

April 30, 2014

Dear Fellow Morgan Stanley Shareholder:

Morgan Stanley's Board of Directors recommends that you vote:

- **FOR** the Advisory Vote on Compensation of Named Executive Officers ("Say on Pay")
- **FOR** the Election of the Nominees to the Board of Directors
- **AGAINST** the Proposal to Publish a Special Annual Report on Lobbying Expenses

The proxy advisory firm Institutional Shareholder Services has recommended that shareholders vote for all Director nominees, and for "Say on Pay" because of the company's alignment of compensation with shareholder performance and overall strategic progress. However, like last year, the proxy firm Glass Lewis has relied on a quantitative model that produces a distorted result that does not accurately reflect underlying operating performance. Below I have summarized the reasons to support the Board of Directors recommendations, which are supported by the attached detailed information that was also filed with our proxy.

Advisory Say on Pay Proposal

The "Say on Pay" proposal centers on CEO compensation in relation to Company performance. The Board of Directors believes that performance and pay were properly aligned for 2013:

- Morgan Stanley's 2013 performance for shareholders substantially outperformed competitors: 65% total return vs. 29% peer average and 36% S&P 500 Financial Index.
- Morgan Stanley's perceived credit quality (CDS spread) improved from 168 basis point spread to Treasuries to 87 basis points – a level not achieved since late 2007.
- In 2013, the Firm exceeded expectations by completing a number of strategic priorities ahead of schedule, including: acquiring 100% of the Wealth Management joint venture a year ahead of schedule; increasing Wealth Management's pre-tax margin⁽¹⁾ from 14% (adjusted for non-recurring costs) to 18%, and exceeding a mid-teens target; starting the first share buyback since 2007; and reducing Risk Weighted Assets in Fixed Income and Commodities from \$280 billion to \$210 billion (excluding lending), exceeding the year-end target of \$235 billion.
- As a result, the CEO's total 2013 pay opportunity was set at \$12 million with an additional 2014-2016 long-term incentive award of \$6 million if performance targets are met over the next three years with several shareholder aligned features: 90% is deferred over three years: 62% is equity based and subject to the 75% retained ownership commitment; 34% is subject to 3-year future shareholder returns and return on equity; clawbacks were extended in 2013 to cover adverse actions even absent misconduct; and the CEO's employment letter was amended to eliminate a tax gross-up provision dating back to 2006.

Institutional Shareholder Services uses a quantitative model to evaluate performance that centers on return to shareholders while also considering qualitative factors – as a result they recommended in favor of Say on Pay. Glass Lewis, however, uses a quantitative model that relies on company financial information as reported by a third party data provider. In the case of Morgan Stanley, this unadjusted data does not accurately reflect underlying operating performance because it includes an accounting convention under generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) referred to as "debt value adjustment" (DVA). Essentially, when Morgan Stanley demonstrates good operating performance, as it did in 2013, its credit spreads contract. Because tighter credit spreads lower our cost of funding, they are good for Morgan Stanley and our shareholders. Under the GAAP DVA convention, this positive result has the effect of increasing the balance sheet "value" of certain types of Morgan Stanley's debt – and this adjustment is reflected by subtracting that change in value from GAAP revenues. Conversely when operating performance weakens and credit spreads widen, GAAP revenues are increased by DVA.

Since the inclusion of DVA distorts underlying operating performance for shareholders and the amounts can be material: our regulators exclude the impact of DVA from regulatory capital calculations; Morgan Stanley reports financial information both including and excluding DVA in earnings releases and quarterly filings; stock research analysts adjust financial performance to

¹ Pre-tax margin is a non-GAAP financial measure that the Company considers useful for investors to assess operating performance

exclude DVA; consensus EPS estimates are generally reported ex-DVA; and the Financial Accounting Standards Board is in the advanced stages of considering a proposed rule to exclude DVA from the income statement.

Morgan Stanley's 2011-2013 financial performance as reported under GAAP and excluding DVA is summarized below:

	Summary Financial Information (including DVA)		
	2011	2012	2013
Net Revenue	\$32.2 Bn	\$26.1 Bn	\$32.4 Bn
Income applicable to MS (Cont. Ops)	\$4.2 Bn	\$138 MM	\$3.0 Bn
Diluted EPS (Cont. Ops)	\$1.27	\$0.02	\$1.38*

	Summary Financial Information (excluding DVA)¹		
	2011	2012	2013
Net Revenue	\$28.5 Bn	\$30.5 Bn	\$33.1 Bn
Income applicable to MS (Cont. Ops)	\$1.9 Bn	\$3.3 Bn	\$3.4 Bn
Diluted EPS (Cont. Ops)	\$(0.08)	\$1.64	\$1.61*

MS Share Price (12/31)	\$15.13	\$19.12	\$31.36
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*2013 full year results included the net impact of litigation expenses of \$1.9 billion (pre-tax) related to residential mortgage-backed securities and credit crisis matters, partially offset by an aggregate discrete tax benefit of \$407 million as reported on page 62 of Morgan Stanley's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2013. On a net basis these items negatively impacted earnings per share by \$0.40⁽²⁾

By including DVA, the Glass Lewis quantitative model uses data that shows the Firm as not having consistent operating financial progress over the three year period analyzed. Operating performance is better measured excluding DVA which shows real progress since 2011 – and which has been reflected in the share price.

