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## Update on the Share Buyback Program and the Liquidity Agreement

Period from 20 July 2023 to 26 July 2023

### Share Buyback Program

On [10 May 2023](#), Bekaert announced the start of the sixth tranche of its buyback program, for a total maximum consideration of up to € 30 million (the Sixth Tranche). All shares bought as part of the Program will be cancelled. The purpose of the Program is to reduce the issued share capital of the company.

Bekaert announces today that during the period from 20 July 2023 to 21 July 2023, Kepler Cheuvreux on behalf of Bekaert has bought 26 900 shares.

The table below provides an overview of the transactions under the sixth tranche of the Program during the period from 20 July 2023 to 21 July 2023:

Repurchase of shares						
Date	Market	Number of Shares	Average Price paid (€)	Highest Price paid (€)	Lowest Price paid (€)	Total Amount (€)
20 July 2023	Euronext Brussels	6 173	42.87	43.44	42.56	264 637
	MTF CBOE	4 712	42.87	43.44	42.54	202 003
	MTF Turquoise	1 274	42.91	43.42	42.56	54 667
	MTF Aquis	1 172	42.87	43.42	42.54	50 244
21 July 2023	Euronext Brussels	6 295	42.23	42.58	42.04	265 838
	MTF CBOE	4 901	42.23	42.52	42.04	206 969
	MTF Turquoise	1 223	42.24	42.52	42.04	51 660
	MTF Aquis	1 150	42.23	42.44	41.98	48 565
<b>Total</b>		<b>26 900</b>	<b>42.55</b>	<b>43.44</b>	<b>41.98</b>	<b>1 144 583</b>

### Liquidity agreement

In relation to the renewed liquidity agreement with Kepler Cheuvreux announced on [2 September 2022](#), Bekaert announces today that Kepler Cheuvreux on behalf of Bekaert has bought 10 214 shares during the period from 20 July 2023 to 26 July 2023 on Euronext Brussels. During the same period, Kepler Cheuvreux on behalf of Bekaert has sold 5 200 shares on Euronext Brussels.

The tables below provide an overview of the transactions under the liquidity agreement during the period from 20 July 2023 to 26 July 2023:

<b>Purchase of shares</b>					
<b>Date</b>	<b>Number of Shares</b>	<b>Average Price (€)</b>	<b>Highest Price (€)</b>	<b>Lowest Price (€)</b>	<b>Total Amount (€)</b>
20 July 2023	2 600	42.83	43.20	42.58	111 358
21 July 2023	2 000	42.24	42.50	42.00	84 480
24 July 2023	800	42.05	42.10	42.00	33 640
25 July 2023	2 814	42.21	42.60	41.80	118 779
26 July 2023	2 000	42.60	42.70	42.50	85 200
<b>Total</b>	<b>10 214</b>				<b>433 457</b>

<b>Sale of shares</b>					
<b>Date</b>	<b>Number of Shares</b>	<b>Average Price (€)</b>	<b>Highest Price (€)</b>	<b>Lowest Price (€)</b>	<b>Total Amount (€)</b>
20 July 2023	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
21 July 2023	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
24 July 2023	1 600	42.53	42.80	42.30	68 048
25 July 2023	1 200	42.83	43.00	42.70	51 396
26 July 2023	2 400	42.69	42.80	42.60	102 456
<b>Total</b>	<b>5 200</b>				<b>221 900</b>

The balance held by Bekaert under the liquidity agreement at the end of the period is 50 357 shares.

On 26 July 2023 after closing of the market, Bekaert holds 2 481 997 own shares, or 4.44% of the total number of the outstanding shares.

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### **Company profile**

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