

VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC  
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Final Term Sheet

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**VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC.**

**\$1,000,000,000 Floating Rate Notes due 2014**

**\$1,500,000,000 1.95% Notes due 2014**

**\$1,250,000,000 3.00% Notes due 2016**

**\$1,500,000,000 4.60% Notes due 2021**

**\$1,000,000,000 6.00% Notes due 2041**

**Issuer:** Verizon Communications Inc.

**Title of Securities:** Floating Rate Notes due 2014 (the Floating Rate Notes due 2014 )  
1.95% Notes due 2014 (the Notes due 2014 )  
3.00% Notes due 2016 (the Notes due 2016 )  
4.60% Notes due 2021 (the Notes due 2021 )  
6.00% Notes due 2041 (the Notes due 2041 )

**Trade Date:** March 23, 2011

**Settlement Date (T+3):** March 28, 2011

**Maturity Date:** Floating Rate Notes due 2014: March 28, 2014  
Notes due 2014: March 28, 2014  
Notes due 2016: April 1, 2016  
Notes due 2021: April 1, 2021  
Notes due 2041: April 1, 2041

**Aggregate Principal Amount Offered:** Floating Rate Notes due 2014: \$1,000,000,000  
Notes due 2014: \$1,500,000,000  
Notes due 2016: \$1,250,000,000  
Notes due 2021: \$1,500,000,000  
Notes due 2041: \$1,000,000,000

**Price to Public (Issue Price):** Floating Rate Notes due 2014: 100% plus accrued interest, if any, from March 28, 2011  
Notes due 2014: 99.867% plus accrued interest, if any, from March 28, 2011  
Notes due 2016: 99.480% plus accrued interest, if any, from March 28, 2011  
Notes due 2021: 99.145% plus accrued interest, if any, from March 28, 2011

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|                                | Notes due 2041:               | 98.333% plus accrued interest, if any, from March 28, 2011  |
| <b>Gross Spread:</b>           | Floating Rate Notes due 2014: | 0.250%  |
|                                | Notes due 2014:               | 0.250%  |
|                                | Notes due 2016:               | 0.350%  |
|                                | Notes due 2021:               | 0.450%  |
|                                | Notes due 2041:               | 0.750%  |
| <b>Price to Verizon:</b>       | Floating Rate Notes due 2014: | 99.750%   |
|                                | Notes due 2014:               | 99.617%   |
|                                | Notes due 2016:               | 99.130%   |
|                                | Notes due 2021:               | 98.695%   |
|                                | Notes due 2041:               | 97.583%   |
| <b>Interest Rate:</b>          | Floating Rate Notes due 2014: | Three-month LIBOR plus 0.610%   |
|                                | Notes due 2014:               | 1.95% per annum   |
|                                | Notes due 2016:               | 3.00% per annum   |
|                                | Notes due 2021:               | 4.60% per annum   |
|                                | Notes due 2041:               | 6.00% per annum   |
| <b>Interest Payment Dates:</b> | Floating Rate Notes due 2014: | Quarterly on each March 28, June 28, September 28 and December 28, beginning June 28, 2011  |
|                                | Notes due 2014:               | Semiannually on each March 28 and September 28, commencing September 28, 2011   |
|                                | Notes due 2016:               | Semiannually on each April 1 and October 1, commencing October 1, 2011  |
|                                | Notes due 2021:               | Semiannually on each April 1 and October 1, commencing October 1, 2011  |
|                                | Notes due 2041:               | Semiannually on each April 1 and October 1, commencing October 1, 2011  |
| <b>Denominations:</b>          |                               | Minimum of \$2,000 and integral multiples of \$1,000 in excess of 2,000   |
| <b>Optional Redemption:</b>    | Floating Rate Notes due 2014: | Not redeemable prior to maturity  |
|                                | Notes due 2014:               | Make-whole call at any time at the greater of 100% of the principal amount of the Notes due 2014 being redeemed or the discounted present value at Treasury Rate plus 15 basis points plus, in each case, accrued and unpaid interest |

Notes due 2016: Make-whole call at any time at the greater of 100% of the principal amount of the Notes due 2016 being redeemed or the discounted present value at Treasury Rate plus 20 basis points plus, in each case, accrued and unpaid interest

Notes due 2021: Make-whole call at any time at the greater of 100% of the principal amount of the Notes due 2021 being redeemed or the discounted present value at Treasury Rate plus 25 basis points plus, in each case, accrued and unpaid interest