Accordingly, we urge you to vote FOR the advisory Say on Pay proposal.

Election of Board of Directors

Institutional Shareholder Services recommended in favor of the election of all director nominees; Glass Lewis recommended in favor of all except for James Owens. James Owens brings extensive global leadership experience including as the former Chairman and CEO of Caterpillar Inc. The Glass Lewis objection was not to Mr. Owens' unquestioned qualifications as a board member, but rather its desire to have the Company provide additional disclosure in connection with ordinary course transactions Board members may have with the Company, and objected to Mr. Owens in his capacity as Chairman of the Nominating & Governance Committee. As fully disclosed in the proxy statement, the Board has determined that there are no relationships that are material to director independence in accordance with both the relevant SEC and NYSE rules, and we have done so in a manner that is consistent with the way that many companies provide this disclosure.

Accordingly, we urge you to vote FOR James Owens' election to the Board.

Conclusion

I hope that this letter, together with the more detailed information in the attached presentation and in the Compensation Discussion & Analysis section of our proxy statement, will help you make a fully informed decision.

Very truly yours,

Jim Rosenthal

Chief Operating Officer

¹ Results excluding DVA are non-GAAP financial measures that the Company considers useful measures for the Company and investors to assess operating performance. For further information regarding these measures, please see pages 55-58 of Morgan Stanley's Annual Report on Form 10K for the year ended December 31, 2013

² The impact to earnings per diluted share from continuing operations is calculated by dividing the after-tax legal expenses and discrete tax benefit, respectively, by the average number of diluted shares outstanding.

Morgan Stanley Compensation & Governance Practices

March 2014

Executive Summary

- Morgan Stanley's Board of Directors unanimously recommends that shareholders vote:
 1. FOR: Non-binding advisory vote approving compensation of named executive officers ("Say on Pay")
 - Morgan Stanley's 2013 performance for shareholders substantially outperformed competitors: 65% total return versus 29% peer average
 - In 2013, the Firm completed a number of strategic priorities, including acquiring 100% of the Wealth Management joint venture a year ahead of schedule, exceeding the Wealth Management pre-tax margin goal, starting the first share buyback since 2007, and reducing risk weighted assets in Fixed Income ahead of schedule
 - As a result, the CEO's total compensation was set at \$18 million with several shareholder aligned features: 90% is deferred over three years and subject to clawback, 62% is equity based, and 34% of the total compensation opportunity is delivered through future oriented equity awards where realization is subject to relative total shareholder returns and achievement of Firm return on equity targets
 2. FOR: The election of all director nominees
 3. FOR: The ratification of Deloitte & Touche LLP's appointment as our independent auditor

- Morgan Stanley's Board of Directors unanimously recommends that shareholders vote:
 1. AGAINST: Proposal to publish special annual report on lobbying expenses

1. 2013 CEO Target Compensation Range

Morgan Stanley's Compensation, Management Development and Succession (CMDS) Committee Uses a Principles Driven Approach to Determine Executive Compensation

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Establish a Target Range of Compensation

- Consistent with the approach developed in 2012, a target compensation range for Morgan Stanley's CEO was set by the CMDS Committee at the beginning of 2013. In setting the compensation range, the CMDS Committee considered historical 2012 compensation at peer firms, among other factors

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Compensation Based on Performance

- The compensation awarded to the CEO within the target range is based on Firm performance for shareholders and the achievement of the Company's strategic and financial objectives

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Compensation Structure is Aligned with Shareholders' Interests

- A significant portion of CEO incentive compensation (62% of total compensation) is delivered through deferred equity awards to ensure alignment with shareholders' interests
- Over half of these equity awards (~34% of total compensation) are long-term incentive compensation, which are 3-year forward-looking and tied to both relative shareholder returns and return on equity
- In total, 90% of CEO compensation is deferred over a period of three years and is subject to market, cancellation, and clawback risk

1. 2013 CEO Target Compensation Range

Consistent With the Approach Developed in 2012, 2013 Target Compensation Range for Morgan Stanley's CEO Was Informed by Historical Compensation at Peer Firms of Similar Size, Scope, and Complexity

- At the beginning of 2013, the CMDS Committee established a 2013 CEO target compensation range of ~\$10 million to \$20 million. This range, unchanged from 2012, included a consideration of benchmarking of twelve leading financial companies in the S&P 100 index, including a subset of five large U.S. banks, among other factors

Benchmarking 2012 CEO Compensation

Peer Firms

5 Large U.S. Banks

Bank of America
Citigroup
Goldman Sachs
JPMorgan Chase
Wells Fargo

Other Peers

Allstate
American Express
BNY Mellon
Capital One
MasterCard
MetLife
US Bancorp

2012 Peer CEO Pay ⁽¹⁾

	All Peers Listed	Top 5 Core U.S. Banks
\$Million		
High	\$26	\$26
75th Percentile	\$18	\$19
50th Percentile	\$13	\$12
25th Percentile	\$11.5	\$11.5
Low	\$10	\$11.5

