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This document, for which we accept full responsibility, includes particulars given in compliance with the Rules Governing the Listing of Securities on the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "**Rules**") for the purpose of giving information with regard to us. We, having made all reasonable enquiries, confirm that to the best of our knowledge and belief the information contained in this document is accurate and complete in all material respects and not misleading or deceptive, and there are no other matters the omission of which would make any statement herein or this document misleading.

This document is for information purposes only and does not constitute an invitation or offer to acquire, purchase or subscribe for the CBBCs.

The CBBCs are complex products. Investors should exercise caution in relation to them. Investors are warned that the price of the CBBCs may fall in value as rapidly as it may rise and holders may sustain a total loss of their investment. Prospective purchasers should therefore ensure that they understand the nature of the CBBCs and carefully study the risk factors set out in the Base Listing Document (as defined below) and this document and, where necessary, seek professional advice, before they invest in the CBBCs.

The CBBCs constitute general unsecured contractual obligations of us as the Issuer and of no other person and will rank equally among themselves and with all our other unsecured obligations (save for those obligations preferred by law) upon liquidation. If you purchase the CBBCs, you are relying upon the creditworthiness of us, and have no rights under the CBBCs against the Trust which has issued the underlying Units, the trustee or manager of the Trust or any other person. If we become insolvent or default on our obligations under the CBBCs, you may not be able to recover all or even part of the amount due under the CBBCs (if any).

# **Non-collateralised Structured Products**

Launch Announcement and Supplemental Listing Document for Callable Bull/Bear Contracts over Single Unit Trusts



Issuer: UBS AG (incorporated with limited liability in Switzerland) acting through its London Branch

**Sponsor: UBS Securities Asia Limited** 

# **Key Terms**

CBBCs Stock code	58565	
Liquidity Provider broker ID	9763	
Issue size	100,000,000 CBBCs	
Style / Category	European style cash settled category R	
Туре	Bull	
Trust	Hang Seng China Enterprises Index ETF	
Units	Existing issued HKD-traded units of the Trust (stock code: 2828)	
Board Lot	20,000 CBBCs	
Issue Price per CBBC	HKD 0.250	
Funding Cost per CBBC as of Launch Date <sup>1</sup>		
	The funding cost will fluctuate throughout the life of the CBBCs	
Strike Price	HKD 77.000	
Call Price	HKD 78.000	
Cash Settlement Amount per Board Lot (if any) payable at	yable at	
expiry	For a series of bull CBBCs:	
	Entitlement x (Closing Price - Strike Price) x one Board Lot	
	Number of CBBC(s) per Entitlement	
	For a series of bear CBBCs:	
	Entitlement x (Strike Price - Closing Price) x one Board Lot	
	Number of CBBC(s) per Entitlement	
Closing Price <sup>2</sup>	The official closing price of the relevant Unit (as derived from the Daily Quotation Sheet of the Stock Exchange) on the Valuation Date.	
Entitlement	1 Unit	
Number of CBBC(s) per Entitlement	100 CBBC(s)	
Maximum number of Units to which the CBBCs relate	1,000,000 Units	
Launch Date	9 December 2021	
Issue Date	13 December 2021	
Listing Date <sup>3</sup>	14 December 2021	
Observation Commencement Date <sup>3</sup>	14 December 2021	
Valuation Date <sup>4</sup>	The Trading Day (being a day on which the Stock Exchange is scheduled to open for trading for its regular trading sessions) immediately preceding the Expiry Date.	
Expiry Date <sup>5</sup>	24 November 2022	
Settlement Date	The third CCASS Settlement Day after (i) the end of the MCE Valuation Period or (ii) the later of: (a) the Expiry Date; and (b) the day on which the Closing Price is determined in accordance with the Conditions (as the case may be)	
Settlement Currency	Hong Kong Dollars	
Effective Gearing <sup>6</sup>	3.51x	
Gearing <sup>6</sup>	3.51x	
Premium <sup>6</sup>	16.36%	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The funding cost is calculated in accordance with the following formula:

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Funding Cost

Entitlement x (Strike Price x funding rate x n / 365) Number of CBBC(s) per Entitlement

# Where,

- (i) "n" is the number of days remaining to expiration; initially, "n" is the number of days from (and including) the Launch Date to (and including) the trading day immediately preceding the Expiry Date; and
- (ii) the funding rate will fluctuate throughout the term of the CBBCs as further described in the "Key Risk Factors" section in this document. As of the Launch Date, the funding rate was 19.4215%.

 $^{2}$ Subject to any adjustment to such closing price as may be necessary to reflect any event as contemplated in Condition 6 such as capitalisation, rights issue, distribution or the like.

<sup>3</sup> During the period between the Launch Date and the scheduled Listing Date (both dates exclusive), if any severe weather occurs on any Business Day which either results in the Stock Exchange (i) being closed for trading for the entire day; or (ii) being closed prior to its regular time for close of trading for the relevant day, the Listing Date will be postponed (without any further notice or announcement) such that there is a period of two Business Days not affected by the aforementioned event(s) between the Launch Date and the postponed Listing Date (both dates exclusive). In such case, the Observation Commencement Date will also be postponed to the postponed Listing Date.

<sup>4</sup> Subject to any potential postponement upon the occurrence of a Market Disruption Event. Please see Condition 2 for details.

<sup>5</sup> If such day is a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday in Hong Kong, the immediately succeeding day which is not a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday in Hong Kong.

<sup>6</sup> This data may fluctuate during the life of the CBBCs and may not be comparable to similar information provided by other issuers of callable bull/bear contracts. Each issuer may use different pricing models.

