



Market Report week 25/2007

Development of futures quotations at the main trading places for Natural Rubber in week 24/2007:

	Quality	Price	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
TOCOM	RSS 3	Yen/kg	268,30	266,00	268,00	266,00	265,50
SICOM	RSS 3	USC/kg	225,50	223,50	223,50	222,50	221,00
SICOM	TSR 20	USC/kg	210,50	220,50	210,00	210,50	208,25
MRE	SMR CV	USC/kg	242,90	242,25	241,75	243,05	242,85
MRE	SMR 20	USC/kg	213,35	212,45	212,75	214,45	214,35
Development of EUR/USD during week 24/2007:							
USD Fix			1,3347	1,3340	1,3277	1,3310	1,3315

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

The downward trend at the TOCOM continued last week initially, interrupted by a technical correction middle of last week. This increase was caused mainly by higher metal- and oil-prices, as well as a weaker YEN.

Physical prices came down a little bit last week as well. The supply with raw-material is disturbed again due to new rainfalls, mainly in Thailand. Also from other producing areas we don't get better informations. Due to the good demand from China for nearby shipments the downward-potential seems to be limited for the time being.

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