CEO Compensation Range

\$20 Million or More



\$15 Million



\$10 Million or Less

1. 2013 CEO Target Compensation Range

Evaluating CEO Performance and Determining Compensation

- The matrix below provides the framework to determine the 2013 CEO compensation, within the target range of up to \$20 million or more for superior performance and down to \$10 million or less for subpar performance

CEO Compensation Range

\$20 Million or More



\$15 Million



\$10 Million or Less

Expected
Range of
Annual
Performance
Compensation
+
Fixed Long
Term Incentive
Award

Evaluating CEO Performance

- CEO and Firm performance, as well as shareholder returns, substantially exceed expectations
- CEO performance exceeds expectations
- Strong Firm performance and shareholder returns with some room for continued progress
- CEO performance meets expectations
- Firm performance and shareholder returns generally in line with peers with room for continued progress
- CEO performance could be improved
- Firm performance and shareholder returns could be improved
- CEO and/or Firm performance, as well as shareholder returns, substantially below expectations

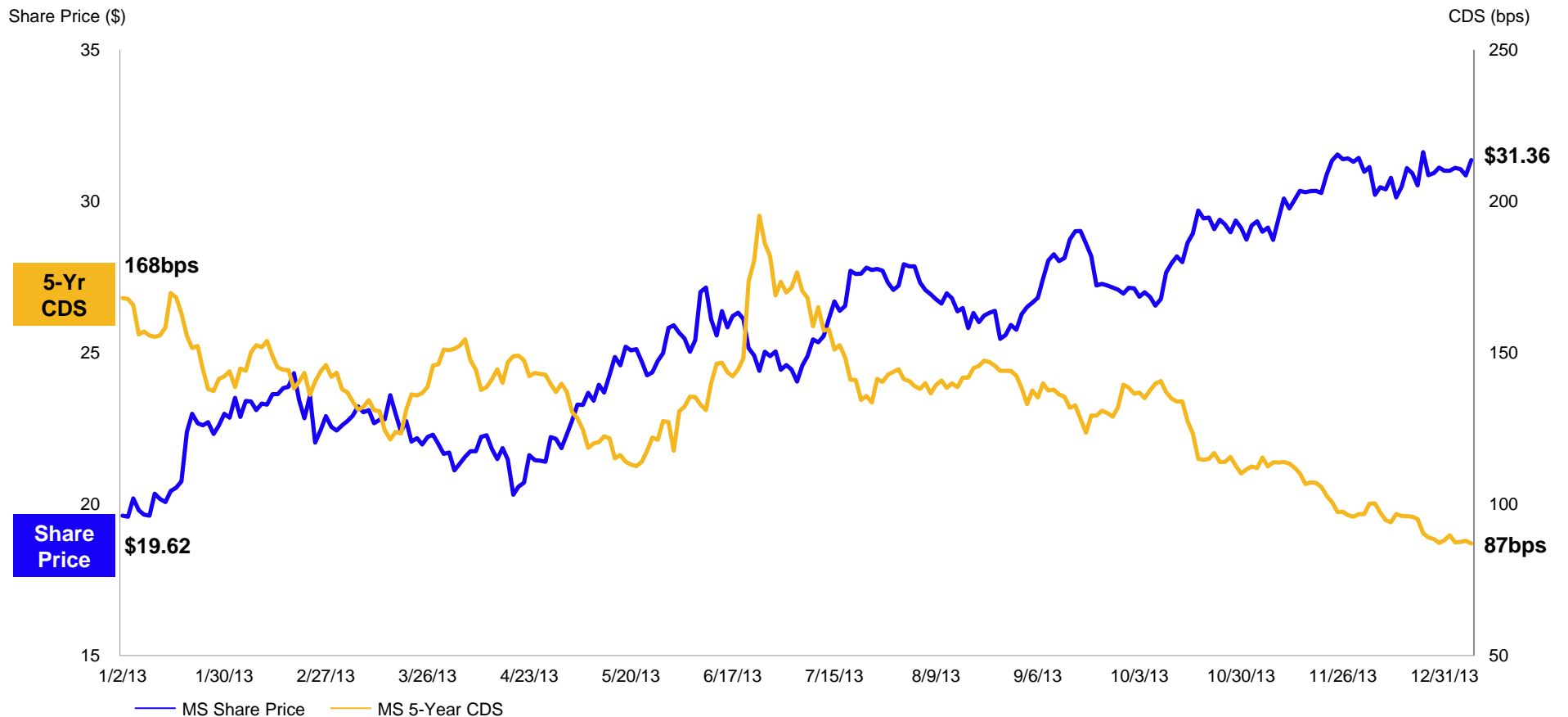
2. Factors for Consideration in Setting 2013 CEO Compensation

A. Shareholder Return

Morgan Stanley's Share Price Appreciated Significantly in 2013

- Morgan Stanley's share price appreciated strongly, and perceived credit quality observed through Morgan Stanley's 5-year Credit Default Swap ("CDS") spread to treasuries also improved significantly during 2013

Share Price vs. 5-Year CDS (January 2013 - December 2013)