# IMPORTANT INFORMATION The CBBCs are listed structured products which involve derivatives. Do not invest in them unless you fully understand and are willing to assume the risks associated with them.

What documents should you read before investing in the CBBCs? You must read this document together with our base listing document dated 23 March 2021 (the "Base Listing Document"), as supplemented by any addendum thereto (together, the "Listing Documents"), in particular the section "Terms and Conditions of Cash Settled Callable Bull/Bear Contracts over Single Unit Trusts" (the "Conditions") set out in our Base Listing Document. This document (as read in conjunction with our Base Listing Document and each addendum referred to in the section headed "Product Summary Statement") is accurate as at the date of this document. You should carefully study the risk factors set out in the Listing Documents. You should also consider your financial position and investment objectives before deciding to invest in the CBBCs. We cannot give you investment advice. You must decide whether the CBBCs meet your investment needs before investing in the CBBCs.

# Is there any guarantee or collateral for the CBBCs?

No. Our obligations under the CBBCs are neither guaranteed by any third party, nor collateralised with any of our assets or other collaterals. When you purchase our CBBCs, you are relying on our creditworthiness only, and of no other person. If we become insolvent or default on our obligations under the CBBCs, you can only claim as an unsecured creditor of the Issuer. In such event, you may not be able to recover all or even part of the amount due under the CBBCs (if any).

# What are the Issuer's credit ratings?

The Issuer's long term credit ratings are:

Rating agency	Rating as of the
	Launch Date
Moody's Deutschland GmbH	Aa3 (stable outlook)
S&P Global Ratings Europe Limited	A+ (stable outlook)

Rating agencies usually receive a fee from the companies that they rate. When evaluating our creditworthiness, you should not solely rely on our credit ratings because:

- a credit rating is not a recommendation to buy, sell or hold the CBBCs;
- ratings of companies may involve difficult-to-quantify factors such as market competition, the success or failure of new products and markets and managerial competence;
- a high credit rating is not necessarily indicative of low risk. Our credit ratings as of the Launch Date are for reference only. Any downgrading of our credit ratings could result in a reduction in the value of the CBBCs;
- a credit rating is not an indication of the liquidity or volatility of the CBBCs; and
- a credit rating may be downgraded if our credit quality declines.

### The CBBCs are not rated.

The Issuer's credit ratings are subject to change or withdrawal at any time within each rating agency's sole discretion. You should conduct your own research using publicly available sources to obtain the latest information with respect to the Issuer's ratings from time to time.

# Is the Issuer regulated by the Hong Kong Monetary Authority referred to in Rule 15A.13(2) or the Securities and Futures Commission referred to in Rule 15A.13(3)?

We are a licensed bank regulated by the Hong Kong Monetary Authority. We are also authorised and regulated by the Financial Market Supervisory Authority in Switzerland, and authorised by the Prudential Regulation Authority and subject to regulation by the Financial Conduct Authority and limited regulation by the Prudential Regulation Authority in the United Kingdom.

# Is the Issuer subject to any litigation?

Save as disclosed in the Listing Documents, we and our subsidiaries are not aware of any litigation or claims of material importance pending or threatened against us or them.

**Has our financial position changed since last financial year-end?** There has been no material adverse change in our financial or trading position since 31 December 2020.

# PRODUCT SUMMARY STATEMENT

The CBBCs are listed structured products which involve derivatives. This statement provides you with key information about the CBBCs. You should not invest in the CBBCs based on the information contained in this statement alone. You should read and understand the remaining sections of this document, together with the other Listing Documents, before deciding whether to invest.

# **Overview of the CBBCs**

# • What is a CBBC?

A CBBC linked to the units of a trust is an instrument which tracks the performance of the underlying units.

The trading price of the CBBCs tends to follow closely the movement in the price of the underlying Units in dollar value.

Similar to a derivative warrant, a CBBC may provide a leveraged return to you. Conversely, such leverage could also magnify your losses.

A bull CBBC is designed for an investor holding a view that the price of the underlying units will increase during the term of the CBBC.

A bear CBBC is designed for an investor holding a view that the price of the underlying units will decrease during the term of the CBBC.

# • How do the CBBCs work?

The CBBCs are European style cash settled callable bull/bear contracts linked to the underlying Units. Subject to no occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event (see "Mandatory call feature" below), the CBBCs can only be exercised on the Expiry Date.

# Mandatory call feature

A Mandatory Call Event occurs if the Spot Price is at or below (in respect of a series of bull CBBCs) or at or above (in respect of a series of bear CBBCs) the Call Price at any time during a Trading Day in the Observation Period.

The Observation Period commences from the Observation Commencement Date to the Trading Day immediately preceding the Expiry Date (both dates inclusive). "**Trading Day**" means any day on which the Stock Exchange is scheduled to open for trading for its regular trading sessions.

Upon the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event, trading in the CBBCs will be suspended immediately and, subject to the limited circumstances set out in the Conditions in which a Mandatory Call Event may be reversed, the CBBCs will be terminated and all Post MCE Trades will be invalid and will be cancelled and will not be recognised by us or the Stock Exchange. The term "**Post MCE Trades**" means subject to such modification and amendment prescribed by the Stock Exchange from time to time, (a) in the case where the Mandatory Call Event occurs during a continuous trading session, all trades in the CBBCs concluded via auto-matching or manually after the time of the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event, and (b) in the case where the Mandatory Call Event occurs during a preopening session or a closing auction session (if applicable), all auction trades in the CBBCs concluded in such session and all manual trades concluded after the end of the pre-order matching period in such session.

