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Morgan Stanley Finance LLC Allocation Securities

Linked to a Basket of Indices Due December 29, 2023

# Fully and Unconditionally Guaranteed by Morgan Stanley

Principal at Risk Securities

#### **Investment Description**

These Allocation Securities (the "Securities") are unsubordinated and unsecured debt securities issued by Morgan Stanley Finance LLC ("MSFL") and are fully and unconditionally guaranteed by Morgan Stanley. The return on the Securities is linked to a weighted basket of indices (the "Basket") consisting of the S&P 5@OIndex, the MSCI EAFE® Index and the MSCI Emerging Markets Index<sup>SM</sup>, each of which we refer to as an "Underlying" and together as the "Underlyings." On the Final Valuation Date, different weightings will be allocated to the Underlyings based on their respective performances, as follows: between 70% and 74% (to be set on the Trade Date) for the Underlying with the highest return (whether positive or negative), between 30% and 26% (to be set on the Trade Date) for the Underlying with the second-highest return (whether positive or negative), and 0% for the Underlying with the lowest return. At maturity, if the Allocated Basket Return is positive, MSFL will pay the Principal Amount plus a return equal to the Allocated Basket Return. However, if the Allocated Basket Return is negative, you will be fully exposed to the negative Allocated Basket Return and MSFL will repay less than the full Principal Amount, if anything, resulting in a loss of principal that is proportionate to the negative Allocated Basket Return. These long-dated Securities are designed for investors who seek an opportunity to earn a return based on the allocated performance of the Underlyings, as set forth herein, and who are willing to risk their principal and forgo current income in exchange for the exposure to the allocated performance of the Underlyings. Investing in the Securities involves significant risks. MSFL will not pay any interest on the Securities, and you may lose some or all of your Principal Amount. Any payment on the Securities is subject to our creditworthiness. If we default on our payment obligations, you may not receive any amounts owed to you under the terms of the Securities, and you could lose your entire investment.

#### **Features Key Dates\***

q <b>Performance Allocation Feature:</b> At maturity, different weightings will be allocated to the Underlyings based on their respective performances. MSFL will pay the	Trade Date	December 27, 2018
Principal Amount plus any positive Allocated Basket Return or reduced by any negative	Settlement	December
Allocated Basket Return.	Date	31, 2018
	Final	December
q Full Downside Market Exposure to the Allocated Basket Return: If the Allocated	Valuation	27, 2023
Basket Return is negative, MSFL will repay less than the full Principal Amount at maturity,	Date**	27, 2023
if anything, resulting in a loss of principal to investors that is proportionate to the negative	Maturity	December
Allocated Basket Return. Accordingly, you may lose some or all of your Principal Amount.	Date**	29, 2023
Any payment on the Securities is subject to our creditworthiness.	* Expecte	d

\*\* Subject to
postponement in the
event of a Market
Disruption Event or for
non-Index Business
Days. See "Postponement
of Final Valuation Date
and Maturity Date" under
"Additional Terms of the
Securities."

NOTICE TO INVESTORS: THE SECURITIES ARE SIGNIFICANTLY RISKIER THAN CONVENTIONAL DEBT INSTRUMENTS. THE SECURITIES DO NOT GUARANTEE THE REPAYMENT OF THE FULL PRINCIPAL AMOUNT AT MATURITY, AND THE SECURITIES HAVE DOWNSIDE MARKET RISK SIMILAR TO THE UNDERLYINGS, WHICH CAN RESULT IN A LOSS OF SOME OR ALL OF YOUR INVESTMENT AT MATURITY. THIS MARKET RISK IS IN ADDITION TO THE CREDIT RISK INHERENT IN PURCHASING OUR DEBT OBLIGATIONS. YOU SHOULD NOT PURCHASE THE SECURITIES IF YOU DO NOT UNDERSTAND OR ARE NOT COMFORTABLE WITH THE SIGNIFICANT RISKS INVOLVED IN INVESTING IN THE SECURITIES. THE SECURITIES WILL NOT BE LISTED ON ANY SECURITIES EXCHANGE.

YOU SHOULD CAREFULLY CONSIDER THE RISKS DESCRIBED UNDER "KEY RISKS" BEGINNING ON PAGE 5 OF THIS FREE WRITING PROSPECTUS BEFORE PURCHASING ANY SECURITIES. EVENTS RELATING TO ANY OF THOSE RISKS, OR OTHER RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES, COULD ADVERSELY AFFECT THE MARKET VALUE OF, AND THE RETURN ON, YOUR SECURITIES

#### Security Offering

We are offering Allocation Securities Linked to a Basket of Indices. The Securities are offered at a minimum investment of \$1,000 in denominations of \$10 and integral multiples thereof. The Initial Level of each Underlying will be determined on the Trade Date.