2. Factors for Consideration in Setting 2013 CEO Compensation

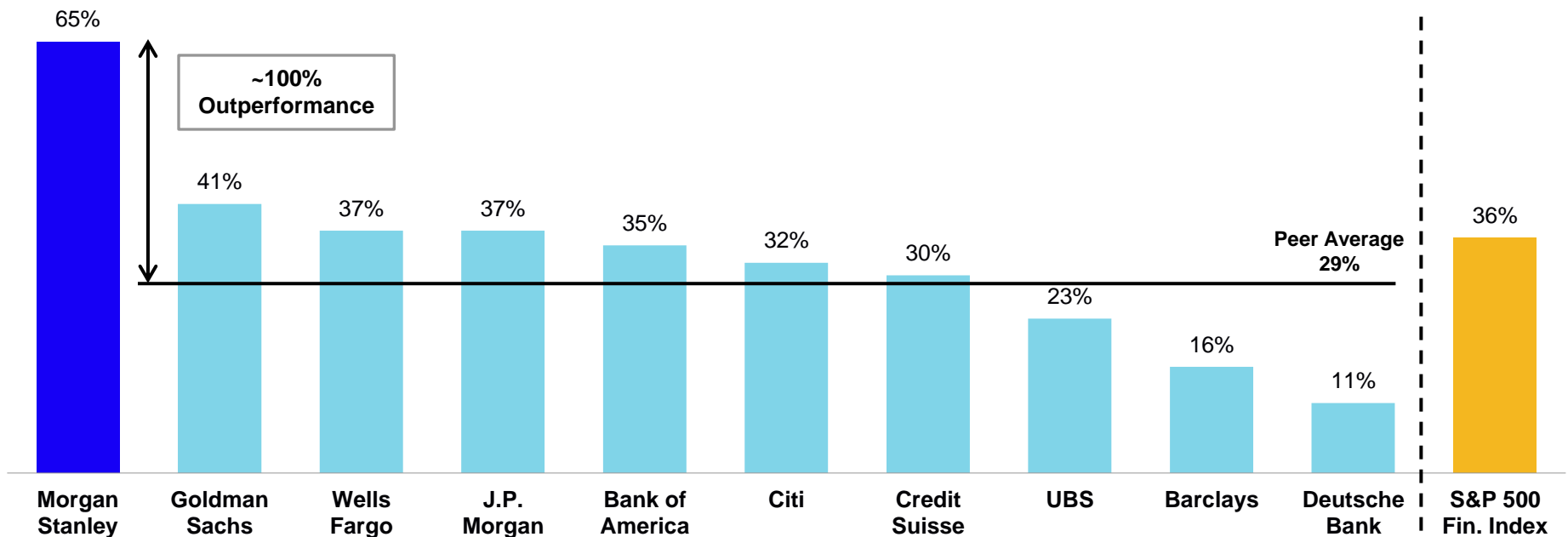
A. Shareholder Return

Morgan Stanley's 2013 Total Shareholder Return Was Very Good and Outperformed Peers

- Morgan Stanley's shareholder performance was very good – both on an absolute basis (+65%) and relative to peers (approximately 100% outperformance compared to both the average of nine largest global competitors and the S&P 500 Financials Index)

Morgan Stanley and Peer Total Shareholder Return

% Total Shareholder Return



2. Factors for Consideration in Setting 2013 CEO Compensation

B. Strategic Accomplishments

Morgan Stanley Completed Important Strategic Objectives in 2013 and Continues to Make Progress on Others

Select 2013 Strategic Accomplishments

Objectives	Status	Comment
1. Acquire 100% of Wealth Management joint venture	✓	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Completed acquisition in June 2013, a year ahead of schedule
2. Achieve Wealth Management margin goals through expense management; exceed through revenue growth	✓	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increased Wealth Management pretax margin ⁽¹⁾ from 14% ⁽²⁾ in 2012 to 18% in 2013, exceeding mid-teens target
3. Significantly reduce RWAs in Fixed Income and Commodities	✓	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reduced Basel III RWAs in Fixed Income and Commodities from ~\$280 billion at year-end 2012 to \$210 billion at year end 2013 (excluding lending), exceeding year end target of \$235 billion
4. Sale of Oil Merchanting business in Commodities	✓	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Announced sale of International Oil Merchanting business to Rosneft; expected to close in second half of 2014
5. Begin capital return to shareholders through stock buyback	✓	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Announced stock buyback in July 2013
6. Drive expenses lower	✓	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Company adjusted expense ratio (excluding DVA) improved from 84% in 2012 to 79% in 2013 ⁽³⁾
7. Grow earnings through Morgan Stanley-specific opportunities	Progress	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Morgan Stanley Banks will support significant growth opportunity in net interest income and lending growth in Wealth Management and Institutional Securities
8. Achieve returns that meet and exceed cost of capital	Progress	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Successful execution of strategic initiatives will drive ROE improvements

Notes

- Pre-tax margin is a non-GAAP financial measure that the Company considers useful for investors to assess operating performance. Pre-tax margin represents income (loss) from continuing operations before taxes, divided by net revenues
- Pre-tax margin for 2012 excludes \$193 million of non-recurring costs in 3Q12 associated with the Morgan Stanley Wealth Management integration and the purchase of an additional 14% stake in the joint venture
- Company adjusted expense ratio excluding DVA is a non-GAAP financial measure that the Company considers to be a useful measure for investors to assess operating performance. The adjusted expense ratio excluding DVA is calculated as adjusted non-interest expenses as a percentage of net revenues excluding DVA.

