The Effect of Accounting Disclosure and Environmental Performance, Company Size and Corporate Social Responsibility Disclosure on the Value of Mining Companies Listed on the Indonesia Stock Exchange 2015-2019

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ABSTRACT

This study analyzes the effect of environmental accounting disclosure, environmental performance disclosure, company size, and corporate social responsibility disclosure on firm value in mining companies listed on the IDX. This study uses an associative clause design. This research's population and sample are mining companies that publish annual reports and sustainability reports during 2015-2019, totaling 18 mining companies using the purposive sampling method. The number of analysis units used is 90. This study's type of data is secondary data obtained from the IDX website, namely www.idx.co.id. The data analysis technique uses multiple linear regression analysis using the eViews 10 application program. This study indicates that simultaneously environmental accounting disclosure, environmental performance disclosure, company size, and corporate social responsibility disclosure of firm value. However, partially, environmental accounting disclosure has a positive and insignificant effect on firm value, environmental performance disclosure has a negative and insignificant effect on firm value, firm size has no significant positive effect on firm value, and disclosure of corporate social responsibility has a negative but significant effect on firm value.

Keywords: Firm Value, Environmental Accounting Disclosure, Environmental Performance Disclosure, Company Size, Corporate Social Responsibility Disclosure

INTRODUCTION

The company is an organization founded to make a profit. A company must improve its performance to increase company value to maintain its continuity with the increasing competition level. Company value can increase not only because of excellent financial performance, but companies must also pay attention to the social, economic, and environmental impacts of company activities, such as pollution and depletion of natural resources. Therefore, companies must be more effective and efficient in using available natural resources to survive the company in the future. The company's value can increase sustainably due to good financial performance because investors in making investment decisions look at financial performance and consider corporate sustainability that is guaranteed if the company also cares about the social, economic, and environmental surroundings of the company operations.

Corporate sustainability aims to maximize profit and care for the preservation of nature (planet) and society (people). Currently, the government is focusing on development and community welfare. One of the government's steps to
make it happen is to support the MDGs (Millennium Development Goals) program. The MDGs program has 17 objectives, 169 targets, and 241 indicators. Therefore, support from all parties is needed to overcome climate change problems caused by environmental damage due to the company's operational activities. The 17 goals of the MDGs program are in line with the triple bottom line concept, which states that the business world is not only pursuing profit or contributing economically (profit) but also must preserve the environment (planet) and the achievement of human welfare (people) (Elkington, 1997).

Bradshaw et al. (2010) state that Indonesia is ranked fourth globally as a country that contributes to environmental damage. In 2012, there has been a decrease in Indonesia's primary forest, covering an area of 0.84 Mha, higher than Brazil, which is 0.6 Mha (Margono et al., 2015). There are seven indicators of causes of environmental degradation, namely loss of natural forest; habitat conversion; fishing and other sea catching; use of chemical fertilizers; water pollution; carbon emissions, and; threats to species. Of the seven indicators of the causes of environmental degradation, one of Indonesia's concerns is the loss of natural forests, mainly due to mining companies' activities, particularly open-pit mining.

This study selects the type of company in the mining industry sector because this industrial sector is one of Indonesia's economic activity pillars. However, on the other hand, this industrial sector is also the one that causes environmental damage due to mining operations. In an article published by FWI in March 2015, it was stated that one of the industrial sectors in Indonesia that causes forest cover loss in the mining industry sector, of course, this can cause environmental damage and global warming. Nearly 34% of land in Indonesia is handed over and managed by corporations through mining permits. Likewise, around 3.97 million ha of protected forest areas are under threat due to forest exploitation and mining activities (Messwati, 2012). Most of the mining activities use the open-pit mining method to carry out their production activities, namely by clearing forest lands on a large scale to extract minerals from the ground, resulting in deforestation, deforested forests, eroded soil, and leaving large holes on the land.

Apart from the impact on the environmental damage caused by exploration and mining operations, mining companies' risk is the risk of fluctuations in commodity prices of mining goods in the world commodity market (Indrajaya and Setiadi, 2011). The following is a graph of commodity prices based on Australian Thermal Coal data for 2015-2019:

![Graph of commodity prices](https://www.indexmundi.com/commodities)

In Figure 1 above, the fluctuation of mining commodity prices. One of the causes of the decline in coal commodity prices is due to falling demand, especially from China as the largest coal-consuming country due to low natural gas prices and rampant clean energy policies. China was also reducing the ratio of coal consumption to primary energy consumption from 66% to 50% because China was in the spotlight of the world because of its high pollution (Source https://tirto.id/puncak-kegalauan-industri-batu-bara-piP). An increase or decrease in share prices is essential for companies because the higher the share price, the higher its value (Harjito and Martono, 2011). The rise and fall of a public company's stock price in the capital market is an exciting thing to study. The company's stock price is an important concept for investors because its stock price is the primary indicator by which the market can judge it.

