ABSTRACT

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Indonesian people are popularly known because of their hospitalities. However, in recent years we have informed through watching, reading and listening news from mass media regarding disturbances, embellishments, oppressions, stringencies toward women and children and other cases of aggressive behavior in Indonesia. Indonesia has various ethnics. Each of them has different characteristics of culture. The condition of country which has multiple cultures may lead to conflict and social asymmetries. As one of the fundamental elements in social life, cultures have a role to bring conflicts in society. These conflicts can cause the aggressive behavior. This study is aimed to observe the different of aggressiveness of Madurese, Minangese, Gorontalo and Javanese students.

Aggressiveness is a human behavior that is done with the purpose to harm another human being or object, both physically and non-physically.

This study involves 100 respondents which consists of 25 students of Madurese, 25 students of Minangese, 25 students of Gorontalo and 25 students of Javanese. The measurement preference of aggression consists of 20 items, the validity from 0.286 to 0.668, and reliability is 0.772.

The result shows that there is a different of aggressiveness between Madurese, Mingangese, Gorontalo and Javanese students. This is based on the test result of F using Anova, that is F value = 8.700 p = 0.000 (p < 0.01 = Very Steady).