Raw Material Report



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February 2018

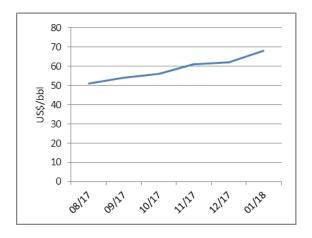


Brent Crude Oil

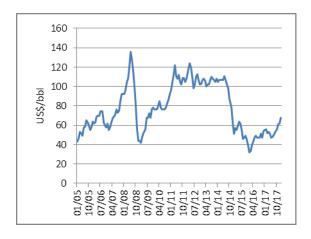
Brent Crude Oil was trading on average in January at around 68,00 US\$/bbl.

On February 12th, 2018 Crude Oil price was quoted at 62,71 US\$/bbl (51,17 €/bbl).

Price development last 6 month:



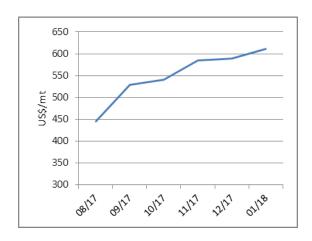
Price development 01/2005 till 01/2018:



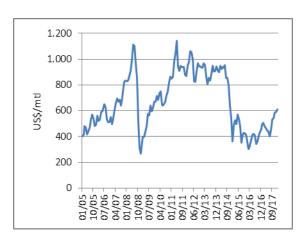
European Naphta

End of January European Naphtha price was at 610,50 US\$/mt CIF NWE (608 − 613 US\$/mt) (514,29 €/mt)

Price development last 6 month:



Price development 01/2006 till 01/2018:

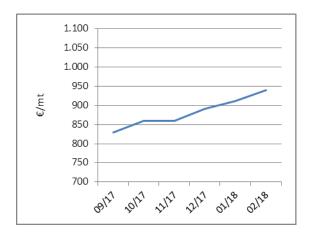




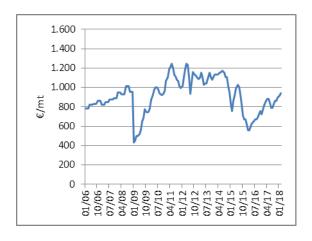
Propylene Europe

Contract price for February 2018 was confirmed at 940,00 €/mt FD NWE – up by 28,00 €/kg vs January.

Price development last 6 month:



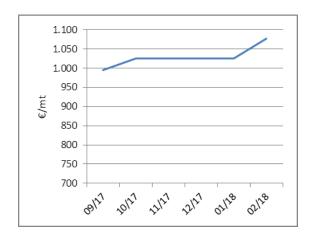
Price development 01/2006 till 02/2018:



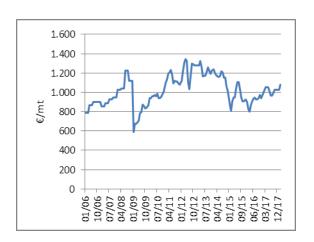
Ethylene Europe

Contract price for February 2018 was agreed at 1.077,00 €/mt FD NWE – up by 20,00 €/kg vs January.

Price development last 6 month:



Price development 01/2006 till 02/2018:

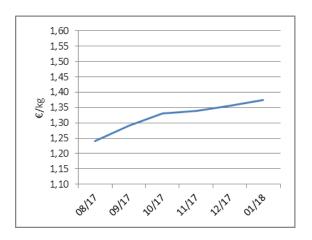




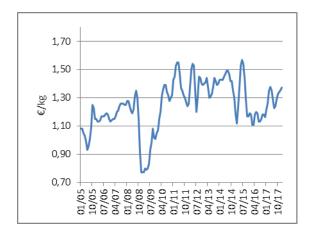
PP Rafia grade

In Jan 2018 it was confirmed at 1,375 €/kg up by 0,02 €/kg vs December.

Price development last 6 month:



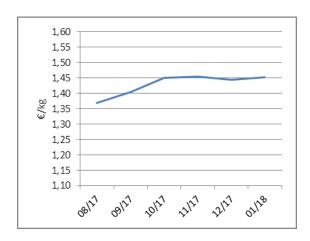
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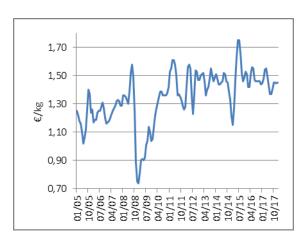
LDPE

Was confirmed in January 2018 at 1,453 €/kg – an increase of 0,01€/kg vs December.

Price development last 6 month:



Price development 01/2005 till 01/2018:

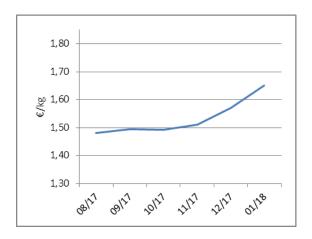




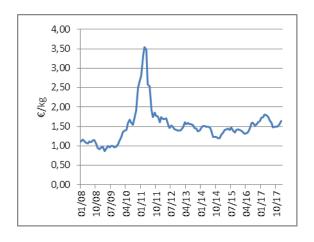
Cotton

Cotton price for January 2018: 2,01 US\$/kg − 1,65 €/kg − up by 0,08 €/kg vs Dec.

Price development last 6 month:



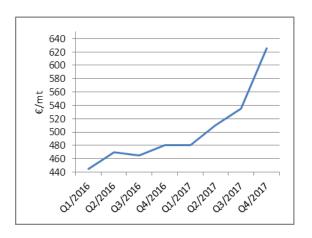
Price development 01/2008 till 01/2018:



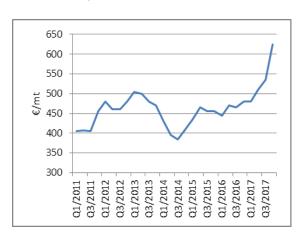
Caustic Soda

Q4/2017: 625,00 €/mt

Price development Q1/2016 till Q4/2017:



Price development Q1/2011 till Q4/2017:



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