2. Factors for Consideration in Setting 2013 CEO Compensation

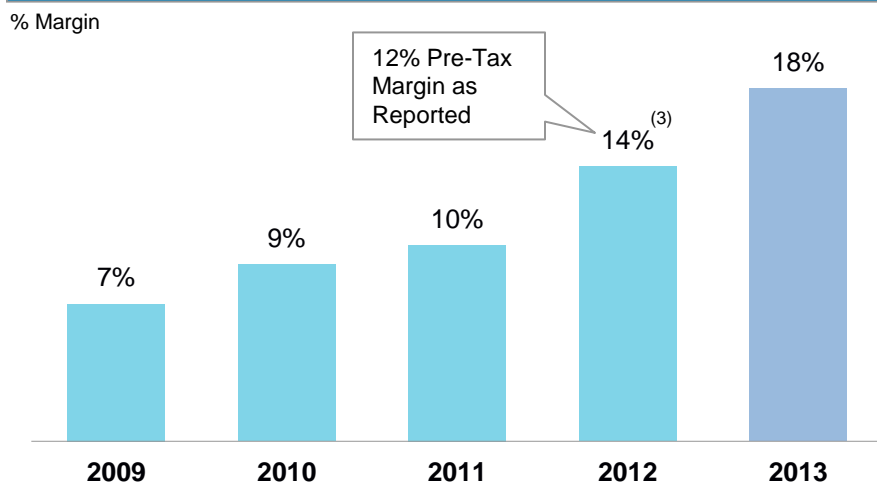
B. Strategic Accomplishments

In 2013, Morgan Stanley Completed the Acquisition of Wealth Management Joint Venture and Achieved Profitability Goals

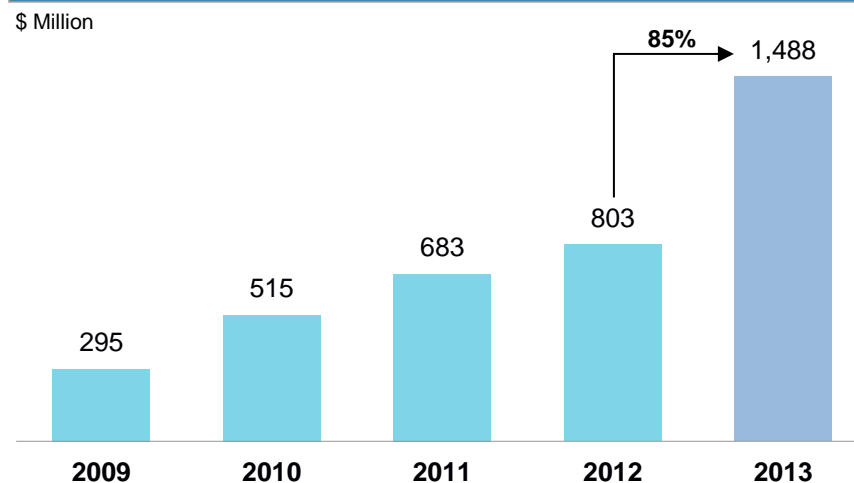
Acquisition of Wealth Management Joint Venture

- In June 2013, Morgan Stanley completed the purchase of the remaining 35% interest in the Wealth Management Joint Venture from Citi for the previously established price of \$4.7 billion
- The Wealth Management Joint Venture continues to enhance Morgan Stanley revenue stability and funding durability
 - Morgan Stanley will be a leading Depository Institution in the U.S. as it receives approximately \$30Bn of additional deposits from Citi by mid-2015 (\$26Bn of deposits were received in 2013)
 - Wealth Management deposits are a stable source of funding: (i) deposits are rooted in deep and broad franchise relationships anchored in investment advice; and (ii) stable over economic cycles and observed periods of both market and idiosyncratic stress
 - Stable, cost-efficient deposits support lending growth in Wealth Management as the business leverages existing clients and product set

Morgan Stanley Wealth Management Pre-Tax Margin ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾



Morgan Stanley Wealth Management Net Income from Continuing Operations Applicable to MS ⁽²⁾



Notes

1. Pre-tax margin is a non-GAAP financial measure that the Company considers useful for investors to assess operating performance. Pre-tax margin represents income (loss) from continuing operations before taxes, divided by net revenues
2. The periods 2009-2013 have been recast to exclude the International Wealth Management business, currently reported in the Institutional Securities business segment
3. Pre-tax margin for 2012 excludes \$193 million of non-recurring costs in 3Q12 associated with the Morgan Stanley Wealth Management integration and the purchase of an additional 14% stake in the joint venture

