

Tea Auction Report 2023-24



**2nd Auction held on Monday, 2nd May, 2023
at Chattogram Auction Center**

Leaf & Dust: 21,109 packages of Leaf and 5,082 packages of Dust were advertised for sale.

Brokens/Fannings: Black, well made teas were once again in good demand and prices held fairly firm in line with quality. Other descriptions were less in demand and were mostly easier with a few withdrawals. Plain varieties followed a similar trend whilst BLF teas were again difficult of sale and met with quite heavy withdrawals.

Dust: Dusts on offer met with good demand. Good liquoring well made Dusts particularly CDs met with competition and sold at around last levels. Mediums were a fair market but eased Tk.5/- to Tk.10/- in line with quality. Plain/BLF Dusts were an easier market and witnessed fair withdrawals. Blenders lent good support with a little more interest from the Loose tea buyers.

Comments: It was evident that price concertina widened this week whereby well made varieties continued to sell well at a premium over the other varieties. Loose tea buyers were the mainstay of the market whilst there was only some interest from the Blenders. All CDs were a strong feature of the sale

Quotations This Week – (In Taka)

Broken	This Week	Last Week
Best	260-270 nom	280-300 nom
Good	235-250	250-275
Medium	220-230	230-245
Plain	210-220	210-225
BLF	140-155	145-165 nom

Fannings	This Week	Last Week
Best	260-270 nom	275-300 nom
Good	230-250	250-270
Medium	220-230	230-245
Plain	210-220	210-225
BLF	140-155 nom	145-165

Dust	This Week	Last Week
PD	222-246 nom	230-261
RD	227-283	235-280
D	207-298	240-312
CD	246-389	265-357
BLF	160-190	NA

(BLF - Bought Leaf Factory)
Exchange Rate 2nd May, 2023
Sterling Pound: Tk. 131.83, Dollar: Tk.106.00

Offerings

This Sale (Sale 02)

Type	Season 2023-24		Season 2022-23	
	Pkg.	Qty/Kg	Pkg.	Qty/Kg
Leaf	21,109	1,053,339	17,900	893,210
Dust	5,082	253,592	3,984	198,802
Total	26,191	1,306,931	21,884	1,092,012

Next Sale (Sale 03)

Type	Season 2023-24		Season 2022-23	
	Pkg.	Qty/Kg	Pkg.	Qty/Kg
Leaf	22,721	1,133,778	17,900	893,210
Dust	6,333	316,017	3,984	198,802
Total	29,054	1,449,795	21,884	1,092,012

**Chittagong Auction Average: Upto Sale -01
Season 2023/24: Tk. 249.24 & Session 2022/23: 222.03**