

## Market Report week 25/2011

Development of futures quotations at the main trading places for Natural Rubber in week 24/2011:

	Quality	Price	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
TOCOM	RSS 3	Yen/kg	380,00	379,80	386,20	383,40	379,50
SICOM	RSS 3	USC/kg	509,00	507,50	508,70	506,80	502,30
SICOM	TSR 20	USC/kg	459,40	458,60	462,30	458,70	454,50
MRE	SMR CV	USC/kg	535,70	533,80	538,85	534,45	532,30
MRE	SMR 20	USC/kg	460,40	459,20	463,85	462,75	460,10
Development of EUR/USD during week 24/2011:							
USD Fix			1,4360	1,4440	1,4310	1,4105	1,4290
Oil/WTI	USD/barrel		118,70	120,73	119,96	115,49	114,99

*(TOCOM RSS 3 - 6. month closing , SICOM RSS 3 & TSR 20 – 1<sup>st</sup> pos. settlement, MRE SMR CV & SMR 20 – closing quotation)*

The last week generated only little changes. At TOCOM, RSS 3 lost abt. 1,1 %, SICOM RSS 3 quoted abt. 1,8 % and TSR 20 abt. 1,4 % lower from the week before. TOCOM continued it's slide as crude-oil prices came under pressure due to concerns over Greek debt woes.

Demand is still sluggish amid ongoing monetary tightening by China to controll inflation. Rawmaterial-situation in the main places of SE-Asia remains insufficient after Wintering is over, as repeated periods of showers hide production from normalizing.

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Abbreviations:

TOCOM = Tokyo Commodity Exchange - SICOM = Singapore Commodity Exchange  
MRE = Malaysian Rubber Exchange - WTI =crude oil "Western Texas Intermediate"  
RSS 3 = Ribbed Smoked Sheets 3 – TSR 20 = Technically Specified Rubber 20  
SMR = Standard Malaysian Rubber