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The applicable pricing supplement and prospectus for your RBS ETNs will desc  
investment in RBS ETNs. These risks include the following:

[ ] Credit risk of the issuer. All payments on RBS ETNs will depend on the ability of the relevant Issuer to pay its obligations when due. RBS ETNs issued by RBS N. V. and RBS plc are also fully and unconditionally guaranteed by RBS Holdings and RBS Group, respectively. As such, if the relevant Issuer fails to make any required payments on the ETNs, your receipt of such payments will depend on the ability of the applicable guarantor to pay its obligations. RBS ETNs do not guarantee any return to you of the principal invested. RBS ETNs are not FDIC insured.

[ ] Market Risk. The return on an RBS ETN will depend on the performance of the underlying market measure(s) which it tracks. The underlying market measure(s) may perform poorly, resulting in a negative impact on the RBS ETN and may result in a loss to the investor.

[ ] Investor Fee. The amount payable at maturity or upon early repurchase or redemption of your ETNs is reduced by the aggregate investor fee applicable to your ETNs. As a result, the level of the underlying market measure(s) to which your ETNs are linked must increase by an amount sufficient to offset such in order for you to receive at least the face amount of your investment at maturity or upon early repurchase or redemption. If the level of the underlying market measure(s) decreases or does not increase sufficiently, you will receive less, and possibly significantly less, than the face amount of your investment at maturity or upon early repurchase or redemption.

[ ] Liquidity risk. Even though RBS ETNs are expected to be listed on a U. S. securities exchange, there is no guarantee that the listing will be maintained or that a secondary market will develop. The relevant Issuer is not required to maintain any listing of RBS ETNs on any securities exchange.

[ ] Restrictions. on your ability to offer RBS ETNs for repurchase by the

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issuer. Through your broker, you may offer RBS ETNs for repurchase by the relevant Issuer only if minimum amounts are offered and certain procedures described in the applicable pricing supplement are followed.

Call risk. The relevant Issuer also has the right to redeem your ETNs at its option. If the relevant Issuer elects to repurchase your ETNs at its option, you may not be able to reinvest the proceeds that you receive in another investment comparable to the RBS ETNs.

Uncertain tax treatment Significant aspects of the U. S. federal income tax treatment of the ETNs are uncertain, and the Internal Revenue Service or a court might not agree with the tax consequences described in the applicable pricing supplement.

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Yes. Yes. The market price for an RBS ETN may, at any time, be higher or low

various

reasons. For example, market or other factors could potentially prevent the

additional

securities of existing RBS ETNs, which may result in increased demand for th

trade at

a premium in the secondary market. Conversely, events such as an issuer cred

impact the market price of RBS ETNs, causing it to trade at a discount to th

repurchase

feature described above is intended to induce arbitrageurs to counteract any

discount to

their indicative value. However, we cannot assure you that arbitrageurs will

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The market price of an RBS ETN is the bid or ask price for that ETN as quote

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on which the ETN is listed. As with stocks, the market price of an ETN will

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ETN, as well various other factors, including market conditions and the issu

creditworthiness.

The redemption value of an RBS ETN, however, is calculated by RBS Securities

on the

performance of the underlying market measure(s), reduced by the applicable i

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determined formula. The redemption value will not fluctuate based on the sup

traded

on the U.S. securities exchange, nor will it fluctuate in response to any ch

ratings. However,

because the redemption value depends on the performance of the underlying ma

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based on market conditions, changes in market conditions may have an impact

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The redemption value of an RBS ETN means the amount that would be payable by the relevant Issuer to the investor if the ETN were to be repurchased or redeemed by such Issuer either prior to or on the maturity date. The redemption value for an RBS ETN on any given day will depend on the performance of the underlying market measure(s) which the ETN tracks, less the applicable investor fee and repurchase fee. The applicable pricing supplement and prospectus describe how this amount is determined for the relevant RBS ETNs. The daily redemption value for each outstanding RBS ETN will be published on [www.rbs.com/etnUS](http://www.rbs.com/etnUS). Information contained on that website is not incorporated by reference in, and should not be considered a part of, this document.