The time at which a Mandatory Call Event occurs will be determined by reference to the Stock Exchange's automatic order matching and execution system time at which the Spot Price is at or below (in respect of a series of bull CBBCs) or at or above (in respect of a series of bear CBBCs) the Call Price.

# **Residual Value calculation**

The CBBCs are Category R as the Call Price is different from the Strike Price. Upon the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event, the holder may be entitled to a cash amount called the "**Residual Value**" net of any Exercise Expenses (as defined under the heading "Exercise Expenses" in the sub-section titled "What are the fees and charges?" below).

The Residual Value will be calculated in accordance with a formula by reference to the lowest Spot Price (in respect of a series of bull CBBCs) or the highest Spot Price (in respect of a series of bear CBBCs) of the underlying Units in the trading session during which a Mandatory Call Event occurs and in the following session, subject to potential extension as further described in Condition 2.

The Residual Value per Board Lot (if any) payable is calculated as follows:

In respect of a series of bull CBBCs:

Entitlement x (Minimum Trade Price - Strike Price) x one Board Lot Number of CBBC(s) per Entitlement

In respect of a series of bear CBBCs:

# Entitlement x (Strike Price - Maximum Trade Price) x one Board Lot Number of CBBC(s) per Entitlement

Where:

"**Minimum Trade Price**" means, in respect of a series of bull CBBCs, the lowest Spot Price of the underlying Units (subject to any adjustment to such Spot Price as may be necessary to reflect any event as contemplated in Condition 6 such as capitalisation, rights issue, distribution or the like) during the MCE Valuation Period;

"**Maximum Trade Price**" means, in respect of a series of bear CBBCs, the highest Spot Price of the underlying Units (subject to any adjustment to such Spot Price as may be necessary to reflect any event as contemplated in Condition 6 such as capitalisation, rights issue, distribution or the like) during the MCE Valuation Period;

"MCE Valuation Period" means, subject to any extension (as described in further detail in the Conditions), the period commencing from and including the moment upon which the Mandatory Call Event occurs and up to the end of the following trading session on the Stock Exchange; and

# "Spot Price" means:

(i) in respect of a continuous trading session of the Stock Exchange, the price per Unit concluded by means of automatic order matching on the Stock Exchange as reported in the official real-time dissemination mechanism for the Stock Exchange during such continuous trading session in accordance with the Rules of the Exchange (the "**Trading Rules**"), excluding direct business (as defined in the Trading Rules); and

(ii) in respect of a pre-opening session or a closing auction session (if applicable) of the Stock Exchange (as the case may be), the final Indicative Equilibrium Price (as defined in the Trading Rules) of the Unit (if any) calculated at the end of the pre-order matching period of such pre-opening session or closing auction session (if applicable) (as the case may be) in accordance with the Trading Rules, excluding direct business (as defined in the Trading Rules),

subject to such modification and amendment prescribed by the Stock Exchange from time to time.

# If the Residual Value is equal to or less than the Exercise Expenses (if any), you will lose all of your investment.

# At expiry

If a Mandatory Call Event has not occurred during the Observation Period, the CBBCs will be terminated on the Expiry Date.

A bull CBBC will be automatically exercised at expiry without the need for the holder to deliver an exercise notice if the Closing Price is above the Strike Price. The more the Closing Price is above the Strike Price, the higher the payoff at expiry. If the Closing Price is at or below the Strike Price, you will lose all of your investment in the bull CBBC.

A bear CBBC will be automatically exercised at expiry without the need for the holder to deliver an exercise notice if the Closing Price is below the Strike Price, the higher the payoff at expiry. If the Closing Price is at or above the Strike Price, you will lose all of your investment in the bear CBBC.

Upon the automatic exercise of the CBBCs, the holder is entitled to a cash amount called the "**Cash Settlement Amount**" net of any Exercise Expenses (as defined under the heading "Exercise Expenses" in the sub-section titled "What are the fees and charges?" below) according to the terms and conditions in the Listing Documents. If the Cash Settlement Amount is equal to or less than the Exercise Expenses (if any), you will lose all of your investment in the CBBCs.

# • Can you sell the CBBCs before the Expiry Date?

Yes. We have made an application for listing of, and permission to deal in, the CBBCs on the Stock Exchange. All necessary arrangements have been made to enable the CBBCs to be admitted into the Central Clearing and Settlement System ("CCASS"). Issue of the CBBCs is conditional upon listing approval being granted. From the Listing Date up to the Trading Day immediately preceding the Expiry Date (both dates inclusive), you may sell or buy the CBBCs on the Stock Exchange. No application has been made to list the CBBCs on any other stock exchange.

The CBBCs may only be transferred in a Board Lot (or integral multiples thereof). Where a transfer of CBBCs takes place on the Stock Exchange, currently settlement must be made not later than two CCASS Settlement Days after such transfer.

The Liquidity Provider will make a market in the CBBCs by providing bid and/or ask prices. See the section headed "Liquidity" below.

# • What is your maximum loss?

The maximum loss in the CBBCs will be your entire investment amount plus any transaction costs.

# • What are the factors determining the price of a CBBC?

The price of a CBBC linked to the units of a trust generally depends on the price of the underlying units (being the underlying Units for the CBBCs). However, throughout the term of the CBBCs, the price of the CBBCs will be influenced by a number of factors, including:

- the Strike Price and Call Price of the CBBCs;
- the likelihood of the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event;
  - the probable range of Residual Value (if any) upon the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event;
- the time remaining to expiry;
- the interim interest rates and expected distributions on the underlying Units;
- the supply and demand for the CBBCs;
- the probable range of the Cash Settlement Amount;
- the depth of the market and liquidity of the underlying Units;
- our related transaction costs; and
- the creditworthiness of the Issuer.

