

## Market Report week 17/2020

Development of futures quotations at the main trading places for natural rubber week 17/2020:

Exchange	QUALITY	PRICE	MO.	TU.	WE.	TH.	FR.	Change
TOCOM	RSS 3	YEN/kg	142,80	142,80	142,90	141,00	142,00	-0,56 %
SGX	RSS 3	USC/kg	132,30	134,00	137,00	136,90	138,80	+4,91 %
SGX	TSR 20	USC/kg	110,50	111,70	111,30	111,30	112,10	+1,45 %
MRE	SMR CV	USC/kg	167,20	166,95	167,15	166,15	167,40	+0,12 %
MRE	SMR 20	USC/kg	113,85	112,20	112,50	111,65	113,25	-0,53 %

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

EUR/USD Fix		Geschlossen	1,0946	1,0932	1,0869	1,0819	
USD/JPY Fix			107,4050	107,4050	107,3765	107,7500	107,8665
Oil/BRT	USD/Barrel	Geschlossen	31,44	28,44	28,31	28,26	

Many plants are still affected. In some cases, they have been forced to introduce short-time working, either through short-term closures due to political decisions or due to a lack of demand.

Nevertheless, there are also positive reports such as the increasing latex consumption for e.g. gloves.

Due to the precautions taken with regard to COVID-19, there could be occasional delays in transport.

Another positive point is the stable euro in these volatile times.

### Abbreviations:

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

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