Prevention and Landing of Bubble

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Abstract

By replacing conventional assumptions on the satisfaction of the transversality

condition with introducing capital gains taxes, transaction or property taxes, rebate

options, and fixed periods of asset usage, rational bubble has been shown to be

preventable. For an existing bubble, hard- and soft-landings have been shown to be

possible. Hard landing is defined by a bubble which crashes via financial or tax tools,

while soft landing is defined as an increasing bubble reaching some stable value via tax

tools. Japan, U.S., and Greece experienced real estate bubbles and hard landings, while

Taiwan ended its real estate bubble in the 1980s with a soft landing.

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