

METRO AG



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Dissemination of a Voting Rights Announcement transmitted by DGAP - a service of EQS Group AG.

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Notification of Major Holdings

1. Details of issuer

METRO AG
Metro-Straße 1
40235 Dusseldorf
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 type="checkbox"/>	Other reason:

3. Details of person subject to the notification obligation

Name:	City and country of registered office:
Franz Haniel & Cie. GmbH	Duisburg Germany

4. Names of shareholder(s)

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

Haniel Finance Deutschland GmbH

5. Date on which threshold was crossed or reached:

04 Oct 2018

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	15.20 %	0 %	15.20 %	360121736
Previous notification	22.50 %	0 %	22.50 %	/

7. Notified details of the resulting situation

a. Voting rights attached to shares (Sec.s 33, 34 WpHG)

ISIN	absolute		in %	
	direct (Sec. 33 WpHG)	indirect (Sec. 34 WpHG)	direct (Sec. 33 WpHG)	indirect (Sec. 34 WpHG)
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Total	54726393	15.20 %
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b.1. Instruments according to Sec. 38 para. 1 No. 1 WpHG

Type of instrument	Expiration or maturity date	Exercise or conversion period	Voting rights absolute	Voting rights in %
				%
		Total		%

b.2. Instruments according to Sec. 38 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 %
					%
			Total		%

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

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)
Franz Haniel & Cie. GmbH	%	%	%
Haniel Finance Deutschland GmbH	15.20 %	%	15.20 %

9. In case of proxy voting according to Sec. 34 para. 3 WpHG

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

10. Other explanatory remarks:

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