

Market Report week 03/2015

Development of futures quotations at the main trading places for natural rubber in week of December week of January, 05th:

	QUALITY	PRICE	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI
TOCOM	RSS 3	YEN/kg	214,40	214,20	209,50	205,30	206,50
SGX	RSS 3	USC/kg	169,70	168,00	165,00	164,80	166,00
SGX	TSR 20	USC/kg	151,30	149,50	144,30	144,40	145,50
MRE	SMR CV	USC/kg	190,85	189,15	187,05	185,90	185,75
MRE	SMR 20	USC/kg	152,30	150,95	148,10	144,50	145,30

Development of EUR/USD and BRENT crude oil during week of January, 05th:

EUR/USD Fix		1,1915	1,1900	1,1830	1,1771	1,1818
USD/JPY Fix		120,39	119,12	119,12	119,81	119,29
Oil/BRT	USD/Barrel	55,30	52,00	51,00	51,40	50,80

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

Also last week prices at the exchanges couldn't stabilize and dropped further. Although the weather in some areas in southern Thailand, Malaysia and Indonesia is quite bad and some areas face heavy floodings, the biggest problems remains the weak demand from China.

TOCOM lost during the last week abt. 3,2 %, SGX RSS 3 weakened abt. 2 % and TSR 20 abt. 5,1 %.

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Abbreviations:

RSS3 = Ribbed Smoked Sheets 3
TSR 20 = Technically Specified Rubber 20
SMR = Standard Malaysian Rubber

TOCOM = Tokyo Commodity Exchange
SGX = Singapore Exchange
MRE = Malaysian rubber Exchange
BRT = crude oil "BRENT"