Although the price of the CBBCs tends to follow closely the movement in the price of the underlying Units in dollar value, movements in the price of the CBBCs are affected by a number of factors (including those as set out above) and may not always follow closely the movements in the price of the underlying Units, especially when the Spot Price is close to the Call Price or there may be expected distributions during the life of the CBBCs. It is possible that the price of the CBBCs does not increase as much as the increase (in respect of the bull CBBCs) or decrease (in respect of the bear CBBCs) in the price of the underlying Units.

# **Risks of investing in the CBBCs**

You must read the section headed "Key Risk Factors" in this document together with the risk factors set out in our Base Listing Document. You should consider all these factors collectively when making your investment decision.

#### Liquidity

#### • How to contact the Liquidity Provider for quotes?

Liquidity Provider:	UBS Securities Hong Kong Limited
Address:	52/F, Two International Finance Centre, 8 Finance Street, Central, Hong Kong
Telephone Number:	+ 852 2971 6628

The Liquidity Provider is regulated by the Stock Exchange and the Securities and Futures Commission. It is an affiliate of the Issuer and will act as our agent in providing quotes. You can request a quote by calling the Liquidity Provider at the telephone number above.

# • What is the Liquidity Provider's maximum response time for a quote?

The Liquidity Provider will respond within 10 minutes and the quote will be displayed on the Stock Exchange's designated stock page for the CBBCs.

## • Maximum spread between bid and ask prices: 20 spreads

• Minimum quantity for which liquidity will be provided: 20 Board Lots

# What are the circumstances under which the Liquidity Provider is not obliged to provide liquidity?

There will be circumstances under which the Liquidity Provider is not obliged to provide liquidity. Such circumstances include:

- (i) upon the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event;
- (ii) during the first 5 minutes of each morning trading session or the first 5 minutes after trading commences for the first time on a trading day;
- (iii) during a pre-opening session or a closing auction session (if applicable) or any other circumstances as may be prescribed by the Stock Exchange;
- (iv) when the CBBCs or the underlying Unit are suspended from trading for any reason;
- (v) when there are no CBBCs available for market making activities. In such event, the Liquidity Provider shall continue to provide bid prices. CBBCs held by us or any of our affiliates in a fiduciary or agency capacity are not CBBCs available for market making activities;
- (vi) when there are operational and technical problems beyond the control of the Liquidity Provider hindering the ability of the Liquidity Provider to provide liquidity;
- (vii) if the underlying Units or the stock market experiences exceptional price movement and high volatility over a short period of time which materially affects the Liquidity Provider's ability to source a hedge or unwind an existing hedge; or
- (viii) if the theoretical value of the CBBCs is less than HK\$0.01. If the Liquidity Provider chooses to provide liquidity under this circumstance, both bid and ask prices will be made available.

You should read the sub-section entitled "Possible limited secondary market" under the "Key Risk Factors" section for further information on the key risks when the Liquidity Provider is not able to provide liquidity.

# How can you obtain further information?

#### • Information about the underlying Trust and the underlying Units

You may obtain information on the underlying Units (including the underlying Trust's financial statements) by visiting the Stock Exchange's website at *www.hkex.com.hk* or (if applicable) the underlying Trust's website(s) as follows:

#### **Underlying Trust**

Hang Seng China Enterprises Index ETF

# • Information about the CBBCs after issue

You may visit the Stock Exchange's website at *https://www.hkex.com.hk/products/securities/structured-products/overview?sc\_lang=en* or our website at *http://warrants.ubs.com/en* to obtain information on the CBBCs or any notice given by us or the Stock Exchange in relation to the CBBCs.

# • Information about us

You should read the section "Updated Information about Us" in this document. You may visit *http://www.ubs.com* to obtain general corporate information about us.

We have included references to websites in this document to indicate how further information may be obtained. Information appearing on those websites does not form part of the Listing Documents. We accept no responsibility for the accuracy or completeness of the information appearing on those websites. You should conduct your own due diligence (including without limitation web searches) to ensure that you are viewing the most up-to-date information.

# Website

www.hangsenginvestment.com

# What are the fees and charges?

# Trading Fees and Levies

For each transaction effected on the Stock Exchange, the following trading fees and levies calculated on the value of the consideration for the CBBCs will be payable by each of the seller and the buyer:

- (i) a trading fee of 0.005 per cent. charged by the Stock Exchange;
- (ii) a transaction levy of 0.0027 per cent. charged by the Securities and Futures Commission; and
- (iii) (with effect from 1 January 2022) a transaction levy of 0.00015 per cent. charged by the Financial Reporting Council.

The levy for the investor compensation fund is currently suspended.

# Exercise Expenses

You are responsible for any Exercise Expenses. Exercise Expenses mean any charges or expenses including any taxes or duties which are incurred in respect of the early termination of the CBBCs upon the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event or the exercise of the CBBCs at expiry. Any Exercise Expenses will be deducted from the Residual Value or the Cash Settlement Amount payable at expiry (if any, as the case may be). If the Residual Value or the Cash Settlement Amount payable at expiry (as the case may be) is equal to or less than the Exercise Expenses, no amount is payable. As at the date of this document, no Exercise Expenses are payable for cash settled callable bull/bear contracts (including the CBBCs).

# • Stamp Duty

No stamp duty is currently payable in Hong Kong on transfer of cash settled callable bull/bear contracts (including the CBBCs).

