Cabot Corporation <u>Pricing Term Sheet</u> \$300,000,000 5.00% Notes due 2016

Issuer:	Cabot Corporation
Security Type:	Senior Unsecured Notes
Ratings:*	Baa1 (stable outlook) / BBB+ (stable outlook)
Pricing Date:	September 21, 2009
Settlement Date:	September 24, 2009 (T+3)
Interest Payment Dates:	October 1 and April 1, commencing April 1, 2010
Denominations:	\$2,000 x 1,000
Principal Amount:	US \$300,000,000
Maturity:	October 1, 2016
Benchmark:	3.000% notes due August 31, 2016
Benchmark Yield:	3.116%
Re-Offer Spread to Benchmark:	T+200 bps
Coupon:	5.00%
Price to Public:	99.322%
Yield to Maturity:	5.116%
Optional Redemption:	T+30 bps
CUSIP/ISIN:	127055AG6 / US127055AG64
Joint Book-Running Managers:	J.P. Morgan Securities Inc. Banc of America Securities LLC
Co-Managers:	Citigroup Global Markets Inc. Goldman, Sachs & Co. HSBC Securities (USA) Inc. Mizuho Securities USA Inc. RBS Securities Inc.

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This pricing term sheet supplements the preliminary form of prospectus supplement issued by Cabot Corporation on September 21, 2009 relating to their prospectus dated September 21, 2009.

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