Underlying	Initial Level	Basket Weightings*	CUSIP	ISIN

S&P 500<sup>®</sup> Index 70% to 74% for the Underlying with the

highest 61768W293US61768W2935

(Bloomberg ticker: SPX)

MSCI EAFE® Index return, 30% to 26% for the Underlying

with the

(Bloomberg ticker: MXEA)

MSCI Emerging Markets Index<sup>SM</sup> second-highest return and 0% for the (Bloomberg ticker: MXEF) Underlying with the lowest return.

See "Additional Information about Morgan Stanley, MSFL and the Securities" on page 2. The Securities will have the terms set forth in the accompanying prospectus, prospectus supplement and index supplement and this free writing prospectus.

Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any other regulatory body has approved or disapproved of these Securities or passed upon the adequacy or accuracy of this free writing prospectus or the accompanying prospectus supplement, index supplement and prospectus. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense. The Securities

<sup>\*</sup> The actual percentages that will be applicable to the Underlyings that ultimately have the two greatest returns will be set on the Trade Date.

are not deposits or savings accounts and are not insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or any other governmental agency or instrumentality, nor are they obligations of, or guaranteed by, a bank.

Approximately \$9.451 per Security, or within \$0.30 of that

Estimated value on the Trade Date estimate. See "Additional Information about Morgan

Stanley, MSFL and the Securities" on page 2.

Price to Public Underwriting Discount<sup>(1)</sup> Proceeds to Us<sup>(2)</sup>

Per Security \$10.00 \$0.35 \$9.65 Total \$ \$

We are also offering, pursuant to Free Writing Prospectus No. 1,314, a separate issuance of securities, being sold only to fee-based advisory accounts, with terms substantially similar to, but somewhat different than, those of this issuance.

UBS Financial Services Inc., acting as dealer, will receive from Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC, the agent, a fixed (1)sales commission of \$0.35 for each Security it sells. For more information, please see "Supplemental Plan of Distribution; Conflicts of Interest" on page 27 of this free writing prospectus.

(2) See "Use of Proceeds and Hedging" on page 26.

The agent for this offering, Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC, is our affiliate and a wholly owned subsidiary of Morgan Stanley. See "Supplemental Plan of Distribution; Conflicts of Interest" on page 27 of this free writing prospectus.

Morgan Stanley UBS Financial Services Inc.

Additional Information about Morgan Stanley, MSFL and the Securities

Morgan Stanley and MSFL have filed a registration statement (including a prospectus, as supplemented by a prospectus supplement and an index supplement) with the SEC for the offering to which this communication relates. Before you invest, you should read the prospectus in that registration statement, the prospectus supplement, the index supplement and any other documents relating to this offering that Morgan Stanley and MSFL have filed with the SEC for more complete information about Morgan Stanley, MSFL and this offering. You may get these documents for free by visiting EDGAR on the SEC website at.www.sec.gov. Alternatively, Morgan Stanley, MSFL, any underwriter or any dealer participating in this offering will arrange to send you the prospectus, the prospectus supplement and the index supplement if you so request by calling toll-free 1-(800)-584-6837.

You may access the accompanying prospectus supplement, index supplement and prospectus on the SEC website at.www.sec.gov as follows:

- Prospectus supplement dated November 16, 2017:
  <a href="https://www.sec.gov/Archives/edgar/data/895421/000095010317011241/dp82788">https://www.sec.gov/Archives/edgar/data/895421/000095010317011241/dp82788</a> 424b2-seriesa.htm
- t Index supplement dated November 16, 2017: https://www.sec.gov/Archives/edgar/data/895421/000095010317011283/dp82797 424b2-indexsupp.htm
  - Prospectus dated November 16, 2017: https://www.sec.gov/Archives/edgar/data/895421/000095010317011237/dp82798 424b2-base.htm

References to "MSFL" refer only to MSFL, references to "Morgan Stanley" refer only to Morgan Stanley and references to "we," "our" and "us" refer to MSFL and Morgan Stanley collectively. In this document, the "Securities" refers to the Allocation Securities that are offered hereby. Also, references to the accompanying "prospectus", "prospectus supplement" and "index supplement" mean the prospectus filed by MSFL and Morgan Stanley dated November 16, 2017, the prospectus supplement filed by MSFL and Morgan Stanley dated November 16, 2017, respectively.

You should rely only on the information incorporated by reference or provided in this free writing prospectus or the accompanying prospectus supplement, index supplement and prospectus. We have not authorized anyone to provide you with different information. We are not making an offer of these securities in any state where the offer is not permitted. You should not assume that the information in this free writing prospectus or the accompanying prospectus supplement, index supplement and prospectus is accurate as of any date other than the date on the front of this document.

The Issue Price of each Security is \$10. This price includes costs associated with issuing, selling, structuring and hedging the Securities, which are borne by you, and, consequently, the estimated value of the Securities on the Trade

Date will be less than \$10. We estimate that the value of each Security on the Trade Date will be approximately \$9.451, or within \$0.30 of that estimate. Our estimate of the value of the Securities as determined on the Trade Date will be set forth in the final pricing supplement.

What goes into the estimated value on the Trade Date?

