

## Market Report week 08/2009

Development of futures quotations at the main trading places for Natural Rubber in week 07/2009:

	<b>Quality</b>	<b>Price</b>	<b>MON</b>	<b>TUE</b>	<b>WED</b>	<b>THU</b>	<b>FRI</b>
TOCOM	RSS 3	Yen/kg	144,50	144,80	Feiertag	140,60	143,60
SICOM	RSS 3	USC/kg	150,00	150,00	148,00	148,00	151,10
SICOM	TSR 20	USC/kg	132,50	134,00	133,00	133,30	135,20
MRE	SMR CV	USC/kg	Feiertag	173,15	171,80	171,40	170,90
MRE	SMR 20	USC/kg	Feiertag	141,20	139,65	139,30	139,75
Development of EUR/USD during week 07/2009:							
USD Fix			1,2950	1,2982	1,2930	1,2838	1,2855

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

All markets are currently moving sideways. While wintering in Asia leads to reduced production and the IRCo and especially Thailand are resolute to support the raw material prices, demand is still very weak. An improvement in the near term seems not in sight.

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