

iPath Exchange Traded Notes

iPath® Dow Jones-UBS Platinum Subindex Total ReturnSM ETN

iPath Exchange Traded Notes (ETNs) are senior, unsubordinated, unsecured debt securities issued by Barclays Bank PLC delivering exposure to the returns of a market or strategy with the trading flexibility of an equity. The iPath® Dow Jones-UBS Platinum Subindex Total ReturnSM ETN offers investors cost-effective exposure to platinum as measured by the Dow Jones-UBS Platinum Subindex Total ReturnSM (the “Index”). Investors can trade on an exchange at market price or receive a cash payment at the scheduled maturity date or at early redemption¹, based on the performance of the Index, less investor fees.

NOTE DETAILS

Ticker	PGM
Intraday indicative value ticker	PGM.IV
Bloomberg index ticker	DJUBPLTR
CUSIP	06739H255
Primary exchange	NYSE Arca
Yearly fee	0.75%
Inception date	06/24/08
Maturity date	06/24/38
Index	Dow Jones-UBS Platinum Subindex Total Return SM

* The investor fee is equal to the Yearly Fee times the principal amount of your securities times the index factor, calculated on a daily basis in the following manner: The investor fee on the inception date will equal zero. On each subsequent calendar day until maturity or early redemption, the investor fee will increase by an amount equal to the Yearly Fee times the principal amount of your securities times the index factor on that day (or, if such day is not a trading day, the index factor on the immediately preceding trading day) divided by 365. The index factor on any given day will be equal to the closing value of the index on that day divided by the initial index level. The initial index level is the closing value of the index on the inception date of the securities.

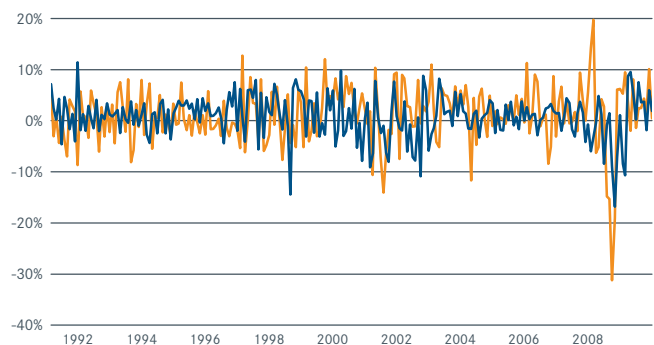
ISSUER DETAILS

Barclays Bank PLC long-term, unsecured obligations*	
S&P rating	AA-
Moody's rating	Aa3

The iPath ETNs are not rated, but are backed by the credit of Barclays Bank PLC. The iPath ETNs rely on the rating of their issuer, Barclays Bank PLC.

* We have not obtained a rating from any rating organization with respect to the iPath ETNs. A security rating is not a recommendation to buy, sell or hold securities, and each rating should be evaluated independently of any other rating. A security rating is subject to revision or withdrawal at any time by the assigning rating organization, and there is no assurance that any security rating will remain in effect for any given period of time or that it will not be lowered, suspended or withdrawn entirely by the applicable rating agency. Any such lowering, suspension or withdrawal of any rating may have an adverse effect on the market price or marketability of the iPath ETNs.

MONTHLY INDEX RETURNS VS. S&P 500® INDEX



Legend: ■ Dow Jones-UBS Platinum Subindex Total ReturnSM ■ S&P 500 Index
Sources: Bloomberg, Dow Jones, UBS Securities LLC, S & P as of 12/31/09.

INDEX CORRELATIONS

Dow Jones-UBS Platinum Subindex Total Return SM	1.00
Dow Jones-UBS Commodity Index Total Return SM	0.67
S&P GSCI® Total Return Index	0.51
S&P 500 Index	0.20
Barclays Capital U.S. Aggregate Bond Index	0.32
MSCI EAFE Index	0.38

Sources: S&P, Dow Jones, UBS Securities LLC, Barclays Capital, MSCI Inc., Bloomberg, BlackRock 12/04 - 12/09, based on monthly returns.

