What Is a Capital Market?

• A capital market is a source of funding for:
  o Businesses
  o Governments
  o Individuals

• A capital market is a place for savers to invest their savings
  o Individuals
  o Asset managers (including mutual funds, pension funds, insurance companies)
  o Governments

• Intermediaries
  o Banks/Investment banks
  o Exchanges
  o Internet?
Savings Rates and the Allocation of Capital

• Savings are a scarce resource
  o What is an appropriate savings rate?

• Allocation of capital

• Efficiency in the allocation of capital may be as, if not more, important that the savings rate
Capital Markets in History

• Capital markets are not new
  o They existed in ancient times
  o Globalization has been occurring for centuries

• Globalization
  o The importance of communication and transportation links
  o Bretton Woods (1944) – the development of international financial institutions and a rules-based international order
  o Derivatives – the first capital markets product to develop as a global product in a global market
Civil Society, Rule of Law and Finance

• Capital markets require rules and regulations
  o Enforceability of rules
  o Fairness of enforcement

• Capital markets depend on:
  o Enforceability of contracts
  o Predictability of outcomes
  o Fairness of dispute settlement

• Striking the right balance between safety/order and efficiency/economic growth
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