

ROYAL BANK OF CANADA  
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**ROYAL BANK OF CANADA**

**MEDIUM-TERM NOTES, SERIES H**

**\$1,500,000,000**

**3.700% SENIOR NOTES, DUE OCTOBER 5, 2023**

**FINAL TERM SHEET**

**DATED OCTOBER 1, 2018**

Terms and Conditions

<b>Issuer:</b>	Royal Bank of Canada
<b>Title of the Series:</b>	3.700% Senior Notes, due October 5, 2023 (the "Notes")
<b>Expected Ratings<sup>1</sup>:</b>	A2 / A / AA (Stable / Stable / Stable)
<b>Principal Amount:</b>	\$1,500,000,000
<b>Issue Price:</b>	99.792%
<b>Trade Date:</b>	October 1, 2018
<b>Settlement Date (T+4) <sup>2</sup>:</b>	October 5, 2018
<b>Maturity Date:</b>	October 5, 2023
<b>Minimum Denomination:</b>	\$2,000 and multiples of \$1,000
<b>Interest Rate:</b>	3.700%
<b>Treasury Benchmark:</b>	2.875% UST due September 2023
<b>Treasury Benchmark Price:</b>	99-18+

<b>Treasury Yield:</b>	2.966%
<b>Re-offer Spread to Treasury</b>	T + 78bps
<b>Benchmark:</b>	
<b>Re-Offer Yield:</b>	3.746%
<b>Fees:</b>	0.250%

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<sup>1</sup> A credit rating is not a recommendation to buy, sell or hold securities, and it may be subject to revision or withdrawal at any time by the assigning rating organization.

<sup>2</sup> Under Rule 15c6-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, trades in the secondary market generally are required to settle no later than two business days after the trade date, unless the parties to such trade expressly agree otherwise at the time of the trade. Accordingly, purchasers who wish to trade on any date more than two business days prior to delivery of the Notes will be required, by virtue of the fact that the Notes initially will settle in four business days (T+4), to specify alternative settlement arrangements to prevent a failed settlement.

**Interest Payment Dates:** Semi-annually on each October 5th and April 5th, beginning April 5, 2019

**Payment Convention:** Following business day convention, unadjusted

**Business Days:** New York, Toronto

**Day Count Fraction:** 30/360

**Listing:** None

**Optional Redemption:** None

**Canadian Bail-in Powers**  
**Acknowledgment:** The Notes are subject to bail-in conversion under the Canadian bail-in regime.

**CUSIP / ISIN:** 78013XW20 / US78013XW20  
RBC Capital Markets, LLC  
Citigroup Global Markets Inc.

**Lead Managers and Joint Book** Goldman Sachs & Co. LLC

**Runners:** Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith  
Incorporated  
Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC

**Co-Managers:** ANZ Securities, Inc.  
BB&T Capital Markets, a division of BB&T Securities, LLC  
BNY Mellon Capital Markets, LLC  
Capital One Securities, Inc.  
Comerica Securities, Inc.  
Commonwealth Bank of Australia  
Desjardins Securities Inc.  
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