¹ Investors may redeem at least 50,000 units of the iPath® Dow Jones-UBS Platinum Subindex Total ReturnSM ETN on a daily basis directly to the issuer, Barclays Bank PLC, subject to the procedures described in the relevant prospectus.

iPath® Dow Jones-UBS Platinum Subindex Total ReturnSM ETN

The Dow Jones-UBS Platinum Subindex Total ReturnSM is a sub-index of the Dow Jones-UBS Commodity Index Total ReturnSM and is intended to reflect the returns that are potentially available through an unleveraged investment in the futures contracts on physical commodities comprising the index as well as the rate of interest that could be earned on cash collateral invested in specified Treasury Bills. The Dow Jones-UBS Platinum Subindex Total ReturnSM is a single-commodity sub-index currently consisting of one futures contract on the commodity of platinum, which is included in the Dow Jones-UBS Commodity Index Total ReturnSM.

INDEX TOTAL RETURNS & STANDARD DEVIATION

(as of 12/31/09)

	1-YEAR RETURN %	3-YEAR RETURN % ANNUALIZED	5-YEAR RETURN % ANNUALIZED	STANDARD DEVIATION % ANNUALIZED*
Dow Jones-UBS Platinum Subindex Total Return SM	54.04	7.17	11.41	26.85
Dow Jones-UBS Commodity Index Total Return SM	18.91	-3.83	1.96	20.41
S&P GSCI® Total Return Index	13.48	-6.95	-3.00	28.20
S&P 500 Index	26.46	-5.63	0.42	16.05
Barclays Capital U.S. Aggregate Bond Index	5.93	6.04	4.97	3.68
MSCI EAFE Index	31.78	-6.04	3.54	19.63

* Based on monthly returns for 12/04 - 12/09. Sources: S&P, Dow Jones, UBS Securities LLC, Barclays Capital, MSCI Inc., Bloomberg, BlackRock.

Index returns are for illustrative purposes only and do not represent actual iPath ETN performance. Index performance returns do not reflect any management fees, transaction costs or expenses. Indexes are unmanaged and one cannot invest directly in an index. Past performance does not guarantee future results. For current Index and iPath ETN performance, go to www.iPathETN.com.

An investment in iPath ETNs involves risks, including possible loss of principal. For a description of the main risks see "Risk Factors" in the applicable prospectus.

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The Securities may be sold throughout the day on the exchange through any brokerage account. There are restrictions on the minimum number of Securities you may redeem directly with the issuer as specified in the applicable prospectus. Commissions may apply and there are tax consequences in the event of sale, redemption or maturity of Securities. **Sales in the secondary market may result in significant losses.**

iPath ETNs typically have lower investor fees than currently existing mutual funds that invest in similar markets and are available to retail investors. Buying and selling iPath ETNs will result in brokerage commissions.

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In addition to factors affecting commodities generally, index components composed of futures contracts on industrial metals or energy-related commodities may be subject to additional factors

specific to industrial metals or energy-related commodities that might cause price volatility. These may include changes in the level of industrial or commercial activity using industrial metals or with high levels of energy demand; the availability and price of substitutes such as man-made or synthetic substitutes or alternative sources of energy; disruptions in the supply chain; adjustments to inventory; variations in production costs; costs associated with regulatory compliance, including environmental regulations; and changes in industrial, government and consumer demand, both in individual consuming nations and internationally. Index components composed of futures contracts on agricultural products may be subject to additional factors specific to agricultural products that might cause price volatility. These may include weather conditions, including floods, drought and freezing conditions; pestilence; changes in government policies; planting decisions; and changes in demand for agricultural products, both with end users and as inputs into various industries. Index components composed of futures contracts on precious metals may be subject to additional factors specific to precious metals that might cause price volatility. These may include disruptions in the supply chain, variations in production costs, costs associated with regulatory compliance, including environmental regulations, changes in industrial, government and consumer demand, and in the case of gold and silver, precious metal leasing rates, currency exchange rates, the level of economic growth and inflation and the degree to which consumers, governments, corporate and financial institutions hold physical gold or silver as a safe haven asset (hoarding) which may be caused by a banking crisis/recovery, a rapid change in the value of other assets (both financial and physical) or changes in the level of geopolitical tension.

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