

Press release

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Purchase of own shares

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On the basis of Article 207 of the Royal Decree of 30 January 2001 implementing the Companies Code, Bekaert communicates the following share buy-back transactions effected on the regulated market of NYSE Euronext Brussels.

| Date | Number of shares | Average price (€) | Highest price (€) | Lowest price (€) | Total price (€) |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| 25 August 2014 | 11 875 | 28.3731 | 28.48 | 28.29 | 336 930.56 |
| 26 August 2014 | 17 501 | 28.4745 | 28.57 | 28.40 | 498 332.22 |
| 26 August 2014 | 3 800 (block) | 28.4900 | | | 108 262.00 |
| 27 August 2014 | 9 266 | 28.4658 | 28.57 | 28.36 | 263 764.10 |
| 27 August 2014 | 2 500 (block) | 28.5000 | | | 71 250.00 |
| 27 August 2014 | 2 000 (block) | 28.4350 | | | 56 870.00 |
| 28 August 2014 | 13 034 | 28.2689 | 28.50 | 28.15 | 368 456.84 |
| 28 August 2014 | 2 500 (block) | 28.3300 | | | 70 825.00 |
| 29 August 2014 | 10 921 | 28.1919 | 28.35 | 28.03 | 307 883.74 |
| 29 August 2014 | 4 000 (block) | 28.2250 | | | 112 900.00 |
| 1 September 2014 | 10 395 | 28.3450 | 28.48 | 28.19 | 294 646.28 |
| 2 September 2014 | 14 990 | 28.3469 | 28.63 | 28.13 | 424 920.03 |
| 2 September 2014 | 3 000 (block) | 28.4000 | | | 85 200.00 |
| 2 September 2014 | 4 000 (block) | 28.4650 | | | 113 860.00 |
| 2 September 2014 | 27 218 (block) | 28.4850 | | | 775 304.73 |
| 2 September 2014 | 20 000 (block) | 28.3100 | | | 566 200.00 |
| Total since 25 August 2014 | 157 000 | 28.3797 | 28.63 | 28.00 | 4 455 605.50 |
| Total since 10 June 2014 | 1 546 418 | 27.4214 | 29.40 | 26.58 | 43 126 876.35 |

For more information: www.bekaert.com/investors/share-information/share-buy-back

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