



FORBES & WALKER TEA BROKERS PVT LTD

WEEKLY TEA MARKET REPORT

SALE NO

35

08TH/09TH
SEPTEMBER 2026



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Overall Market

	QTY (M/KGS)	DEMAND
Ex Estate	0.76	Less
High & Medium	0.56	Fair
Leafy	0.68	Fair
Semi Leafy	0.66	Fair
Tippy/Small Leaf	0.83	Fair
Premium Flowery	0.04	Fair
Off Grade	1.12	Good
Dust	0.45	Fair
Total	5.10	Fair general

ORDER OF SALE

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EX-ESTATE	LG LARGE LEAF LG SMALL LEAF/BOP1A/ PREMIUM	HIGH & MEDIUM/OFF GRADE /DUST
Asia Siyaka Commodities PLC	BPML Produce Marketing (Pvt) Ltd	BPML Produce Marketing (Pvt) Ltd
Eastern Brokers Ltd	Ceylon Tea Brokers PLC	Forbes & Walker Tea Brokers (Pvt) Ltd
Mercantile Produce Brokers (Pvt) Ltd	Eastern Brokers Ltd	Mercantile Produce Brokers (Pvt) Ltd
John Keells PLC	Asia Siyaka Commodities PLC	Asia Siyaka Commodities PLC
BPML Produce Marketing (Pvt) Ltd	Lanka Commodity Brokers Ltd	John Keells PLC
Ceylon Tea Brokers PLC	John Keells PLC	Eastern Brokers Ltd
Lanka Commodity Brokers Ltd	Mercantile Produce Brokers (Pvt) Ltd	Ceylon Tea Brokers PLC
Forbes & Walker Tea Brokers (Pvt) Ltd	Forbes & Walker Tea Brokers (Pvt) Ltd	Lanka Commodity Brokers Ltd

AUCTION DETAILS

AT THIS WEEK'S SALE 10,837 LOTS TOTALLING 5,105,975 KGS WERE ON OFFER. THE BREAKDOWN IS AS FOLLOWS:

	LOTS	QUANTITY
Ex Estate	773	759,554
High & Medium	1,386	560,083
Low Grown - Leafy	2,002	680,345
Low Grown - Semi Leafy	1,701	661,760
Low Grown - Tippy	1,883	830,570
Premium Flowery	306	39,526
Off Grades	2,286	1,124,462
Dust	500	449,675
Total	10,837	5,105,975
Re - Prints	1,045	531,299

SETTLEMENT DATES

11/09/2026 15/09/2026 16/09/2026

10% Payment

Buyers Prompt

Sellers Prompt

Quality

A few select Westerns and Nuwara Eliyas were barely maintained, whilst the others were disappointing. Uda Pussellawas continued to be of a poor make, whilst the Uvas showed an improvement. Low Grown were similar to last.

COMMENTS

Overall Auction offerings declined to 5.1 M/Kgs from a 5.3 M/Kgs on offer the previous week. Large Leaf teas in the Low Grown and High & Mid Grown catalogues continued to sell well around last, whilst the Orthodox/Rotovane BOP/BOPF's were sluggish with many withdrawals.

Ex-Estate offerings comprised of 0.7 M/Kgs, fairly similar to the previous week. Quality of offerings showed no change with limited availability of better teas.

Best Western BOP's were irregular and easier. Corresponding BOPF's gained by Rs. 20-40 per kg for a select range of teas, whilst the others were firm and easier by a similar margin. In the Below Best category, a few select BOP invoices declined by Rs. 20-40 per kg, whilst the others eased further. Corresponding BOPF's followed a similar trend for teas in the higher price bracket, whilst the others sold around last. At the lower end, BOP's were irregular, whilst the corresponding BOPF's too were irregular and often easier. Uda Pussellawas' continued to witness very limited interest following lower quality. Uva BOP's - Select coloury teas were firm and Rs. 20-40 per kg dearer, whilst the others were irregular. Corresponding BOPF's - Here again, coloury sorts gained by up to Rs. 50 per kg and more, whilst the others declined by a similar margin.

High & Mid Grown CTC teas - BP1's were limited in availability and met with poor interest. PF1's - Better all-round teas were firm and up to Rs. 50 per kg dearer, whilst the others tended to fluctuate following quality. Corresponding Low Grown varieties sold firm with select invoices appreciating by up to Rs. 20 per kg.

Low Grown's totalled approximately 2.2 M/Kgs with all categories witnessing fair demand.

In the Leafy and Semi-Leafy catalogues, BOP1's in general were firm. OP1's were firm to dearer, whilst the well-made OP's together with the Below Best and teas at the bottom maintained. High-priced OPA's were firm, whilst the balance were easier. PEK's together with the Select Best PEK1's, in general, appreciated following quality, whilst the Best, Below Best and the clean leaf teas at the bottom maintained.

In the Tippy catalogue, a few Select Best FBOP's sold around last levels, whilst the balance together with Best varieties were easier. The bolder types appreciated, whilst the teas at the bottom sold around last levels. FBOP1's, in general, were firm on last. Select Best FF1's were firm, whilst the Best varieties were firm to easier. Below Best and teas at the bottom were firm to selectively dearer.

In the Premium catalogue, Tippy teas in general were dearer.

T.E.A. Awards

Outstanding Tea Producers / Tea Taster Championship

The Tea Exporters' Association at the Annual General Meeting held on 4 September 2026 at the Grand Marquee, Taj Samudra recognised the outstanding Tea Producers from the different growing regions carefully evaluated by an experienced panel of tea tasters headed by Mr. Avindra de Silva, Former Managing Director of Unilever Lipton.

The Association for the 4th consecutive year held its Excellence in Tea Tasting competition to identify and recognise outstanding tea tasters under the age of 40 and the winner and runner up were chosen following a close evaluation of industry knowledge and tasting skills. Notably, this year's competition marks a historic milestone, with a female contestant securing first place for the first time.

Evaluation criteria for the best manufacturers were as follows:

- Review period January-June 2026
- Factories that offered premium Main Grades consistently
- Production evaluated at selling mark level and not on total factory level
- Consistently achieving high prices at the Colombo Auctions following tea quality.
- Tea liquor representing the relevant regional brew, taste/cup characteristics
- Compliance with tea grade nomenclature
- Reputation as a reliable tea mark / producer
- Zero or insignificant number of Tea quality claims reported against the mark/factory during the review period



In addition, the evaluation emanated by narrowing down to high-quality grades for the different elevational regions as follows:

Low Grown – OP1 & BOP1

Medium Grown – Conventional Orthodox FBOP & PEK&PEK1

High Grown – Orthodox Rotovane BOP & BOPF

CTC Manufacture – PF1 grade

Very Tippy FBOPFExSp teas were not considered for evaluation.

