**Reduced of Human Development Gap in Origin and New Districts Eastern Indonesia**

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**Abstract.** The purpose of this study consider specific in identifying the human development gap between origin and new districts in Eastern Indonesia as well as the determinant. This study uses a positivist perspective with a deductive approach. Secondary data with cross-section types used in this study covers districts and cities in Eastern Indonesia. This study uses the econometrics methodology using regression analysis with a dummy variable. The results showed there were differences in human development index between origin and new districts in Eastern Indonesia. The human development index in the new district is lower than in the origin district. The results support the Myrdall’s Theory, which explains why the gap in human development disparities between regions is due to the significant backwash effects. Fiscal decentralization has a role in reducing the gap in human development in origin and new districts, but economic growth has no significant. Poverty lowers the impact on increasing human development in the origin districts but does not occur in the new districts.

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