

Tea Auction Report 2023-24



Quotations This Week – (In Taka)

43th Auction held on Monday, 19th February, 2024
at Chattogram Auction Center

Leaf & Dust: 48,715 packages of Leaf and 15,254 packages of Dust were advertised for sale.

Brokens: A handful of well made Brokens met with a fair demand but eased in value often by Tk.5/- and more. All other descriptions saw much less demand and prices declined with heavy withdrawals. BLF teas met with fair demand at around last levels but withdrawals were heavy.

Fannings: A few clean Fannings met with a fair demand and were a little easier. Other varieties saw much less demand and prices eased following quality. Withdrawals were quite heavy in this category as well. BLF teas met with fair demand at around last levels but withdrawals were heavy.

Dust: Dusts on offer met with less demand. Good liquoring Dusts sold at around last levels with fair withdrawals. Their Mediums were an easier market and prices were also easier with more withdrawals. Plain and BLF Dusts remained difficult of sale with heavy withdrawals. Blenders lent fair interest with some interest from the Loose tea buyers.

Comments: Offerings comprised of a fair weight of end of season varieties which coupled with a large weight of reprinted teas, dampened the demand. Both Blenders and Loose tea buyers were less active. As a result, withdrawals were much heavier than last. Dusts were an easier market.

Broken	This Week	Last Week
Best	200-210 nom	200-215 nom
Good	170-180	180-190
Good Medium	155-165	165-175
Medium	135-145	140-155
Plain	60-100	80-110
BLF	70-120	80-120

Fannings	This Week	Last Week
Best	205-215	205-220
Good	170-180	180-190
Good Medium	155-165	165-175
Medium	140-150	145-155
Plain	60-100	80-110
BLF	70-120	80-120

Dust	This Week	Last Week
PD	98-231	90-233
RD	50-235	70-220
D	103-332	83-266
CD	133-330	132-272
BLF	94-115	109-130

(BLF - Bought Leaf Factory)

Exchange Rate 19th February, 2024

Sterling Pound: Tk. 137.79, Dollar: Tk.109.50

Offerings

This Sale (Sale 43)

Type	Season 2023-24		Season 2022-23	
	Pkg.	Qty/Kg	Pkg.	Qty/Kg
Leaf	48,715	2,430,879	28,765	1,435,374
Dust	15,254	761,175	7,194	358,981
Total	63,969	3,192,054	35,959	1,794,354

Next Sale (Sale 44)

Type	Season 2023-24		Season 2022-23	
	Pkg.	Qty/Kg	Pkg.	Qty/Kg
Leaf	46,443	2,317,506	20,583	1,046,852
Dust	13,771	687,173	4,532	223,003
Total	60,214	3,004,679	25,115	1,269,855

Chittagong Auction Average: Upto Sale -42

(Season 2023/24): 138.84 & (Season 2022/23): 153.81