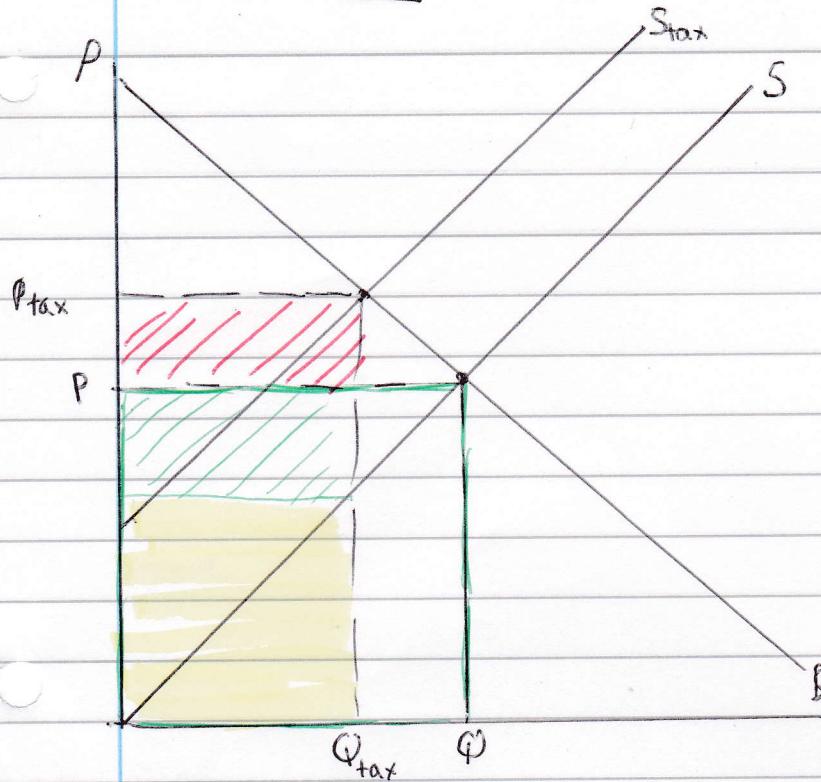


Taxation



(1) Tax \uparrow costs of production and shifts the curve to the left to S_{tax} .

(2) Decrease in supply leads to $\uparrow P$ and $\downarrow Q$.

(3) Increase in price means consumer surplus is lower.

(4) Firm pays a proportion of the tax lowering their revenue and profit.

(5) Government receives tax revenue.

(6) Govt revenue is below the P_{tax} . The shaded green is the tax therefore the remaining yellow is the firms revenue.

Indirect Tax - goes to the retailer

The more inelastic, consumers pay higher percentage than ~~firms~~ firms.

They just want to have tax revenue.

AOS

- ① Tax revenue for government
- ② Reduces quantity which helps solve overproduction problem
- ③ Firms ~~get less tax if~~ are not taxed as much as inelastic
- ④ May help reduce external costs - less likely to get diseases
- ⑤ NHS pays less
- ⑥ More information
- ⑦ Less people are likely to buy it, reduces consumption from increased prices.

DADS

- ① The tax may not be used to cover the social cost
 - If fast food is inelastic, it doesn't reduce quantity so much.
 - ~~retailers won't foot it~~
- ② Depends on personal ~~pre~~ preference - may be elastic for some
 - Consumers get taxed more
 - Low income - until healthier foods are cheaper
- ③ Used for campaigns or education programmes - encourage kids to be healthier
- ④ Depends on elasticity. Firms will still produce more ~~because~~ for inelastic.

inelastic

- Fuel Duty
- Alcohol duty
- Cigarette Duty
- Green Tax

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