In valuing the Securities on the Trade Date, we take into account that the Securities comprise both a debt component and a performance-based component linked to the Underlying. The estimated value of the Securities is determined using our own pricing and valuation models, market inputs and assumptions relating to the Underlyings, instruments based on the Underlyings, volatility and other factors including current and expected interest rates, as well as an interest rate related to our secondary market credit spread, which is the implied interest rate at which our conventional fixed rate debt trades in the secondary market.

What determines the economic terms of the Securities?

In determining the economic terms of the Securities, including the Basket Weighting percentages, we use an internal funding rate, which is likely to be lower than our secondary market credit spreads and therefore advantageous to us. If the issuing, selling, structuring and hedging costs borne by you were lower or if the internal funding rate were higher, one or more of the economic terms of the Securities would be more favorable to you.

What is the relationship between the estimated value on the Trade Date and the secondary market price of the Securities?

The price at which MS & Co. purchases the Securities in the secondary market, absent changes in market conditions, including those related to the Underlyings, may vary from, and be lower than, the estimated value on the Trade Date, because the secondary market price takes into account our secondary market credit spread as well as the bid-offer spread that MS & Co. would charge in a secondary market transaction of this type and other factors. However, because the costs associated with issuing, selling, structuring and hedging the Securities are not fully deducted upon issuance, for a period of up to 12 months following the Settlement Date, to the extent that MS & Co. may buy or sell the Securities in the secondary market, absent changes in market conditions, including those related to the Underlyings, and to our secondary market credit spreads, it would do so based on values higher than the estimated value. We expect that those higher values will also be reflected in your brokerage account statements.

MS & Co. currently intends, but is not obligated, to make a market in the Securities, and, if it once chooses to make a market, may cease doing so at any time.

## **Investor Suitability**

## The Securities may be suitable for you if:

- t You fully understand the risks inherent in an investment in the Securities, including the risk of loss of your entire initial investment.
- t You can tolerate a loss of some or all of your investment and are willing to make an investment that has the same downside market risk as the Underlyings included in the Basket.
- t You understand the characteristics of the Underlyings.
- t You believe that the Allocated Basket Return will be positive.
- t You believe that one Underlying will outperform the other Underlyings, but are uncertain as to which Underlying will perform best. Therefore, you prefer an investment that allocates a higher weighting to the Underlying with the best performance
- t You can tolerate fluctuations in the price of the Securities prior to maturity that may be similar to or exceed the downside fluctuations in the level of the Underlyings.
- t You do not seek current income from your investment and are willing to forgo dividends paid on the Underlyings included in the Basket.
- t You are willing to hold the Securities to maturity, as set forth on the cover of this free writing prospectus, and accept

## The Securities may not be suitable for you if:

- t You do not fully understand the risks inherent in an investment in the Securities, including the risk of loss of some or all of your initial investment.
- t You require an investment designed to provide a full return of principal at maturity.
- t You cannot tolerate a loss of some or all of your investment and are unwilling to make an investment that has the same downside market risk as the Underlyings included in the Basket.
- t You do not understand the characteristics of the Underlyings.
- t You believe that the Allocated Basket Return will be negative or that the Allocated Basket return will not be sufficiently positive to provide you with your desired return.
- t You believe that the level of all three Underlyings will decline over the term of the Securities or that none of the three Underlyings will appreciate sufficiently for a positive Allocated Basket Return.
- t You cannot tolerate fluctuations in the price of the Securities prior to maturity that may be similar to or exceed the downside fluctuations in the level of the Underlyings.

the risk that there may be little or no secondary market for the t Securities.

- t You seek current income from this investment or prefer to receive the dividends paid on the Underlyings included in the Basket.
- t You are willing to assume our credit risk for all payments under the Securities, and understand that if we default on our obligations you may not receive any amounts due to you and could lose your entire investment.
- t You are unable or unwilling to hold the Securities to maturity, as set forth on the cover of this free writing prospectus, or you seek an investment for which there will be an active secondary market.
- t You are not willing to assume our credit risk for all payments under the Securities.

The investor suitability considerations identified above are not exhaustive. Whether or not the Securities are a suitable investment for you will depend on your individual circumstances, and you should reach an investment decision only after you and your investment, legal, tax, accounting and other advisors have carefully considered the suitability of an investment in the Securities in light of your particular circumstances. You should also review carefully the sections entitled "Key Risks" beginning on page 5 of this free writing prospectus and "Risk Factors" beginning on page 7 of the accompanying prospectus for risks related to an investment in the Securities. For additional information about the Underlyings, see the information set forth under "The S&P 500® Index," "The MSCI EAPEIndex" and "The MSCI Emerging Markets Index" beginning on page 16.

Terms

Issuer Morgan Stanley Finance LLC

Guarantor: Morgan Stanley

Issue Price (per Security)

\$10.00

Principal

Amount

\$10.00 per Security (subject to a minimum investment of 100 Securities).

Term Approximately 5 years

The Securities are linked to a weighted Basket consisting of the S&P 500<sup>®</sup> Index, the MSCI EAFE<sup>®</sup>

**Basket** Index and the MSCI Emerging Markets Index<sup>SM</sup>, each of which we refer to as an "Underlying" and

together as the "Underlyings."

