

# Key Information Document ("KID")

#### **Purpose**

This document provides you with key information about this investment product. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature, risks, costs, potential gains and losses of this product and to help you compare it with other products.

#### **Product**

**Express Plus Certificate linked to the Z Index** 

German Securities Code (WKN): XYN34R / ISIN: DE000XYN34R4

Manufacturer of the Product: XY Bank AG (Issuer) / www.xy-bank.com/contact / call [phone number] for more information

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You are about to purchase a product that is not simple and may be difficult to understand.

## 1. What is this product?

## **Type**

This product is a bearer bond issued under German law.

#### Term

The product has a fixed lifetime and will be due on the Redemption Date, subject to an early redemption.

#### **Objectives**

Objective of the product is to provide you with a specified entitlement according to predefined conditions. You may receive a Bonus Payment on a Bonus Payment Date if the Reference Price is below the Redemption Threshold on the relevant Observation Date (excluding the last Observation Date) or with respect to the last Bonus Payment Date if the Reference Price is below the Strike Price and above the Barrier on the last Observation Date. The Bonus Payments are calculated based on the product of the Calculation Amount and the Interest Rate per annum. You may not receive a Bonus Payment on a Bonus Payment Date if the product will be repaid prematurely. The product may be repaid prematurely during its lifetime on an Early Redemption Date if the Reference Price is at or above the Redemption Threshold on an Observation Date (excluding the last Observation Date). In this case you will receive the Redemption Payment assigned to the relevant Observation Date. The Redemption Payments rise from one Observation Date to the next.

If the product has not been prematurely repaid, the possibilities for the redemption of the product are as follows:

- (i) If the Reference Price on the Valuation Date is at or above the Strike Price you will receive on the Redemption Date the Redemption Payment assigned to the last Observation Date.
- (ii) If the Reference Price on the Valuation Date is above the Barrier, but below the Strike Price you will receive the Calculation Amount.
- (iii) If the Reference Price on the Valuation Date is at or below the Barrier, you will receive a Redemption Amount which is equivalent to the product of the Calculation Amount and the Reference Price on the Valuation Date divided by the Strike Price. In this case, you will make a loss in case the sum of the Redemption Amount and the accrued Bonus Payments you received over the lifetime is below the purchase price of the product.

You renounce the entitlement to a dividend from the components of the Underlying and you have no right to any further entitlement resulting from the components of the Underlying (e.g. voting rights).

Underlying (ISIN)	Z Index (DE0001234565)	Reference Price	Index closing price determined by the Index Sponsor, whereby 1 point is equivalent to 1.00 units of the Currency of the Underlying
Currency of the Product	Euro (EUR)	Index Sponsor	STOXX Limited
Currency of the Underlying	EUR	Valuation Date	4 December 2020
Issue Date	10 December 2015	Redemption Date (maturity)	10 December 2020
[Issue Price	EUR 100.00]	Interest Rate	2.00 per cent p.a.
Calculation Amount	EUR 100.00	Bonus Payment Dates	Five bank business days after the relevant Observation Date
Barrier	2,004.717 points	Observation Dates	<ol> <li>5 December 2016</li> <li>5 December 2017</li> <li>5 December 2018</li> <li>5 December 2019</li> <li>Valuation Date</li> </ol>

Strike Price	3,084.18 points	Redemption Payments	1. EUR 104.00 2. EUR 108.00 3. EUR 112.00 4. EUR 116.00 5. EUR 120.00
Price of the Underlying at Issue of the Product	3,084.18 points	Early Redemption Dates	Five bank business days after the relevant Observation Date
Redemption Threshold	3,084.18 points	Type of Settlement	Cash

The Issuer is entitled to terminate the product with immediate effect, if an extraordinary event occurs. Examples of extraordinary events include [the cessation of calculation of the Underlying by the Index Sponsor,] [changes in legislation,] [tax events] [and the discontinuation of the Issuer's ability to carry out the necessary hedging transactions]. In this case, the termination amount may possibly be significantly below the [purchase price] [Calculation Amount]. A total loss is even possible. You also bear the risk that the product will be called in at a time unfavourable to you, and you may only be able to reinvest the termination amount on less favourable terms.

#### Intended retail investor

The product is intended for private clients who pursue the objective of general asset formation / asset optimization and have a medium-term investment horizon. This product is a product for clients with advanced knowledge and / or experience with financial products. The investor may bear losses up to the total loss of the capital invested and attaches no importance to a capital protection.

## 2. What are the risks and what could I get in return?

## Risk Indicator



The summary risk indicator is a guide to the level of risk of this product compared to other products. It shows how likely it is that the product will lose money because of movements in the markets or because we are not able to pay you.

We have classified this product as 6 out of 7, which is the second-highest risk class.

This rates the potential losses from future performance at a high level, and poor market conditions are very unlikely to impact our capacity to pay you.

This product does not include any protection from future market performance so you could lose some or all of your investment.

If we are not able to pay you what is owed, you could lose your entire investment.

