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CHILD LABOR

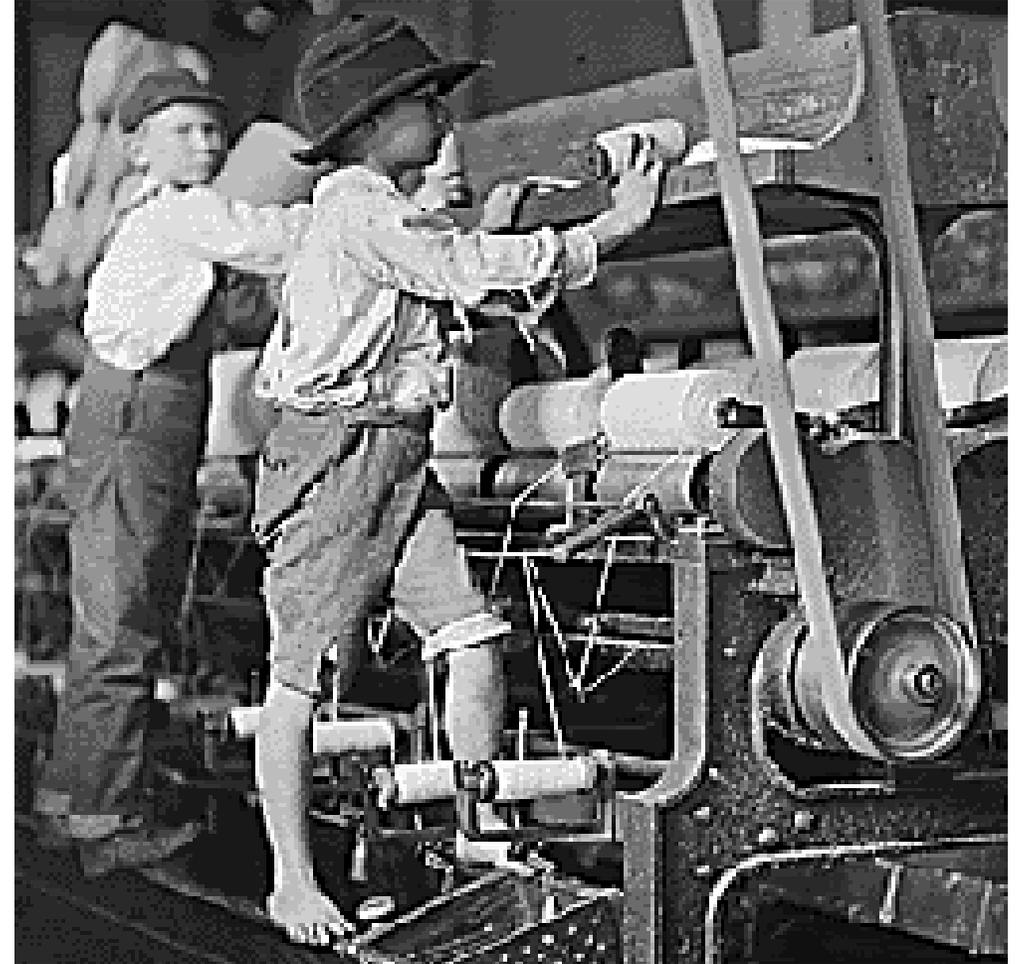
ORIGIN

the reason of employing children as labor :

- ① Working Environment
- ② Easy to Manage and Control
- ③ Low Wage

Since industrial revolution, machines had replaced artisans' job. Children, who can also be able to operate the equipment without any professional knowledge, are easier to manage and their salary can be much lower than adults at the same time.

Child labor in factory during industrial revolution



According to ILO's (International Labor Office) survey, there are more than two hundred million children that are in employment nowadays. Child labor is still one of a main problem around the world.

