

## Market Report week 31/2015

Development of futures quotations at the main trading places for natural rubber in week of July, 20th:

	QUALITY	PRICE	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI
TOCOM	RSS 3	YEN/kg	Holiday	214,90	213,50	215,90	208,60
SGX	RSS 3	USC/kg	166,00	168,00	166,50	165,00	162,50
SGX	TSR 20	USC/kg	147,60	149,00	147,40	147,50	142,40
MRE	SMR CV	USC/kg	195,55	195,85	196,70	195,50	193,50
MRE	SMR 20	USC/kg	146,25	146,85	147,25	146,00	140,75

## Development of EUR/USD and BRENT crude oil during week of July, 20th:

EUR/USD Fix		1,0844	1,0866	1,0932	1,0996	1,0954
USD/JPY Fix		124,2300	124,3590	123,7380	123,7820	123,9790
Oil/BRT	USD/Barrel	56,75	56,50	56,60	56,00	55,00

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

In the past week, most of the future exchange traded Commodities suffered from heavy losses. By end of the week the bearish wave hit the natural rubber market.

Brent and WTI are already fighting for about 4 weeks against the low prices and traded on Friday at the lowest level since March.

For further reasons we have to take a look at the Chinese Exchange. Shanghai lost 8,5% of its value on Friday, which is the highest daily-loss since 2007.

Regarding these information, we found the main indications for the reinvigorated bearish market in natural rubber.

TOCOM lost abt. 3 %, SGX RSS3 abt. 2,2% and SGX TSR 20 abt. 3,6%.

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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"