



### INVESTMENT DESCRIPTION

A 6 year investment linked to the performance of the UK, Australian and Taiwan

If on any of the annual observation dates, including the final observation, the closing levels of all the underlyings are at or above 70% of their initial levels, the income will be paid plus any previously missed income payments

This investment will autocall and mature early if all underlyings are equal to or above their initial levels on any annual observation date starting at 12 months. If early maturity occurs, full capital is returned and the investment will end. If early maturity does not occur the investment will continue to the final observation date.

At the final observation date, if all underlyings are at or above 60% of their initial levels, then full capital is returned. If any underlying is below 60% of its original level, capital return will be reduced on a 1-for-1 basis. For example if the worst performing underlying has fallen to 40% of its original level, 40% of the capital will be returned.

#### **BENEFITS**

- Opportunity for regular income payments even where the underlyings show significant falls.
- A memory feature, whereby income previously unpaid, will be included when the income trigger is next activated.
- Autocall feature potentially shortens the investment term and is triggered by minimal growth.
- Early maturity provides an opportunity to re-assess client's wealth strategy.
- Daily pricing.

## RISKS

- The return is limited to the pre-defined investment terms.
- The income payment is conditional upon the underlying performance.
- There is a risk to capital should one of the underlyings breach the capital protection barrier on its Final Observation Date or in the event of an issuer default.
- Should investors need to sell their investment before maturity, the trading price will likely mean they get back less than they invested.

## **HOW THE INVESTMENT WORKS**

## PRODUCT FACTS & FEATURES

**Issuer and Counterparty:** 

Credit Ratings:

**Natixis** 

Fitch A, Moody's A2, S&P A

Source: Bloomberg 17.05.2018 6 years

Maximum Term:

Annual Memory Income Autocall

**Investment Structure:** Autocall opportunities:

(First observation at 12 months) **Autocall Trigger:** 100% of initial level

GBP = 5.00% p.a.

USD = 7.3% p.a.

Income Trigger: Capital Risk:

**Memory Income Rate:** 

70% of initial level Not capital protected

**Capital Protection Barrier:** 60% Final level (European style)

**Underlying Basket** 

**Bloomberg Code** 

Taiwan: TWSE **FTSF 100** 

TWSE Index **UKX Index** 

Australia: S&P ASX 200 AS51 Index

## **KEY INFORMATION**

**Subscription Period:** 17 May 2018 - 20 June 2018

(4.30pm UK Time)

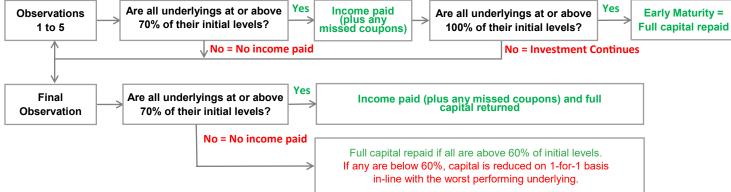
**Issue Price:** 100%

Strike Date: 21 June 2018 28 June 2018 Issue Date: 1st Coupon Observation: 21 June 2019 1st Autocall Observation: 21 June 2019 21 June 2024 **Final Observation: Maturity Date:** 28 June 2024

**Denominations:** GBP = 1.000 then lots of 1

USD = 1,000 then lots of 1

ISIN: GBP = XS1741755356 USD = XS1741755430



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### Observation Dates (some dates may vary if a bank holiday occurs, GBP dates are used below)

	Observation Date	Payment Date	Income Trigger	Autocall Trigger
Observation 1	21 June 2019	28 June 2019	70%	100%
Observation 2	22 June 2020	29 June 2020	70%	100%
Observation 3	21 June 2021	28 June 2021	70%	100%
Observation 4	21 June 2022	28 June 2022	70%	100%
Observation 5	21 June 2023	28 June 2023	70%	100%
Final Observation	21 June 2024	28 June 2024	70%	60% European Barrier

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## RATIONALE

Structured products are becoming increasingly popular for investors due to the wide variety of payoffs and levels of protection that can be achieved by the different types of structures that are available.

