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Update on the Share Buyback Program and the Liquidity Agreement

Period from 31 July 2025 to 6 August 2025

Share Buyback Program

On <u>28 February 2025</u>, Bekaert announced the start of the next tranche of its share buyback program, for a total maximum consideration of up to € 25 million. As announced previously, the purpose of the Program is to cancel all shares repurchased.

Bekaert announces today that during the period from 31 July 2025 to 6 August 2025, Kepler Cheuvreux SA on behalf of Bekaert has bought 41 189 shares.

The table below provides an overview of the transactions under the Program during the period from 31 July 2025 to 6 August 2025:

	Repurchase of shares							
		Number of	Average Price	Highest Price	Lowest Price	Total		
Date	Market	Shares	paid (€)	paid (€)	paid (€)	Amount (€)		
31 July 2025	Euronext Brussels	9 189	35.00	36.25	33.00	321 615		
	MTF CBOE					_		
	MTF Turquoise					_		
	MTF Aquis					_		
1 August 2025	Euronext Brussels	8 000	36.66	37.10	35.95	293 280		
	MTF CBOE					_		
	MTF Turquoise					_		
	MTF Aquis					_		
4 August 2025	Euronext Brussels	8 000	36.27	36.45	35.95	290 160		
	MTF CBOE					_		
	MTF Turquoise					_		
	MTF Aquis					_		
5 August 2025	Euronext Brussels	8 000	36.52	36.65	36.40	292 160		
	MTF CBOE					_		
	MTF Turquoise					_		
	MTF Aquis					_		
6 August 2025	Euronext Brussels	8 000	36.71	36.85	36.55	293 680		
	MTF CBOE	_	_	_	_	_		
	MTF Turquoise	_	_	_	_	_		
	MTF Aquis	_	_	_	_	_		
Total		41 189	36.20	37.10	33.00	1490895		

Liquidity agreement

In relation to the renewed liquidity agreement with Kepler Cheuvreux announced on <u>25 June 2024</u>, Bekaert announces today that Kepler Cheuvreux on behalf of Bekaert has bought 5 200 shares during the period from 31 July 2025 to 6 August 2025 on Euronext Brussels. During the same period, Kepler Cheuvreux on behalf of Bekaert has sold 4 600 shares on Euronext Brussels.

The tables below provide an overview of the transactions under the liquidity agreement during the period from 31 July 2025 to 6 August 2025:

Date	Purchase of shares						
	Number of Shares	Average Price (€)	Highest Price (€)	Lowest Price (€)	Total Amount (€)		
31 July 2025	2 200	33.84	34.25	33.00	74 448		
1 August 2025	1 200	33.26	36.60	36.00	39 912		
4 August 2025	800	36.15	36.20	36.00	28 920		
5 August 2025	600	36.47	36.50	36.40	21 882		
6 August 2025	400	36.65	36.70	36.60	14 660		
Total	5 200				179 822		

Date	Sale of shares						
	Number of Shares	Average Price (€)	Highest Price (€)	Lowest Price (€)	Total Amount (€)		
31 July 2025	2 200	35.00	36.00	34.00	77 000		
1 August 2025	600	36.58	36.90	36.25	21 948		
4 August 2025	800	36.21	36.40	36.05	28 968		
5 August 2025	600	36.53	36.60	36.40	21 918		
6 August 2025	400	36.78	36.80	36.75	14 712		
Total	4 600				164 546		

The balance held by Bekaert under the liquidity agreement at the end of the period is 36 522 shares.

On 6 August 2025 after closing of the market, Bekaert holds 2 374 660 own shares, or 4.51% of the total number of the outstanding shares.

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