

**New frameworks for the analysis of financial markets as a response to the crisis: A methodological perspective**

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Contemporary financial markets are competitive markets in instruments such as stocks, bonds, loans and derivatives. If badly regulated, they can result in speculation and produce economic failures. Financial markets and institutions represent a research topic that can be analysed from a plurality of angles and theoretical perspectives. The 2007-2008 crisis suggests that a pluralist methodology is essential to evaluate an increasingly complex economic reality. The adoption of a plurality of analytical tools is expected to favour sustainable wealth creation. Recognition of methodological issues is essential to adopt new frames of thinking in economics and improve existing analytical tools, so to design of a more adequate regulation and a dynamic capitalism.

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