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If you own a minimum amount of a specific RBS ETN, you can offer to have your  
Issuer at the redemption value through your broker, provided that your broker

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repurchase. This minimum amount, and the procedures that your broker will have  
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redemption	If you own an RBS ETN on its maturity date, the relevant Issuer will pay you
measure	value of your ETN. The redemption value of an ETN will depend on the perform
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and sold during regular trading hours. You can buy RBS ETNs through your broker, your financial advisor or an online trading

platform. If the market develops, we expect that most purchases and sales of RBS ETNs will occur during regular trading hours, in the same way as you would buy or sell stocks.

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Product Facts

	Exchange	Codes	
Product type	Traded Note (ETN)	ISIN	US78009L2097
Current RBS Trendpilot Indicator	Benchmark Index	CUSIP	78009L209
		Ticker	TRNM
Exchange name	NYSE Arca	Underlying	RBS US Mid Cap Trendpilot Index
Daily Redemption Value	\$ 23.6484	Intraday Indicative Value	TRNM.IV
Shares Outstanding	1,370,000	Ticker	
Issue Size (USD 000's)	\$ 32,398		
Annual Investor Fee when Tracking Cash Rate	0.50 %		
Annual Investor Fee when Tracking Benchmark Index	1.00 %		
Inception Date	01/25/11		
Maturity	01/25/41		
	4/18/2012		

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Returns (as of market close 3/30/2012)

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	1 mo.	3 mo.	6 mo.	YTD	1 Yr.	Since Inception
Index	+1.88%	+7.96%	+7.96%	+7.96%	-9.60%	-2.89%
Redemption Value	+1.80%	+7.72%	+7.59%	+7.72%	-10.30%	-3.81%
ETN Market Return	+1.77%	+7.97%	+7.78%	+7.97%	-10.22%	-3.60%

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exposure to the Benchmark Index until the next positive trend.

Product Facts

	Exchange	Codes	
Product type	Traded Note	ISIN	US78009L3087
	(ETN)	CUSIP	78009L308
Current RBS	Benchmark	Ticker	TRND
Trendpilot Indicator	Index		
		Underlying	RBS US Large Cap
Exchange name	NYSE Arca		Trendpilot Index
Daily Redemption	\$ 26.5841	Intraday	
Value		Indicative Value	TRND.IV
		Ticker	
Shares Outstanding	2,589,000		
Issue Size (USD	\$ 68,826		
000's)			
Annual Investor Fee			
when Tracking Cash	0.50 %		
Rate			
Annual Investor Fee			
when Tracking	1.00 %		
Benchmark Index			
Inception Date	12/06/10		
Maturity	12/07/40		
	4/18/2012		

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Index	+3.31%	+12.59%	+12.60%	+12.59%	+0.25%	+9.31%
Redemption Value	+3.21%	+12.31%	+12.17%	+12.31%	-0.56%	+8.09%
ETN Market Return	+3.33%	+12.34%	+12.16%	+12.34%	-0.70%	+8.12%

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Product Facts		Codes	
	Exchange	ISIN	US78009P1277
Product type	Traded Note (ETN)	CUSIP	78009P127
Current RBS Trendpilot Indicator	Benchmark Index	Ticker	TWTI
		Underlying	RBS Oil Trendpilot Index
Exchange name	NYSE Arca	Intraday Indicative Value Ticker	TWTI.IV
Daily Redemption Value	\$ 27.2396		
Shares Outstanding	320,000		
Issue Size (USD 000's)	\$ 8,717		

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Annual Investor Fee  
when Tracking Cash            0.50 %  
Rate  
Annual Investor Fee  
when Tracking                1.10 %  
Benchmark Index  
Inception Date                09/13/11  
Maturity                        09/13/41  
Last Update                    4/18/2012  
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----- Index	-3.04%	+5.57%	+10.04%	+5.57%	N/A	+10.04%
----- Redemption Value	-3.12%	+5.31%	+9.55%	+5.31%	N/A	+9.53%
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1 mo.

