

Factsheet: Indonesia

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DEFINITION OF YOUTH

According to a 2013 youth policy review, the Youth Law of Indonesia (Law N° 40/2009) defines youth as 16-30 year-olds, but this age bracket is not consistently used or applied.

CANDIDACY AGE

Lower House **21**
Source: Inter-Parliamentary Union

Upper House **--**
Source: Inter-Parliamentary Union
Unicameral.

MARRIAGEABLE AGE

	WITHOUT PARENTAL CONSENT	OPPOSITE SEX WITH PARENTAL CONSENT	SAME SEX
Male	19	--	--
Female	16	--	--

No data for marriage with parental consent. No specific legislation for same-sex marriage. Homosexual acts legal except in South Sumatra and Aceh Province. Source: UNSD, ILGA

VOTING AGE

17

Voting is permitted at the age of 17 if married.
Source: Inter-Parliamentary Union

MAJORITY AGE

15

Age of majority differs across legal instruments, the main ones being the criminal code (15) and the juvenile court law (18).
Source: UNICEF(2007)

CRIMINAL RESPONSIBILITY

8

Minimum Age
The government has committed to revise the 1997 Juvenile Court Act and raise the minimum age to 12. Source: UN Child Rights Periodic Report (2012)

GDP PER CAPITA

USD 3475.25
Year: 2013
Source: World Bank

HDI

0.629
Year: 2013
Source: UNDP
108 out of 187 countries.

GINI

38.14
Year: 2011
Source: World Bank

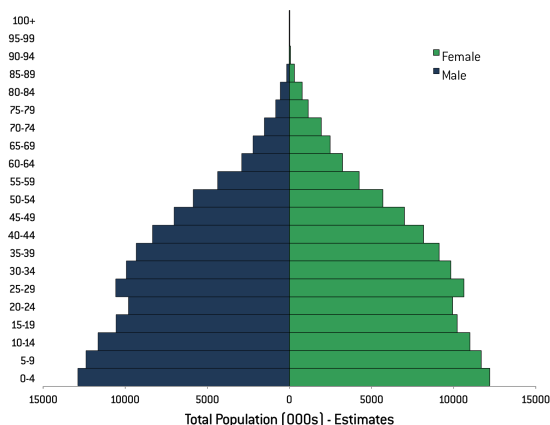
CORRUPTION PERCEPTION

34
107 out of 177 countries.
Year: 2014
Source: Transparency International

PRESS FREEDOM

38.15
132 out of 180 countries.
Year: 2013
Source: Reporters Without Borders

POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX 2010



IDN

Source: United Nations - Department of Economic and Social Affairs - Population Division

2012 Revision - Estimates. (Accessed August 2013).

SITUATION OF YOUNG PEOPLE

YOUTH DEVELOPMENT INDEX

0.59

97 out of 170 countries.

Year: 2013

Source: Commonwealth Youth Programme

LITERACY RATES

98.98%

Both sexes (15-24) %

98.87% **99.09%**

Male (15-24) % Female (15-24) %

Year: 2015

Source: UNESCO

NET ENROLMENT RATE

Secondary School

76.10%

Both sexes %

74.81% **77.46%**

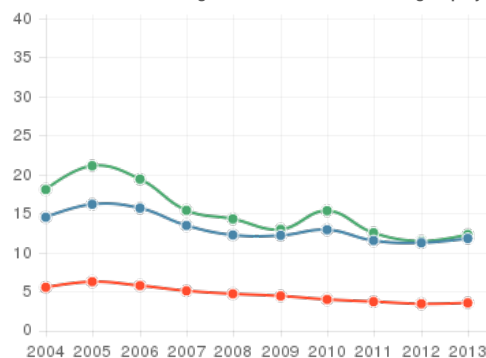
Male % Female %

Year: 2012

Source: UNESCO

YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT

Share of labour force aged 15-24 available and seeking employment



SITUATION OF YOUNG PEOPLE

PREVALENCE OF HIV

0.4%

Male (15-24) %

0.5%

Female (15-24) %

Year: 2013

Source: World Bank

TOBACCO USE

Consumed any smokeless or smoking tobacco product at least once 30 days prior to the survey.

