

Market Report week 15/2012

Development of futures quotations at the main trading places for Natural Rubber in week 14/2012:

	Quality	Price	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
TOCOM	RSS 3	Yen/kg	331,10	330,80	327,50	326,50	324,90
SICOM	RSS 3	USC/kg	397,00	394,00	390,00	389,80	
SICOM	TSR 20	USC/kg	376,60	375,50	371,80	372,00	
MRE	SMR CV	USC/kg	421,15	421,75	419,55	418,30	
MRE	SMR 20	USC/kg	378,80	378,40	374,05	373,05	
Development of EUR/USD during week 14/2012:							
USD Fix			1,3350	1,3350	1,3173	1,3035	
Oil/BRT	USD/barrel		123,67	125,92	125,18	123,30	

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

Due to holidays in China at the beginning of the week and opening on Thursday the prices were slightly easier during the week. Also physicals were nearly unchanged.

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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