UK Step Down Kick-out Plan (HS345)

The Plan provides the potential to receive an accumulated return of 7.75% p.a. depending on the performance of the FTSE 100 Index.

If, on an Anniversary Date, the FTSE 100 Index closes **at or above the required kick-out level,** the Plan will end and the Initial Investment will be repaid, plus an accumulated return of 7.75% for each year that has elapsed since the Investment Start Date.

If, however, the FTSE 100 Index closes **below the required kick-out level** on an Anniversary Date, the Plan will continue to the next Anniversary Date.

Where the Plan has not matured early and runs to the full five year term, investors will lose a significant proportion of their Initial Investment if the Final Index Level is below 60% of its Initial Index Level on the Investment End Date.





APPLICATION DEADLINE

19 April 2023

INVESTMENT START DATE

24 April 2023

INVESTMENT END DATE

24 April 2028

INVESTMENT TERM

Up to five years

INDEX

FTSE 100 Index

INITIAL INDEX LEVEL

Closing Level of the Index on 24 April 2023: 7912 20

FINAL INDEX LEVEL

Closing Level of the Index on 24 April 2028

COUNTERPARTY

HSBC Bank plc

S&P CREDIT RATING*

A+ stable as at 21 March 2023

COUNTERPARTY RISK

Capital is at risk if HSBC Bank plc were to fail or become insolvent. An investor could lose some or all of their investment and any return that may be due.

CAPITAL AT RISK

Capital is at risk if the Plan has not matured early and the Index has fallen below 60% of its Initial Index Level on the Investment End Date.

UNDERLYING SECURITIES ISIN

GB00BR9PN161

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