MSFL will pay you a cash Payment at Maturity linked to the performance of the Basket during the

term of the Securities, as follows:

Payment at  $10 + [10 \times Allocated Basket Return];$ 

Maturity

(per Security) If the Allocated Basket Return is negative, you will lose 1% of your Principal Amount for every 1% of

the negative Allocated Basket Return, resulting in a loss of principal proportionate to the negative Allocated Basket Return. Under these circumstances, you will lose some, and possibly all, of your

Principal Amount.

Valuation Date December 27, 2023

Maturity Date December 29, 2023

For each Underlying, the return of such Underlying is calculated as:

Underlying

Return Final Level – Initial Level

Initial Level

On the Final Valuation Date, the Allocated Basket Return is calculated as:

Allocated Basket Return

(Best Underlying Return  $\times$  70% to 74%\*) + (Second-Best Underlying Return  $\times$  30% to

26%\*) + (Worst Underlying Return × 0%)

\*The actual applicable percentages will be determined on the Trade Date.

The Underlying Return of the Underlying with the highest Underlying Return (whether

positive or negative).

Best Underlying Return

Second-Best Underlying The Underlying Return of the Underlying with the second-highest Underlying Return

(whether positive or negative).

Worst Underlying

Return

Final Level

The Underlying Return of the Underlying with the lowest Underlying Return (whether

Return positive or negative).

Initial Level With respect to each Underlying, the Closing Level of such Underlying on the Trade Date.

With respect to each Underlying, the Closing Level of such Underlying on the Final Valuation

Date.

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Calculation Agent ("MS & Co.")

#### **Investment Timeline**

## Trade Date

The Initial Levels are determined. The actual applicable percentages to be used in calculating the

Allocated Basket Return are set.

The Final Levels and Allocated Basket Return are determined as of the Final Valuation Date.

At maturity, MSFL will pay you:

# Maturity Date

 $10 + [10 \times Allocated Basket Return]$ 

**If the Allocated Basket Return is negative,** MSFL will pay you less than the Principal Amount per Security, if anything, resulting in a loss of principal that is proportionate to the negative Allocated Basket Return. In this scenario, you will lose some, and possibly all, of your Principal Amount.

Investing in the Securities involves significant risks. You may lose some or all of your PRINCIPAL AMOUNT. Any payment on the Securities is subject to our creditworthiness. If WE were to default on OUR payment obligations, you may not receive any amounts owed to you under the Securities and you could lose your entire investment.

#### Key Risks

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An investment in the Securities involves significant risks. Some of the risks that apply to the Securities are summarized here, but we urge you to also read the "Risk Factors" section of the accompanying prospectus. You should also consult your investment, legal, tax, accounting and other advisers before you invest in the Securities.

Your investment in the Securities may result in a loss of your initial investment. The terms of the Securities differ from those of ordinary debt securities in that we will not pay you interest on the Securities or guarantee to pay you any of the Principal Amount of the Securities at maturity. Instead, we will pay you at maturity for each \$10 Principal Amount of Securities that you hold an amount in cash based upon the allocated performance of the Basket, tas measured on the Final Valuation Date. If the Allocated Basket Return is positive, MSFL will repay the Principal Amount at maturity and pay a return equal to the Allocated Basket Return. However, if the Allocated Basket Return is negative, you will be exposed to the full negative Allocated Basket Return and MSFL will pay you an amount that is less than the full Principal Amount at maturity, if anything, resulting in a loss of principal that is proportionate to the negative Allocated Basket Return. Accordingly, you could lose your entire initial investment.

You may incur a loss on your investment if you sell your Securities prior to maturity. You should be willing to hold your Securities to maturity. If you are able to sell your Securities prior to maturity in the secondary market, you may have to sell them at a loss relative to your initial investment even if the Underlyings have not decreased from their respective Initial Levels at the time of sale.

Changes in the value of one of the Underlyings may offset changes in the value of the others. Movements in the values of the Underlyings may not correlate with each other. At a time when the value of one Underlying increases in value, the value of the other Underlyings may not increase as much, or may even decline in value. Therefore, in calculating the Allocated Basket Return, increases in the value of one Underlying may be moderated, or wholly offset, by lesser increases or declines in the value of the other Underlyings. Although the best-performing Underlying will be the most heavily weighted Underlying and the worst-performing Underlying will be weighted at zero, the return of the best-performing Underlying may not be positive or may not be large enough to counterbalance the negative Underlying Return from the second-best-performing Underlying. In such a case, the allocation of the weightings of the Underlyings based on their respective performances will not prevent you from losing some or all of your investment. If the Allocated Basket Return is negative, you will receive at maturity an amount that is less than the amount of your original investment in the Securities, and which could be zero.

t **No interest payments.** MSFL will not make any interest payments in respect of the Securities.

