

Market Report week 41/ 2013

Development of futures quotations at the main trading places for natural rubber in week 41/ 2013:

| | QUALITY | PRICE | MON | TUE | WED | THUR | FRI |
|-------|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| TOCOM | RSS 3 | YEN/kg | 254,30 | 257,00 | 264,20 | 264,80 | 259,40 |
| SGX | RSS 3 | USC/kg | 248,20 | 248,40 | 252,00 | 253,10 | 253,00 |
| SGX | TSR 20 | USC/kg | 231,30 | 231,00 | 234,90 | 231,20 | 232,20 |
| MRE | SMR CV | USC/kg | 275,70 | 277,90 | 277,10 | 275,90 | 275,00 |
| MRE | SMR 20 | USC/kg | 233,50 | 235,85 | 238,75 | 238,35 | 234,25 |

Development of EUR/USD during week 41/ 2013:

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|---------|------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| USD Fix | | 1,3580 | 1,3567 | 1,3575 | 1,3516 | 1,3530 |
| Oil/BRT | USD/Barrel | 109,20 | 108,58 | 110,28 | 109,96 | 109,85 |

(TOCOM RSS 3: 6th month closing, SICOM RSS 3 & TSR 20: 1st pos. settlement, MRE SMR CV & SMR 20: closing quotation)

Prices at the future markets rose last week a little bit. TOCOM gained 2 % , SGX RSS 3 rose 1,9 % and TSR 20 0,4 %. At the beginning of the new week the increase became stronger. Main reasons are the bad weather in SE-Asia and the better demand from China.

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Abbreviations:

RSS3 = Ribbed Smoked Sheets 3

TSR 20 = Technically Specified Rubber 20

SMR = Standard Malaysian Rubber

TOCOM = Tokyo Commodity Exchange

SICOM = Singapore Commodity Exchange

MRE = Malaysian rubber Exchange

WTI = crude oil "Western Trade Intermediate"