

Market Report week 08/2012

Development of futures quotations at the main trading places for Natural Rubber in week 07/2012:

	Quality	Price	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
TOCOM	RSS 3	Yen/kg	316,60	317,10	323,50	313,90	318,10
SICOM	RSS 3	USC/kg	399,00	398,00	402,30	396,00	393,30
SICOM	TSR 20	USC/kg	375,10	375,50	377,10	373,30	372,50
MRE	SMR CV	USC/kg	409,00	407,95	409,00	407,35	409,95
MRE	SMR 20	USC/kg	372,90	372,15	373,95	368,00	370,10
Development of EUR/USD during week 07/2012:							
USD Fix			1,3255	1,3188	1,3140	1,2988	1,3130
Oil/BRT	USD/barrel		120,14	119,55	121,49	122,45	123,15

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

In week 7/2012 prices mainly moved sideways. During the course of the week quotations at the TOCOM increased by only 1 %, while quotations at the SGX dropped by 0,6 %.

While demand during the last weeks was not so good, production caused by upcoming wintering in many production areas of SE-Asia is declining. Actual information about positive signals about "Greece" during the weekend and an easing of Chinese monetary policy led to higher prices at the beginning of the week.

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Abbreviations: