PRAXAIR INC Form FWP April 29, 2013

Final Term Sheet

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Relating to

Prospectus Supplement dated April 29, 2013 to

Registration Statement No. 333-183150

\$475,000,000 1.250% Notes due 2018

\$175,000,000 3.550% Notes due 2042

Issuer:Praxair, Inc.Trade Date:April 29, 2013Settlement Date:May 7, 2013 (T+6)

Title of Securities: 2018 Notes

Principal Amount: \$475,000,000

CUSIP / ISIN: Maturity Date: Benchmark Treasury:

Benchmark Treasury Price and Yield:

Spread to Benchmark Treasury: Yield to Maturity:

Interest Rate:

Public Offering Price (Issue Price): Interest Payment Dates:

Redemption Provisions:

Par Call:

Make-Whole Call:

Joint Bookrunners:

Co-Managers:

May 7, 2013 (T+6) 2018 Notes 1.250% Notes due 2018 \$475,000,000

74005P BH6 / US74005PBH64 November 7, 2018

T 0.625% due April 2018 99.7421875 and 0.678%

58 basis points 1.258% 1.250% per annum

99.958% of the Principal Amount thereof Semi-annually in arrears on each May 7 and November 7 commencing November 7, 2013

Treasury Rate plus 10 basis points

N/A

Citigroup Global Markets Inc.

Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC

RBS Securities Inc.

BNY Mellon Capital Markets, LLC

Deutsche Bank Securities Inc.

2042 Notes

3.550% Notes due 2042

\$175,000,000. The 2042 Notes offered hereby will be part of the same series of notes as the \$300,000,000 aggregate principal amount of 3.550% Notes due 2042 issued and sold by Praxair, Inc. on

November 7, 2012.

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November 7, 2042

T 2.750% due November 2042

97.15625 and 2.894% 88 basis points 3.774%

3.550% per annum

96.035% of the Principal Amount thereof Semi-annually in arrears on each May 7 and November 7 commencing November

7, 2013

Treasury Rate plus 10 basis points prior

to May 7, 2042

On or after May 7, 2042

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J.P. Morgan Securities LLC

SG Americas Securities, LLC

U.S. Bancorp Investments, Inc.

Wells Fargo Securities, LLC

We expect that delivery of the notes will be made to investors on or about May 7, 2013, which will be the sixth business day following the date of this final term sheet (such settlement being referred to as T+6). Under Rule 15c6-1 under the

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