

Albania
Administrative Level 2: Commune

Measures of Poverty:
Squared Poverty Gap Index [FGT(2)]

FGT(2), or the Squared Poverty Gap Index, measures the severity of poverty for each area. By squaring the poverty gap for each household/individual, this measure gives greater weight to those that fall far below the poverty line than those that are closer to it. This measure is a member of the FGT (Foster, Greer, Thorbecke) family of poverty measures.

Each color represents a cluster of similar values:

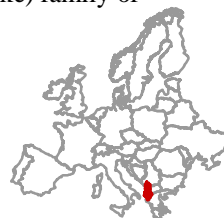
- 0.00 - 0.02
- 0.02 - 0.03
- 0.03 - 0.04
- 0.04 - 0.06
- 0.06 - 0.10
- no data

Greater Urban Extent

Poverty Line: (2002) 4891 Lek
(monthly expenditure per capita)
Value in PPP: (2002) 109.91



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