


**1. MARKET REPORT IN BRIEF:**

- **BEST CATEGORY ASSAMS CONTINUE TO BE WELL COMPETED AND SOLD READILY AT DEARER RATES.**
- **REMAINDER TENDED EASIER WITH SOME WITHDRAWALS.**
- **DUST CATEGORY ON THE GOOD / BEST ASSAMS ARE CLEARLY LOWER TO THE CORRESPONDING BROKEN GRADES.**
- **INTERNAL MAINSTAY. HUL VERY SELECTIVE. OTHERS SILENT.**

**2. TOTAL AUCTION WEIGHTED AVERAGE. NEW SEASON ONLY (IN RS).**

CATEGORY	2017/2018			2016/2017			UPTO - SALE 16		
	SALE 16	SALE 15	+/-	SALE 16	SALE 15	+/-	2017-18	2016-17	2015-16
LEAF	171.52	171.20	+0.32	148.00	153.32	-5.32	173.00	152.72	158.40
DUST	169.63	161.15	+8.48	149.13	157.37	-8.24	167.18	155.42	163.95
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>171.02</b>	<b>168.72</b>	<b>+2.30</b>	<b>148.31</b>	<b>154.55</b>	<b>-6.24</b>	<b>171.43</b>	<b>153.49</b>	<b>160.01</b>

**3. A. QUANTITY OFFERED & SOLD IN SALE 16-NEW SEASON ONLY (IN LAC KGS).**

CATEGORY	OFFERED QUANTITY	SOLD QUANTITY	OUT %	OUT % IN SALE 16 LAST YEAR	OUT% UPTO SALE 16		
					2017-18	2016-17	2015-16
LEAF	6.52	4.52	31	28	32.72	30.89	38.75
DUST	2.67	1.65	38	35	39.40	32.71	31.19
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>9.19</b>	<b>6.17</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>34.67</b>	<b>31.42</b>	<b>36.72</b>

**B. CATEGORY-WISE WEIGHTED AVERAGE- NEW SEASON ONLY (IN RS).**

	BROKENS	FANNINGS	PD/D	LEAF SEC	DUST SEC
S/16-2017	165.93	170.65	169.37	172.53	178.31
S/16-2016	144.24	149.53	151.11	149.04	124.68
S/16-2015	152.30	150.48	165.02	150.29	133.05

**C. CATEGORY- WISE OFFERED AND SOLD PERCENTAGE. NEW SEASON ONLY**

	BROKENS	FANNINGS	LEAF SEC	PD/D/CD.	DUST SEC
OFFERED - SALE 16	55.07	6.06	13.27	24.53	1.07
SOLD - SALE 16	56.15	5.82	14.25	22.77	1.01

**4. PRICE RANGE: NEW SEASON ONLY**

PRICE RANGE LEAF & DUST COMBINED	S/16-2017	S/15-2017	UPTO S/16 2017-18	UPTO S/16 2016-17	UPTO S/16 2015-16
A. % OF TEA SELLING ABOVE RS. 250.00	0.49	5.30	2.92	0.14	0.53
B. % OF TEA SELLING BETWEEN RS. 220.00-249.99	1.89	9.20	4.92	1.46	4.85
C. % OF TEA SELLING BETWEEN RS. 200.00- 219.99	13.37	10.07	12.55	7.69	9.88
D. % OF TEA SELLING BETWEEN RS. 190.00 -199.99	11.33	6.29	9.41	6.30	6.85
E. % OF TEA SELLING BETWEEN RS. 180.00 -189.99	16.20	5.99	12.41	8.82	7.05
F. % OF TEA SELLING BETWEEN RS. 170.00 -179.99	16.11	4.26	11.63	9.13	8.37
G. % OF TEA SELLING BETWEEN RS.160.00 -169.99	11.35	4.94	8.75	7.18	9.28
H. % OF TEA SELLING BETWEEN RS.150.00-159.99	6.72	12.13	8.64	8.17	11.31
I. % OF TEA SELLING BETWEEN RS.140.00 -149.99	8.02	9.48	8.44	12.23	12.33
J. % OF TEA SELLING BELOW RS. 140.00	14.52	32.34	20.33	38.88	29.55

**5. FUTURE OFFERINGS (IN PKGS)**

SALE 18-CLOSED ON 13 <sup>TH</sup> APRIL, 2017	THIS YEAR	LAST YEAR	+/-
CTC LEAF :	58548	75587	-17039
DUST :	19693	29244	-9551
ORTHODOX:	342	484	+142
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>78583</b>	<b>105315</b>	<b>-26732</b>

**6. OTHER INFORMATION:**

The auction volume in Mombasa is gradually going up, but demand is not. This resulted in an easier market this week, with an increased out-lot figure. The better types met increased demand and prices, while the poorer sorts suffered, with many being neglected. Last week the official export figures were released for the first two months of 2017.

Source:www.vanrees.com

**Exchange Rates:-** 1 US \$- Rs.64.61 1 UK £- Rs.82.83 1 Euro-Rs.69.26 as on 21<sup>ST</sup> April., 2017

Source: <http://in.reuters.com/finance/currencies/>

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