ETN Market Return -2.85%

Source: Bloomberg

3 mo.

+5.12%

6 mo.

9.76%

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Product Facts

Codes

	Exchange	ISIN	US78009P1434	
Product type	Traded Note			Download Prospectus (923
	(ETN)	CUSIP	78009P143	KB)
Current RBS	Benchmark	Ticker	TNDQ	
Trendpilot Indicator	Index			Download Factsheet (334 KB)
		Underlying	RBS NASDAQ 100	
Exchange name	NYSE Arca		Trendpilot Index	
Daily Redemption				
Value	\$ 29.7302			
Shares Outstanding	280,000			
Issue Size (USD				
000's)	\$ 8,324			
Annual Investor Fee				
when Tracking Cash	0.50 %			
Rate				
Annual Investor Fee				
when Tracking	1.00 %			
Benchmark Index				
Inception Date	12/08/11			
Maturity	12/13/41			
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Index	+5.07%	+21.24%	N/A	+21.24%	N/A	+21.03%
Redemption Value	+4.98%	+20.94%	N/A	+20.94%	N/A	+20.65%
ETN Market Return	+4.63%	+22.35%	N/A	+22.35%	N/A	+20.83%

Source: Bloomberg

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About Us The Index utilizes a systematic trend-following strategy to provide exposure to the RBS Gold Trendpilot

Bullion (as defined below) or the return on a hypothetical notional investment in 3-month U.S. Treasury bills

relative performance of the yield on a hypothetical notional investment in 3-month U.S. Treasury bills

Price of Gold Bullion on a simple historical moving average basis. If the Price of Gold Bullion is above such

its historical 200-Index business day simple moving average for five consecutive Index business days

established), the Index will track the return on the Price of Gold Bullion, and will have no exposure to the Cash

occurs. Conversely, if the Price of Gold Bullion is below such average for five consecutive index business days

established), then the Index will track the Cash Rate instead of the return on the Price of Gold Bullion and

of Gold Bullion until the next positive trend.

The "Price of Gold Bullion" on any given day means the spot price of physical gold as determined by the

afternoon gold fixing price (also known as the London Gold P.M. Fixing Price) per troy ounce of gold for delivery

the London Bullion Market Association ("LBMA") authorized to effect such delivery, stated in the London Gold

London Gold Market Fixing Ltd. and published by the LBMA, on such day. The Price of Gold Bullion is also published

"GOLDLNPM Index."

For the purposes of the Product Facts below, the Price of Gold Bullion is the Price of Gold Bullion as published

Index".

Product Facts

	Exchange	Codes	
Product type	Traded Note	ISIN	US78009L4077
	(ETN)	CUSIP	78009L407
Current RBS Trendpilot Indicator	Cash Rate	Ticker	TBAR
		Underlying	RBS Gold Trendpilot Index
Exchange name	NYSE Arca	Intraday Indicative Value Ticker	TBAR.IV
Daily Redemption Value	\$ 28.9611		
Shares Outstanding	885,000		
Issue Size (USD 000's)	\$ 25,631		
Annual Investor Fee			

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when Tracking Cash Rate	0.50 %
Annual Investor Fee when Tracking Benchmark Index	1.00 %
Inception Date	02/17/11
Maturity	02/15/41
Last Update	4/18/2012
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"Current RBS Trendpilot Indicator" refers to the trend of the Index. The Index will track the Price of Gold Bullion when it is in a positive trend, and will track the Cash Rate when it is in a negative trend.

