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Update on the Share Buyback Program and the Liquidity Agreement

Period from 6 August 2026 to 12 August 2026

Share Buyback Program

On 26 February 2026, Bekaert announced the start of the next tranche of its share buyback program, for a total maximum consideration of up to € 75 million. As announced previously, the purpose of the Program is to cancel all shares repurchased.

Bekaert announces today that during the period from 6 August 2026 to 12 August 2026, Kepler Cheuvreux SA on behalf of Bekaert has bought 56 000 shares.

The table below provides an overview of the transactions under the Program during the period from 6 August 2026 to 12 August 2026:

		Repurchase of shares				
Date	**Market**	**Number of Shares**	**Average Price paid (€)**	**Highest Price paid (€)**	**Lowest Price paid (€)**	**Total Amount (€)**
6 August 2026	Euronext Brussels	6 100	38.71	39.05	38.60	236 131
	MTF CBOE	5 900	38.70	38.90	38.55	228 330
	MTF Turquoise					
	MTF Aquis					
7 August 2026	Euronext Brussels	6 000	38.44	38.50	38.40	230 640
	MTF CBOE	5 000	38.44	38.55	38.35	192 200
	MTF Turquoise					
	MTF Aquis					
10 August 2026	Euronext Brussels	6 000	38.20	38.40	37.95	229 200
	MTF CBOE	5 000	38.20	38.35	37.95	191 000
	MTF Turquoise					
	MTF Aquis					
11 August 2026	Euronext Brussels	6 000	37.99	38.30	37.65	227 940
	MTF CBOE	5 000	38.01	38.35	37.70	190 050
	MTF Turquoise					
	MTF Aquis					
12 August 2026	Euronext Brussels	6 000	38.02	38.35	37.70	228 120
	MTF CBOE	5 000	38.01	38.35	37.70	190 050
	MTF Turquoise					
	MTF Aquis					
Total		**56 000**	**38.28**	**39.05**	**37.65**	**2 143 661**

Liquidity agreement

In relation to the renewed liquidity agreement with Kepler Cheuvreux announced on 25 June 2024, Bekaert announces today that Kepler Cheuvreux on behalf of Bekaert has bought 4 700 shares during the period from 6 August 2026 to 12 August 2026 on Euronext Brussels. During the same period, Kepler Cheuvreux on behalf of Bekaert has sold 2 800 shares on Euronext Brussels.

The tables below provide an overview of the transactions under the liquidity agreement during the period from 6 August 2026 to 12 August 2026:

			Purchase of shares		
Date	**Number of Shares**	**Average Price (€)**	**Highest Price (€)**	**Lowest Price (€)**	**Total Amount (€)**
6 August 2026	800	38.64	38.90	38.35	30 912
7 August 2026	400	38.45	38.45	38.45	15 380
10 August 2026	1 000	38.18	38.30	38.00	38 180
11 August 2026	1 100	37.88	38.10	37.60	41 668
12 August 2026	1 400	37.96	38.20	37.80	53 144
Total	**4 700**				**179 284**

			Sale of shares		
Date	**Number of Shares**	**Average Price (€)**	**Highest Price (€)**	**Lowest Price (€)**	**Total Amount (€)**
6 August 2026	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
7 August 2026	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
10 August 2026	1 000	38.28	38.40	38.20	38 280
11 August 2026	1 000	38.16	38.40	38.00	38 160
12 August 2026	800	38.15	38.30	38.00	30 520
Total	**2 800**				**106 960**

The balance held by Bekaert under the liquidity agreement at the end of the period is 26 554 shares.

On 12 August 2026 after closing of the market, Bekaert holds 1 985 586 own shares, or 3.97% of the total number of the outstanding shares.

This information is also made available on the investor relations pages of our website.

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