22.50%

Both sexes (13-15) %

41.00% **6.20%**

Male (13-15) % Female (13-15) %

Year: 2010

Source: WHO

POLICY & LEGISLATION

According to a 2013 youth policy review, an integrated national youth policy does not exist. The review identified eight policies and laws at national level related to youth, each with its own definition of youth, covering issues from child protection and the national education system to entrepreneurship and health.

The review observes a "fragmentation of youth-related policies" and criticises substantial overlap, combined with a lack of coordination.

The review also criticises that existing policies are not based on evidence such as youth-specific research or a current and representative needs analysis.

Is there a national youth policy?

NO

There are attempts to develop a national youth policy. A review and mapping, both from 2013, exist.

male - (15-24)

female - (15-24)

total labour force

Source: World Bank

Gaps indicate missing data from the original data source. (Accessed August 2013).

BUDGET & SPENDING

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PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS

Indonesia has a [Ministry of Youth and Sports](#) (abbreviated as Kemenegpora). The vision of the Ministry centres on making Indonesia "an independent, progressive, just and prosperous nation," which it underpins with four strands of action: empowering youth; fostering competitiveness; popularising sports; and supporting athletes.

Is there a governmental authority (ministry, department or office) that is primarily responsible for youth?

YES

YOUTH AND REPRESENTATION

The [National Committee of Indonesian Youth](#) (KNPI) is the national youth council of Indonesia. It is a full member of the [World Assembly of Youth](#) (WAY). The national scouting organisation [Gerakan Pramuka](#) brings together one of the biggest youth movements of the country. According to the [2012 census](#) of the [World Organization of the Scout Movement](#) (WOSM), its Indonesian member association has 21.6 million members, making it the biggest national scouting organisation.

Does the country have a national youth organisation / association (council, platform, body)?

YES

BUDGET & SPENDING

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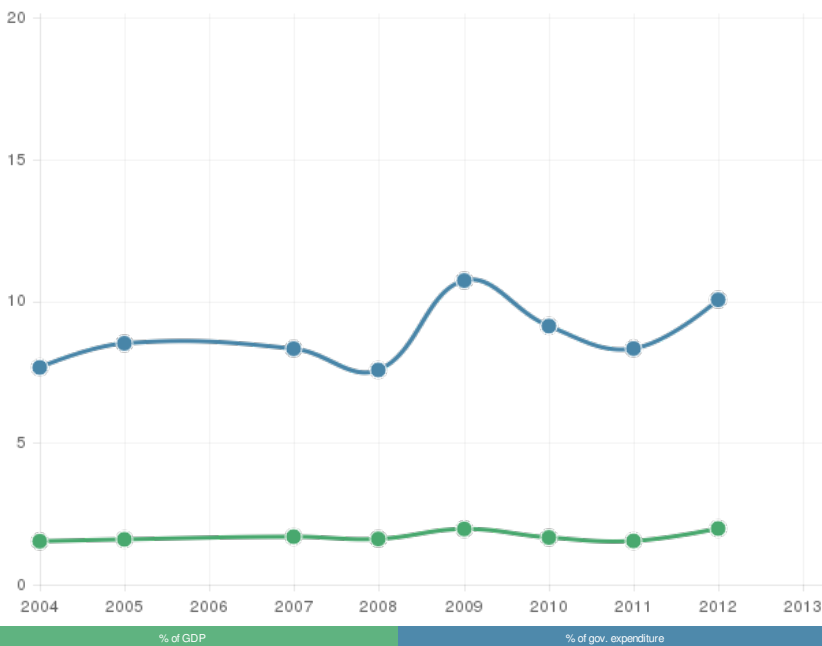
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% of GDP % of gov. expenditure

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PUBLICATIONS AND REVIEWS

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