

Transparency notifications by BlackRock, Inc.

In accordance with article 14, § 1 of the law of 2 May 2007 on disclosure of major holdings BlackRock, Inc. has recently notified Umicore that it has crossed the statutory threshold of 5% for the total of direct voting rights + equivalent financial instruments.

Summary of the moves:


Date on which the threshold was crossed	Date of notification	Direct voting rights after the transaction	Equivalent financial instruments after the transaction	Total
13 January 2021	14 January 2021	4.02%	1.07%	5.09%

The most recent notification contains the following information:

- Date of notification: 14 January 2021
- Date on which the threshold is crossed: 13 January 2021
- Threshold of direct voting rights + equivalent financial instruments crossed upwards: 5%
- Notification by: BlackRock, Inc.
- Denominator: 246,400,000
- Reason for notification: Acquisition or disposal of voting securities or voting rights
- Notification details:

A) Voting rights	Previous notification		After the transaction			
	# of voting rights		# of voting rights		% of voting rights	
	0		Linked to securities	Not linked to the securities	Linked to securities	Not linked to the securities
BlackRock, Inc.	0		0		0.00%	
BlackRock (Netherlands) B.V.	30,794		26,816		0.01%	
BlackRock (Singapore) Limited	3,774		380		0.00%	
BlackRock Advisors (UK) Limited	1,343,633		1,256,147		0.51%	
BlackRock Advisors, LLC	231,839		189,804		0.08%	
BlackRock Asset Management Canada Limited	139,327		156,828		0.06%	
BlackRock Asset Management Deutschland AG	297,399		623,431		0.25%	
BlackRock Asset Management North Asia Limited	5,267		1,619		0.00%	
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	19,970		215,409		0.09%	
BlackRock Fund Advisors	2,582,082		2,895,293		1.18%	
BlackRock Institutional Trust Company, National Association	2,861,040		3,067,357		1.24%	
BlackRock International Limited	65,276		71,778		0.03%	
BlackRock Investment Management (Australia) Limited	86,839		102,202		0.04%	
BlackRock Investment Management (UK) Limited	1,578,550		795,451		0.32%	
BlackRock Investment Management, LLC	451,222		245,969		0.10%	
BlackRock Japan Co., Ltd.	146,807		252,240		0.10%	
Subtotal	9,843,819		9,900,724		4.02%	
TOTAL			9,900,724	0	4.02%	0.00%

B) Equivalent financial instruments	After the transaction						
	Holders of equivalent financial instruments	Type of financial instrument	Expiration date	Exercise period or date	# of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised	% of voting rights	Settlement
BlackRock Advisors (UK) Limited	Securities Lent			873,481	0.35%	physical -	
BlackRock Institutional Trust Company, National Association	Securities Lent			267,385	0.11%	physical -	
BlackRock Investment Management (UK) Limited	Securities Lent			1,367,222	0.55%	physical -	
BlackRock Investment Management, LLC	Securities Lent			11,875	0.00%	physical -	
BlackRock Japan Co., Ltd.	Securities Lent			8,566	0.00%	physical -	
BlackRock Advisors, LLC	Contract for Difference			14,144	0.01%	cash -	
BlackRock Institutional Trust Company, National Association	Contract for Difference			92,564	0.04%	cash -	
BlackRock Investment Management (UK) Limited	Contract for Difference			1,202	0.00%	cash +	
TOTAL					2,636,439	1.07%	

 The totals will be updated once you have clicked on <CALCULATE>

TOTAL (A & B)	# of voting rights	% of voting rights
CALCULATE	12,537,163	5.09%

The chain of control has been described at the end of the notification and can be found [here](#).

For more information

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About Umicore

Umicore is a global materials technology and recycling group. It focuses on application areas where its expertise in materials science, chemistry and metallurgy makes a real difference. Its activities are organised in three business groups: Catalysis, Energy & Surface Technologies and Recycling. Each business group is divided into market-focused business units offering materials and solutions that are at the cutting edge of new technological developments and essential to everyday life.

Umicore generates the majority of its revenues and dedicates most of its R&D efforts to clean mobility materials and recycling. Umicore's overriding goal of sustainable value creation is based on an ambition to develop, produce and recycle materials in a way that fulfils its mission: materials for a better life.

Umicore's industrial and commercial operations as well as R&D activities are located across the world to best serve its global customer base. The Group generated revenues (excluding metal) of € 1.6 billion (turnover of € 10.0 billion) in the first half of 2020 and currently employs just below 11,000 people.