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# Orange announces the results of its tender offer on several outstanding hybrid notes

Following the end of its Tender Offer period launched on 28 April 2021 (the **Tender Offer**), aiming to partially repurchase part of three series of its outstanding undated deeply subordinated fixed to reset rate notes, the Company is pleased to announce the pricing and acceptance of the Tender Offer as follows:

- in respect of the €1,000,000,000 Undated 7 Year Non-Call Notes with first call date on 1 October 2021 (of which €118,374,000 is currently outstanding) (ISIN XS1115490523) (the 2021 Notes):
  - (a) the aggregate principal amount validly tendered is €49,805,000;
  - (b) the 2021 Notes Series Acceptance Amount is €49,805,000;
  - (c) the 2021 Notes Tender Price is 101.690%;
  - (d) the remaining outstanding principal amount of the 2021 Notes following the settlement of the Tender Offer will be €68,569,000;
- in respect of the £650,000,000 Undated 8 Year Non-Call Notes with first call date on 7 February 2022 (of which £427,102,000 is currently outstanding) (ISIN XS1028597315) (the 2022 Notes):
  - (a) the aggregate principal amount validly tendered is £383,286,000;
  - (b) the 2022 Notes Series Acceptance Amount is £383,286,000;
  - (c) the 2022 Notes Tender Price is 104.125%;
  - (d) the remaining outstanding principal amount of the 2022 Notes following the settlement of the Tender Offer will be £43,816,000;
- in respect of the £600,000,000 Undated 8.5 Year Non-Call Notes with first call date on 1 April 2023 (of which £560,878,000 is currently outstanding) (ISIN XS1115502988) (the **2023 Notes**):
  - (a) the aggregate principal amount validly tendered is £263,425,000;
  - (b) the 2023 Notes Maximum Acceptance Amount and 2023 Notes Series Acceptance Amount is £135,000,000;
  - (c) the Tender Pro-Rating Factor in respect of the 2023 Notes is 49.4136%;
  - (d) the 2023 Notes Tender Price is 108,680%;
  - (f) the remaining outstanding principal amount of the 2023 Notes following the settlement of the Tender Offer will be £425,878,000.

Following settlement of the Tender Offer scheduled on 11 May 2021, over 90% of the aggregate principal amount of the 2021 Notes and of the 2022 Notes will have been purchased by the Company. Pursuant to the terms and conditions of the 2021 Notes and the 2022 Notes, the Company therefore will have the option to redeem all of the remaining outstanding 2021 Notes and 2022 Notes at 100% of their principal amount together with any accrued interest and any arrears of interest up to such effective date of redemption.

The Company intends to exercise this option following the settlement of the Tender Offer with respect to the 2021 Notes and the 2022 Notes.

Meanwhile, the *Autorité des marchés financiers* granted approval number 21-141 on 7 May 2021 on the prospectus relating to the issuance of €500,000,000 undated 8-year non-call deeply subordinated fixed to reset rate notes (the **New Notes**) with a fixed coupon of 1.375% until the first call date. The New Notes will be issued on 11 May 2021.

Following the Tender Offer, the issuance of New Notes and the exercise of the redemption of the 2021 Notes and 2022 Notes, the Company's hybrid stock will be reduced by around 5%.

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#### United States

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Orange is listed on Euronext Paris (symbol ORA) and on the New York Stock Exchange (symbol ORAN).

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