

# IDENTITÉ ET DIFFÉRENCE DANS LA RECHERCHE SCIENTIFIQUE

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**Abstract. Identity and difference in scientific research.** Efficient scientific research follows a programme or a heuristic strategy; this strategy should be planned so that some rules of ordering fundamental intellectual operations and efficient argumentation should be followed. When a researcher elaborates more strategic plans, he/she has to decide which of the plans is to be applied. Consequently, he/ she must have a certain prompt, rational decisional capacity over the explanatory power of heuristic strategy regarding solutions to problems to be solved, and to decide which solution is preferable so that, in case a new scientific theory is launched, his/her theory should be superior to the new, rival one.