You should note that any transaction cost will reduce your gain or increase your loss under your investment in the CBBCs.

# What is the legal form of the CBBCs?

Each series of the CBBCs will be represented by a global certificate in the name of HKSCC Nominees Limited that is the only legal owner of the CBBCs. We will not issue definitive certificates for the CBBCs. You may arrange for your broker to hold the CBBCs in a securities account on your behalf, or if you have a CCASS Investor Participant securities account, you may arrange for the CBBCs to be held in such account. You will have to rely on the records of CCASS and/or the statements you receive from your brokers as evidence of your beneficial interest in the CBBCs.

# Can we adjust the terms or early terminate the CBBCs?

The occurrence of certain events (including, without limitation, a rights issue, bonus issue or cash distribution by the Trust, a subdivision or consolidation of the underlying Unit or a restructuring event affecting the Trust) may entitle us to adjust the terms and conditions of the CBBCs. However, we are not obliged to adjust the terms and conditions of the CBBCs for every event that affects the underlying Units.

We may early terminate the CBBCs if it becomes illegal or impracticable for us (i) to perform our obligations under the CBBCs as a result of a change in law event, or (ii) to maintain our hedging arrangement with respect to the CBBCs due to a change in law event. In such event, the amount payable by us (if any) will be the fair market value of the CBBCs less our cost of unwinding any related hedging arrangements as determined by us, which may be substantially less than your initial investment and may be zero.

Please refer to Conditions 3, 6 and 13 for details about adjustments or early termination events. Such events may negatively affect your investment and you may suffer a loss.

# Mode of settlement for the CBBCs

Subject to early termination upon the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event, the CBBCs will be automatically exercised on the Expiry Date in integral multiples of the Board Lot if the Cash Settlement Amount is positive. If the Cash Settlement Amount is zero or negative, or is equal to or less than the Exercise Expenses, you will lose all of your investment.

Upon the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event, the CBBCs will be early terminated and the holder is entitled to the Residual Value (if any) net of any Exercise Expenses.

We will deliver a cash amount in the Settlement Currency equal to the Residual Value or the Cash Settlement Amount payable at expiry net of any Exercise Expenses (if any) no later than the Settlement Date to HKSCC Nominees Limited (as the registered holder of the CBBCs), which will then distribute such amount to the securities account of your broker (and if applicable, its custodian) or to your CCASS Investor Participant securities account (as the case may be). You may have to rely on your broker (and if applicable, its custodian) to ensure that the Residual Value or the Cash Settlement Amount payable at expiry (if any) is credited to your account maintained with your broker. Once we make the payment to HKSCC Nominees Limited, who operates CCASS, you will have no further right against us for that payment, even if CCASS or your broker (and if applicable, its custodian) does not transfer your share of payment to you, or is late in making such payment transfer. Payment of the Residual Value or the Cash Settlement Amount payable at expiry (if any) may be delayed if a Settlement Disruption Event occurs on the Settlement Date, as a result of which we are unable to deliver such amount through CCASS on such day. See Condition 4(G) for further information.

# Where can you read the relevant documents of the CBBCs?

Copies of the following documents are available on the website of the HKEX at *www.hkexnews.hk* and our website at *http://warrants.ubs.com/en* :

- each of the Listing Documents (in separate English and Chinese versions), including:
  this document
  - our Base Listing Document
  - the addendum to the Base Listing Document dated 19 November 2021
  - which include our latest audited consolidated financial statements and any interim or quarterly financial statements; and
- the consent letter of our Auditors.

以上各文件可於香港交易所披露易網站(www.hkexnews.hk)以及本公司網站http://warrants.ubs.com/ch/瀏覽。

# Are there any dealings in the CBBCs before the Listing Date?

It is possible that there may have been dealings in the CBBCs before the Listing Date. If there are any dealings in the CBBCs by us or any of our subsidiaries or associated companies from the Launch Date prior to the Listing Date, we will report those dealings to the Stock Exchange by the Listing Date and such report will be released on the website of the Stock Exchange.

# Have the auditors consented to the inclusion of their report to the Listing Documents?

Our auditors ("Auditors") have given and have not since withdrawn their written consent to the inclusion of their report dated 4 March 2021 and/or the references to their name in our Base Listing Document, in the form and context in which they are included. Their report was not prepared for incorporation into our Base Listing Document. The Auditors do not own any of our shares or shares in any member of our group, nor do they have the right (whether legally enforceable or not) to subscribe for or to nominate persons to subscribe for our securities of any member of our group.

# Authorisation of the CBBCs

The issue of the CBBCs was authorised by our board of directors on 19 September 2001.

# Trust disclaimer

The name of the Trust is included here for identification purposes only. The CBBCs are not sponsored, endorsed, sold or promoted by Hang Seng Investment Management Limited ("**HSIML**"). HSIML makes no representations or warranties with respect to the CBBCs or this document.

# Selling restrictions

The CBBCs have not been and will not be registered under the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), and will not be offered, sold, delivered or traded, at any time, indirectly or directly, in the United States or to, or for the account or benefit of, any U.S. person (as defined in the Securities Act).

The offer or transfer of the CBBCs is also subject to the selling restrictions specified in our Base Listing Document.

# Capitalised terms and inconsistency

Unless otherwise specified, capitalised terms used in this document have the meanings set out in the Conditions. If this document is inconsistent with our Base Listing Document, this document shall prevail.

# **KEY RISK FACTORS**

You must read these key risk factors together with the risk factors set out in our Base Listing Document. These key risk factors do not necessarily cover all risks related to the CBBCs. If you have any concerns or doubts about the CBBCs, you should obtain independent professional advice.