2. Factors for Consideration in Setting 2013 CEO Compensation

2013 CEO Compensation Was Based on the Compensation Committee's Assessment of Morgan Stanley's Performance

CEO Compensation Range

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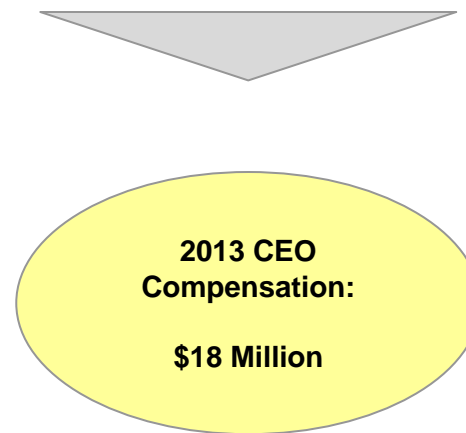
Expected Range of Annual Performance Compensation + Fixed Long Term Incentive Award

Evaluating CEO Performance

- CEO and Firm performance, as well as shareholder returns, substantially exceed expectations
- CEO performance exceeds expectations
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2013 CEO Compensation Decision

- Morgan Stanley's shareholder performance was very strong in 2013
- Morgan Stanley completed important strategic objectives in 2013
- There is room for continued progress on Return on Equity ("ROE")

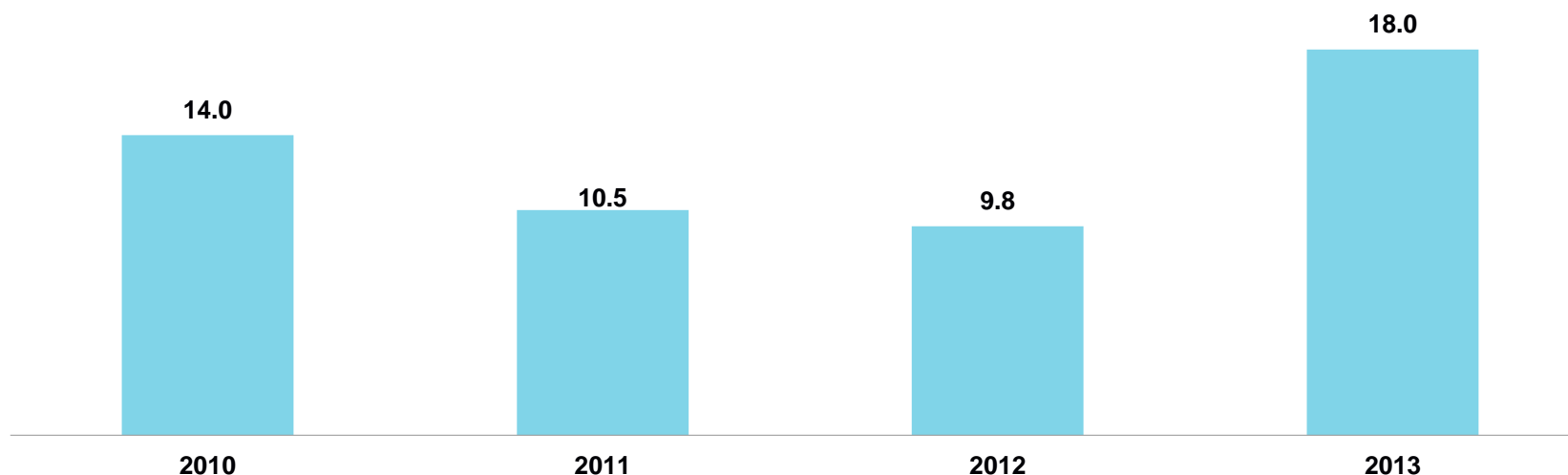


2. Factors for Consideration in Setting 2013 CEO Compensation

Morgan Stanley CEO Compensation Is Aligned With Performance

MS CEO Compensation 2010 – 2013

\$ Million



<u>Total Shareholder Return</u>				
MS	(7%)	(44%)	28%	65%
Peer Average ⁽¹⁾	2%	(34%)	43%	29%
S&P 500 Fin. Index	12%	(17%)	29%	36%
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<u>MS Reported ROE ⁽²⁾</u>	9%	4%	(0.0%)	4%
<u>MS ROE Excl. DVA ⁽²⁾</u>	10%	(0.3%)	5%	5%