## **Performance Scenarios**

What you will get from this product depends on future market performance. Market developments in the future are uncertain and cannot be accurately predicted.

The scenarios shown are illustrations based on results from the past and on certain assumptions. Markets could develop very differently in the future

n the future.				
Recommended holding period:		Until the product is called or matures This may be different in each scenario and is indicated in the table		
Example Investment		EUR 10,000		
		If you redeem at call or maturity		
Scenarios				
Minimum	You could lose some or all of your investment.			
Stress	What you might get back after costs	EUR [•]		
(product ends on [●])	Percentage return (not annualized)	[•] %]		
Unfavourable (product ends on [●])	What you might get back after costs	EUR [•]		
	Percentage return (not annualized)	[•] %		
Moderate (product ends on [●])	What you might get back after costs	EUR [•]		
	Percentage return (not annualized)	[•] %		
Favourable (product ends on [●])	What you might get back after costs	EUR [•]		
	Percentage return (not annualized)	[•] %		

The figures shown include all the costs of the product itself, but may not include all the costs that you pay to your advisor or distributor. The figures do not take into account your personal tax situation, which may also affect how much you get back.

The stress scenario shows what you might get back in extreme market circumstances.

The scenarios shown represent possible outcomes calculated based on simulations. [In the case of an early redemption, it has been assumed that no reinvestment occurs.]

# 3. What happens if XY Bank is unable to pay out?

You are exposed to the risk that the Issuer might be unable to fulfil its obligations in respect of the product – e.g. in the event of insolvency (inability to pay / over-indebtedness) or an administrative order of resolution measures. In case of a crisis of the Issuer such an order can also be issued by a resolution authority in the run-up of an insolvency proceeding. Thereby the resolution authority has extensive intervention powers. Among other things, it can reduce rights of the investors to zero, terminate the product or convert it into shares of the Issuer and suspend rights of the investors. A total loss of your capital invested is possible. The product is a debt instrument and as such is not covered by any deposit protection scheme.

## 4. What are the costs?

The person advising on or selling you this product may charge you other costs. If so, this person will provide you with information about these costs and how they affect your investment.

#### Costs over time

The tables show the amounts that are taken from your investment to cover different types of costs. These amounts depend on how much you invest, how long you hold the product. The amounts shown here are illustrations based on an example investment amount and different investment periods.

The duration of this product was uncertain as could have been terminated at different times depending on how the market evolves. The amounts shown here consider two different scenarios (early call and maturity). In case you decide to redeem before the product ends, exit costs may apply in addition to the amounts shown here.

We have assumed:

- EUR 10,000 is invested
- a performance of the product that is consistent with each holding period shown.

	If the product is called at the first possible date	If the product reaches maturity
Total costs	Not applicable	EUR [●]
Annual cost impact*	Not applicable	[●] %

<sup>\*</sup> This illustrates the effect of costs over a holding period of less than one year. This percentage cannot be directly compared to the cost impact figures provided for other products.

### **Composition of costs**

One-off costs upon entry or exit		If you redeem at maturity	
Entr	y costs	These costs are already included in the price you pay	[Up to] EUR [●]
Exit	costs	These costs are already included in the amount you receive and are only incurred if you exit before maturity. If an early redemption occurs or you hold the product until maturity, no exit costs will be incurred.	[Up to] EUR [●]

# 5. How long should I hold it and can I take money out early?

#### Recommended holding period: until 10 December 2020 (maturity)

The objective of the product is to provide you with the entitlement described under "1. What is this product?" above provided that the product is held until maturity.

There are no possibilities to take your money out early other than to sell the product through the exchange where the product is listed or off-exchange. If you should sell the product before the end of the recommended holding period, the amount you will receive could be – even significantly – lower than the amount you would have otherwise received.

Exchange Listing	Stuttgart Stock Exchange (Freiverkehr); Frankfurt Stock Exchange (Freiverkehr)	Last Exchange Trading Day	3 December 2020
Smallest Tradable Unit	1 product	Price Quotation	Unit quotation

In unusual market situations, or in the event of technical faults/disruptions, a purchase and/or sale of the product can be temporarily hindered, or may not be possible at all.

### 6. How can I complain?

Any complaint regarding the person advising on, or selling, the product can be submitted directly to that person via the relevant website.

Any complaint regarding the product or the conduct of the Issuer of this product can be submitted in text form (e.g. by letter or e-mail) to XY Bank under the following address: [postal address of XY Bank, Department, contact details of the complaints office within the organization of the Issuer, e-mail address, www.xy-bank.com/complaints].

# 7. Other relevant information

The prospectus, any supplements thereto and the final terms are published on the Issuer's website (<a href="www.xy-bank.com">www.xy-bank.com</a>; the prospectus and the supplements under "Service / Prospectuses"; the final terms after entering the relevant ISIN or WKN and then under "Downloads"), all in accordance with legal requirements. In order to obtain more detailed information - and in particular details of the structure of and risks associated with an investment in the product - you should read these documents.