# Non-collateralised structured products

The CBBCs are not secured on any of our assets or any collateral.

#### Credit risk

If you invest in the CBBCs, you are relying on our creditworthiness and of no other person. If we become insolvent or default on our obligations under the CBBCs, you can only claim as our unsecured creditor regardless of the performance of the underlying Units and may not be able to recover all or even part of the amount due under the CBBCs (if any). You have no rights under the terms of the CBBCs against the trustee or manager of the Trust.

#### **Resolution and recovery regime**

We, UBS AG, are incorporated in Switzerland. Under the Swiss Banking Act, the Swiss Financial Market Supervisory Authority FINMA is able to exercise broad statutory powers with respect to Swiss banks and Swiss parent companies of financial groups, such as UBS AG and UBS Group AG (i.e. our holding company), if there is justified concern that the entity is over-indebted, has serious liquidity problems or, after the expiration of any relevant deadline, no longer fulfils capital adequacy requirements. These powers include powers to (i) transfer all or some of our liabilities under the CBBCs to another entity and (ii) convert into equity or write down our liabilities under the CBBCs. The exercise of any resolution power by the relevant resolution authorities in respect of UBS AG could materially adversely affect the value of, or your potential return under, the CBBCs. In the worst case scenario, you may get nothing back and you could lose all of your investment.

#### **Financial Institutions (Resolution) Ordinance**

The Financial Institutions (Resolution) Ordinance (Cap. 628, the Laws of Hong Kong) (the "**FIRO**") was enacted by the Legislative Council of Hong Kong in June 2016. The FIRO (except Part 8, section 192 and Division 10 of Part 15 thereof) came into operation on 7 July 2017.

The FIRO provides a regime for the orderly resolution of financial institutions with a view to avoiding or mitigating the risks otherwise posed by their non-viability to the stability and effective working of the financial system of Hong Kong, including the continued performance of critical financial functions. The FIRO seeks to provide the relevant resolution authorities with a range of powers to bring about timely and orderly resolution in order to stabilise and secure continuity for a failing authorised institution in Hong Kong. In particular, it is envisaged that subject to certain safeguards, the relevant resolution authority would be provided with powers to affect contractual and property rights as well as payments (including in respect of any priority of payment) that creditors would receive in resolution, including but not limited to powers to write off, or convert into equity, all or a part of the liabilities of the failing financial institution.

As an authorised institution regulated by the Hong Kong Monetary Authority, we are subject to and bound by the FIRO. The exercise of any resolution power by the relevant resolution authority under the FIRO in respect of us may have a material adverse effect on the value of the CBBCs, and as a result, you may not be able to recover all or any amount due under the CBBCs.

# CBBCs are not principal protected and may become worthless

Given the gearing effect inherent in the CBBCs, a small change in the price of the underlying Units may lead to a substantial price movement in the CBBCs.

Unlike stocks, the CBBCs have a limited life and will be early terminated upon the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event or expire on the Expiry Date. In the worst case, the CBBCs may be early terminated or expire with no value and you will lose all of your investment. The CBBCs may only be suitable for experienced investors who are willing to accept the risk that they may lose all their investment.

### The CBBCs can be volatile

Prices of the CBBCs may rise or fall rapidly. You should carefully consider, among other things, the following factors before dealing in the CBBCs:

- (i) the Strike Price and Call Price of the CBBCs;
- (ii) the likelihood of the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event;
- (iii) the probable range of Residual Value (if any) upon the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event;
- (iv) the time remaining to expiry;
- (v) the interim interest rates and expected distributions on the underlying Units;
- (vi) the supply and demand for the CBBCs;
- (vii) the probable range of the Cash Settlement Amount;
- (viii) the depth of the market and liquidity of the underlying Units;
- (ix) the related transaction cost (including the Exercise Expenses, if any); and
- (x) the creditworthiness of the Issuer.

The value of the CBBCs may not follow closely the movements in the price of the underlying Units. If you buy the CBBCs with a view to hedge against your exposure to the underlying Units, it is possible that you could suffer loss in your investment in the underlying Units and the CBBCs.

In particular, you should note that when the Spot Price of the underlying Units is close to the Call Price, the trading price of the CBBCs will be more volatile. The change in the trading price of the CBBCs may not be comparable and may be disproportionate with the change in the price of the underlying Units. In such case, a small change in the price of the underlying Units may lead to a substantial price movement in the CBBCs.

# You may lose your entire investment when a Mandatory Call Event occurs

Unlike warrants, CBBCs has a mandatory call feature and trading in the CBBCs will be suspended when the Spot Price reaches the Call Price (subject to the circumstances in which a Mandatory Call Event will be reversed as set out in the sub-section titled "Mandatory Call Event is irrevocable" below). No investors can sell the CBBCs after the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event. Even if the price of the underlying Units bounces back in the right direction, the CBBCs which have been terminated as a result of the Mandatory Call Event will not be revived and investors will not be able to profit from the bounce-back. Investors may receive a Residual Value after the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event but such amount may be zero.

## Mandatory Call Event is irrevocable

A Mandatory Call Event is irrevocable unless it is triggered as a result of any of the following events:

- report of system malfunction or other technical errors of HKEX (such as the setting up of wrong Call Price or other parameters) by the Stock Exchange to us; or
- report of manifest errors caused by the relevant third party price source where applicable by us to the Stock Exchange,

and we agree with the Stock Exchange that such Mandatory Call Event is to be revoked provided that such mutual agreement must be reached no later than 30 minutes before the commencement of trading (including the pre-opening session) (Hong Kong time) on the Trading Day of the Stock Exchange immediately following the day on which the Mandatory Call Event occurs, or such other time as prescribed by the Stock Exchange from time to time.

