on the number of poor and unequal distribution of income variables did not affect the number of poor people in Central Java.

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