According to McWilliams and Siegel (2001), it is stated that financial performance is not sufficient to guarantee the value of the company to grow sustainably. Company sustainability can be realized if the company is concerned about paying attention to and improving the surrounding environment, which is damaged by the company's operational activities, and discloses environmental accounting. It is a form of transparent information that the company has allocated funds for environmental and social sustainability.

Companies that disclose environmental accounting are considered to have a good image in the public's eyes and have prospects for business sustainability in the future. Investors are also interested in buying more shares. When investing, investors not only look at the results of the company's financial performance. However, investors are also interested in the company's various social, economic, and environmental information in its annual report as a form of company concern for the environment, which will impact the continuity of the company's operational activities. Investors are interested in increasing their investment because the community accepts the company's presence in their environment so that the company's operational activities will run smoothly so that the company can achieve its profit target, which will impact increasing its value itself. So it is expected that accountants can present information on the company's operational activities into financial reports if the company carries out environmental conservation activities so that the reporting made must be based on environmental accounting (Carolina and Martusa, 2011). (Yoshi, 2011) suggests that the accounting system in which there are accounts related to environmental costs is called environmental accounting.

Based on the above phenomenon, disclosing environmental accounting as a form of corporate transparency towards stakeholders in which the company has committed to allocating costs for environmental preservation will impact the company's sustainability and only pursue profit. Therefore, environmental accounting disclosures will be effective in providing information to investors to increase interest in investing to increase company value.

From several previous studies, it was found that there were inconsistencies in research results, namely Sawitri (2017), Suaidah (2018), Aghnia (2018), Ethika et al. (2019) and Iqbal et al. (2019), which stated that environmental accounting disclosures had a positive effect on firm value. In contrast, according to Emmanuel et al. (2019), Carandang and Ferrer (2020) stated that environmental accounting disclosure does not affect firm value.

Another factor that affects firm value apart from environmental accounting disclosures is the disclosure of environmental performance. Disclosure of environmental performance is a disclosure of company performance that considers the environment around its operational activities. Companies perform environmental performance to create a good (green) environment (Suratno, 2006).
Companies that pay attention to the environment are a form of responsibility and concern for the environment. Especially for the mining sector industry, environmental factors play an important role, and employees are also considered report users. If the company does not pay attention to the surrounding environment in the long term, it can affect its value. It will result in slow or even non-existent growth in company value. In supporting the implementation of environmental responsibility carried out by companies, in 2002, the government, together with the Ministry of Environment (KLH), launched the Company Performance Assessment Program (PROPER) to support companies in managing and structuring the environment through information instruments by actively involving the community (Rakhimah and Agustia, 2009).

The following is a table of the results of the 2015-2019 PROPER assessment as follows:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>YEARS</th>
<th>BLACK</th>
<th>RED</th>
<th>BLUE</th>
<th>GREEN</th>
<th>GOLD</th>
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<tr>
<td>2015-2016</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>284</td>
<td>1.422</td>
<td>172</td>
<td>12</td>
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<tr>
<td>2016-2017</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>130</td>
<td>1.486</td>
<td>150</td>
<td>19</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2017-2018</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>241</td>
<td>1.454</td>
<td>155</td>
<td>20</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2018-2019</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>303</td>
<td>1.507</td>
<td>174</td>
<td>26</td>
</tr>
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Source: Ministry of Environment and Forestry

From the data in Table 1 above, it can be seen that the development of PROPER continues to increase from year to year. The gold, green and blue ranks tend to increase every year, especially the gold rank, increasing every year. Likewise, black rank continues to decline. It proves that the company increasingly has a sense of responsibility and cares for the environment. Pflieger et al (2005) states that company activities in preserving the environment will bring some benefits, including shareholder and stakeholder interest in company profits due to responsible environmental management. Therefore, there is an influence of environmental performance on company value (Bukit, R. B. et al., 2018. Article IOP Conf. Series: Earth and Environmental Science 122).