The winners and runners up are given below:

Region – Nuwara Eliya

Winner – Pedro Tea Factory

Selling Marks: Lovers Leap and Magastotte



Region – Dimbula

Winner – Somerset Tea Factory

Runner Up – Norwood Tea Factory

Special Award – Dessford Tea Factory



Region – Kandy

Winner – Craighead Tea Factory

Runner Up – Dartry Valley Tea Factory

Special Award – Hatale Tea Factory



Region – Uva

Winner – Sarnia Tea Factory

Runner Up – Dickwella Tea Factory



Region – Sabaragamuwa

Winner – Avissawella Tea Factory

4th occasion



Region – Ruhuna

Winner – Pothotuwa Tea Factory

7th consecutive occasion



Runner Up – Susantha Tea Factory



Special Award – Kiruwanaganga Tea Factory



CTC Tea Category – Low Growns

Winner – Hingalgoda Tea Factory



Joint Runners Up – Ceciliyan Tea Factory & Kalubowitiyana Tea Factory



No winners were selected from Uda Pussellawa Region.

The winner and runner up of the Excellence in Tea Tasting competition are as follows:

Winner – Ms. Nuwani Kaushalya Rajapaksha
Dissanayake of Anverally & Sons (Pvt) Ltd



First Runner Up – Mr. S. M. S. D. Seneviratne
of Bogawantalawa Tea Estates PLC



We congratulate the winners and our clients in particular for their continued efforts in producing teas of high quality!

CROP AND WEATHER

FOR THE PERIOD 01 - 07 September 2026

Western/Nuwara Eliya Regions



The Western and Nuwara Eliya regions experienced sunny weather during the week. The Department of Meteorology expects occasional showers in both regions in the week ahead.

Uva/Udapussellawa Regions



Bright weather was reported in the Uva and Uda Pussellawa regions throughout the week. Showers are expected in the Uva Region in the week ahead according to the Department of Meteorology.

Low Grown



Bright weather and intermittent showers were reported in the Low Grown Region during the week. According to the Department of Meteorology, showers are expected in the Low Grown Region in the week ahead.

Crop

All regions reported a decrease in the crop intake.

HIGH GROWN TEAS

■ Incline from last week
■ Decline from last week
■ Static Market

BOP

Best Western's were irregular and easier. In the Below Best category, a few select invoices declined by Rs. 20-40 per kg, whilst the others eased further. At the lower end, cleaner invoices in the higher price bracket declined by Rs. 20-40 per kg, whilst the others were firm and dearer by a similar margin. Nuwara Eliya's were generally firm. Uda Pussellawa's were mostly unsold. Uva's - Select colour teas were firm and Rs. 20-40 per kg dearer, whilst the others were irregular.

BOPF

Best Western's - A few select invoices gained by Rs. 20-40 per kg, whilst the others were firm and Rs. 20 per kg easier. In the Below Best category, teas in the higher price bracket declined by Rs. 20-40 per kg, whilst the others were firm. Plainer sorts were irregularly easier. Nuwara Eliya's were firm. Uda Pussellawa's - Cleaner sorts were Rs. 20-40 per kg easier, whilst the others were unsold due to a lack of suitable bids. Uva's - Select colour sorts gained by Rs. 50 per kg and more, whilst the others declined by a similar margin and more.

OP/OPA

Well-made varieties were easier by Rs. 20 per kg. Below Best types together with the others declined by Rs. 20-30 per kg, whilst the poorer sorts were firm.

PEKOE/PEKOE1

Flavoury PEK/PEK1's declined by Rs. 30-50 per kg, whilst the Select Best PEK's were firm. Select Best PEK1's were selectively dearer by Rs. 50 per kg, whilst the others were firm. Below Best and poorer PEK/PEK1's were firm on last. Select Best Rotovane PEKs were firm to irregularly lower by Rs. 20-40 per kg, whilst the Below Best and poorer sorts declined by Rs. 40-50 per kg.

FBOP/FBOPF1

Flavoury FBOP/FF1's were firm to dearer by Rs. 20-40 per kg, whilst the better Orthodox FBOP/FF1's were firm to easier by Rs. 30-50 per kg. Below Best and other Orthodox FBOP/FF1's were firm on last, whilst the poorer types appreciated by Rs. 20-40 per kg.

QUOTATIONS LKR SALE DTE	BOP		BOPF		PEKOE/FBOP		OP	
	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep
Best Westerns	1320-1400	1280 - 1480	1320-1440	1300 - 1460	1360-1750	1340 - 1800	1180-1340	1200 - 1480
Below Best Westerns	1160-1300	1080 - 1260	1220-1300	1200 - 1280	1060-1200	1050 - 1240	1020-1100	1020 - 1160
Plainer Westerns	850-1140	850 - 1040	900-1200	890 - 1180	700-1040	710 - 1030	630-960	660 - 980
Nuwara Eliyas	N/A	1120 - 1200	N/A	N/A	1020-1400	1200 - 1320	N/A	N/A
Brighter Udapussellawas	N/A	850 - 980	900 - 980	800 - 1020	1280-1550	1260 - 1650	1080-1300	1080 - 1200
Other Udapussellawas	720 - 800	N/A	N/A	700 -	N/A	N/A	690-940	640 - 1060
Best Uvas	1120-1240	1160 - 1300	1140-1340	1000 - 1180	1220-1750	1240 - 1750	1060-1320	1040 - 1300
Other Uvas	1100	1000 - 1080	850-1100	860 - 980	540-1180	630 - 1180	660-1020	630 - 1000

MEDIUM GROWN TEAS

■ Incline from last week
■ Decline from last week
■ Static Market

BOP	Large Leaf teas continued to sell well, whilst the others sold around last week's levels.
BOPF	Better sorts were generally firm, whilst the others were irregular.
OP/OPA	Best varieties were lower by Rs. 20-40 per kg, whilst the others were firm to easier by Rs. 20 per kg. Below Best and the others were lower by Rs. 40 per kg, whilst the poorer sorts were firm to dearer by Rs. 10-20 per kg.
PEKOE/PEKOE1	Best PEK's were appreciated by Rs. 30-50 per kg, whilst the PEK1's gained by Rs. 50 per kg. Below Best PEK's were firm to dearer by Rs. 20 per kg. Below Best PEK1's were firm, whilst the poorer sorts appreciated by Rs. 20-40 per kg.
FBOP/FBOPF1	Select Best FBOP's declined by Rs. 50-100 per kg, whilst the Below Best and others were firm. Select Best FBOPF1's were firm. Best and Below Best FBOPF1's were firm to dearer by Rs. 20-40 per kg, whilst the poorer sorts appreciated by Rs. 20 per kg.

QUOTATIONS LKR SALE DTE	BOP		BOPF		PEKOE/FBOP		OP	
	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep
Good Mediums	1480-2000	1360 - 2150	900-1000	850 - 1000	1320-1850	1400 - 2450	1020-1360	1040 - 1440
Other Mediums	720-1200	870 - 1300	640 - 860	630 - 800	660-1280	640 - 1300	520-980	530 - 920

UNORTHODOX / CTC TEAS

HIGH GROWN	BP1s - Hardly any offerings. PF1s - Select Best appreciated by Rs. 50 per kg and more, whilst the others where quality was reasonably maintained were firm and tended dearer.
MEDIUM GROWN	BP1s - Irregular. PF1s - Better teas gained by up to Rs. 50 per kg, whilst the others were irregular.
LOW GROWN	BP1s - Firm. PF1s - Better sorts were firm to marginally dearer, whilst the others were irregular.