The opportunity for an income stream can be of key importance to investors as part of their wealth planning. The probability of an income payment being triggered is increased with this investment as an underlying needs to show a fall of 30% from its initial level on any observation date before the income stream is disrupted.

The investment also benefits from a memory feature so that if any income payments have missed being paid, they will catch-up the next time all underlyings are above 70% of their initial levels on an observation date.

These three underlyings have been selected in order to support the anticipated delivery of that income.

The autocall payoff can bring an early return of capital allowing the opportunity for a re-assessment of investment strategy. The value of this feature cannot be underestimated as it brings with it the opportunity to secure capital value, as well as the chance to take advantage of future market trends.

To manage the capital risk, a final level barrier set at 60% means an underlying must fall by more than 40% over 6 years before capital is at risk.

## SUITABILITY

This product may be suitable for investors who:

 Are seeking the opportunity for higher returns than current cash rates at the time this product was launched.

Source: Bloomberg 17.05.2018

- Are seeking income rather than growth.
- Understand and accept there is a risk to capital and how the Capital Protection Barrier works.
- Understand the impact of global economic issues and how they will affect the product.
- Understand the criteria which will determine the income payments.
- Are looking to invest for the medium to long term, being happy to remain invested until maturity.
- Can afford to have their cash invested for the full term of the Product.
- Wish to use this investment as part of a well-diversified portfolio.
- Understand that the returns are pre-defined and that they will forgo any growth in the underlyings which exceeds the fixed level available with this investment product.
- Understand the risk to capital in the event of a counterparty default.
- Should they need to sell their investment before maturity, accept that the trading price will likely mean they get back less than they invested.
- Appreciate that income payments are conditional but understand that the memory feature can deliver previously missed income payments.

## **Secondary Market**

The Issuing bank will endeavour to provide quotes under normal market conditions for trading purposes upon request, subject to a Bid-Offer spread of 1%. On the secondary market, traded prices will include any accrued interest ("dirty prices").

Sale trades will settle 2 days after the trade date.

Trade orders should be sent to orders@idad.biz

All trades will be settled direct with Natixis' Euroclear a/c 16139

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## THE UNDERLYINGS

The **S&P/ASX 200** measures the performance of the 200 largest index-eligible stocks listed on the ASX by float-adjusted market capitalization. Representative liquid and tradable, it is widely considered Australia's preeminent benchmark index.

The **TWSE**, or **TAIEX**, Index is capitalization-weighted index of all listed common shares traded on the Taiwan Stock Exchange. The index has a base value of 100 based on its 1966 level. The index is also known as the TSEC Index.

The FTSE 100 Index (UKX) is a capitalization-weighted index of the most highly capitalized companies traded on the London Stock Exchange. The equities use an investibility weighting in the index calculation. The index was developed with a base level of 1000 as of December 30, 1983

Source: Bloomberg 17.05.2018

### **MOVEMENT IN THE UNDERLYINGS OVER A 16 YEAR PERIOD**



## 16 Year Back-Testing

Back-testing shows how the investment would have performed historically using data from previous potential strike dates and observations. Although past performance is not an indication of future performance, it can give a factual insight into how the investment would have performed historically.

This 16 year back-test shows the historical data for a full 10 years of 6 year products that could reach the full term.

Of the 2,501 scenarios tested, 15.35% would reach the full 6 year term without autocalling but none of these would have breached the 60% final level barrier.

All coupon observations have also been tested and of the 2,501 scenarios all coupons would have been paid thanks to the memory feature.

Autocall Test	Autocalled	%	
12 Months	1,403	56.10%	
24 Months	202	8.08%	
36 Months	233	9.32%	
48 Months	227	9.08%	
60 Months	52	2.08%	

Total Number Tested	% Matured Early	% To Reach Final Date	% That Returned Full Capital	% Barrier Breach	% Of Coupons Paid	Average Historic Return GBP	Average Historic Return USD
2501	84.65%	15.35%	100%	0	100%	5% p.a.	7.3% p.a.

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance and should not be used to assess the future returns or risks Source: Bloomberg 17.05.2018, Data period: 30.04.2002 to 30.04.2018

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