The Securities are subject to our credit risk, and any actual or anticipated changes to our credit ratings or credit spreads may adversely affect the market value of the Securities. You are dependent on our ability to pay all amounts due on the Securities at maturity and therefore you are subject to our credit risk. If we default on our tobligations under the Securities, your investment would be at risk and you could lose some or all of your investment. As a result, the market value of the Securities prior to maturity will be affected by changes in the market's view of our creditworthiness. Any actual or anticipated decline in our credit ratings or increase in the credit spreads charged by the market for taking our credit risk is likely to adversely affect the market value of the Securities.

As a finance subsidiary, MSFL has no independent operations and will have no independent assets. As a finance subsidiary, MSFL has no independent operations beyond the issuance and administration of its securities and will have no independent assets available for distributions to holders of MSFL securities if they make claims in respect of such securities in a bankruptcy, resolution or similar proceeding. Accordingly, any recoveries by such holders will be limited to those available under the related guarantee by Morgan Stanley and that guarantee will rank pari passu with all other unsecured, unsubordinated obligations of Morgan Stanley. Holders will have recourse only to a single claim against Morgan Stanley and its assets under the guarantee. Holders of securities issued by MSFL should accordingly assume that in any such proceedings they would not have any priority over and should be treated pari passu with the claims of other unsecured, unsubordinated creditors of Morgan Stanley, including holders of Morgan Stanley-issued securities.

The amount payable on the Securities is not linked to the levels of the Underlyings at any time other than the Final Valuation Date. The Allocated Basket Return will be based on the Final Levels of the Underlyings on the Final Valuation Date, subject to postponement for non-Index Business Days and certain Market Disruption Events. Even if some or all of the Underlyings appreciate prior to the Final Valuation Date but then drop by the Final tValuation Date, the Payment at Maturity may be significantly less than it would have been had the Payment at Maturity been linked to the levels of the Underlyings prior to such drop. Although the actual levels of the Underlyings on the stated Maturity Date or at other times during the term of the Securities may be higher than their Final Levels, the Payment at Maturity will be based solely on the Final Levels of the Underlyings on the Final Valuation Date as compared to their Initial Levels.

The market price of the Securities may be influenced by many unpredictable factors. Several factors, many of twhich are beyond our control, will influence the value of the Securities in the secondary market and the price at which MS & Co. may be willing to purchase or sell the Securities in the secondary market, including:

- o the value of each of the Underlyings at any time,
- o the volatility (frequency and magnitude of changes in price or value) of each of the Underlyings,
  - o dividend rates on the securities included in each of the Underlyings,
    - o interest and yield rates in the market,

geopolitical conditions and economic, financial, political, regulatory or judicial events that affect the Underlyings or stock markets generally and which may affect the Final Levels,

- o the time remaining until the Securities mature, and
- o any actual or anticipated changes in our credit ratings or credit spreads.

Some or all of these factors will influence the price that you will receive if you are able to sell your Securities prior to maturity, as the Securities are comprised of both a debt component and a performance-based component linked to the Underlyings, and these are the types of factors that also generally affect the values of debt securities and derivatives linked to the Underlyings. Generally, the longer the time remaining to maturity, the more the market price of the Securities will be affected by the other factors described above. For example, you may have to sell your Securities at a substantial discount from the Principal Amount of \$10 per Security if the values of the Underlyings at the time of sale are below, at or moderately above their Initial Levels or if market interest rates rise. You cannot predict the future performance of the Underlyings based on their historical performance. If the Allocated Basket Return is negative, you will receive at maturity an amount that is less than the \$10 Principal Amount of each Security (and which could be zero) by an amount proportionate to negative Allocated Basket Return. There can be no assurance that there will be any positive Allocated Basket Return such that you will receive at maturity an amount in excess of the Principal Amount of the Securities, or any amount at all.

Investing in the Securities is not equivalent to investing in the Underlyings. Investing in the Securities is not equivalent to investing in the Underlyings or investing in the component stocks of the Underlyings. Investors in the Securities will not have voting rights or rights to receive dividends or other distributions or any other rights with respect to stocks that constitute the Underlyings.

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The rate we are willing to pay for securities of this type, maturity and issuance size is likely to be lower than the rate implied by our secondary market credit spreads and advantageous to us. Both the lower rate and the inclusion of costs associated with issuing, selling, structuring and hedging the Securities in the Issue Price reduce the economic terms of the Securities, cause the estimated value of the Securities to be less than the Issue Price and will adversely affect secondary market prices. Assuming no change in market conditions or any other relevant factors, the prices, if any, at which dealers, including MS & Co., may be willing to purchase the Securities in secondary market transactions will likely be significantly lower than the Issue Price, because secondary market prices will exclude the issuing, selling, structuring and hedging-related costs that are included in the Issue Price and borne by you and because the secondary market prices will reflect our secondary market credit spreads and the bid-offer spread that any dealer would charge in a secondary market transaction of this type as well as other factors.

The inclusion of the costs of issuing, selling, structuring and hedging the Securities in the Issue Price and the lower rate we are willing to pay as issuer make the economic terms of the Securities less favorable to you than they otherwise would be.