Notes due 2041: Make-whole call at any time at the greater of 100% of the principal amount of the Notes due 2041 being redeemed or the discounted present value at Treasury Rate plus 30 basis points plus, in each case, accrued and unpaid interest

**Use of Proceeds:**

The issuer will use the net proceeds from the sale of the notes for the repayment of commercial paper, the retirement of a portion of the outstanding notes issued by the issuer's telephone operating company subsidiaries due on or before April 1, 2012 with interest rates ranging from 5.65% to 6.875% and general corporate purposes

**Joint Book-Running Managers:**

Citigroup Global Markets Inc., J.P. Morgan Securities LLC, Morgan Stanley & Co. Incorporated, Wells Fargo Securities, LLC, Goldman, Sachs & Co., Barclays Capital Inc., Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated and RBS Securities Inc.

**Allocation:**

|   | Principal Amount<br>of Floating Rate<br>Notes due 2014 | Principal Amount<br>of Notes due 2014 | Principal Amount<br>of Notes due 2016 | Principal Amount<br>of Notes due 2021 | Principal Amount<br>of Notes due 2041 |
|---|--|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Citigroup Global Markets Inc.                         | \$ 100,000,000   | \$ 150,000,000                        | \$ 125,000,000                        | \$ 150,000,000                        | \$ 100,000,000                        |
| J.P. Morgan Securities LLC                            | 100,000,000  | 150,000,000                           | 125,000,000                           | 150,000,000                           | 100,000,000                           |
| Morgan Stanley & Co. Incorporated                     | 100,000,000  | 150,000,000                           | 125,000,000                           | 150,000,000                           | 100,000,000                           |
| Wells Fargo Securities, LLC                           | 100,000,000  | 150,000,000                           | 125,000,000                           | 150,000,000                           | 100,000,000                           |
| Goldman, Sachs & Co.                                  | 100,000,000  | 150,000,000                           | 125,000,000                           | 150,000,000                           | 100,000,000                           |
| Barclays Capital Inc.                                 | 100,000,000  | 150,000,000                           | 125,000,000                           | 150,000,000                           | 100,000,000                           |
| Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith<br>Incorporated | 100,000,000  | 150,000,000                           | 125,000,000                           | 150,000,000                           | 100,000,000                           |
| RBS Securities Inc.                                   | 100,000,000  | 150,000,000                           | 125,000,000                           | 150,000,000                           | 100,000,000                           |
| Mitsubishi UFJ Securities (USA), Inc.                 | 40,000,000   | 60,000,000                            | 50,000,000                            | 60,000,000                            | 55,000,000                            |
| UBS Securities LLC                                    | 40,000,000   | 60,000,000                            | 50,000,000                            | 60,000,000                            | 55,000,000                            |
| Deutsche Bank Securities Inc.                         | 20,000,000   | 30,000,000                            | 25,000,000                            | 30,000,000                            | 20,000,000                            |
| Mizuho Securities USA Inc.                            | 0  | 0                                     | 0                                     | 0                                     | 30,000,000                            |
| RBC Capital Markets, LLC                              | 20,000,000   | 30,000,000                            | 25,000,000                            | 30,000,000                            | 20,000,000                            |
| Santander Investment Securities Inc.                  | 20,000,000   | 30,000,000                            | 25,000,000                            | 30,000,000                            | 20,000,000                            |
| Banca IMI S.p.A.                                      | 10,000,000   | 15,000,000                            | 12,500,000                            | 15,000,000                            | 0                                     |
| BNY Mellon Capital Markets, LLC                       | 10,000,000   | 15,000,000                            | 12,500,000                            | 15,000,000                            | 0                                     |
| U.S. Bancorp Investments, Inc.                        | 10,000,000   | 15,000,000                            | 12,500,000                            | 15,000,000                            | 0                                     |
| Guzman & Company                                      | 7,500,000  | 11,250,000                            | 9,375,000                             | 11,250,000                            | 0                                     |
| Loop Capital Markets LLC                              | 7,500,000  | 11,250,000                            | 9,375,000                             | 11,250,000                            | 0                                     |
| Samuel A. Ramirez & Company, Inc.                     | 7,500,000  | 11,250,000                            | 9,375,000                             | 11,250,000                            | 0                                     |
| The Williams Capital Group, L.P.                      | 7,500,000  | 11,250,000                            | 9,375,000                             | 11,250,000                            | 0                                     |

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**Reference Document:** Prospectus Supplement, subject to completion, dated March 23, 2011; Prospectus dated March 23, 2011.

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