Returns (as of market close 3/30/2012)

The returns indicated below reflects the percentage change through the end of the previous calendar month in the closing level of the index, the daily redemption value or the ETN market price, as applicable, from the beginning of the relevant period (e.g., 1 mo., 3 mos., 6 mos. prior, as the case may be). The Index performance information below does not include the annual investor fee or any transaction costs or expenses. None of the information below should be taken as any indication of the future performance of the Index or the ETNs.

	1 mo.	3 mo.	6 mo.	YTD	1 Yr.	Since Inception
Index	-6.82%	+5.50%	-0.29%	+5.50%	+12.25%	+17.13%
Redemption Value	-6.88%	+5.27%	-0.76%	+5.27%	+11.17%	+15.87%

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1 mo.

ETN Market Return -3.01%

Source: Bloomberg

3 mo.

+2.84%

6 mo.

-1.03%

YTD 1 Yr. Since Inception

+2.84% +11.51% +15.88%

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The RBS Global Big Pharma ETNs are designed for investors who seek exposure to the Total Return Index (the "Index"). The Index is designed to track the performance of a cross section of companies involved in various phases of development, production and marketing of pharmaceutical securities represented in approximately equal dollar amounts. The Index is rebalanced quarterly at the Friday of March, June, September and December.

Product Facts

Exchange Traded

Codes

ISIN

US78009P1350

Product type

Note (ETN)

CUSIP

78009P135

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Exchange name

NYSE Arca

Ticker

DRGS

Daily Redemption

\$ 27.9226

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Value

Underlying

NYSE Arca Equal

Weighted

Shares

160,000

Pharmaceutical Total

Outstanding

Return Index

Issue Size (USD

Intraday

\$ 4,468

000's)

Indicative

DRGS.IV

Value Ticker

Annual Investor

0.60%

Fees

Inception Date

10/21/11

Maturity

10/25/41

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Returns (as of market close 3/30/2012)

The returns indicated below reflect the percentage change through the end of the previous calendar month in the closing level of the index, the daily redemption value or the ETN market price, as applicable, from the beginning of the relevant period (e.g., 1 mo., 3 mos., 6 mos. prior, as the case may be). The Index performance information below does not include the annual investor fee or any transaction costs or expenses. None of the information below should be taken as any indication of the future performance of the Index or the ETNs.

	1 mo.	3 mo.	6 mo.	YTD	1 Yr.	Since Inception
Index	+2.40%	+5.17%	N/A	+5.17%	N/A	+11.61%
Redemption Value	+2.35%	+5.01%	N/A	+5.01%	N/A	+11.31%
ETN Market Return	+2.62%	+5.42%	N/A	+5.42%	N/A	+11.96%

Source: Bloomberg

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Product Facts	Exchange	Codes	
Product type	Traded Note (ETN)	ISIN	US78009P1509
Current RBS Trendpilot Indicator	Benchmark Index	CUSIP	78009P150
		Ticker	TCHI
		Underlying	RBS China Trendpilot Index
Exchange name	NYSE Arca	Intraday Indicative Value Ticker	TCHI.IV
Daily Redemption Value	\$ 24.8925		
Shares Outstanding	160,000		
Issue Size (USD 000's)	\$ 4,000		
Annual Investor Fee when Tracking Cash Rate	0.50 %		
Annual Investor Fee when Tracking Benchmark Index	1.10 %		
Inception Date	04/13/12		
Maturity	04/18/42		
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RBS Gold Trendpilot[] ETN	TBAR	02/15/41	02/17/11	1.00%*
RBS NASDAQ-100[R] Trendpilot[] ETN	TNDQ	12/13/41	12/08/11	1.00%*
RBS Oil Trendpilot[] ETN	TWTI	09/13/41	09/13/11	1.10%*
RBS US Large Cap Trendpilot[] ETN	TRND	12/07/40	12/06/10	1.00%*
RBS US Mid Cap Trendpilot[] ETN	TRNM	01/25/41	01/25/11	1.00%*

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