QUOTATIONS LKR SALE DTE	BP1		PF1	
	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep
High Grown	1280	920 -	760-1160	890 - 1200
Medium Grown	N/A	800 -	800-1140	850 - 1180
Low Grown	1240-1300	1280 - 1320	1100-1550	980 - 1550

OFF GRADES

■	Incline from last week
■	Decline from last week
■	Static Market

FGS1/FGS

Select Best varieties were firm to dearer by Rs. 20 per kg and more following quality, whilst the Best and Below Best categories appreciated by Rs. 20-40 per kg and more following quality. Teas at the lower end of the market maintained. Low Grown - Clean leaf sorts were dearer by Rs. 20-40 per kg, whilst the others maintained. CTCs - In general, were firm to dearer.

BROKENS

Reducer varieties together with the clean leaf sorts in the Best category were firm to selectively dearer. Below Best sorts together with the teas at the lower end of the market maintained.

BOP1A

Main Grade reducer varieties in the Best category were firm to dearer. Below Best varieties which commenced firm, gained by Rs. 20-30 per kg towards the latter part of the sale, whilst the poorer sorts maintained.

QUOTATIONS LKR

SALE DTE	HIGH		MEDIUM		LOW	
	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep
Better Fannings (Orthodox)	640-1160	660 - 1180	N/A	790 -	660-1140	700 - 940
Better Fannings (CTC)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	850-980	800 - 1240
Other Fannings (Orthodox)	500-630	480 - 650	500-760	500 - 750	450-650	450 - - 680
Other Fannings (CTC)	N/A	N/A	580-640	550 - 710	600-740	550 - 760
Good Brokens	680-1200	680 - 1020	690-1340	690 - 1300	740-1440	740 - - 1480
Other Brokens	500-660	460 - 670	490-680	480 - 680	500-710	480 - 720
Better BOP1As	650-860	660 - 900	660-1240	680 - 1300	750-1550	770 - 1600
Other BOP1As	520-640	550 - 650	510-640	520 - 660	500-730	480 - 750

DUSTS

DUST1

Select Best Dust1's were dearer by Rs. 50 per kg, whilst the Best varieties sold around last week's price levels. The Below Best varieties together with the poorer sorts were firm to easier by Rs. 20-40 per kg. Low Grown varieties remained firm. Except for a few select invoices in the High & Medium Grown CTC's which remained firm, the others were easier by Rs. 20-40 per kg. Low Grown CTC's gained by Rs. 40-60 per kg.

DUST

Clean leaf secondary teas declined by Rs. 20-40 per kg and more, whilst the poorer sorts together with the Low Grown sold around last week's price levels.

QUOTATIONS LKR

SALE DTE	HIGH		MEDIUM		LOW	
	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep
Better Primary Dust (Orthodox)	1240-1600	1240 - 1600	900-1060	N/A	980-1240	950 - 1020
Better Primary Dust (CTC) P. Dust	1200-1240	1180 - 1240	900-1140	900 - 1140	1140-1460	1140 - 1420
Below Best Primary Dust (Orthodox)	860-1200	810 - 1220	760-860	630 - 810	760-940	750 - 940
Other Primary Dust (CTC) P. Dust	800-870	770 - 1160	600-870	580 - 880	740-1020	770 - 1120
Other Primary Dust (Orthodox)	710-800	650 - 800	560-630	520 - 620	500-750	500 - 740
Better Secondary Dust	900-1040	900 - 1020	N/A	N/A	920-1060	900 - 1020
Other Secondary Dust	430-890	420 - 880	440-570	450 - 610	480-900	500 - 880

LOW GROWN TEAS

■ Incline from last week
■ Decline from last week
■ Static Market

FBOP/FBOP1	A few Select Best FBOP's sold around last levels, whilst the balance together with Best varieties were easier. The bolder types appreciated, whilst the teas at the bottom sold around last levels. FBOP1's, in general, were firm on last.
BOP	Well-made BOP's were dearer, whilst the balance were firm on last levels.
BOP1	BOP1's, in general, were firm.
OP1	OP1's were firm to dearer.
OP	Well-made OP's together with the Below Best and teas at the bottom maintained.
OPA	High-priced OPA's were firm, whilst the balance were easier.
PEKOE	PEK's together with the Select Best PEK1's, in general, appreciated following quality, whilst the Best, Below Best and the clean leaf teas at the bottom maintained.
BOPF	Well-made BOPF's were firm, whilst the balance were easier.
FBOPF/FBOPF1	Tippy teas, in general, were dearer. Select Best FF1's were firm, whilst the Best varieties were firm to easier. Below Best and teas at the bottom were firm to selectively dearer.

QUOTATIONS LKR SALE DTE	SELECT BEST		BEST		BELOW BEST		OTHERS	
	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep	01/02 Sep	08/09 Sep
FBOP 1	1900-2200	1900 - 2200	1600-1700	1600 - 1700	1450-1550	1450 - 1500	1000-1150	1000 - 1150
FBOP	2200-2800	2200 - 2800	1700-1900	1700 - 1800	1550-1650	1550 - 1650	1100-1200	1100 - 1200
BOP 1	2450-3050	2450 - 3050	2150-2400	2150 - 2400	1400-1850	1460 - 1850	900-1380	900 - 1440
BOP	1700-2300	1700 - 2500	1450-1550	1550 - 1600	1480-1500	1480 - 1500	1000-1100	1000 - 1100
BOPF	1400-1700	1400 - 1700	1050-1100	1050 - 1100	800-850	800 - 850	600-650	600 - 650
FBOPF (TIPPY)/FBOPF SP	3300-4600	3300 - 4500	3100-3250	3100 - 3250	2200-2700	2200 - 2700	1000	1000 -
FBOPF 1	1700-1900	1700 - 1900	1550-1600	1500 - 1600	1450-1500	1400 - 1450	1000-1100	1000 - 1100
FBOPF	1600-1900	1700 - 2000	1400-1500	1450 - 1550	1300-1350	1300 - 1350	1000-1100	1000 - 1100
OP 1	3200-3400	3200 - 3400	2750-3150	2750 - 3150	1900-2650	1950 - 2650	800-1850	800 - 1900
OP	1600-2350	1650 - 2350	1460-1550	1480 - 1600	1260-1400	1280 - 1460	750-1240	750 - 1260
OPA	1400-2300	1400 - 2400	1280-1380	1280 - 1380	1140-1260	1180 - 1260	700-1120	700 - 1160
PEKOE	1700-2650	1750 - 2550	1550-1650	1600 - 1700	1280-1500	1300 - 1550	800-1260	850 - 1280
PEK 1	1900-2450	2000 - 3050	1700-1850	1750 - 1950	1340-1650	1400 - 1700	800-1320	850 - 1380

TOP PRICE

WESTERN MEDIUM			
Ancoombra	BOP		2150
Hatale	BOPSp		1850
Windsorforest	BOPSp	@	1650
Rozelle	BOPF	@	1000
Imboolpittia	BOPF	@	880
Vellai Oya	BOPF		880
Dartry Valley	BOPFSp	@	1500
Harangalla	BOPFSp	@	1320
Cooroondoowatte	BOP1	@	1800
Ancoombra	FBOP		1850
Hatale	FBOP		1850
Craighead	FBOP	@	1800
Dartry Valley	FBOP	@	1800
Harangalla	FBOP	@	1750
Cooroondoowatte	FBOP	@	1700
Harangalla	FBOP1		1550
Galgewatte	FBOP1		1550
Galgewatte	FBOPF		1060
Harangalla	FBOPF1	@	1850
Dartry Valley	FBOPF1	@	1850
New Rothschild	FBOPF1		1700
Craighead	FBOPF1	@	1700
Dartry Valley	FBOPF1	@	1700
Uplands	OP		1420
Greenwood	OPA		1280
Hatale	OPA		1280
Cooroondoowatte	OPA	@	1200
Galgewatte	OP1		1750
Hatale	PEK		1850
New Rothschild	PEK1	**	2950