Number of children involved in ILO categories of work, by age and gender in 2002

	All Children (2002)^[181]	Economically Active Children	Economically Active Children (%)	Child Labour	Child Labour (%)	Children In Hazardous Work	Children In Hazardous Work (%)
Ages 5–11	838,800,000	109,700,000	13.1	109,700,000	13.1	60,500,000	7.2
Ages 12–14	360,600,000	101,100,000	28.0	76,000,000	21.1	50,800,000	14.1
Ages 5–14	1,199,400,000	210,800,000	17.6	186,300,000	15.5	111,300,000	9.3
Ages 15–17	332,100,000	140,900,000	42.4	59,200,000	17.8	59,200,000	17.8
Boys	786,600,000	184,100,000	23.4	132,200,000	16.8	95,700,000	12.2
Girls	744,900,000	167,600,000	22.5	113,300,000	15.2	74,800,000	10.5
Total	1,531,500,000	351,700,000	23.0	245,500,000	16.0	170,500,000	11.1

CATEGORY

① LIGHT WORK

- Works that doesn't affect physical and psychological health, also, students can still go to school and receive education.
- Mentally, physically, socially or morally dangerous and harmful.
- Most countries allow teenagers at the age of 13 to 15 to do light works legally.

Ex) Conductor, Janitor, Sender

② HAZARDOUS WORK

- Works that might affect physical and psychological health. It's immoral or not safe.
- Works that youngsters under the age of 18 shouldn't be doing.

Ex) Mining, Constructing / Working in Pubs, Factories
Casinos, Circuses

③ THE WORST FORM OF WORK

- The most dangerous kinds of works.

Ex) Slave, War, Sex, Drug

EXAMPLES

Child labor is a global issue that needs everyone to concern with. In some country, the issue might not be so serious, but there must still be some children who are working over hours and need us to notice.

① WORK IN FAMILY

- Left-behind children in China

② WORK IN SOCIETY

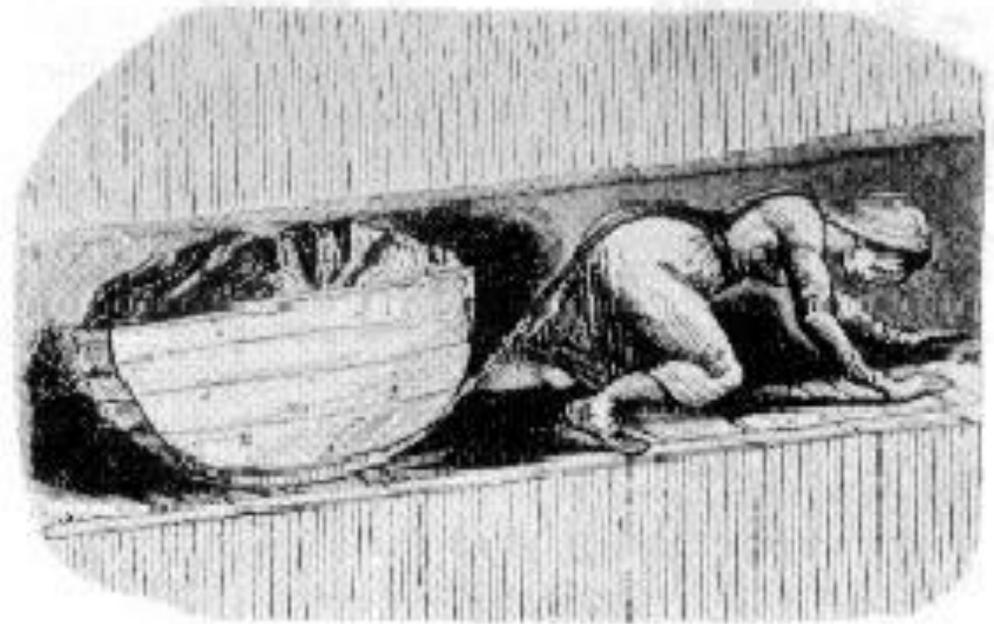
- Works in Factory
- NIKE
- H&M
- Mining
- Prostitution / Pornography
- Production and Trafficking in Drugs

③ WORK FOR COUNTRY

- Child Soldiers

Child soldiers

Child labor in mining



SOLUTION

Child labor is forbidden by law in most countries but continues to be rife in some parts of the world.

In recent years, the Non-Governmental Organizations stand up for the children's right.

Except for the laws and conventions,
EDUCATION is in need.

Children and adults learn how to write, read and calculate, helps them get better work with better salary.

the reason of why education helps:

① Family members getting good salary jobs prevents children go to work in order to bring in extra expenses

② Education broadens parents knowledge, make them know the dangers of child labor.