

Market Report week 45/2017

Development of futures quotations at the main trading places for natural rubber week 44/2017:

	QUALITY	PRICE	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI
TOCOM	RSS 3	YEN/kg	195,60	198,40	198,40	199,80	Closed
SGX	RSS 3	USC/kg	151,20	153,50	155,70	155,50	156,60
SGX	TSR 20	USC/kg	137,20	141,30	140,60	142,20	142,70
MRE	SMR CV	USC/kg	192,20	191,25	191,60	191,05	191,00
MRE	SMR 20	USC/kg	139,20	141,10	140,30	141,50	140,95

Development of EUR/USD and BRENT crude oil during week 44/2017:

EUR/USD Fix		1,1632	1,1638	1,1641	1,1651	1,1651
USD/JPY Fix		132,1165	132,6435	132,7620	132,8755	132,9140
Oil/BRT	USD/Barrel	60,67	60,83	61,11	60,31	60,85

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

The German economy is experiencing a golden autumn. Demand continues to be large, cheap money helps the investors and saves the state and borrowers high interest rates. An end of lax monetary policy is not in sight.

The European and American economies have also grown strongly. In the USA full employment, which is likely to raise the Fed's interest rate increase in December.

Trump's tax reform will disadvantage foreign companies competitiveness.

But they have to be put through...

Otherwise, the last week was very quiet due to the holidays in many European countries..

Due to the ongoing and heavy rainfall in Sri Lanka, the price of Thick pale Crepe increased well over 3 USD!

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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"