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Market Report week 52/2012

Development of futures quotations at the main trading places for Natural Rubber in week 51/2012:

	Quality	Price	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
TOCOM	RSS 3	Yen/kg	284,20	285,70	287,70	282,80	287,60
SICOM	RSS 3	USC/kg	311,00	316,00	318,00	315,80	314,00
SICOM	TSR 20	USC/kg	291,90	293,30	292,80	289,00	290,10
MRE	SMR CV	USC/kg	310,40	311,70	313,65	310,95	312,00
MRE	SMR 20	USC/kg	294,60	296,25	296,65	291,85	292,60
Development of EUR/USD during week 51/2012:							
USD Fix			1,3160	1,3175	1,3270	1,3254	1,3223
Oil/BRT	USD/barrel		110,15	111,32	112,79	113,12	111,11

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

In the next-to-last week of this year prices at the TOCOM rose abt. 4 %, mainly due to the weakness of the YEN. Physical prices quoted maintained, but activities shrank due to upcoming Christmas. SGX RSS 3 finished abt. 1,2 % higher compared with the previous week . the main tyre grade TSR 20 closed almost unchanged abt. - 0,4 %

NR- Trading department , December, 21st

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