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## Market Report week 21/2011

Development of futures quotations at the main trading places for Natural Rubber in week 20/2011:

	<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	371,50	370,40	377,50	381,40	378,60
SICOM	RSS 3	USC/kg	502,50	497,00	500,50	506,20	506,50
SICOM	TSR 20	USC/kg	448,20	447,20	451,00	453,60	455,50
MRE	SMR CV	USC/kg	539,85	541,80	536,30	542,70	541,40
MRE	SMR 20	USC/kg	445,85	448,25	448,55	457,95	455,40
Development of EUR/USD during week 20/2011:							
USD Fix			1,4100	1,4195	1,4240	1,4265	142,35
Oil/WTI	USD/barrel		114,75	113,57	113,09	114,39	113,66

The market was very quiet during the last week. Buyers from China are mostly reserved. Customers expect decreasing prices as they expect production to be up after wintering.

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

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Abbreviations:

TOCOM = Tokyo Commodity Exchange - SICOM = Singapore Commodity Exchange  
MRE = Malaysian Rubber Exchange - WTI = crude oil "Western Texas Intermediate"  
RSS 3 = Ribbed Smoked Sheets 3 – TSR 20 = Technically Specified Rubber 20  
SMR = Standard Malaysian Rubber