POVERTY GP

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MISSION

The mission is to provide access to data and indicators for single- and cross-country analysis of poverty, shared prosperity, and other development issues in the EAP region, while helping to strengthen institutional memory. Poverty GP's Data4Goals processes institutional poverty rates. The Global Solutions Group (GSG3) on Fiscal and Social Policies aims to support Bank staff in furthering analysis and dialogue on how fiscal and social policy can reduce poverty and promote equity. The Global Solutions Group for Poverty conducts surveys and manages poverty data collection.

CAPACITY

TEAM

The Global Solutions Group for Poverty comprises of around 20 people.

WORKSHOPS/EVENTS

Poverty GP team conducts internal summer school on poverty measurement and operations.

SERVICES OFFERED

SUPPORT

Swift (Survey of Well-being via Instant and Frequent Tracking) tool can be used to measure poverty, income, inequality, income growth, and intervention impact.

PRODUCTS

Poverty GP produces official poverty rates and publishes annual flagship publications. There are some data catalogues where people can get access to micro-data and perform micro-data analysis.

Swift (Rapid Poverty Assessment Tool)

SWIFT helps to measure poverty rates for a project. Using cutting-edge statistical methods, SWIFT estimates poverty, growth or income from 10–15 simple questions.

EAP Poverty Portal

The EAP Regional Poverty and Shared Prosperity Portal seeks to provide access to data and indicators for single- and cross-country analysis of poverty, shared prosperity, and other development issues in the EAP region, while helping to strengthen institutional memory. The platform is a project undertaken by the EAP Poverty Team in collaboration with the ECA and LAC Teams for Statistical Development and the Global Poverty Working Group.

EAPPOV Survey Availability

EAPPOV is a database of socio-economic statistics constructed from microdata of household surveys in the East Asia and the Pacific region.

PARTNERSHIPS

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