Industrial Organization
MPhil Microeconomics

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Required Text


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(a). Cournot and Bertrand
• Tirole (1988), pages 209-224.

(b). Cooperation in repeated games

(c). Product differentiation

(d). Price competition vs quantity competition

(e). Entry and welfare, wars of attrition, entry barriers, contestability
• Tirole (1988), pages 305-313
(f). Strategic investment and entry deterrence and accommodation


(g). Limit pricing, predatory pricing


(h). Extra topic: IO and Auctions


Optional Additional Readings

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