In such case, the Mandatory Call Event so triggered will be reversed and all trades cancelled (if any) will be reinstated and the trading of the CBBCs will resume.

# **Delay in Mandatory Call Event notification**

We will notify the market as soon as reasonably practicable after the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event. You should be aware that there may be a delay in our announcement of a Mandatory Call Event due to technical errors, system failures and other factors that are beyond the reasonable control of the Stock Exchange and us.

#### Non-Recognition of Post MCE Trades

The Stock Exchange and its recognised exchange controller, HKEX, will not incur any liability (whether based on contract, tort, (including, without limitation, negligence), or any other legal or equitable grounds and without regard to the circumstances giving rise to any purported claim except in the case of wilful misconduct on the part of the Stock Exchange and/or HKEX) for, any direct, consequential, special, indirect, economic, punitive, exemplary or any other loss or damage suffered or incurred by us or any other party arising from or in connection with the Mandatory Call Event or the suspension of trading ("**Trading Suspension**") or the non-recognition of trades after a Mandatory Call Event ("**Non-Recognition of Post MCE Trades**"), including without limitation, any delay, failure, mistake or error in the Trading Suspension or Non-Recognition of Post MCE Trades.

We and our affiliates shall not have any responsibility for any losses suffered as a result of the Trading Suspension and/or Non-Recognition of Post MCE Trades in connection with the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event, notwithstanding that such Trading Suspension or Non-Recognition of Post MCE Trades may have occurred as a result of an error in the observation of the event.

#### **Fluctuation in the Funding Cost**

The Issue Price of the CBBCs is set by reference to the difference between the initial reference spot price of the underlying Units and the Strike Price, plus the applicable Funding Cost as of the Launch Date. The initial Funding Cost applicable to the CBBCs is specified in the section headed "Key Terms" in this document. It will fluctuate throughout the life of the CBBCs as the funding rate may change from time to time. The funding rate is a rate determined by us based on one or more of the following factors, including but not limited to the Strike Price, the prevailing interest rate, the expected life of the CBBCs, any expected notional distributions in respect of the underlying Units and the margin financing provided by us.

## Residual Value will not include residual Funding Cost

The Residual Value (if any) payable by us following the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event will not include the residual Funding Cost for the CBBCs. When a Mandatory Call Event occurs, the investors will lose the Funding Cost for the full period.

#### Our hedging activities

Our trading and/or hedging activities or those of our related parties related to the CBBCs and/or other financial instruments issued by us from time to time may have an impact on the price of the underlying Units and may trigger a Mandatory Call Event.

In particular, when the Spot Price of the underlying Units is close to the Call Price, our unwinding activities in relation to the underlying Units may cause a fall or rise (as the case may be) in the price of the underlying Units leading to a Mandatory Call Event as a result of such unwinding activities.

Before the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event, we or our related party may unwind our hedging transactions relating to the CBBCs in proportion to the amount of the CBBCs we repurchase from the market from time to time. Upon the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event, we or our related party may unwind any hedging transactions relating to the CBBCs. Such unwinding activities after the occurrence of a Mandatory Call Event may affect the price of the underlying Units and consequently the Residual Value for the CBBCs.

#### Time decay

All other factors being equal, the value of a CBBC is likely to decrease over time. Therefore, the CBBCs should not be viewed as a product for long term investments.

#### Not the same as investing in the underlying Units

Investing in the CBBCs is not the same as investing in the underlying Unit. You have no rights in the underlying Unit throughout the term of the CBBCs. Changes in the market value of the CBBCs may not follow closely the movements in the price of the underlying Unit, especially when the theoretical value of the CBBCs is at HK\$0.01 or below. If you buy the CBBCs with a view to hedge against your exposure to the underlying Unit, it is possible that you could suffer loss in your investment in the underlying Unit and the CBBCs.

#### Possible limited secondary market

The Liquidity Provider may be the only market participant for the CBBCs and therefore the secondary market for the CBBCs may be limited. The more limited the secondary market, the more difficult it may be for you to realise the value in the CBBCs prior to expiry.

You should also be aware that the Liquidity Provider may not be able to provide liquidity when there are operational and technical problem hindering its ability to do so. Even if the Liquidity Provider is able to provide liquidity in such circumstances, its performance of liquidity provision may be adversely affected. For example:

- (i) the spread between bid and ask prices quoted by the Liquidity Provider may be significantly wider than its normal standard;
- (ii) the quantity for which liquidity will be provided by the Liquidity Provider may be significantly smaller than its normal standard; and/or
- (iii) the Liquidity Provider's response time for a quote may be significantly longer than its normal standard.

#### Adjustment related risk

The occurrence of certain events (including, without limitation, a rights issue, bonus issue or cash distribution by the Trust, a subdivision or consolidation of the underlying Unit and a restructuring event affecting the Trust) may entitle us to adjust the terms and conditions of the CBBCs. However, we are not obliged to adjust the terms and conditions of the CBBCs for every event that affects the underlying Units. Any adjustment or decision not to make any adjustment may adversely affect the value of the CBBCs. Please refer to Conditions 6 and 13 for details about adjustments.