Based on the results of previous research, it was found that there were inconsistent research results, namely Auliya (2018), Ethika et al. (2019), and Khanifah et al (2020) stated that environmental performance positively affects firm value. In contrast, according to Sawitri (2017), Hapsoro dan Adyaksana (2020), Arlita (2019), and Zabetha et al (2018), environmental performance do not affect firm value.

Aside from accounting disclosures and environmental performance, company size is also one factor that can influence and determine firm value. Firm value is directly and indirectly influenced by the company's size (Arviansyah, 2013). The company's size is categorized into two types, namely small and large scale companies, which can be seen from the company's total assets. The larger the company's size, the more excellent its opportunity to gain access to funding sources, both internal and external. Company size can be seen from total assets, total net sales, average sales level, and average total assets (Kusumaningrum and Mawardi, 2011). According to Kayobi and Anggraeni (2015), company size can be expressed in total assets, sales, and market capitalization. The greater the total assets, sales, and market capitalization, the greater its size. Large companies can guarantee high company value because large companies dare to invest in company expansion needs. The size of the company can increase the value of the company (Prasetia et al, 2014).

Based on previous research, it was found that there were inconsistent research results, namely Zuhroh (2019), Hirdinis (2019), Nuansari et al (2020), Puteri (2019), Frenky (2019), Riani (2019), which stated...
that company size had a positive and significant effect on firm value. While according to Cecilia et al. (2016), Karundeng et al. (2017), Sintyana and Artini (2019), Hardian and Asyik (2016), Setiadharma and Machali (2017), Chumaidah and Priyadi (2018) and Purwohandoko (2017), company size has no significant effect on firm value.

The company's sustainability will be guaranteed if the company cares for the community and the surrounding environment. Therefore, companies need to make disclosures about the activities that the company has carried out to the public, which is called Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR). Hendriksen and Nugroho (1994) stated that disclosure presents some information needed to operate an efficient capital market optimally. The concept of CSR reporting refers to the Global Reporting Initiative (GRI) concept, namely the sustainability report concept, which emerged as a result of the concept of sustainability development. The categories of CSR that use the GRI-G4 standard contain six indicators, namely:

1. Economic Performance Indicator
2. Environment Performance Indicator
3. Labor Practices Performance Indicator
4. Human Rights Performance Indicator
5. Social Performance Indicator
6. Product Responsibility Performance Indicator

Currently, CSR is mandatory for limited companies as regulated in Law No. 40 of 2007 concerning Limited Liability Companies. Mining companies are one of the most significant contributors to environmental damage due to their operational activities, so it is necessary to hold CSR as a form of social and environmental responsibility. According to Wijayanti and Prabowo (2011), for companies that disclose more CSR, the company's financial performance tends to be better than companies that do not disclose it. Investors will appreciate the shares of companies that are sustainable and responsible for the environment (Fachrudin Khair Amalia, article IOP Conf. Series: Earth and Environmental Science 126, 2018) and give a positive response. It can increase the stock price of companies with good environmental performance and vice versa. It will get an inadequate response from investors by decreasing the share price that the company will receive if it has poor environmental performance (Almilia and Wijayanto, 2007). According to Kartini (2009), there are three reasons for business actors to respond and develop CSR issues in line with the company's operational activities, namely:

1. The company is part of the community; therefore, it is only natural that the company pays attention to the interests of the surrounding community;
2. Entrepreneurs and the community around the company should have a symbiotic relationship with mutualism and;
3. Corporate social responsibility activities are one way to reduce and avoid social conflicts.

From several previous studies, it was found that there were inconsistencies in research results, namely Karina and Setiadi (2020), Fauziah et al. (2020), Sabatini and Sudana (2019), Mahendra and Wirawati (2018) stated that CSR disclosure has a positive effect on firm value. While according to Stracia and Junarti (2015), Worokinasih (2020), and Karundeng et al (2017), CSR disclosure has no significant effect on firm value.

**Framework**

Following the description of the background of the problem, literature review, and previous research, a conceptual research framework is prepared as follows:

H1: Environmental accounting disclosure has a positive effect on firm value.
H2: Environmental performance disclosure has a positive effect on firm value.
H3: Firm size has a positive effect on firm value.
H4: Corporate Social Responsibility has a positive effect on company value.

RESEARCH METHODS
This type of research is causal associative research to determine the effect of Accounting Disclosure and Environmental Performance, Company Size, and Corporate Social Responsibility Disclosure on the dependent variable, namely Firm Value. The causal associative study aims to analyze the relationship between one variable and another to know how one variable affects other variables (Erlina, 2011). The data analysis method used in this study is a statistical analysis method using Eviews10 software. Data analysis performs by testing standard assumptions and testing hypotheses.