WESTERN HIGH			
New Meddecombra	BOP		1480
Somerset	BOPSp	@	1320
Bogawantalawa	BOPSp	@	1260
Fordyce	BOPSp	@	1180
Wanarajah	BOPF		1460
Great Western	BOPF	@	1440
Watagodde	BOPF	@	1420
Ingestre	BOPF		1420
Inverness	BOP1		1750
Glenloch	BOP1	@	1600
Inverness	FBOP		1800
Torrington	FBOP	@	1750
Torrington	FBOP1	@	1400

WESTERN HIGH			
Cymru	FBOPF1		1650
Torrington	FBOPF1	@	1600
Inverness	FBOPF1		1600
Queensberry	FBOPF1	@	1550
Glenloch	FBOPF1	@	1550
Boghawatte	FBOPF1		1600
St Andrews	OP		1480
Kirkoswald	OPA	@	1160
Venture	OPA		1160
Venture	OP1		1600
Somerset	PEK	@	1800
Torrington	PEK	@	1600
St Andrews	PEK		1600
Ingestre	PEK	@	1500
Torrington	PEK1	@	1900
Cymru	PEK1		1750
Kirkoswald	PEK1	@	1650

NUWARA ELIYAS			
Court Lodge	BOP	@	1200
Kenmare	BOPF		700
Kenmare	FBOP		1420
Kenmare	FBOPF		1100
Kenmare	FBOPF1		1500
Kenmare	OP1		960
Kenmare	PEK		1200
Court Lodge	PEK1	@	1320

UDAPUSSELLAWAS			
Kirklees	BOP		980
Kirklees	BOPSp		850
Mooloya	BOPF		1020
Maha Uva	BOP1	@	1650
Delmar	FBOP	@	1650
Blairmond	FBOP	@	1500
Maha Uva	FBOP1	@	1650
Maha Uva	FBOPF	@	1020
Maha Uva	FBOPF1	@	1600
Maha Uva	OP	@	1200
Maha Uva	OPA	@	1220
Blairmond	OP1		1650
Maha Uva	OP1	@	1550
Maha Uva	PEK	@	1650
Delmar	PEK	@	1550
Maha Uva	PEK1	@	1950

LOW GROWN				UVA HIGH			
Nawagamuwehena	BOP		2700	Nayabedde	BOP	@	1300
KDU Super	BOPSp		2900	Kelliebedde	BOP	@	1300
Wewelkandura Super	BOPF		2650	Ranaya	BOPSp		1600
Rathmalgoda Super	BOPFSp		2450	Nayabedde	BOPF	@	1180
Rajjuruwatta Super	BOPFSp		2450	Kelliebedde	BOPF	@	1060
Kings Bru	BOPFSp		2050	Ellathota Uva	BOP1	@	1700
Kamarangapitiya	BOPFSp	@	1900	Uva Highlands	BOP1	@	1700
Sithaka	FBOP		2800	Ellathota Uva	FBOP	@	1750
Kiruwanaganga	FBOP1		2400	Gonamotawa	FBOP1	@	1550
Tea Bank	FBOPF		2550	Mount Uva	FBOPF1		1800
Thalangaha	FBOPF		2300	Ellathota Uva	OP		1380
Gunawardana	FBOPF	@	2000	Craig	OPA		1240
Kings Bru	FBOPF1		2150	Aislaby	OP1		1550
Pothotuwa	FBOPF1	@	1850	Ranaya	PEK		1700
Andaradeniya Super	FBOPF1		1850	Ranaya	PEK1		2150
Sithaka	FBOPF1		1850	UNORTHODOX HIGH			
Galatara	FBOPF1		1850	Dunsinane CTC	PF1	@	1200
Makandura	BOP1		3050	Florence CTC	BP1		920
Mulatiyana Hills	BOP1	@	3000	UNORTHODOX MEDIUM			
Susantha	OP1		3400	New Peacock CTC	PF1	@	1180
Lions	OP1		3000	Srathdon CTC	PF1	@	1180
Gunawardana	OP1	@	2800	Duckwari CTC	BP1	@	800
Kiruwanaganga	OP1	@	2800	Donside CTC	BPS		550
Green House	OP1		2800	UNORTHODOX LOW			
Miriswatta	OP		2350	Hingalgoda CTC	PF1		1550
Miriswatta	OPA		2400	Ceciliyan CTC	BP1		1320
Lumbini	PEK		2550	PREMIUM FLOWERY			
Pothotuwa	PEK1	@	** 3050	Adams View	FBOPFSp	@	4550
New Mount Carmel	PEK1	@	2900	Yalta	FBOPFExSp		4800
UVA MEDIUM				Rajjuruwatta Super	FBOPFExSp1		4750
Halpewatta Uva	BOP		1850	DUSTS			
Demodera 'S'	BOPSp	@	1500	Wattegodde	DUST1	@	1600
Wewesse	BOPF		880	Ceciliyan CTC	PD	@	1420
Dickwella	BOPFSp	@	1700	Chandrika Estate	DUST	@	1020
Hindagala	BOP1		1700	Ingestre	DUST		1020
Haputale Super	BOP1	@	1600	OFF GRADES			
Telbedde	BOP1	@	1600	Norwood	FGS1	@	1180
Aruna Passara	FBOP		1750	Great Western	FGS1		1180
Demodera 'S'	FBOP	@	1700	Wanarajah	FGS1		1180
Aruna Keppetipola	FBOP		1700	Kotiyagalla	FGS1		1140
Dickwella	FBOP1		1700	Dessford	FGS1	@	1120
Halpewatta Uva	FBOPF		890	Holyrood	FGS1		1120
Ury	FBOPF	@	870	Sachitha	FGS		940
Aruna Passara	FBOPF1		1700	Falcon Lanka	FGS		920
Misy-Uva	FBOPF1	@	1650	Liyonta	FGS		920
Roseland Uva	OP		1440	Galaxy	FGS	@	900
Hindagala	OPA		1240	Hingalgoda CTC	PF		1240
Misy-Uva	OP1	@	1650	Gunawardana	BM	@	1400
New Aruna Passara	PEK		1750	Adams View	BM	@	1260
St. James	PEK	@	1650	Nandana	BP		1480
New Aruna Passara	PEK1		2450	Adams View	BP	@	1460
				Liyonta	BOP1A		1600
				OTHERS			
				Woodland Grand	BOPA		3000
				Navinda	BOPA		3000