6% excluding certain expenses / benefits ⁽²⁾

Source Bloomberg

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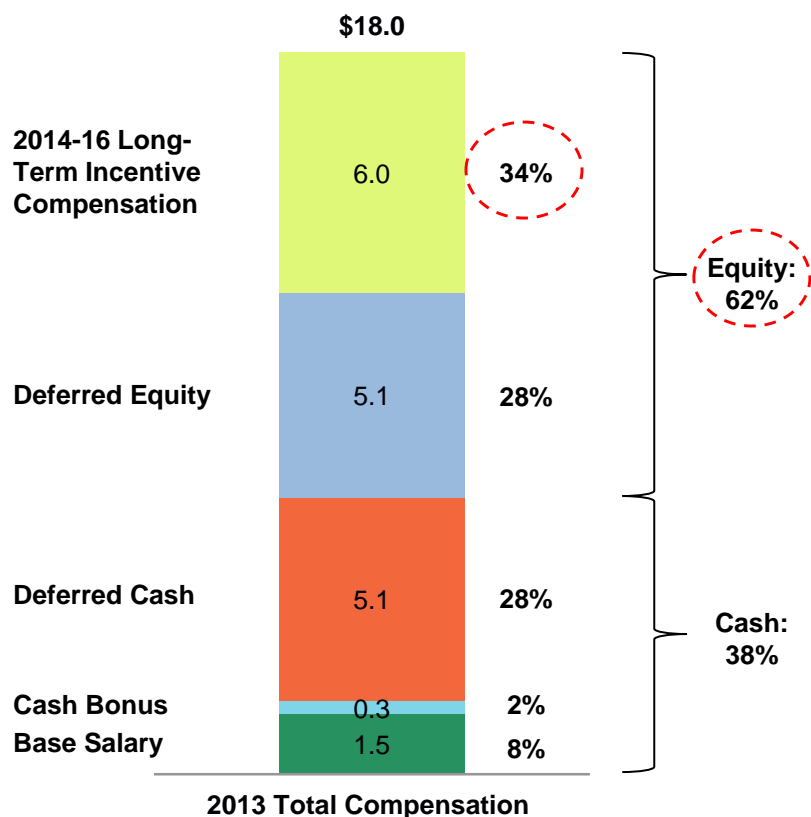
1. Includes Bank of America, Barclays, Citi, Credit Suisse, Deutsche Bank, Goldman Sachs, J.P. Morgan, UBS, Wells Fargo
2. The return on average common equity metrics, return on average common equity excluding DVA metrics, and return on average common equity excluding DVA and certain expenses / benefits metric are non-GAAP measures that the Firm considers to be useful measures to assess operating performance. ROE represents income (loss) from continuing operations applicable to MS, less preferred dividends divided by average common equity. To determine the return on equity excluding DVA and certain expenses / benefits, return on equity excluding DVA reported on page 56 of the 2013 Form 10-K was adjusted (both the numerator and denominator) to exclude the after-tax impact of litigation expenses related to residential mortgage-backed securities and credit crisis matters and an aggregate discrete tax benefit. Refer to endnotes on page 16

3. 2013 CEO Compensation Structure and Governance

62% of CEO Compensation is Equity-Based and 34% Is Directly Linked to Future Performance

MS 2013 CEO Compensation Elements

\$ Million



Deferred Compensation (90%)

Deferred Cash and Deferred Equity

- Deferred over 3 years
- Subject to clawback

2014-16 Long-Term Incentive Compensation

- Realizable value determined after three years (2014-2016), based equally on two performance metrics: target average ROE 10% and shareholder returns relative to the S&P Financials Index
- Payout can range from 0 – 1.5x target, depending on performance relative to target. TSR portion will not exceed 1.0x, if there is negative TSR for the performance period
- Subject to clawback
- Long-term incentive compensation issued in 2009 had 0% payout after 2012 period-end given Firm performance. 2010 awards had 62.5% of target payout after 2013 period-end

Current Compensation (10%)

Base Salary

- CEO base salary is equal to the median salary for the CEOs of the top five U.S. banks

Cash Bonus

- Cash bonus was awarded consistent with the Firmwide deferral schedule

3. 2013 CEO Compensation Structure and Governance

CEO Compensation Structure and Governance Were Further Enhanced in 2013

Compensation Element	Enhanced In 2013	Note
1 Performance-based long-term incentive award remains a significant portion of total comprehensive pay opportunity	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	In 2013, reduced maximum payout for superior performance relative to target from 2.0x to 1.5x
2 Clawbacks	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	In 2013, clawback extended to cover material adverse outcomes, even absent misconduct
3 Eliminated excise tax gross-up	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CEO employment letter was amended to eliminate a clause dating back to his hire in 2006 that obligated Morgan Stanley to gross-up any excise taxes due on payments resulting from a change-in-control of Morgan Stanley
4 Substantial deferral of above base compensation		98% of CEO 2013/14 comprehensive pay opportunity excluding base salary is deferred over three years
5 Equity-based compensation a significant portion of total pay opportunity		62% of CEO 2013/14 comprehensive pay opportunity is equity-based
6 Share retention requirement		NEOs and other Operating Committee members must retain at least 75% of equity awards granted during tenure on the Operating Committee (less allowances for option exercise and taxes)
7 Prohibited from hedging, selling short, or trading derivatives		NEOs and other Operating Committee members are prohibited from engaging in hedging strategies, selling short or trading derivatives with Company securities
8 Change-in-control		No automatic vesting on change-in-control. Double trigger in place since 2007 (i.e., change in control and termination within 18 months of change in control required for vesting)

4. Corporate and Risk Governance Highlights

Morgan Stanley is Committed to Maintaining Best in Class Governance Practices

Composition of Board

- The Board has financial services experience and diverse international background and a substantial majority of independent directors
 - In 2013, Thomas Glocer and Ray Wilkins joined our Board as independent directors
- Lead independent director appointed by other independent directors
 - Erskine Bowles appointed Lead Director effective February 2014 in accordance with Corporate Governance Policy regarding the rotation of the Lead Director
 - Lead Director has broad and clearly defined leadership authority and responsibilities
- Board policy favors committee rotation and the Board approved three new committee chairs and three new appointments in 2013 and 2014

