

## Market Report week 44/2015

Development of futures quotations at the main trading places for natural rubber in week of October, 19th:

	QUALITY	PRICE	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI
TOCOM	RSS 3	YEN/kg	168,70	166,90	166,50	164,10	165,70
SGX	RSS 3	USC/kg	130,20	129,40	127,70	127,70	128,70
SGX	TSR 20	USC/kg	125,20	125,50	124,00	124,80	125,80
MRE	SMR CV	USC/kg	167,65	166,35	164,65	163,90	166,65
MRE	SMR 20	USC/kg	126,10	125,50	124,55	125,40	126,25

## Development of EUR/USD and BRENT crude oil during week of October, 19th:

EUR/USD Fix		1,1325	1,1377	1,1358	1,1319	1,1080
USD/JPY Fix		119,4660	119,6220	119,9880	119,7500	120,6010
Oil/BRT	USD/Barrel	49,70	48,60	48,50	48,60	48,50

(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)

The recent week generated losses at the future markets all through the line. TOCOM RSS 3 lost during the week 3,8 %, SGX RSS 3 dropped 3,5 % and SGX TSR 20 1,3 %. At the beginning of the new week markets started further weak. The EURO lost after the rotational meeting of the ECB last Thursday almost 3 % up to date. The constitution of the global markets is further weak, mainly as the demand is missing, that could help to change the trend. In the main production areas north of the equator on top of it we running into the "peak season" shortly, no good conditions for the producers, who do hope that prices will recover.

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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"