However, because the costs associated with issuing, selling, structuring and hedging the Securities are not fully deducted upon issuance, for a period of up to 12 months following the Settlement Date, to the extent that MS & Co. may buy or sell the Securities in the secondary market, absent changes in market conditions, including those related to the Underlyings, and to our secondary market credit spreads, it would do so based on values higher than the estimated

value, and we expect that those higher values will also be reflected in your brokerage account statements.

The estimated value of the Securities is determined by reference to our pricing and valuation models, which may differ from those of other dealers and is not a maximum or minimum secondary market price. These pricing and valuation models are proprietary and rely in part on subjective views of certain market inputs and certain assumptions about future events, which may prove to be incorrect. As a result, because there is no market-standard way to value these types of securities, our models may yield a higher estimated value of the Securities than those tgenerated by others, including other dealers in the market, if they attempted to value the Securities. In addition, the estimated value on the Trade Date does not represent a minimum or maximum price at which dealers, including MS & Co., would be willing to purchase your Securities in the secondary market (if any exists) at any time. The value of your Securities at any time after the date of this free writing prospectus will vary based on many factors that cannot be predicted with accuracy, including our creditworthiness and changes in market conditions. See also "The market price of the Securities may be influenced by many unpredictable factors" above.

There are risks associated with investments in securities linked to the value of foreign equity (and especially emerging markets) securities. The MSCI EAFE® Index and the MSCI Emerging Markets Index<sup>SM</sup>, two of the Underlyings, are linked to the value of foreign equity securities. Investments in securities linked to the value of foreign equity securities involve risks associated with the securities markets in those countries, including risks of volatility in those markets, governmental intervention in those markets and cross-shareholdings in companies in certain countries. Also, there is generally less publicly available information about foreign companies than about U.S. companies that are subject to the reporting requirements of the United States Securities and Exchange Commission, and foreign companies are subject to accounting, auditing and financial reporting standards and requirements different from those applicable to U.S. reporting companies. The prices of securities issued in foreign markets may be affected by political, economic, financial and social factors in those countries, or global regions, including changes in government, economic and fiscal policies and currency exchange laws. In addition, the stocks included in the MSCI Emerging Markets Index<sup>SM</sup> have been issued by companies in various emerging markets countries, which pose further risks in addition to the risks associated with investing in foreign equity markets generally. Countries with emerging markets may have relatively unstable governments, may present the risks of nationalization of businesses, restrictions on foreign ownership and prohibitions on the repatriation of assets, and may have less protection of property rights than more developed countries. The economies of countries with emerging markets may be based on only a few industries, may be highly vulnerable to changes in local or global trade conditions, and may suffer from extreme and volatile debt burdens or inflation rates, Local securities markets may trade a small number of securities and may be unable to respond effectively to increases in trading volume, potentially making prompt liquidation of holdings difficult or impossible at times. Moreover, the economies in such countries may differ favorably or unfavorably from the economy in the United States in such respects as growth of gross national product, rate of inflation, capital reinvestment, resources, self-sufficiency and balance of payment positions.

The Securities will not be listed on any securities exchange and secondary trading may be limited. The tSecurities will not be listed on any securities exchange. Therefore, there may be little or no secondary market for the Securities. MS & Co. currently intends, but is not

obligated, to make a market in the Securities and, if it once chooses to make a market, may cease doing so at any time. When it does make a market, it will generally do so for transactions of routine secondary market size at prices based on its estimate of the current value of the Securities, taking into account its bid/offer spread, our credit spreads, market volatility, the notional size of the proposed sale, the cost of unwinding any related hedging positions, the time remaining to maturity and the likelihood that it will be able to resell the Securities. Even if there is a secondary market, it may not provide enough liquidity to allow you to trade or sell the Securities easily. Since other broker-dealers may not participate significantly in the secondary market for the Securities, the prices at which you may be able to trade your Securities is likely to depend on the price, if any, at which MS & Co. is willing to transact. If, at any time, MS & Co. were to cease making a market in the Securities, it is likely that there would be no secondary market for the Securities. Accordingly, you should be willing to hold your Securities to maturity.

Potential conflict of interest. As Calculation Agent, MS & Co. will determine the Initial Levels, the Final Levels, the Basket Weightings, the Allocated Basket Return and whether any Market Disruption Event has occurred, and will calculate the amount payable at maturity, if any. Moreover, certain determinations made by MS & Co., in its capacity as Calculation Agent, may require it to exercise discretion and make subjective judgments, such as with respect to the occurrence or non-occurrence of Market Disruption Events and the selection of a Successor Index or calculation of a Final Level in the event of a discontinuance of the Underlying or a Market Disruption Event. These potentially subjective determinations may adversely affect the payout to you at maturity, if any. For further information regarding these types of determinations, see "Additional Terms of the Securities—Postponement of Final Valuation Date and Maturity Date," "—Discontinuance of any Underlying; Alteration of Method of Calculation," "—Calculation Agent and Calculations "below. In addition, MS & Co. has determined the estimated value of the Securities on the Trade Date.

