

## Information on acquisition of own shares

LANXESS AG completed the acquisition of own shares for issuance of employee shares on July 14, 2011. The acquisition started on July 12, 2011. Altogether LANXESS AG acquired 120,600 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:

Date	Number of	Average Price	Value (EUR)
	Shares	(EUR)	
12.07.2011	49,000	56.4604	2,766,559.60
13.07.2011	35,000	58.3066	2,040,731
14.07.2011	36,600	58.2626	2,132,411.16
Total	120,600	57.5431	6,939,701.76

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