#### Possible early termination

The CBBCs will lapse and cease to be valid in the event of termination of the Trust or liquidation of the trustee of the Trust. We may also early terminate the CBBCs if it becomes illegal or impracticable for us (i) to perform our obligations under the CBBCs as a result of a change in law event, or (ii) to maintain our hedging arrangement with respect to the CBBCs due to a change in law event. In such event, the amount payable by us (if any) will be the fair market value of the CBBCs less our cost of unwinding any related hedging arrangements as determined by us, which may be substantially less than your initial investment and may be zero. Please refer to Conditions 3 and 11 for details about our early termination rights.

# Time lag between early termination or exercise and settlement of the CBBCs

There is a time lag between the early termination or exercise of the CBBCs and payment of the Residual Value or the Cash Settlement Amount payable at expiry net of Exercise Expenses (if any). There may be delays in the electronic settlement or payment through CCASS.

#### Suspension of trading

If trading in the underlying Units is suspended on the Stock Exchange, trading in the CBBCs will be suspended for a similar period. In such case, the price of the CBBCs may be subject to a significant impact of time decay due to such suspension and may fluctuate significantly upon resumption of trading, which may adversely affect your investment.

#### **Conflict of interest**

We and our subsidiaries and affiliates engage in a wide range of commercial and investment banking, brokerage, funds management, hedging, investment and other activities and may possess material information about the Trust and/or the underlying Units or issue or update research reports on the Trust and/or the underlying Units. Such activities, information and/or research reports may involve or affect the Trust and/or the underlying Units and may cause consequences adverse to you or otherwise create conflicts of interests in connection with the issue of the CBBCs. We have no obligation to disclose such information and may issue research reports and engage in any such activities without regard to the issue of the CBBCs.

In the ordinary course of our business, we and our subsidiaries and affiliates may effect transactions for our own account or for the account of our customers and may enter into one or more transactions with respect to the Trust and/or the underlying Units or related derivatives. This may indirectly affect your interests.

#### No direct contractual rights

The CBBCs are issued in global registered form and are held within CCASS. You will not receive any definitive certificate and your name will not be recorded in the register of the CBBCs. The evidence of your interest in the CBBCs, and the efficiency of the ultimate payment of the Residual Value or the Cash Settlement Amount payable at expiry net of Exercise Expenses (if any), are subject to the CCASS Rules. You will have to rely on your broker (or, if applicable, its direct or indirect custodians) and the statements you receive from it as evidence of your interest in the CBBCs. You do not have any direct contractual rights against us. To assert your rights as an investor in the CBBCs, you will have to rely on your broker (and, if applicable, its direct or indirect custodian) to take action on your behalf. If your broker or, if applicable, its direct or indirect custodian:

- (i) fails to take action in accordance with your instructions;
- (ii) becomes insolvent; or
- (iii) defaults on its obligations,

you will need to take action against your broker in accordance with the terms of arrangement between you and your broker to establish your interest in the CBBCs first before you can assert your right of claim against us. You may experience difficulties in taking such legal proceedings. This is a complicated area of law and you should seek independent legal advice for further information.

# The Listing Documents should not be relied upon as the sole basis for your investment decision

The Listing Documents do not take into account your investment objectives, financial situation or particular needs. Nothing in the Listing Documents should be construed as a recommendation by us or our affiliates to invest in the CBBCs or the underlying Units.

#### Risks related to the Trust in general

Subject to the circumstances as set out in the sub-section titled "Conflict of interest" above, neither we nor any of our affiliates have the ability to control or predict the actions of the trustee or the manager of the Trust. Neither the trustee nor the manager of the Trust (i) is involved in the offer of the CBBCs in any way, or (ii) has any obligation to consider your interest in taking any corporate actions that might affect the value of the CBBCs.

The manager of the Trust is responsible for making investment and other trading decisions with respect to the management of the Trust consistent with its investment objectives and in compliance with the investment restrictions as set out in the constitutive documents of the Trust. The manner in which the Trust is managed and the timing of actions may have a significant impact on the performance of the Trust. Hence, the market price of the Units is also subject to these risks.

There is also a risk that the investment objectives and/or investment restrictions as set out in the constitutive documents of the Trust are materially changed or are not complied with or the method of calculating the net asset value of the Trust is materially changed. In addition, the applicable laws and regulations governing the Trust may also restrict the operations of the Trust and restrict its ability to achieve the investment objectives.

# Risks related to an exchange traded fund ("ETF")

The Trust is an ETF. An ETF is exposed to the political, economic, currency and other risks related to the underlying equity(ies), assets or index that the ETF is designed to track.

#### **Risks specific to dual counter ETF**

The Trust is an ETF with units traded in Renminbi ("**RMB**") and Hong Kong dollars ("**HKD**") separately through the Stock Exchange's dual counters model. The novelty and relatively untested nature of the Stock Exchange's dual counters model may bring additional risks for investing in the Trust:

- (a) the CBBCs relate to the HKD-traded units of the Trust only. Movements in the trading prices of the RMB-traded units of the Trust should not directly affect the price of the CBBCs;
- (b) if there is a suspension of inter-counter transfer of units of the Trust between the HKD counter and the RMB counter for any reason, units of the Trust will only be able to be traded in the relevant currency counter on the Stock Exchange, which may affect the demand and supply of the Units and have adverse effect on the price of the CBBCs; and
- (c) the trading price on the Stock Exchange of the HKD-traded units and RMB-traded units of the Trust may deviate significantly due to different factors, such as market liquidity, RMB conversion risk, supply and demand in each counter and the exchange rate between RMB and HKD. Changes in the trading price of HKDtraded units of the Trust may adversely affect the price of the CBBCs.

# Updated Information about Us

There is no supplemental information about the Issuer.

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