QUANTITY SOLD

DURING THE PERIOD 26TH AUGUST-02ND SEPTEMBER 2026	WEEKLY (KGS)		TODATE (KGS)	
	2026	2025	2026	2025
PRIVATE SALES	205,437	158,059	8,019,072	7,269,244
PUBLIC AUCTION	4,360,043	4,396,441	160,237,262	170,647,679
FORWARD CONTRACTS	62,020	26,008	1,689,190	1,641,239
DIRECT SALES	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL
TOTAL	4,627,500	4,580,508	169,945,524	179,558,162
BMF EXCLUDED FROM PRIVATE SALE	60,400	NIL	1,100,582	1,263,511

(QUANTITY SOLD AND THE AVERAGE PRICE PER AUCTION)

	Quantity (M/kgs)			AVG Price (LKR)			Avg Price (USD)		
	2026	2025	2024	2026	2025	2024	2026	2025	2024
25TH AUGUST 2026	4.33	4.54	5.03	1215.87	1221.77	1212.16	3.75	4.09	4.11
02ND SEPTEMBER 2026	4.36	4.39	4.76	1188.32	1188.30	1219.34	3.67	3.98	4.11

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka / Buying Rates

RATES OF EXCHANGE

SRI LANKA RUPEE APPROX PER UNIT OF CURRENCY

YEAR	2026	2025	2024
USD	323.77	298.25	294.48
STG.PD	437.16	403.35	384.50
EURO	375.07	349.79	323.80
YEN	2.10	2.01	2.01

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka / Buying Rates

PUBLIC AUCTION/GROSS SALES AVERAGE

SALE NO 34 01ST/02ND SEPTEMBER 2026	WEEKLY(LKR)			TODATE (LKR)			WEEKLY(USD)			TODATE(USD)		
	2026	2025	2024	2026	2025	2024	2026	2025	2024	2026	2025	2024
Uva High Grown	980.94	1037.78	1148.87	1028.60	1038.73	1115.08	3.03	3.48	3.88	3.22	3.50	3.67
Western High Grown	1097.28	1202.81	1145.33	1155.08	1096.13	1191.77	3.39	4.03	3.86	3.61	3.69	3.92
CTC High Grown	1049.23	1070.91	1018.45	1056.45	1072.67	1104.02	3.24	3.59	3.44	3.30	3.61	3.63
High Grown (Summary)	1062.01	1147.46	1146.57	1115.32	1077.31	1167.02	3.28	3.85	3.87	3.49	3.63	3.84
Uva Medium Grown	1042.05	1069.13	1105.33	1031.83	1068.69	1143.50	3.22	3.58	3.73	3.23	3.60	3.76
Western Medium Grown	909.03	999.36	1001.93	948.62	1004.25	1068.81	2.81	3.35	3.38	2.97	3.38	3.52
CTC Medium Grown	857.19	918.58	936.86	901.84	939.49	976.86	2.65	3.08	3.16	2.82	3.16	3.21
Medium Grown (Summary)	940.95	1018.49	1033.93	976.56	1025.46	1094.23	2.91	3.41	3.49	3.05	3.45	3.60
Orthodox Low Grown	1311.49	1259.00	1313.25	1278.92	1260.50	1378.86	4.05	4.22	4.43	4.00	4.24	4.54
CTC Low Grown	937.44	975.87	961.45	935.09	979.91	1001.53	2.90	3.27	3.24	2.93	3.30	3.30
Low Grown(Summary)	1284.95	1240.77	1293.67	1259.48	1245.00	1354.66	3.97	4.16	4.37	3.94	4.19	4.46
Total	1188.32	1188.30	1219.34	1181.89	1172.95	1270.02	3.67	3.98	4.11	3.70	3.95	4.18

Source: Oanda Exchange Rates

Source: MSL - Averages

WORLD TEA PRODUCTION (M/KGS)

				TODATE			DIFFERENCE +/-	
	2024	2025	2026	2024	2025	2026	2024 vs 2025	2025 vs 2026
Jul								
Sri Lanka	23.2	21.5	21.3	151.1	157.3	153.1	6.2	-4.2
North India	127.6	161.7	139.8	441.3	530.7	525.7	89.4	-5
South India	22.8	20.8	24.6	123.2	138.6	132.5	15.4	-6.1

				TODATE			DIFFERENCE +/-	
	2024	2025	2026	2024	2025	2026	2024 vs 2025	2025 vs 2026
Jun								
Bangladesh	12.8	9.8	12.4	24.3	22.4	30.6	-1.9	8.2
Malawi	2.2	2.1	2.1	33.4	31.5	29.4	-1.9	-2.1

				TODATE			DIFFERENCE +/-	
	2024	2025	2026	2024	2025	2026	2024 vs 2025	2025 vs 2026
	May							
Kenya	54.5	52.1	52.4	277.1	240.8	252.2	-36.3	11.4

DETAILS OF AWAITING SALE

SALE NO : 36

Scheduled for 15TH/16TH SEPTEMBER 2026

	LOTS	QUANTITY
ExEstate	711	697,626
High & Medium	1,316	547,219
Leafy	2,067	710,608
Semi Leafy	1,760	697,230
Tippy	1,968	878,307
Premium Flowery	377	48,810
OffGrades	2,391	1,159,449
Dust	579	496,787
Total	11,169	5,236,036
RePrint	1,186	610,161

22/09/2026

Buyers Prompt

23/09/2026

Sellers Prompt

**This sale last year
Sale No. 36 | 16TH/17TH SEPTEMBER 2025**

Lots :10,562
Re-print Lots :741
Quantity :5,082,669 kgs
Re-print Quantity :368,812 kgs

LOW GROWN CATALOGUES

Violations Excluded

28/08/2026

LEAFY

Closed

SEMI-LEAFY

Closed

TIPPY

Closed

OTHER MAIN SALE CATALOGUES

28/08/2026

**HIGH &
MEDIUM**

Closed

**PREMIUM
FLOWERY**

Closed

**OFF
GRADES**

Closed

NO .OF PKGS

140,851

CTC

9,900 Pkgs - 514,671 kgs

ORDER OF SALE

**Approx Selling time of
F&W Catalogues**

15TH

SEPTEMBER 2026

Ex-Estate	LG Large Leaf//Semi Leafy/LG Small Leaf/BOP1A/ Premium	High & Medium/Off Grade /Dust
EB	CTB	FW
MB	AS	MB
JK	LC	AS
BC	EB	JK
CTB	JK	EB
LC	MB	CTB
FW	FW	LC
AS	BC	BC

8.30am	Main Sale - High & Medium
1.30pm	Semi - Leafy Teas
2.15pm	Low Grown - Tippy Teas
2.30pm	Low Grown - Leafy Teas
4.30pm	Off Grade

16TH

SEPTEMBER 2026

9.00am	BOP1A
9.00am	Premium Flowery
10.00am	Ex-Estate
11.30am	Dust

BC - BPML Produce Marketing (Pvt) Ltd	FW - Forbes & Walker Tea Brokers (Pvt) Ltd
LC - Lanka Commodity Brokers Ltd	AS - Asia Siyaka Commodities PLC
EB - Eastern Brokers Ltd	JK - John Keells PLC
CTB - Ceylon Tea Brokers PLC	MB - Mercantile Produce Brokers (Pvt)Ltd

