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Tea Auctioneers since 1948 TEA MARKET REPORT – Sale 07 held on Tuesday 5th June, 2018

CTC LEAF: 22,566 packages of Current Season and 160 packages of Old Season Teas on offer met with a stronger demand at dearer rates.

BROKENS: All Brokens were strongly competed for particularly the bright liquoring types and these appreciated initially by upto Tk.5/- and with the progress of sale increased further. Plainer types also sold well at around last levels.

FANNINGS: All Fannings were also strongly competed for and advanced by Tk.5/- to Tk.7/- and sometimes more for brighter liquoring types. Plainer types also sold well at firm to slightly dearer rates.

CTC DUST: 5,316 packages of Current Season and 10 packages of Old Season Teas on offer met with a strong demand. Good liquoring Dusts particularly the

brighter liquoring types which advanced following quality often by Tk.5/- to Tk.7/-. Others were also a touch dearer with hardly any withdrawals. Blenders lent strong support with fair interest from the Loose tea buyers.

COMMENTS: There was more teas on offer this week which met with a very strong demand from the Major Blenders who competed strongly for all varieties. Loose tea buyers lent more support than last. As a result, prices appreciated quite considerably.

Dusts were a dearer market.

Our catalogue (**Sale 07**) Avg: **Tk 238.34**, Sold **99.4%** & (Sale 06) Avg: Tk 229.60, sold 99.0%.

Quotations – This Week – (In Taka)

Brokens	This Week	Last Week	Fannings	This week	Last Week	Dust	This week	Last Week
Large	NQTA	NQTA	Best	241-248	225-235	PD	227-242	227-242
Medium	225-235	217-225	Good	230-240	219-224	RD	197-248	197-248
Small	228-240	218-228	Medium	229-230	215-218	D	198-265	198-265
Plain	190-210	190-210	Plain	195-215	195-210	CD	210-305	210-305

Exchange Rates 05 June, 2018 Sterling Pound: Tk. 109.3307, dollar: Tk. 82.5622

Top Prices - This Week

Category - CTC	Garden	Grade	Package	Price	Buyer(s)
Brokens	* Madhupur	GBOP	10	284/-	AKT
Fannings * Madhupur/*Rasidpur		PF	30	249/-	AKT/MTC
Clonal Brokens	* Madhupur	GBOP(BT1)	10	300/-	GTH
Clonal Fannings	Clevedon	OF	10	255/-	Lux
PD/RD	* Daragaon	RD	10	254/-	Shawon
Clonal PD/RD	Madhupur	RD(BT1)	10	256/-	Sharif
D	* Daragaon	D	10	274/-	Ispahani
Clonal D	Madhupur	D(BT1)	5	266/-	LC
CD	* Daragaon	CD	10	306/-	AKT
Clonal CD	* Madhupur	CD(BT1)	5	308/-	Shawon

^{*} Above price(s) realised in our catalogue

Offerings

	This Sale (Sale 07)				Next Sale (Sale 08)			
Season 2018-2019		Season 2017-2018		Season 2018-2019		Season 2017-2018		
Type	Packages	Qty/Kg	Packages	Qty/Kg	Packages	Qty/Kg	Packages	Qty/Kg
Leaf	22,726	1,246,499	21,810	1,195,318	25,773	1,412,360	26,797	1,468,313
Dust	5,326	292,923	3,924	216,270	5,544	303,811	5,226	287,307
Total	28,052	1,539,421	25,734	1,411,587	31,317	1,716,172	32,023	1,755,621

Chittagong Auction Average: (Sale – 06) Season 2018-2019: Tk. 227.23 & Season 2017-2018: Tk. 188.73

General + Other Market(s) This/Last Week

$\underline{KOLKATA\ SALE\ 22-29^{TH}\ 30^{TH}\ JUNE,\ 2018}$

CTC Leaf: There was good general demand. Assams which showed a seasonal improvement in quality sold at firm to at times dearer rates. The remainder was irregular around last. Exporters extended support on larger Brokens. Local buyers readily absorbed the Dooars offerings.

Tea Category USC/KG	Brokens	Fannings	Dusts
BEST ASSAMS	327-387	297-327	327-357
GOOD ASSAMS	282-312	268-282	268-312
MED ASSAMS	223-253	208-238	223-253
BEST DOOARS	282-312	282-305	268-282
GOOD- MEDDOOARS	223-253	223-245	223-245
PLAINER DOOARS	178-208	178-208	178-208

SILIGURI SALE 22 – 30TH MAY, 2018

LEAF: Strong demand. Well made & good liquoring sorts in the good/best & better medium categories were firm to dearer. The remainder tended irregularly easier in line with quality. DUST: Strong demand at dearer levels. Internal Buyers- Mainstay. Blenders & Exporters - Operated.

Quotations (USC/KG)	Brokens(USC/kg)	Fannings(USC/kg)	Dust (USC/kg)
GOOD / BEST	297-387	297-372	268-312
MEDIUM / BETTER MEDIUM	215-290	215-290	201-260
COMMON / BLF	134-208	148-208	148-193

COONOOR SALE 22-1ST JUNE, 2018

This week there was good demand. The best and good liquoring varieties sold at dearer levels. The medium sorts were firm to dearer by Rs.3-5, sometimes more while the plainer teas were steady to lower on quality. In general, the bolder grades appreciated well while the fannings were easier. All sections of the trade participated actively.

Quotations CTC	Best	Good	Medium	Plain
(USC/KG)	156-171	134-148	111-126	95-104

MOMBASA SALE NO 22 - 28TH & 29TH MAY, 2018

There was fairly good demand for the 158,119 packages (10,317,182 kilos) in the market at irregular rates which eased as the sale progressed. 12.07% were neglected.

Quotations	BP1-USC	PF1-USC	PD-USC	D1-USC
Best	237 – 390	295 – 342	276 – 322	274 – 340
Good	222 – 305	292 – 318	272 – 300	280 – 294
Good Medium	227 – 295	295 – 312	274 - 287	271 – 286
Medium	215 – 252	265 - 300	262 – 281	255 – 289
Lower Medium	140 – 210	200 – 266	190 – 266	218 - 270
Plainer	120 – 166	135 – 236	130 - 226	134 - 230