



NATIONAL TEA SALE AVERAGES – FEBRUARY 2026

Key Highlights:

- Sale Average of February 2026 records Rs. 1,152.11 (USD 3.72), a decline of Rs. 12.43 (USD 0.04) vis-à-vis January 2026
- Cumulatively, all elevations except for the High Grown elevation witnessed a decline in LKR terms. In USD terms, all elevations saw a negative variance in comparison with the corresponding month in the year 2025

In Sri Lankan Rupees								
	26-Feb	26-Jan	MOM Variance	25-Feb	YOY Variance	To date 2026	To date 2025	YOY Variance
High Grown	1,159.02	1,143.12	15.90	1,105.71	53.31	1,151.19	1,105.68	45.51
Medium Grown	981.37	987.40	-6.03	1,028.28	-46.91	984.43	1,033.51	-49.08
Low Grown	1,195.25	1,221.63	-26.38	1,225.50	-30.25	1,208.34	1,240.63	-32.29
Total	1,152.11	1,164.54	-12.43	1,168.93	-16.82	1,158.29	1,177.35	-19.06
In U.S. Dollars								
	26-Feb	26-Jan	MOM Variance	25-Feb	YOY Variance	To date 2026	To date 2025	YOY Variance
High Grown	3.75	3.69	0.06	3.74	0.01	3.72	3.73	-0.01
Medium Grown	3.17	3.19	-0.02	3.48	(0.31)	3.18	3.49	-0.30
Low Grown	3.86	3.95	-0.08	4.15	(0.28)	3.91	4.18	-0.28
Total	3.72	3.76	-0.04	3.96	(0.24)	3.74	3.97	-0.23

Source - Sri Lanka Tea Board (For statistical purposes only)

Currency conversion - Central Bank February 2026 Spot Rate

* National tea sales average for the month of February 2026 recorded Rs. 1,152.11 (USD 3.72), showing a decrease of Rs. 12.43 and USD 0.04 in comparison with the January 2026 average of Rs. 1,164.54 (USD 3.76).

* In comparison to the February 2025 average of Rs. 1,168.93 (USD 3.96), shows a decline of Rs. 16.82 and USD 0.24 YOY.

Elevation-Wise Summary: February 2026

- * High Grown average for the month recorded an increase of Rs. 15.90 and USD 0.06 month on month, whilst an increase of Rs. 53.31 and USD 0.01 was witnessed against the corresponding month in 2025.
- * Medium Grown average for the month recorded a negative variance of Rs. 6.03 and USD 0.02 month on month. In comparison to the corresponding monthly average last year, shows a decrease of Rs. 46.91 and USD 0.31.
- * Low Grown average for the month recorded a decline of Rs. 26.38 and USD 0.08 month on month, whilst against the corresponding average of January 2026, shows a negative variance of Rs. 30.25 and USD 0.28.