

Market Report week 23/2015

Development of futures quotations at the main trading places for natural rubber in week of May, 25th:

	QUALITY	PRICE	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI
TOCOM	RSS 3	YEN/kg	217,60	231,20	234,20	237,50	241,20
SGX	RSS 3	USC/kg	182,40	184,50	187,00	186,00	189,30
SGX	TSR 20	USC/kg	155,10	160,00	161,30	161,60	165,60
MRE	SMR CV	USC/kg	202,55	204,35	203,55	203,05	203,70
MRE	SMR 20	USC/kg	152,75	155,40	158,60	160,90	162,90

Development of EUR/USD and BRENT crude oil during week of May, 25th:

EUR/USD Fix		1,0978	1,0922	1,0885	1,0927	1,0963
USD/JPY Fix		121,22	122,54	123,56	124,04	123,92
Oil/BRT	USD/Barrel	64,00	65,10	63,80	62,35	63,20

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

Markets rose significantly last week, after Chinese funds built strong position in the SHFE market. Reason were large producers announcements to increase the LTC premiums over SGX TSR 20, as well as the insufficient raw-material situation after the wintering. TOCOM RSS 3 rose during the week abt. 10%, SGX RSS 3 increase abt. 4% and SGX TSR 20 abt. 6,2%

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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"