PALM OIL PRICE REPORT ON 49th WEEK (4th - 8th DEC 2023)

PALM OIL PRICES IN THE LOCAL & EXPORT MARKETS TRADED EASIER

Crude Palm Oil (CPO) prices were traded easier this week, lower by RM114.00 to RM3,622.00/tonne as against RM3,736.00/tonne in the previous week. The highest and lowest traded CPO prices were at RM3,715.00/tonne (4th Dec) and RM3,520.00/tonne (7th Dec) respectively. Meanwhile, RBD Palm Olein (FOB) prices were traded easier this week at USD815.50/tonne as compared to USD841.50/tonne in the previous week. The lower CPO prices were mainly due to:

- Weaker soyabean oil prices on the U.S. Chicago Board of Trade (CBOT) and China's Dalian Commodity Exchange. Palm oil prices are affected by the movement of soyabean oil prices as they compete for a share in the global vegetable oils market.
- Lower palm oil export from major importing countries e.g., China.
- Weaker Brent crude oil prices in the world market makes palm oil less attractive option for biodiesel feedstock.

CUSTOMS ACT 1967 (VALUES OF CRUDE PALM OIL)

Notification of Values of Crude Palm Oil under Section 12 for the period 1st to 31st December 2023 as follows:

 Crude Palm Oil 1511.10.0000 – RM3,589.09 (with 8% export duty and RM287.13/tonne duty payable).

PALM OIL PRICES IN THE EUROPE MARKET TRADED EASIER

- CPO price was traded easier, lower by US\$12.50 to US\$951.00/tonne, with discount vis-à-vis SBO price narrowed at US\$160.00/tonne this week.
- RBD Palm Olein price was traded easier, lower by US\$27.00 to US\$923.50/tonne, with discount of US\$187.50/tonne as against SBO price.

| WEEKLY PALM OIL PRICE PROFILE | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|----------------|----------|---------------|
| | | | | | | Weekly Average | | |
| | 04/12/2023 | 05/12/2023 | 06/12/2023 | 07/12/2023 | 08/12/2023 | Present | Previous | Diff (+/-) |
| 1. LOCAL PHYSICAL PRICES (RM/TONNE) | | | | | | | | |
| CPO (Lcl Deld) | 3,688.00 | 3,654.50 | 3,581.00 | 3,595.00 | 3,632.00 | 3,622.00 | 3,736.00 | 114.00 |
| PK (Ex-Mill) | 2,031.50 | 2,000.00 | 2,010.00 | 2,005.00 | 1,970.00 | 2,018.50 | 2,010.50 | 8.00 |
| CPKO (Lcl Deld) | 3,929.50 | 3,904.50 | 3,930.50 | 3,938.00 | 3,944.00 | 3,928.50 | 3,949.50 | -21.00 |

Source: MPOB

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