

Review of: "The Correlation between Poverty and Crime in Pakistan"

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The paper discusses a very interesting topic with a large body of literature on the subject.

However, the paper has significant shortcomings, especially in two aspects:

1. The lack of data to support the thesis. It would be necessary to first look at the trends of the variables considered, and perhaps compare them with both structurally similar countries and countries with similar levels of poverty and crime. In addition, the use of appropriate statistical tools to demonstrate the correlation between the two phenomena is lacking.
2. Other factors that may influence income-inherent crime levels, such as inequality, are not considered.

In conclusion, the topic is certainly interesting, but more research is needed in order to produce a good paper,