

Antitrust Summer 2013
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Book: Andrew Gavil, William Kovacic, and Jonathan Baker, *Antitrust Law in Perspective: Cases, Concepts, and Problems in Competition Policy*, 2nd ed., Thomson/West (2008).

Attendance: You should probably come to class.

Participation: Three hours is a long time to listen to me speak; if you are prepared and willing to participate, it will be (marginally) less boring.

Grading: Your grade will be entirely determined by your performance on the final exam scheduled by the law school. The exam will be take-home, and it will be open book, notes, etc.

Schedule:

May 9: Intro to Microeconomics/Empirical Evidence

May 14: Intro continued; casebook 2-86

Horizontal Mergers

May 16: Clayton Act §§ 7-16; casebook pp. 431-462

May 17: **Note: class will be 8:30-11:00;** Horizontal Merger Guidelines §§ 1-10

May 21: Unilateral Effects: *FTC v. Staples*; Coordinated Effects: casebook 518-535; 235-247

May 23: No class (to be made up)

May 28: *FTC v. Whole Foods*; *FTC v. Polypore*

Horizontal Restraints

May 30: casebook 88-165

May 31: **Note: class will be 2-5;** casebook 165-211; *American Needle Inc v. National Football League*; *FTC v. Polygram*; *FTC v. Realcomp*; casebook 253-283

Monopolization & Exclusionary Conduct

- June 4: Raising Rivals Costs: casebook 45-53; 905-907; 588-598
 Monopoly Power: casebook 582-621
- June 6: Concerted Refusal to Deal: casebook 138-153; 768-788
 Unilateral Refusal to Deal: casebook 622-637; 706-722
- June 11: Exclusive and Exclusionary Contracts: casebook 822-851
 Tying: casebook 788-822
- June 13: Predation and Discounting: casebook 659-699