

Tea Auction Report 2023-24



Quotations This Week – (In Taka)

45th Auction held on Monday, 4th March, 2024 at Chattogram Auction Center

Leaf & Dust: 43,698 packages of Leaf and 11,757 packages of Dust were advertised for sale.

Brokens Select few lines of clean liquoring Brokens met with a fairly good demand and sold at around last levels easing slightly in line with quality. All other varieties again met with much less demand with heavier withdrawals and prices declined further. BLF teas met with only fair demand at slightly easier rates with fair withdrawals.

Fannings: Likewise, a few lines of good liquoring Fannings met with a fairly good demand at around firm to slightly easier rates. Other varieties witnessed much less demand at easier rates and withdrawals were heavier. BLF teas met with only fair demand at slightly easier rates with fair withdrawals.

Dust: Dusts on offer met with fair demand. Good liquoring Dusts particularly CDs sold well and appreciated by Tk.5/- to Tk.8/-. Mediums were also firm at around last levels with some withdrawals. Plain and BLF Dusts had improved demand and sold at easier rates than last levels. Blenders were quite active whilst Loose tea buyers showed fair interest.

Comments: Offerings comprised of mostly reprinted and end of season teas which continued to meet with a restricted demand. Blenders lent fair support but were more selective. Loose tea buyers lent only little support for lower priced teas. As a result, withdrawals were heavier this week. CDs were again a strong feature of the sale.

Broken	This Week	Last Week
Best	190-200 nom	195-205 nom
Good	165-175	170-180
Good Medium	145-155	150-160
Medium	120-130	125-135
Plain	55-85	55-90
BLF	80-115	80-120

Fannings	This Week	Last Week
Best	200-205 nom	200-210 nom
Good	165-175	170-180
Good Medium	145-155	150-160
Medium	125-135	130-140
Plain	55-85	55-90
BLF	80-115	80-120

Dust	This Week	Last Week
PD	78-212	78-219
RD	65-326	75-240
D	62-332	97-269
CD	115-321	130-292
BLF	90-95	100-105

(BLF - Bought Leaf Factory)
Exchange Rate 4th March, 2024
Sterling Pound: Tk. 138.38, Dollar: Tk.109.50

Offerings

This Sale (Sale 45)

Type	Season 2023-24		Season 2022-23	
	Pkg.	Qty/Kg	Pkg.	Qty/Kg
Leaf	43,698	2,180,530	17,282	862,371.8
Dust	11,757	586,674	5,291	264,020.9
Total	55,455	2,180,530	22,573	1,126,392.7

Next Sale (Sale 46)

Type	Season 2023-24		Season 2022-23	
	Pkg.	Qty/Kg	Pkg.	Qty/Kg
Leaf	40,164	2,004,183.6		
Dust	10,032	500,596.8		NO SALE
Total	50,196	2,504,780.4		

Chittagong Auction Average: Upto Sale -44
(Season 2023/24): 125.39 & (Season 2022/23): 142.14