#### Hedging and trading activity by our subsidiaries could potentially adversely affect the value of the Securities.

One or more of our affiliates and/or third-party dealers expect to carry out hedging activities related to the Securities, including trading in the stocks that constitute the Underlyings, in futures or options contracts on the Underlyings or the constituent stocks of the Underlyings, as well as in other instruments related to the Underlyings. As a result, these entities may be unwinding or adjusting hedge positions during the term of the Securities, and the hedging strategy may involve greater and more frequent dynamic adjustments to the hedge as the Final Valuation Date approaches.

MS & Co. and some of our other affiliates also trade the stocks that constitute the Underlyings, in futures or options contracts on the constituent stocks of the Underlyings, as well as in other instruments related to the Underlyings, on a regular basis as part of their general broker-dealer and other businesses. Any of these hedging or trading activities on or prior to the Trade Date could potentially increase the Initial Levels of the Underlyings, and, therefore, could increase the levels at or above which the Underlyings must close on the Final Valuation Date so that investors do not suffer a loss on their initial investment in the Securities. Additionally, such hedging or trading activities during the term of the Securities, including on the Final Valuation Date, could adversely affect the Closing Levels of the Underlyings on the Final Valuation Date, and, accordingly, the amount of cash payable at maturity, if any.

**Uncertain tax treatment**. Please note that the discussions in this free writing prospectus concerning the U.S. federal tincome tax consequences of an investment in the Securities supersede the discussions contained in the accompanying prospectus supplement.

Subject to the discussion under "What Are the Tax Consequences of the Securities" in this free writing prospectus, although there is uncertainty regarding the U.S. federal income tax consequences of an investment in the Securities due to the lack of governing authority, in the opinion of our counsel, Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP ("our counsel"),

under current law, and based on current market conditions, each Security should be treated as a single financial contract that is an "open transaction" for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

If the Internal Revenue Service (the "IRS") were successful in asserting an alternative treatment for the Securities, the timing and character of income on the Securities might differ significantly from the tax treatment described herein. For example, under one possible treatment, the IRS could seek to recharacterize the Securities as debt instruments. In that event, U.S. Holders (as defined below) would be required to accrue into income original issue discount on the Securities every year at a "comparable yield" determined at the time of issuance and recognize all income and gain in respect of the Securities as ordinary income. We do not plan to request a ruling from the IRS regarding the tax treatment of the Securities, and the IRS or a court may not agree with the tax treatment described in this free writing prospectus.

In 2007, the U.S. Treasury Department and the IRS released a notice requesting comments on the U.S. federal income tax treatment of "prepaid forward contracts" and similar instruments. The notice focuses in particular on whether to require holders of these instruments to accrue income over the term of their investment. It also asks for comments on a number of related topics, including the character of income or loss with respect to these instruments; whether short-term instruments should be subject to any such accrual regime; the relevance of factors such as the exchange-traded status of the instruments and the nature of the underlying property to which the instruments are linked; the degree, if any, to which income (including any mandated accruals) realized by Non-U.S. Holders (as defined below) should be subject to withholding tax; and whether these instruments are or should be subject to the "constructive ownership" rule, which very generally can operate to recharacterize certain long-term capital gain as ordinary income and impose an interest charge. While the notice requests comments on appropriate transition rules and effective dates, any Treasury regulations or other guidance promulgated after consideration of these issues could materially and adversely affect the tax consequences of an investment in the Securities, possibly with retroactive effect.

Both U.S. and Non-U.S. Holders should read carefully the discussion under "What Are the Tax Consequences of the Securities" in this free writing prospectus and consult their tax advisers regarding all aspects of the U.S. federal tax consequences of an investment in the Securities as well as any tax consequences arising under the laws of any state, local or non-U.S. taxing jurisdiction.

## Hypothetical Payments on the Securities

The table and examples below are hypothetical and provided for illustrative purposes only. They do not purport to be representative of every possible scenario concerning positive or negative Allocated Basket Returns. You cannot predict the Allocated Basket Return or the Final Level of any Underlying on the Final Valuation Date. You should not take these examples as an indication or assurance of the expected performance of the Basket. The examples illustrate the Payment at Maturity for a \$10.00 Security on a hypothetical offering of the Securities, based on the following terms:\*

t Principal amount (per Security): \$10.00

t S&P 500<sup>®</sup> Index Initial Level: 2,500

t MSCI EAFE® Index Initial Level: 1,700

t MSCI Emerging Markets Index<sup>SM</sup> Initial Level: 1,000

Basket Weightings: 70% for the Underlying with the highest Underlying Return, 30% for the Underlying with the second-best Underlying Return and 0% for the Underlying with the lowest Underlying Return.