DETAILS OF AWAITING SALE

SALE NO : 37

Scheduled for 22ND/23RD SEPTEMBER 2026

	LOTS	QUANTITY
ExEstate	637	611,265
High & Medium	1,191	482,576
Leafy	1,992	694,565
Semi Leafy	1,664	657,815
Tippy	1,809	814,053
Premium Flowery	289	38,443
OffGrades	2,182	1,078,556
Dust	505	449,501
Total	10,269	4,826,774
RePrint	1,091	571,706

29/09/2026

Buyers Prompt

30/09/2026

Sellers Prompt

**This sale last year
Sale No. 37 | 23RD/24TH SEPTEMBER 2025**

Lots	:10,590
Re-print Lots	:790
Quantity	:5,177,821 kgs
Re-print Quantity	:395,682 kgs

LOW GROWN CATALOGUES

Violations Excluded

03/09/2026

LEAFY
Closed

SEMI-LEAFY
Closed

TIPPY
Closed

OTHER MAIN SALE CATALOGUES

03/09/2026

**HIGH &
MEDIUM**
Closed

**PREMIUM
FLOWERY**
Closed

**OFF
GRADES**
Closed

NO .OF PKGS

130,446

CTC

9,105 Pkgs - 485,317 kgs

CATALOGUE CLOSURE DETAILS

22/23

SEPTEMBER 2026

Sale No. 37

The Ex-Estate catalogue closed on 03rd September 2026, excluding violations. The Main Sale catalogues too closed on 03rd September 2026, excluding violations.

29/30

SEPTEMBER 2026

Sale No. 38

The Ex-Estate and Main Sale catalogues are scheduled to close on 10th September 2026.

06/07

OCTOBER 2026

Sale No. 39

The Ex-Estate and Main Sale catalogues are scheduled to close on 17th September 2026.

TEA MARKETS AROUND THE WORLD

MOMBASA AUCTION

Sale no 36 (07TH AND 08TH SEPTEMBER 2026)

Good general demand for the 110,203 packages (7,226,148.00 kilos) on offer; 12.53% remained unsold.

MARKETS

Pakistan Packers, Yemen and other Middle Eastern countries were more active with maintained support from Afghanistan and Egyptian Packers. Kazakhstan, other CIS states and Bazaar were active with more enquiry from UK. Russia improved interest with more participation from South Sudan and Local Packers. Somalia were active at the lower end of the market.

OFFERINGS

Orthodox Grades -

3,464 packages (133,486.00 kilos) – 66.51% unsold

Leaf Grades - 53,280 packages (3,522,966.00 kilos) – 17.12% unsold.

Dust Grades - 36,840 packages (2,738,383.00 kilos) – 5.65% unsold.

Secondary Grades - 16,619 packages (831,313.00 kilos) – 1.81% unsold.

LEAF GRADES (M2 & M3)

BP1:

Best – Some teas were steady to USC4 above last rates to mostly easier by up to USC7.

Brighter – Were firm to USC6 dearer to easier by up to USC11.

Mediums – KTDA mediums shed by up to USC10 while plantation mediums met useful enquiry advancing by up to USC39.

Lower Medium – Irregularly easier by up to USC15.

Plainer – Better sorts were firm while others were discounted by up to USC3.

PF1:

Best – Steady to USC13 above previous rates to easier by up to USC7.

Brighter – Held value with some teas gaining by up to USC7 to while some lines were USC4 below last rates.

Mediums – Some KTDA mediums were more irregular varying between firm to USC13 above last rates to easier by up to USC4. Plantation mediums were steady to USC10 dearer to easier by up to USC6.

Lower Medium – Met good absorption at firm to USC12 dearer although some teas irregularly shed by up to USC6.

Plainer – Irregular interest varying between steady to USC3 above previous levels to easier by a similar margin.

CTC QUOTATIONS	BP1 – USC	PF1 – USC
Best	310 – 466	306 – 377
Good	309 – 356	290 – 343
Good Medium	300 – 326	290 – 330
Medium (KTDA)	236 – 273	221 – 291
Medium (Plantations)	185 – 278	195 – 234
Lower Medium	162 – 215	147 – 229
Plainer	123 – 169	108 – 160

DUST GRADES (M1)

PDUST:

Best – Appreciated by up to USC12.

Brighter – Were firm to USC6 above previous levels.

Mediums – KTDA mediums met more irregular enquiry shedding by up to USC8 but few teas remained steady. Plantation mediums appreciated by up to USC5.

Lower Medium – Met irregular interest and ranged between firm to USC6 dearer to USC3 below previous levels.

Plainer – Better categories were about steady to USC5 below previous rates while others irregularly gained by up to USC6.

DUST1:

Best – Steady to USC8 dearer to easier by up to USC4.

Brighter – Were firm to USC7 above previous levels.

Mediums – KTDA mediums were irregularly easier by up to USC8 but some teas were firm to USC6 dearer. Plantation mediums met irregular interest at USC6 dearer to easier by up to USC5.

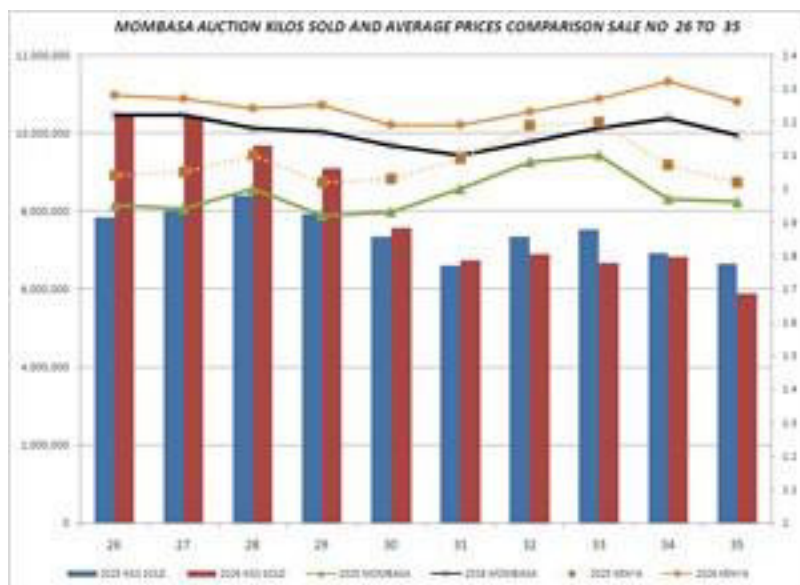
Lower Medium – Easier by up to USC11.

Plainer – Better sorts were USC2 dearer to easier by up to USC6 with others appreciating by up to USC8. .

CTC QUOTATIONS	PDUST – USC	DUST1 – USC
Best	313 – 340	282 – 367
Good	312 – 331	282 – 294
Good Medium	215 – 336	225 – 295
Medium (KTDA)	208 – 288	201 – 286
Medium (Plantations)	190 – 217	195 – 209
Lower Medium	160 – 205	164 – 190
Plainer	122 – 163	132 – 164

In the Secondary Catalogues, BPs were about firm while PFs held value. Clean well sorted coloury Fannings were dearer with similar DUSTs firm but a few lines sold above last levels. Other Fannings held value with DUSTs steady. BMFs were readily absorbed at firm levels.

