

Information on acquisition of own shares

LANXESS AG completed the acquisition of own shares for issuance of employee shares on June 16, 2010. The acquisition started on June 15, 2010. Altogether LANXESS AG acquired 155,000 own shares on the stock exchange via a bank. We disclose the following information regarding this acquisition of own shares pursuant to Sec. 14 para. 2 WpHG in connection with Art. 4 para. 4 Regulation (EG) No. 2273/2003:

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Date	Number of Shares	Average Price	Value
15.06.2010	77,500	37.79	2,928,713.40
16.06.2010	77,500	37.59	2,913,536.13
Total	155,000	37.69	5,842,249.53

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