

**COMPARATIVE ANALYSIS OF
REGIONAL FINANCIAL CAPABILITIES AND ECONOMIC GROWTHS
IN PRE AND POST REGIONAL AUTONOMY PERIOD
(STUDY ON DISTRICTS / PROVINCIAL CITY OF LAMPUNG)**

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ABSTRACT

This study aims to analyze the differences between financial capabilities and types of economic growth in the Districts / Provincial City of Lampung in pre and post the implementation of regional autonomy period of times. Based on that criteria, there are five selected samples of this study: West Lampung, South Lampung, North Lampung, Central Lampung, and Bandarlampung. The analytical methods used in this study comes from Deddy K (Bappenas, 2003) which are the Calculation by the Share, Growth, and Elasticity; Mapping of Financial Capability based on Quadrant Method and Index Method; Index Map of Financial Capability; Klassen Typology to classify the types of economic growth. The results of this study are (1) there are differences in the financial capabilities of the Districts / Provincial City of Lampung in pre and post regional autonomy periods, however the financial capabilities are decreasing, it is based on calculations by the Share, Growth, and Elasticity(2) there are differences in the types of economic growth of the Districts / Provincial City of Lampung, only West Lampung experiences the decreasing financial capability, while the financial capabilities of Central Lampung, North Lampung, and Bandarlampung are increasing, the financial capabilities of South Lampung is static. Some suggestions based on this results are there should be an effort to increase the regional revenue and economic growth, the regional budget should be used efficiently, there should be certainl efforts to increase the economic growths in regional which are included in Quadrant IV or low in the Index Map of Financial Capability or relatively underdeveloped regions, the national government should be involved in transferring the funds to help the local governments improving their underdeveloped regions.

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