SECONDARY QUOTATIONS (USC)	BP / BP2	PF / PF2	FNGS1 / FNGS	DUST / DUST2	BMF
Best / Good	254 – 346	278	181 – 233	180 – 236	-
Good Medium / Medium	-	-	159 – 205	175 – 216	-
Lower Medium	140 – 188	130 – 181	134 – 157	129 – 180	129 – 139
Plainer	111 – 170	103 – 142	085 – 142	111 – 136	098 – 124



Courtesy - Africa Tea Brokers Limited.

BANGLADESH AUCTION

Sale no 19 (07 September 2026)

CTC LEAF: 51,076 packages of tea on offer met with a good demand at easier rates.

BROKENS: All good varieties met with a fairly strong demand but prices were easier in line with quality often declining by Tk.7/- and more. Others met with a good demand and were easier by a slightly higher margin. BLF teas saw a fairly good demand but at much easier rates with fair withdrawals.

FANNINGS: Coloury, bright Fannings were in fairly strong demand but at lower rates often declining by Tk.5/- to Tk.8/-. The remainder also sold well but were again easier. BLF teas saw a fairly good demand but at much easier rates with fair withdrawals.

DUST: 10,215 packages of tea on offer met with a good demand. Well made good liquoring Dusts particularly the CDs sold barely steady whilst others eased in line with

quality. Mediums were firm on last. Plain/BLF Dusts met with less demand and sold at easier rates with a few withdrawals. Blenders lent strong support with fair interest from the Loose tea buyers.

COMMENTS: Market witnessed a good demand. However, owing to lack of adequate competition, prices eased over last. Blenders were quite active but there was less support from the Loose tea buyers.

In general, there was some decline in the overall quality of teas on offer.

Dusts sold well.

Our Catalogue: (Sale 19) Avg : 297.06, Sold 94.23% , (Sale 18)

Avg : Tk 305.32, Sold 91.80%,

QUOTATIONS	BROKENS	QUOTATIONS	FANNINGS
Best	2.47-2.51	Best	2.36-2.42
Good	2.39-2.43	Good	2.28-2.32
Medium	2.32-2.35	Medium	2.21-2.24
Plain	2.21-2.25	Plain	2.11-2.15
BLF	2.12-2.31	BLF	2.06-2.21

Courtesy - National Brokers Limited.

TEA MARKETS AROUND THE WORLD

COONOR AUCTION

Sale no 36 (05 September 2026)

CTC LEAF

Demand: Good improved demand especially on liquoring sorts.

Market: The total CTC offering stood at 1329263.72 kgs, of which 1294873.75 kgs (97.41%) were sold. Best teas continued to meet good demand with prices appreciating irregularly following quality and competition. On the good category, prices were irregular and hovering around last. Better medium teas sold dearer with competition and especially appreciated more on improved quality. Medium and plainer sorts appreciated by a couple of rupees. Fanning grades on the medium and plainer continued to attract limited interest, resulting in prices ruling barely steady to easier.

Buying Pattern: Major blenders and Western India packers remained dominant, accounting for half the absorption and picked up 48.90% of the total CTC sold. Upcountry and internal buyers showed improved interest at firm to dearer prices. Exporters from the Middle East, CIS, and Iraq participated actively paying a couple of rupees more than last.

ORTHODOX LEAF

Demand: Good demand for the well-made popular mark's others met with fair demand.

Market: High-grown teas ruled a firm to dearer market. Broken and fanning sold at barely steady levels. Medium and low-grown orthodox leaf and broken grades selectively sold firm to dearer others were barely steady to easier, while fanning sold firm to dearer.

Buying Pattern: Exporters were fairly active. Internal buyers were very choosy.

CTC DUST

Demand: Good improved demand.

Market: The total offering stood at 342652.78 kgs, of which 321670.64 kgs (93.88%) were sold. Best & good dusts appreciated well and gained handsome gains following competition. Better medium dust appreciated on quality and better competition among local packers and exporters. Medium and plainer dust sold dearer by firm to dearer by up to Rs 2.

Buying Pattern: Coastal Karnataka packers' strong activity along with regional packers on the best and good teas. Other local packers were active on better medium teas along with strong competition from the exporters. Major blenders continued to be selective.

ORTHODOX DUST

Demand: Sluggish demand.

Market: Few select popular marks primary dust sold on quality the remainder met less demand and faced withdrawals. Low-grown dust eased substantially. Secondary dust too saw a decline in prices and continued to out lots.

Buying Pattern: Upcountry and local buyers operated selectively on high-grown primary dust. Exporters and internal buyers were choosy on secondary dust.

TEA MARKETS AROUND THE WORLD

KOLKATA AUCTION

Sale no 37 (08TH SEPTEMBER 2026)

	2026	2025	DIFFERENCE
CTC	1,13,099	1,06,696	6,403
ORTHODOX	84,305	69,774	14,531
DUST	47,046	56,220	-9,174

KOLKATA SALE CTC MARKET
MARKET REPORT:

Market opened to good demand. Liquoring Assams tending easier. Medium and Plainer sorts around last and irregularly easier following quality.

BUYING PATTERN:

HUL: Fair Support
Teloijan: Operating
Western India: Active

KOLKATA SALE ORTHODOX MARKET
MARKET REPORT:

Market opened to good demand. Whole Leaf and Broken selling irregularly lower following quality. Secondaries and fannings following a similar trend.

BUYING PATTERN:
Middle East & CIS : Operating
HUL : Very Selective

Teloijan : Operating

COCHIN AUCTION

Sale no 37 (09TH SEPTEMBER 2026)

QUANTITY	2026 kgs	2025 kgs	Difference
ORX	2,16,382	1,97,833	18,549
CTC	26,757	25,205	1,552
TOTAL	2,43,139	2,23,038	20,101

Cochin Leaf Sale No. 37
Overall Market Sentiment
Export demand remained supportive.
CIS buyers were active, particularly on quality Orthodox teas, while Middle East buyers provided strong support across Orthodox and selected CTC offerings.
Domestic demand remained selective.

ORTHODOX LEAF

The Orthodox market remained firm to dearer, with good competition for quality teas. Better teas attracted strong enquiry and good price realisation, while medium and secondary descriptions witnessed selective demand.

CTC LEAF

The CTC market ruled firm with good teas attracting fair competition and selling at steady to occasionally dearer levels. Medium and plainer teas witnessed selective buying, while quality continued to command better price realisation.

Unsold Position

Unsold were more noticeable in selected Orthodox offerings, particularly where quality and prices did not meet buyer expectations.
CTC clearance was comparatively better, with quality teas being readily absorbed.

09th September 2026 (Sale No. 36)

There was less demand for the limited quantity on offer of 1520 packages.
BP1- All were taken out, some under bid
PF1/PD/D1/PF1SC - N/A.
Secondary F2 were 1 USC easier
to 3 USC dearer.

Courtesy - TEA BROKERS CENTRAL AFRICA LIMITED

08th September 2026 (Sale No.37)

There is fair demand at steady to easier rates for the mostly medium and better medium teas on offer so far. (CBPL running at 56 %)

HUL/WesternIndia/NorthIndia/Exportersoperating.

Courtesy -ASSOCIATEDBROKERSPVT.LTD.

The above market report details were not available at the time of printing this publication.



