



SALE NO. 1 – HELD ON MAY 18, 2020.

Offering:
(In pkgs)

Leaf:
17,350 (33,408)

Dust:
2,759 (5,719)

(Last year in brackets)

Quality: Generally clean and well made.

Demand: Fairly strong demand especially for the well made good liquoring types on offer. Others met with only a selective demand.

Buyers: Major Blenders were active with good support from the Loose Tea Traders.

LEAF-CTC:

Brokens: Well made good liquoring types met with a fairly strong demand. Best types ranged between Tk 225/240 whilst below best types sold between Tk 210/220. Mediums fetched between Tk 185/200 whilst a few of the plainer types sold between Tk 135/155 with large withdrawals.

Fannings: Best types met with a fairly strong demand and sold between Tk 220/235 whilst below best types ranged between Tk 205/215. Mediums were generally absorbed between Tk 180/195 whilst the plainer types were saleable between Tk 135/150 with fair withdrawals.

Q U O T A T I O N
CTC BROKENS **CTC FANNINGS**
(In Taka) **(In US \$)** **(In Taka)** **(In US \$)**

Best	225 – 240	2.68 - 2.86	220 – 235	2.62 - 2.80
Good	210 – 220	2.50 - 2.62	205 – 215	2.44 - 2.56
Medium	185 – 200	2.20 - 2.38	180 – 195	2.14 - 2.32
Plain	135 – 155	1.61 - 1.85	135 – 150	1.61 - 1.79
US \$ 1= TK. 83.95				

The above quotations represent the median range within which the teas have sold and do not indicate the highest and lowest prices.

TOP PRICE realised (relating to our catalogue only.)

<u>Mark.</u>	<u>CTC Brok.</u>	<u>CTC Fangs.</u>	<u>CTC Dust</u>	<u>CTC Dust Clonal</u>
Mirzapore	Tk. 238	Tk. 246		
Etah			Tk. 228	
Srigobindpur				Tk. 230

Dust: Well made good liquoring RD's and Dusts were well absorbed at between Tk. 215/235. Others were generally neglected. CD's met with a fairly good demand and generally realised between Tk 235/245.

Comment: This was the inaugural Sale of the Season 2020/21 and held after an unusual gap of eight weeks due to the spread of the deadly Corona Virus. Well made good liquoring descriptions witnessed a fairly strong demand from all sections of the market. Teas from the Bought Leaf Factories met with a limited demand and suffered large withdrawals.

We wish all our readers EID MUBARAK.