

BASF SE



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DGAP Voting Rights Announcement: BASF SE

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**Notification of Major Holdings**

**1. Details of issuer**

BASF SE  
 Carl-Bosch-Straße 38  
 67056 Ludwigshafen  
 Germany

**2. Reason for notification**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Acquisition/disposal of shares with voting rights
<input type="checkbox"/>	Acquisition/disposal of instruments
<input type="checkbox"/>	Change of breakdown of voting rights
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other reason: Voluntary Group Disclosure

**3. Details of person subject to the notification obligation**

Name:	City and country of registered office:
BlackRock, Inc.	Wilmington, DE United States of America (USA)

**4. Names of shareholder(s)**

holding directly 3% or more voting rights, if different from 3.

**5. Date on which threshold was crossed or reached**

22 March 2016

**6. Total positions**

	% of voting rights attached to shares (total of 7.a.)	% of voting rights through instruments (total of 7.b.1 + 7.b.2)	total of both in % (7.a. + 7.b.)	total number of voting rights of issuer
Resulting situation	6.23 %	0.13 %	6.36 %	918478694
Previous notification	6.40 %	0.02 %	6.42 %	/

**7. Notified details of the resulting situation**

**a. Voting rights attached to shares (Sec.s 21, 22 WpHG)**

ISIN	absolute		in %	
	direct (Sec. 21 WpHG)	indirect (Sec. 22 WpHG)	direct (Sec. 21 WpHG)	indirect (Sec. 22 WpHG)

DE000BASF111	0	57183725	0.00 %	6.23 %
<b>Total</b>		57183725		6.23 %

**b.1. Instruments according to Sec. 25 para. 1 No. 1 WpHG**

Type of instrument	Expiration or maturity date	Exercise or conversion period	Voting rights absolute	Voting rights in %
Lent Securities	n/a	n/a	1189893	0.13 %
<b>Total</b>			1189893	0.13 %

**b.2. Instruments according to Sec. 25 para. 1 No. 2 WpHG**

Type of instrument	Expiration or maturity date	Exercise or conversion period	Cash or physical settlement	Voting rights absolute	Voting rights in %
Contract for Difference	n/a	n/a	Cash	5823	0.001 %
<b>Total</b>				5823	0.001 %

**8. Information in relation to the person subject to the notification obligation**

<input type="checkbox"/>	Person subject to the notification obligation is not controlled and does itself not control any other undertaking(s) holding directly or indirectly an interest in the (underlying) issuer (1.).
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Full chain of controlled undertakings starting with the ultimate controlling natural person or legal entity:

Name	% of voting rights (if at least held 3% or more)	% of voting rights through instruments (if at least held 5% or more)	Total of both (if at least held 5% or more)
BlackRock, Inc.	%	%	%
Trident Merger, LLC	%	%	%
BlackRock Investment Management, LLC	%	%	%
BlackRock, Inc.	%	%	%
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	%	%	%
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	%	%	%
BlackRock, Inc.	%	%	%
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	%	%	%
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	%	%	%
BlackRock Holdco 4, LLC	%	%	%
BlackRock Holdco 6, LLC	%	%	%
BlackRock Delaware Holdings Inc.	%	%	%
BlackRock Institutional Trust Company, National Association	%	%	%
BlackRock, Inc.	%	%	%
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	%	%	%
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	%	%	%
BlackRock Holdco 4, LLC	%	%	%
BlackRock Holdco 6, LLC	%	%	%
BlackRock Delaware Holdings Inc.	%	%	%
BlackRock Fund Advisors	%	%	%
BlackRock, Inc.	%	%	%
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	%	%	%
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	%	%	%
BlackRock Capital Holdings, Inc.	%	%	%
BlackRock Advisors, LLC	%	%	%
BlackRock, Inc.	%	%	%
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	%	%	%
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	%	%	%
BlackRock International Holdings, Inc.	%	%	%
BR Jersey International Holdings L.P.	%	%	%

BlackRock (Singapore) Holdco Pte. Ltd.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock (Singapore) Limited	%	%	o/p
BlackRock, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock International Holdings, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BR Jersey International Holdings L.P.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock (Singapore) Holdco Pte. Ltd.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Asia-Pac Holdco, LLC	%	%	o/p
BlackRock HK Holdco Limited	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Asset Management North Asia Limited	%	%	o/p
BlackRock, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock International Holdings, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BR Jersey International Holdings L.P.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock (Singapore) Holdco Pte. Ltd.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Asia-Pac Holdco, LLC	%	%	o/p
BlackRock HK Holdco Limited	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Cayco Limited	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Trident Holding Company Limited	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Japan Holdings GK	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Japan Co., Ltd.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock International Holdings, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BR Jersey International Holdings L.P.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Australia Holdco Pty. Ltd.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Investment Management (Australia) Limited	%	%	o/p
BlackRock, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock International Holdings, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BR Jersey International Holdings L.P.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Holdco 3, LLC	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Canada Holdings LP	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Canada Holdings ULC	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Asset Management Canada Limited	%	%	o/p
BlackRock, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock International Holdings, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BR Jersey International Holdings L.P.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Group Limited	%	%	o/p

BlackRock Advisors (UK) Limited	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock International Holdings, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BR Jersey International Holdings L.P.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Group Limited	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Luxembourg Holdco S.à r.l.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BLACKROCK (Luxembourg) S.A.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock International Holdings, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BR Jersey International Holdings L.P.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Group Limited	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Luxembourg Holdco S.à r.l.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Investment Management Ireland Holdings Limited	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Asset Management Ireland Limited	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock International Holdings, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BR Jersey International Holdings L.P.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Group Limited	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock International Limited	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock International Holdings, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BR Jersey International Holdings L.P.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Group Limited	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock International Limited	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Life Limited	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock International Holdings, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BR Jersey International Holdings L.P.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Group Limited	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock (Netherlands) B.V.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock International Holdings, Inc.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BR Jersey International Holdings L.P.	⊗	⊗	⊗
BlackRock Group Limited	⊗	⊗	⊗

BlackRock Investment Management (UK) Limited			
BlackRock, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock International Holdings, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BR Jersey International Holdings L.P.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Group Limited	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Investment Management (UK) Limited	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Asset Management Deutschland AG	%	%	o/p
BlackRock, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock International Holdings, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BR Jersey International Holdings L.P.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Group Limited	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Investment Management (UK) Limited	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Asset Management Deutschland AG	%	%	o/p
iShares (DE) I Investmentaktiengesellschaft mit Teilgesellschaftsvermögen	%	%	o/p
BlackRock, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Holdco 2, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock International Holdings, Inc.	%	%	o/p
BR Jersey International Holdings L.P.	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Group Limited	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Investment Management (UK) Limited	%	%	o/p
BlackRock Fund Managers Limited	%	%	o/p

**9. In case of proxy voting according to Sec. 22 para. 3 WpHG**

Date of general meeting:	
Holding position after general meeting:	% (equals voting rights)

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