Governance Highlights

- Shareholders who own at least 25% of common stock have the ability to call a special meeting of shareholders
- There are no supermajority vote requirements in our charter or bylaws
- All directors elected annually by majority vote standard
- We do not have a “poison pill” in effect
- The Board regularly reviews the Company’s financial performance, strategy and business plans with management

Risk Governance

- Risk Committee of the Board established January 2010; Operations and Technology Committee established May 2011
- In 2013, we further consolidated the Board’s risk oversight structure by expanding the Risk Committee’s responsibilities to include oversight of operational risk (formerly responsibility of Operations and Technology Committee) and reputational risk (formerly responsibility of Audit Committee). The full Board attends quarterly Risk Committee meetings
- Chief Risk Officer reports to CEO and Risk Committee and regularly reviews risk matters with the Audit Committee, Risk Committee and the Board
- Chief Risk Officer reviews incentive compensation arrangements with CMDS Committee to confirm they do not encourage excessive or unnecessary risk-taking
- Chief Risk Officer participates in review process for evaluating situations that could require clawback of previously awarded compensation or reduction of current year compensation

5. Shareholder Proposal

Shareholder Proposal to Publish Special Annual Report on Lobbying Expenses

Proposal

- Publish special annual report disclosing lobbying expenses, including payments made to trade associations that engage in lobbying

Recommendation

- Morgan Stanley's Board of Directors recommends: AGAINST

Reason to Vote "Against"

- Morgan Stanley prohibits corporate political contributions in the U.S., including contributions to "Super PACs" – even when permitted to do so by law
- Morgan Stanley instructs the U.S. trade associations to which it belongs not to use payments made by Morgan Stanley for political activities, consistent with our policy
- Morgan Stanley participates in trade associations and industry groups that represent the interests of the financial services industry and the broader business community
- Morgan Stanley's current political activities policy and public disclosures regarding political activities provide our shareholders with substantial information – creating a separate report is not necessary and would not be an effective use of corporate resources
- Morgan Stanley's political activities are subject to oversight by management and the Board

Endnotes

The following notes are an integral part of the Company's financial and operating performance described in this presentation:

- A detailed analysis of the Company's financial and operational performance for 2013 is contained in the Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations in Part II, Item 7 of the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2013 (2013 Form 10-K)
- Total shareholder return is the change in share price over a period of time plus the dividends paid during such period, expressed as a percentage of the share price at the beginning of such period
- DVA represents the change in fair value of certain of the Company's long-term and short-term borrowings outstanding resulting from the fluctuation in the Company's credit spreads and other credit factors
- Pre-tax profit margin, return on equity, and return on equity excluding DVA are non-GAAP financial measures that the Company considers useful measures for investors to assess operating performance. For further information regarding these measures, please see pages 55-58 of the 2013 Form 10-K
- The Company estimates its Basel III RWAs based on an analysis of Basel III guidelines published to date and other factors. This is a preliminary estimate and subject to change
- Company adjusted expense ratio excluding DVA is a non-GAAP financial measure that the Company considers to be a useful measure for investors to assess operating performance. The adjusted expense ratio excluding DVA is calculated as adjusted non-interest expenses as a percentage of net revenues excluding DVA. The reconciliation of adjusted non-interest expenses (non-GAAP) to reported non-interest expenses (GAAP) is as follows (amounts are presented in \$ millions):

	<u>2013</u>
Adjusted non-interest expenses – Non-GAAP	\$26,196
Increase in legal expenses, 2013 over 2012	\$1,439
Investments/impairments/write-offs	\$300
Non-interest expenses – GAAP	\$27,935

- When used herein, "certain expenses/benefits" refers to the net impact of litigation expenses of \$1.9 billion (pre-tax) related to residential mortgage-backed securities and credit crisis matters, partially offset by an aggregate discrete tax benefit of \$407 million as reported on page 62 of the 2013 Form 10-K
- The return on equity excluding DVA and certain expenses/benefits metric is a non-GAAP financial measure that the Company considers a useful measure for investors to assess operating performance. To determine the return on equity excluding DVA and certain expenses / benefits, the return on equity excluding DVA metric reported on page 56 of the 2013 Form 10-K was adjusted (both the numerator and denominator) to exclude the impact of certain expenses/benefits. The impact of excluding certain litigation expenses (after-tax) on the return on equity excluding DVA was a positive 1.9%, while the impact of excluding the aggregate discrete tax benefit was a negative 0.6%



Notice

The information provided herein may include certain non-GAAP financial measures. The reconciliation of such measures to the comparable GAAP figures are included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2013, which is available on www.morganstanley.com, or within this presentation. The endnotes on page 16 are an integral part of this presentation.

This presentation may contain forward-looking statements. You are cautioned not to place undue reliance on forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date on which they are made, which reflect management's current estimates, projections, expectations or beliefs and which are subject to risks and uncertainties that may cause actual results to differ materially. For a discussion of risks and uncertainties that may affect the future results of the Company, please see the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2013.

The statements in this presentation are current only as of their respective dates.