TEA SALE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE FOURTH QUARTER OF 2026

OCTOBER / NOVEMBER / DECEMBER

APPLICABLE TO BUYERS WHO PAY VAT WEEKLY

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Catalogue Closing Dates Ex-Estate & Main Sale	Prompt Dates		10% Payment	E-Platform Levy Prompt Dates		Buyer Tins to be delivered to Brokers	Tins available for collection from Brokers
			Buyers	Sellers		Buyers	Sellers		
OCTOBER 2026									
39	Tue 06 th & Wed 07 th t	17/09/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	13-Oct-2026	14-Oct-2026	09-Oct-2026	13-Oct-2026	15-Oct-2026	17-Sep-2026	23/24-Sep-2026
40	Tue 13 th & Wed 14 th	24/09/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	20-Oct-2026	21-Oct-2026	16-Oct-2026	20-Oct-2026	22-Oct-2026	24-Sep-2026	30 Sep/ 01 Oct-2026
41	Tue 20 th & Wed 21 st	01/10/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	27-Oct-2026	28-Oct -2026	23-Oct-2026	27-Oct-2026	29-Oct-2026	01-Oct-2026	07/08-Oct-2026
42	Tue 27 th & Wed 28 th	08/10/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	03-Nov-2026	04-Nov-2026	30-Oct-2026	03-Nov-2026	05-Nov-2026	08-Oct-2026	14/15-Oct-2026
NOVEMBER 2026									
43	Tue 03 rd & Wed 04 th	15/10/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	10-Nov-2026	11-Nov-2026	06-Nov-2026	10-Nov-2026	12-Nov-2026	15-Oct-2026	21/22-Oct-2026
44	Tue 10 th & Wed 11 th	22/10/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	17-Nov-2026	18-Nov-2026	13-Nov-2026	17-Nov-2026	19-Nov-2026	22-Oct-2026	28/29-Oct-2026
45	Mon 16 th & Tue 17 th	29/10/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	23-Nov-2026	25-Nov-2026	20-Nov-2026	23-Nov-2026	26-Nov-2026	29-Oct-2026	04/05-Nov-2026
46	Mon 23 rd & Wed 25 th	05/11/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	01-Dec-2026	02-Dec-2026	27-Nov-2026	01-Dec-2026	03-Dec-2026	05-Nov-2026	11/12-Nov-2026
DECEMBER 2026									
47	Tue 01 st & Wed 02 nd	12/11/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	08-Dec-2026	09-Dec-2026	04-Dec-2026	08-Dec-2026	10-Dec-2026	12-Nov-2026	18/19-Nov-2026
48	Tue 08 th & Wed 09 th	19/11/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	15-Dec-2026	16-Dex-2026	11-Dec-2026	15-Dec-2026	17-Dec-2026	19-Nov-2026	26/27-Nov-2026
49	Mon 14 th & Tue 15 th	26/11/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	21-Dec-2026	22-Dec-2026	17-Dec-2026	21-Dec-2026	24-Dec-2026	26-Nov-2026	02/03-Dec-2026
50	Mon 21 st & Tue 22 nd	03/12/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	28-Dec-2026	29-Dec--2026	28-Dec-2026	28-Dec-2026	30-Dec-2026	03-Dec-2026	09/10-Dec-2026

TEA SALE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE FOURTH QUARTER OF 2026

OCTOBER / NOVEMBER / DECEMBER

APPLICABLE TO BUYERS WITH BANK GUARANTEES - ON VAT

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Catalogue Closing Dates Ex-Estate & Main Sale	Prompt Dates		10% Payment	E-Platform Levy Prompt Dates		VAT Summary	VAT Prompt Dates		Buyer Tins to be delivered to Brokers	Tins available for collection from Brokers
			Buyers	Sellers		Buyers	Sellers		Buyers	Sellers		
OCTOBER 2026												
39	Tue 06 th & Wed 07 th t	17/09/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	13-Oct-2026	14-Oct-2026	09-Oct-2026	13-Oct-2026	15-Oct-2026	Nil	Nil	Nil	17-Sep-2026	23/24-Sep-2026
40	Tue 13 th & Wed 14 th	24/09/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	20-Oct-2026	21-Oct-2026	16-Oct-2026	20-Oct-2026	22-Oct-2026	Nil	Nil	Nil	24-Sep-2026	30 Sep/01 Oct-2026
41	Tue 20 th & Wed 21 st	01/10/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	27-Oct-2026	28-Oct -2026	23-Oct-2026	27-Oct-2026	29-Oct-2026	Nil	Nil	Nil	01-Oct-2026	07/08-Oct-2026
42	Tue 27 th & Wed 28 th	08/10/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	03-Nov-2026	04-Nov-2026	30-Oct-2026	03-Nov-2026	05-Nov-2026	30-Oct-2026	03-Nov-2026	04-Nov-2026	08-Oct-2026	14/15-Oct-2026
NOVEMBER 2026												
43	Tue 03 rd & Wed 04 th	15/10/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	10-Nov-2026	11-Nov-2026	06-Nov-2026	10-Nov-2026	12-Nov-2026	Nil	Nil	Nil	15-Oct-2026	21/22-Oct-2026
44	Tue 10 th & Wed 11 th	22/10/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	17-Nov-2026	18-Nov-2026	13-Nov-2026	17-Nov-2026	19-Nov-2026	Nil	Nil	Nil	22-Oct-2026	28/29-Oct-2026
45	Mon 16 th & Tue 17 th	29/10/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	23-Nov-2026	25-Nov-2026	20-Nov-2026	23-Nov-2026	26-Nov-2026	Nil	Nil	Nil	29-Oct-2026	04/05-Nov-2026
46	Mon 23 rd & Wed 25 th	05/11/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	01-Dec-2026	02-Dec-2026	27-Nov-2026	01-Dev-2026	03-Dec-2026	30-Nov-2026	02-Dec-2026	03-Dec-2026	05-Nov-2026	11/12-Nov-2026
DECEMBER 2026												
47	Tue 01 st & Wed 02 nd	12/11/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	08-Dec-2026	09-Dec-2026	04-Dec-2026	08-Dec-2026	10-Dec-2026	Nil	Nil	Nil	12-Nov-2026	18/19-Nov-2026
48	Tue 08 th & Wed 09 th	19/11/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	15-Dec-2026	16-Dex-2026	11-Dec-2026	15-Dec-2026	17-Dec-2026	Nil	Nil	Nil	19-Nov-2026	26/27-Nov-2026
49	Mon 14 th & Tue 15 th	26/11/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	21-Dec-2026	22-Dec-2026	17-Dec-2026	21-Dec-2026	24-Dec-2026	Nil	Nil	Nil	26-Nov-2026	02/03-Dec-2026
50	Mon 21 st & Tue 22 nd	03/12/2026 at 4.30 p.m.	28-Dec-2026	29-Dec--2026	28-Dec-2026	28-Dec-2026	30-Dec-2026	31-Dec-2026	04-Jan -2027	05-Jan-2027	03-Dec-2026	09/10-Dec-2026

HOLIDAYS FOR THE FOURTH QUARTER OF 2026

Sunday, 25th October – Vap Full Moon Poya Day

Sunday, 08th November – Deepavali Festival

Tuesday, 24th November – Ill Full Moon Poya Day

Wednesday, 23rd December – Uduvap Full Moon Poya Day

Friday, 25th December – Christmas Day