Allocated Basket Return	Payment at Maturity (Per Security)	<b>Total Return on the Securities</b>
I00.00%	\$20.00	I00.00%
90.00%	\$19.00	90.00%
80.00%	\$18.00	80.00%
O0.00%	\$17.00	O0.00%
N0.00%	\$16.00	N0.00%
M0.00%	\$15.00	M0.00%
L0.00%	\$14.00	L0.00%
K0.00%	\$13.00	K0.00%
J0.00%	\$12.00	J0.00%
I0.00%	\$11.00	I0.00%
M.00%	\$10.50	M.00%
H.00%	\$10.00	H.00%
-5.00%	\$9.50	-5.00%
-10.00%	\$9.00	-10.00%
-20.00%	\$8.00	-20.00%
-30.00%	\$7.00	-30.00%
-40.00%	\$6.00	-40.00%

<sup>\*</sup>The actual Initial Levels and Basket Weighting percentages will be determined on the Trade Date.

-50.00%	\$5.00	-50.00%
-60.00%	\$4.00	-60.00%
-70.00%	\$3.00	-70.00%
-80.00%	\$2.00	-80.00%
-90.00%	\$1.00	-90.00%
-100.00%	\$0.00	-100.00%

# Example 1

3,750 (Underlying Return: 50%) (Basket Weighting: 70%)

t S&P 500® Index Final Level:

t MSCI EAFE® Index Final Level: 2,125

(Underlying Return: 25%) (Basket Weighting: 30%)

- t MSCI Emerging Markets Index<sup>SM</sup> Final Level: 800 (Underlying Return: -20%) (Basket Weighting: 0%)
- t Payment at Maturity: \$14.25 (Return on \$10.00 investment: 42.50%)

# Example 2

t S&P 500® Index Final Level: 1,000 (Underlying Return: -60%) (Basket Weighting: 0%)

t MSCI EAFE® Index Final Level: 1,785
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(Underlying Return: 5%) (Basket Weighting: 70%)

t MSCI Emerging Markets Index<sup>SM</sup> Final Level: 500 (Underlying Return: -50%) (Basket Weighting: 30%)

t Payment at Maturity: \$8.85 (Return on \$10.00 investment: -11.50%)

## Example 3

t S&P 500® Index Final Level: 1,250

(Underlying Return: -50%) (Basket Weighting: 70%)

t MSCI EAFE® Index Final Level:

(Underlying Return: -60%) (Basket Weighting: 30%)

t MSCI Emerging Markets Index<sup>SM</sup> Final Level: 200 (Underlying Return: -80%) (Basket Weighting: 0%)

t Payment at Maturity: \$4.70 (Return on \$10.00 investment: -53.00%)

In Example 1, the return of the best-performing Underlying (S&P 500<sup>®</sup> Index) is 50% and the return of the second-best-performing Underlying (MSCI EAFE<sup>®</sup> Index) is 25%.

Allocated Basket Return =  $[(50\% \times 70\%) + (25\% \times 30\%) + (-20\% \times 0\%)] = 42.50\%$ 

As a result, we pay  $$10.00 + ($10.00 \times 42.50\%)$ , or \$14.25, at maturity.

In Example 2, the return of the best-performing Underlying (MSCI EAFE® Index) is 5% and the return of the second-best-performing Underlying (MSCI Emerging Markets Index<sup>SM</sup>) is -50%.

Allocated Basket Return =  $[(5\% \times 70\%) + (-50\% \times 30\%) + (-60\% \times 0\%)] = -11.50\%$ 

As a result, we pay  $$10.00 + ($10.00 \times -11.50\%)$ , or \$8.85, at maturity.

If the Best Underlying Return is not sufficiently positive to offset the decline in the Second-Best Underlying Return, you will lose some of your initial investment.

In Example 3, the return of the best-performing Underlying (S&P 500® Index) is -50% and the return of the second-best-performing Underlying (MSCI EAFE® Index) is -60%.

Allocated Basket Return =  $[(-50\% \times 70\%) + (-60\% \times 30\%) + (-80\% \times 0\%)] = -53.00\%$ 

As a result, we pay  $10.00 + (10.00 \times -53.00\%)$ , or 4.70, at maturity.

If both the Best Underlying Return and the Second-Best Underlying Return are negative, you will lose some or all of your initial investment.

What Are the Tax Consequences of the Securities?

Prospective investors should note that the discussion under the section called "United States Federal Taxation" in the accompanying prospectus supplement does not apply to the Securities issued under this free writing prospectus and is superseded by the following discussion.

The following summary is a general discussion of the principal U.S. federal income tax consequences and certain estate tax consequences of the ownership and disposition of the Securities. This discussion applies only to investors in the Securities who:

t purchase the Securities in the original offering; and

hold the Securities as capital assets within the meaning of Section 1221 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code").

This discussion does not describe all of the tax consequences that may be relevant to a holder in light of the holder's particular circumstances or to holders subject to special rules, such as:

t certain financial institutions;

t insurance companies;

t certain dealers and traders in securities or commodities;

investors holding the Securities as part of a "straddle," wash sale, conversion transaction, integrated transaction or constructive sale transaction;

t U.S. Holders (as defined below) whose functional currency is not the U.S. dollar;