

Tea Auction Report 2023-24



Quotations This Week – (In Taka)

32th Auction held on Monday, 4th December, 2023 at Chattogram Auction Center

Leaf & Dust: 71,146 packages of Leaf and 14,461 packages of Dust were advertised for sale.

Brokens: Well made good liquoring Brokens met with a good demand and were generally firm to slightly easier. Medium varieties were again in fair demand but prices eased over last. Plainer sorts met with less demand with more withdrawals. BLF teas met with some interest with a lot of withdrawals.

Fannings: Good liquoring Fannings met with a good demand and sold at around last levels and were occasionally easier. Mediums continued to meet with a fair demand but again were easier with fair withdrawals. Plainer varieties were in less demand at mostly easier rates. BLF teas met with some interest with a lot of withdrawals.

Dust: Dusts on offer met with fair demand. Good liquoring Dusts sold well at around last levels. Their Mediums were slightly easier by Tk.3/- to Tk.5/- closely following quality. Plain and BLF Dusts continued to be difficult of sale and suffered heavy withdrawals. Blenders lent good support with fair interest from the Loose tea buyers.

Comments: Good demand continued for all good liquoring varieties on offer following good support from the Blenders and a little more interest from the Loose tea buyers. It was evident that reprinted teas continued to meet with a restricted demand and witnessed heavier withdrawals. As a result, overall withdrawal percentage this week was much higher than last. Dusts were an easier market.

Broken	This Week	Last Week
Best	195-210	202-212 nom
Good	175-185	180-185
Good Medium	160-170	165-175
Medium	145-155	148-158
Plain	120-130	120-130
BLF	85-125	90-125

Fannings	This Week	Last Week
Best	210-225	215-225 nom
Good	185-195	185-195
Good Medium	170-180	175-180
Medium	148-158	150-160
Plain	125-135	125-135
BLF	90-125	90-125

Dust	This Week	Last Week
PD	150-269	150-261
RD	161-399	120-340
D	150-305	159-337
CD	192-399	168-413
BLF	115-185	85-199

(BLF - Bought Leaf Factory)

Exchange Rate 4th December, 2023
Sterling Pound: Tk. 138.79, Dollar: Tk.109.75

Offerings

This Sale (Sale 32)

Type	Season 2023-24		Season 2022-23	
	Pkg.	Qty/Kg	Pkg.	Qty/Kg
Leaf	71,146	3,550,185	54,004	2,694,800
Dust	14,461	721,603	12,556	626,544
Total	85,607	4,271,789	66,560	3,321,344

Next Sale (Sale 33)

Type	Season 2023-24		Season 2022-23	
	Pkg.	Qty/Kg	Pkg.	Qty/Kg
Leaf	78,945	3,939,355	57,884	2,888,412
Dust	17,997	898,050	12,073	602,443
Total	96,942	4,837,405	69,957	3,490,854

Chittagong Auction Average: Upto Sale -31
(Season 2023/24): 171.61 & (Season 2022/23): 205.56