The population used in this study is 90 mining companies listed on the Indonesia Stock Exchange during the 2015-2019 period. The sampling technique used in this study was purposive sampling.

RESULT AND DISCUSSION
Normality test

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Series: Residuals
Sample 1 90
Observations 90
Mean       9.50e-17
Median     -0.028933
Maximum    1.248371
Minimum    -1.222258
Std. Dev.   0.519737
Skewness   0.443343
Kurtosis   3.160634
Jarque-Bera  3.045055
Probability  0.218160
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Figure 3 Normality Test with Jarque-Bera Test

Source: Results of EViews 10 software
Based on Figure 3, it is known that the probability value of the J-B statistic is 0.218160. Because the probability value, which is 0.218160, is greater than the significance level, which is 0.05. It means that the assumption of normality is fulfilled.

Determination of the Estimation Model between the Common Effect Model (CEM) and Fixed Effect Model (FEM) with the Chow Test

Based on the results of the Chow test in Table 5.6, it is known that the probability value is 0.1466. Because of the probability value of 0.1466 > 0.05, the estimation model used is the common effect model (CEM).

Hypothesis test

Based on the results of the Chow test in Table 5.5, it is known that the probability value is 0.3585. Because the probability value is 0.3585 > 0.05, the estimation model used is the common effect model (CEM).

Analysis of the coefficient of determination

Based on Table 4, it is known that the coefficient of determination (R-squared) is equal. This value can be interpreted as environmental accounting disclosure, environmental performance disclosure, company size, and corporate social responsibility disclosure simultaneously or jointly affect the firm value by 13.3%. The other factors influence the remaining 86.7%.

Simultaneous Effect Significance Test (Test F)

Based on Table 4, it is known that the Prob value. (F-statistics), which is 0.015254 <0.05, it can be concluded that all independent variables, namely environmental accounting disclosure, environmental performance disclosure, company size, and corporate social responsibility disclosure simultaneously, have a significant effect on the firm value variable.

Partial Effect Significance Test (t-test)

Based on the data in Table 4, the multiple linear regression equation is obtained as follows.

\[ Y = -0.49 + 0.094X_1 - 0.141X_2 + 0.0406X_3 - 1.420X_4 + e \]
Based on the data in Table 4, the test results show that environmental accounting disclosure and firm size do not have a significant effect on firm value, environmental performance disclosure has a negative effect on firm value, and disclosure of corporate social responsibility has a significant effect on firm value.

CONCLUSION

Based on the results of data analysis and research discussion, the following conclusions can be drawn:

1. Based on the F test results, it can be concluded that the environmental accounting disclosure, environmental performance disclosure, company size, and corporate social responsibility disclosure simultaneously have a significant effect on firm value.

2. Environmental accounting disclosure has a positive but insignificant and simultaneous effect on the value of mining companies listed on the IDX in 2015-2019. With transparent environmental accounting disclosures, it can provide a positive response to increasing company value.

3. Disclosure of environmental performance has a negative but insignificant and simultaneous effect on the value of mining companies listed on the IDX in 2015-2019. It is due to the possibility of a shift in the investor's paradigm, in which company performance is inherent in environmental performance. Investors are not too focused on the company's environmental performance through the PROPER assessment so that environmental performance does not affect the company's value.

4. Company size has a positive but not significant and simultaneous effect on the value of mining companies listed on the IDX in 2015-2019. It shows that investors always pay attention to the company's size and how much assets it owns. The bigger the company size, the greater the confidence of investors in investing.

5. Disclosure of corporate social responsibility has a negative but significant and simultaneous effect on the value of mining companies listed on the IDX from 2015 to 2019. It shows that most investors prefer short-term investments rather than long-term investments by simply following the issue. Daily issues that appeared. Corporate social responsibility is a long-term strategy undertaken by the company to maintain the company's continuity. According to the GRI Guidelines, the company does not fully disclose information on corporate social responsibility indicators in every area, such as social, economic, environmental, and human resources.

SUGGESTION

Based on the analysis results and the conclusions obtained, the researcher suggests that further researchers expand the research object, such as all industrial sectors listed on the IDX, by adding other variables that can affect firm value. For companies, so do not hesitate to disclose environmental accounting and transparent corporate social responsibility to get support from stakeholders and be more attractive to investors.

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