

# **PRICING POLICY**

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# <u>Agenda:</u>

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- Price skimming
- Loss-leader pricing
- Cost-based pricing
- Value–based pricing
- Demand-based pricing

Competition-based pricing

### Pricing policy is one of the major determinants of a company's financial success



#### Prices can be determined in different ways

#### For example,

- pure price competition (prices of meat, cotton and other agricultural prices)
- by large companies (prices on industrial products (iron, steel, etc.))
- by the government (for different public services-railroads, electricity, manufactured gas, bus services, etc.)

## **Odd-even pricing**

# Psychological pricing method based on the belief that certain prices or price ranges are more appealing to

buyers.

▶ TV & DVD

Computing & GPS

> Photography



LG 32" HD ready 1080P digital LCD TV

£399.00 save over £100 was £499.99



Acer dual core laptop with 250Gb hard drive

£379,00 save over£120 was£499,99



Kodak exclusive 10 million pixel digital camera

**£89.99** save £90 was £179.99

For example, \$49.95 instead of \$50.00.



A product pricing strategy by which a firm charges the highest initial price that customers will pay.



sold at \$599. reduced to \$299.

# **Loss-leader pricing**

A product priced below cost, or at a loss, in order to attract new customers is called a loss leader.





"If you're a retailer, you'll be very aware that sometimes consumers need a little bit of extra encouragement to come through your door"

#### **COST-BASED PRICING**

The traditional pricing policy can be summarized by the formula:

Cost + Fixed profit percentage = Selling price.



Value pricers adhere to the thinking that the optimal selling price is a reflection of a product or service's perceived value by customers, not just the company's costs to produce or provide a product or service



Managers concentrates on the behavior and characteristics of customers and the quality and characteristics of their products or services.



#### **COMPETITION-BASED PRICING**

With a competition-based pricing policy, a company sets its prices by determining what other companies competing in the market charge



# Thank you for your attention!

