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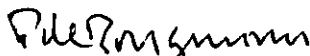
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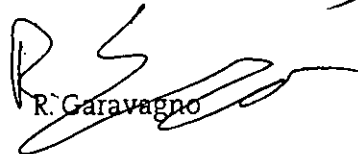
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Yours sincerely,

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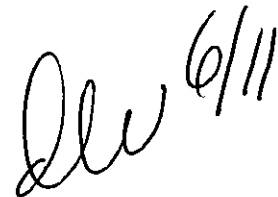
  
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## GIVAUDAN SA

### Shareholding disclosure

In accordance with the Swiss rules on shareholding disclosure, Givaudan SA, 5 ch. de la Parfumerie, 1214 Vernier, Switzerland, informs that pursuant to the acquisition on 22 May 2008 of 46'146 long calls (value date 26.05.2008) and 91'976 short calls (value date 26.05.2008) on its own stock (for the purpose of its stock option plan), it held on 22 May 2008 the participations detailed below:

1. Givaudan SA shares	Voting rights	ISIN
157'576	2.17%	GIVN CH0010645932
2. Long calls	Voting rights	Characteristics (issuer; underlying; ratio; strike; maturity; type)
6'760	0.09%	UBS; GIVN; 1:1; 656.4; 18.03.2009; European
33'644	0.46%	UBS; GIVN; 1:1; 805; 22.03.2010; European
53'875	0.74%	UBS; GIVN; 1:1; 1050; 07.03.2011; European
62'870	0.87%	UBS; GIVN; 1:1; 1250; 05.03.2012; European
46'145	0.63%	UBS; GIVN; 1:1; 1160; 04.03.2013; European
2'200	0.003%	GIVAB CH0021261695 10:1
<u>Total</u> 205'494	2.79%	
3. Short puts		
15'000	0.21%	Bank am Bellevue; GIVN; 1:1; 1000; 20.06.08; European
10'000	0.14%	Bank am Bellevue;; GIVN; 1:1; 950; 20.06.2008; European
10'000	0.14%	Bank am Bellevue;; GIVN; 1:1; 975; 20.06.2008; European
7'500	0.10%	Bank am Bellevue;; GIVN; 1:1; 975; 30.05.2008; European
<u>Total</u> 42'500	0.58%	
<b>TOTAL 2 + 3</b>		
247'994	3.37%	
<b>TOTAL 1 + 2 + 3</b>		
405'570	5.54%	
4. Short calls		
18'080	0.25%	UBS; GIVN; 1:1; 656.4; 18.03.2009; European.
106'480	1.47%	UBS; GIVN; 1:1; 805; 22.03.2010; European.
103'100	1.43%	UBS; GIVN; 1:1; 1050; 07.03.2011; European.
121'720	1.68%	UBS; GIVN; 1:1; 1250; 05.03.2012; European.
91'976	1.27%	UBS; GIVN; 1:1; 1160; 04.03.2013; European
<u>Total</u> 441'356	6.07%	

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