

# Tea Auction Report 2022-23



## Quotations

This Week – (In Taka)

**31st Auction held on Monday, 5th December, 2022 at Chattogram Auction Center**

**Leaf & Dust:** 58,929 packages of Leaf and 13,111 packages of Dust were advertised for sale.

**Brokens:** A few best Brokens on offer were well supported but were slightly easier following quality. Good and Medium varieties saw fair demand but prices eased. There was also some withdrawals. Plain types met with only a little demand and prices declined by about Tk.5/- to Tk.7/- with several withdrawals. BLF teas followed a similar trend as of last week with a little less withdrawals.

**Fannings:** Best Fannings once again attracted good demand but prices were easier upto Tk.5/- and more. Good types followed a similar trend whilst Mediums saw fair interest and were about steady. However, there were some withdrawals. Plain types saw only some interest from buyers and rates declined with more withdrawals. BLF teas followed a similar trend as of last week with a little less withdrawals.

**Dust:** Dusts on offer met with fair demand. Good liquoring teas sold well at easier prices. Mediums sold fairly well and were fully firm on last. Plain and BLF Dusts were an easier market and saw fair withdrawals. Blenders were very active whilst Loose tea buyers were selective.

**Comments:** Blenders operated in usual strength although at slightly lower levels. Loose tea buyers were much less active and operated selectively. As a result of which there was less competition with lowering of rates. There was more withdrawals this week. Dusts met with fair demand with some withdrawals.

| Brokens | This Week   | Last Week   |
|---------|-------------|-------------|
| Large   | 215-225 nom | 215-230 nom |
| Medium  | 205-220     | 210-225     |
| Small   | 215-225     | 215-230     |
| Plain   | 180-190     | 180-190     |
| BLF     | 130-150     | 135-145     |

| Fannings | This Week | Last Week |
|----------|-----------|-----------|
| Best     | 240-255   | 245-265   |
| Good     | 220-235   | 225-240   |
| Medium   | 205-215   | 210-220   |
| Plain    | 180-190   | 180-190   |
| BLF      | 130-150   | 135-145   |

| Dust   | This Week | Last Week |
|--------|-----------|-----------|
| Best   | 195-265   | 180-276   |
| Good   | 130-374   | 130-390   |
| Medium | 166-365   | 162-370   |
| Plain  | 195-340   | 172-360   |
| BLF    | 127-220   | 130-205   |

(BLF - Bought Leaf Factory)

Exchange Rate 5th December, 2022

Sterling Pound: Tk. 124.61, Dollar: Tk.101

## Offerings

### This Sale (Sale 31)

| Type  | Season 2021-22 |           | Season 2020-21 |           |
|-------|----------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|
|       | Pkg.           | Qty/Kg    | Pkg.           | Qty/Kg    |
| Leaf  | 58,929         | 2,940,557 | 55,775         | 3,057,586 |
| Dust  | 13,111         | 654,239   | 10,706         | 578,260   |
| Total | 72,040         | 3,594,796 | 66,481         | 3,635,846 |

### Next Sale (Sale 32)

| Type  | Season 2021-22 |           | Season 2020-21 |           |
|-------|----------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|
|       | Pkg.           | Qty/Kg    | Pkg.           | Qty/Kg    |
| Leaf  | 54,004         | 2,694,800 | 53,742         | 2,946,136 |
| Dust  | 12,556         | 626,544   | 10,636         | 574,696   |
| Total | 66,560         | 3,321,344 | 64,378         | 3,520,833 |

Chittagong Auction Average: Upto Sale -30

Season 2022/23: Tk. 209.27, Season 2021/22: Tk.189.53