

HSBC HOLDINGS PLC  
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**HSBC Holdings plc**  
Pricing Term Sheet:

Issuer:	HSBC Holdings plc	
Lead Manager:	HSBC Securities (USA) Inc.	
Co-Managers:	ANZ Securities, Inc. BMO Capital Markets Corp. BNY Mellon Capital Markets, LLC CIBC World Markets Corp. Citigroup Global Markets Inc. Comerica Securities, Inc. Danske Markets Inc. Fifth Third Securities, Inc. ING Financial Markets LLC Morgan Stanley & Co. Incorporated nabSecurities, LLC PNC Capital Markets LLC RBC Capital Markets, LLC Scotia Capital (USA) Inc. US Bancorp Investment, Inc. Wells Fargo Securities, LLC	
Structure:	Global Fixed Rate Senior Unsecured Notes	
Ratings:	Aa2 (neg) /AA- (stable) /AA (stable)*	Aa2 (neg) /AA- (stable) /AA (stable)*
Pricing Date:	November 14, 2011	November 14, 2011
Settlement Date:	November 17, 2011 (T+3)	November 17, 2011 (T+3)
Maturity Date:	January 14, 2022	January 14, 2042
Form of Offering:	SEC Registered Global	SEC Registered Global
<u>Transaction Details:</u>		
Principal Amount:	\$900,000,000	\$750,000,000
Benchmark Treasury:	UST 2.00% due Nov 2021	UST 3.75% due August 2041
Treasury Yield:	2.035%	3.054%
Treasury Price:	99-22	113-17

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Re-offer Spread:	UST + 285 basis points	UST + 305 basis points
Coupon:	4.875%	6.100%
Re-offer Yield:	4.885%	6.104%
Issue Price:	99.909%	99.927%
Gross Fees:	0.40%	0.875%

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Net Price:	99.509%	99.052%
Total Proceeds to Issuer:	\$895,581,000	\$742,890,000
Interest Payment Dates:	Semi-annual on each January 14 and July 14, commencing July 14, 2012. (Long first Coupon).	Semi-annual on each January 14 and July 14, commencing July 14, 2012. (Long first Coupon).
Call Features:	NCL	NCL
Day Count Convention:	30/360	30/360
Minimum Denominations:	\$2,000 and integral multiples of \$1,000 thereafter	\$2,000 and integral multiples of \$1,000 thereafter
Listing:	NYSE	NYSE
Principal Paying Agent:	HSBC Bank USA, N.A.	HSBC Bank USA, N.A.
CUSIP:	404280 AL3	404280 AM1
ISIN:	US404280AL34	US404280AM17

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The issuer has filed a registration statement (including a prospectus) with the SEC for the offering to which this communication relates. Before you invest, you should read the prospectus in the registration statement and other documents the issuer has filed with the SEC for more complete information about the issuer and this offering. You may get these documents for free by visiting EDGAR on the SEC Web site at [www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov). Alternatively, the issuer, any underwriter or any dealer participating in the offering will arrange to send you the prospectus if you request it by calling toll-free 1-866-811-8049.