

Credit Card Companies Trap Merchants & Consumers with Outrageously High Fees.

Don't Take Their Bait!

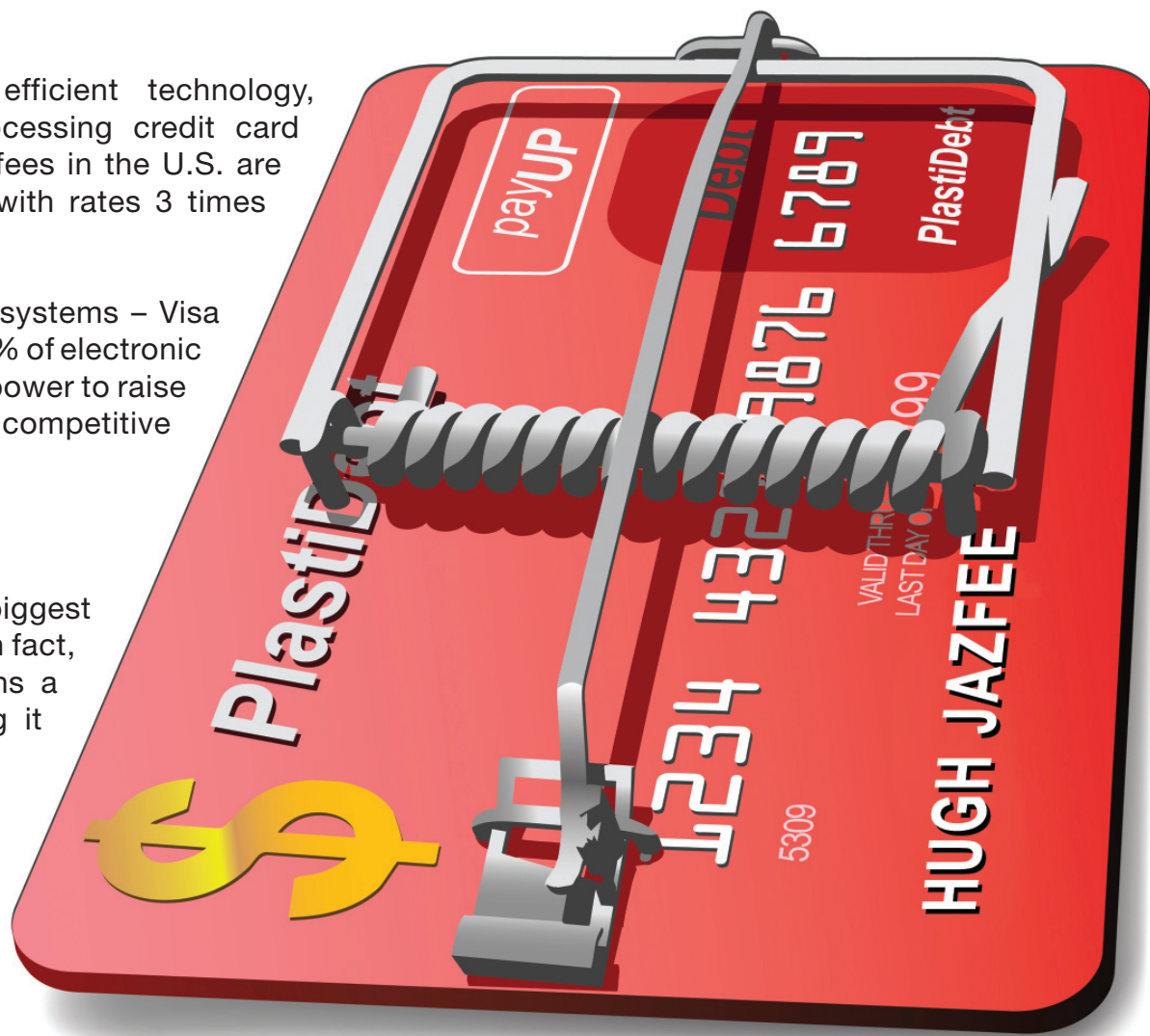
Despite increasing volume, more efficient technology, and lower losses from fraud in processing credit card transactions, credit card interchange fees in the U.S. are among THE HIGHEST in the world...with rates 3 times higher on average than in Europe.

This is what happens when two card systems – Visa and MasterCard – control more than 80% of electronic card payments. They use their market power to raise interchange fees well above what a competitive market would bear.

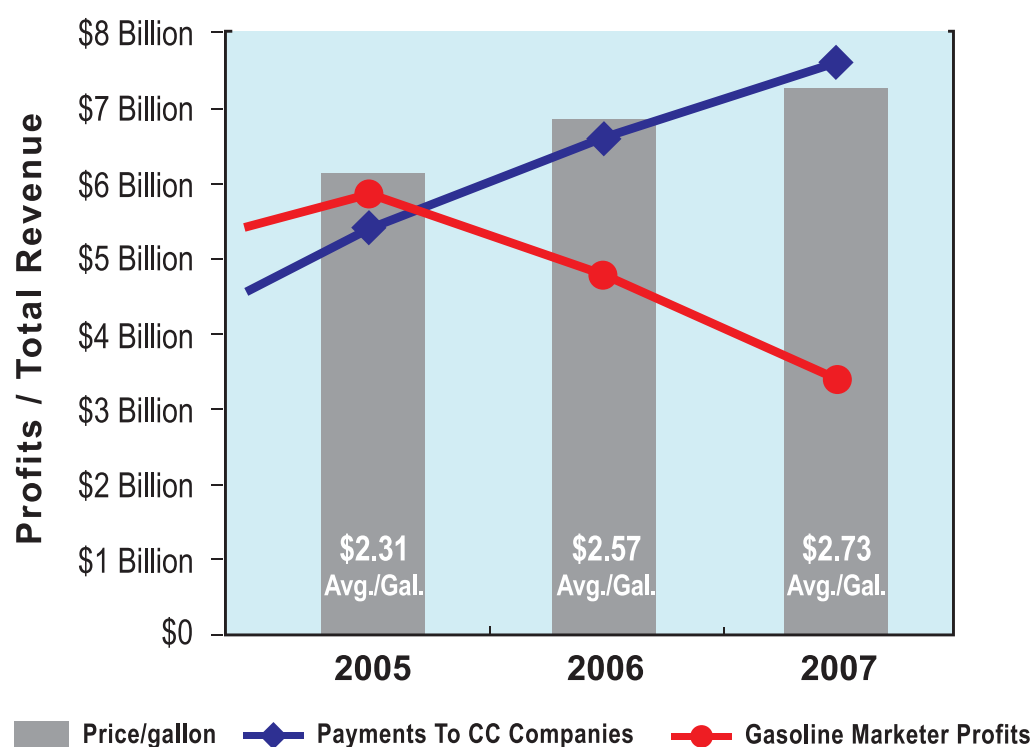
The result?

The credit card interchange fee is the biggest credit card fee you've never heard of. In fact, these outrageous fees cost Americans a staggering \$42 billion a year, making it the biggest credit card fee of all!

The Credit Card Fair Fee Act, HR 5546, was introduced to restore a market, help stop credit card price fixing, and allow merchants a seat at the negotiating table with Visa and MasterCard.



Credit card fees skyrocket as gasoline prices rise sharply; gasoline marketer profits plummet.



The Credit Card Fair Fee Act will be the subject of the next House Judiciary Anti Trust Task Force hearing to be held this Thursday, May 15.

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