

Market Report week 13/2015

Development of futures quotations at the main trading places for natural rubber in week of March, 16th:

	QUALITY	PRICE	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI
TOCOM	RSS 3	YEN/kg	210,20	212,00	211,50	210,80	210,50
SGX	RSS 3	USC/kg	172,50	172,50	172,30	171,70	171,30
SGX	TSR 20	USC/kg	142,90	143,30	142,80	142,90	142,90
MRE	SMR CV	USC/kg	189,60	190,65	191,15	193,25	190,65
MRE	SMR 20	USC/kg	140,25	141,55	141,25	141,85	140,55

Development of EUR/USD and BRENT crude oil during week of March, 16th:

EUR/USD Fix		1,054	1,061	1,062	1,071	1,071
USD/JPY Fix		121,28	121,23	121,13	120,70	121,05
Oil/BRT	USD/Barrel	54,50	52,78	53,20	55,10	55,00

(TOCOM RSS 3: 6th month closing, SGX RSS 3 & TSR 20: 1st pos. settlement, MRE SMR CV & SMR 20: closing quotation)

The last week we hardly had any changes in the markets. TOCOM RSS 3 dropped about 1,3 %, but SGX quotes of RSS 3 and TSR 20 kept almost unchanged. although wintering disturbs the availabilities of NR, prices don't move much, followed by week demand without a nearby perspective, that it will change. The EURO recovered during the week and quotes at the beginning of the week above 1,09 against the USD !

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Abbreviations:

RSS3 = Ribbed Smoked Sheets 3
TSR 20 = Technically Specified Rubber 20
SMR = Standard Malaysian Rubber

TOCOM = Tokyo Commodity Exchange
SGX = Singapore Exchange
MRE = Malaysian rubber Exchange
BRT = crude oil "BRENT"