

1. WORLD PRODUCTION :

(Figs. In M.Kgs)

Country	2008 (P)	2007	2006	2005
China	1160.00	1140.00	1028.06	934.86
India	980.82	986.43	981.81	945.97
Sri Lanka	317.70	304.61	310.82	317.20
Kenya	345.82	369.61	310.58	323.50
Turkey	155.00	178.00	142.00	135.00
Indonesia	148.31	149.51	140.05	156.27
Vietnam	144.00	148.27	142.50	133.35
Bangladesh	58.75	57.96	53.27	60.60
Malawi	41.64	48.14	45.01	37.98
Uganda	42.75	44.91	36.73	37.73
Tanzania	31.61	34.86	31.35	30.36
Others	323.38	340.64	350.48	344.77
Total	3749.78	3802.94	3572.66	3457.59

2. WORLD EXPORT :

(Figs. In M.Kgs)

Country	2008 (P)	2007	2006	2005
Kenya	383.44	343.70	312.16	348.28
Sri Lanka	298.79	294.25	314.92	298.77
China	296.94	289.43	286.59	286.56
India	203.12	178.75	218.73	199.05
Vietnam	115.00	110.93	105.12	87.92
Indonesia	95.00	83.66	95.34	102.29
Argentina	75.50	74.23	70.72	66.39
Malawi	40.06	46.59	41.96	42.98
Uganda	42.39	43.64	32.70	33.07
Tanzania	24.77	29.13	24.13	22.50
Bangladesh	8.39	10.56	4.79	9.01
Zimbabwe	5.50	7.60	11.38	8.45
Others	64.39	62.52	62.47	64.84
Total	1653.29	1574.99	1581.01	1570.11

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Production Tea in different countries

(Quantity in Th .Kgs)

Name of the Countries	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008(P)
India	892965	945974	981805	986427	980818
Sri Lanka	308089	317196	310822	304613	317695
Indonesia	164817	156273	140049	149510	148312
Bangladesh	55627	60600	53265	57955	58754
China	835231	934857	1028064	1140000	1160000
Taiwan	20192	18803	19345	17502	17384
Japan	100262	100000	99500	92111	93000
Vietnam	119050	133350	142500	148270	144000
Papua & New Guinea	6500	6600	6700	6730	6750
USSR/CIS	8024	7278	8432	8558	8600
Iran	40000	25000	20000	17000	18000
Turkey	165000	135000	142000	178000	155000
Kenya	324608	323497	310578	369606	345817
Uganda	35706	37734	36726	44913	42752
Tanzania	30688	30362	31348	34863	31606
Malawi	50090	37978	45010	48141	41639
Mozambique	4734	3624	3421	6247	6400
Zaire	3000	3000	3100	3200	3300
Mauritius	1482	1387	1567	1563	1668
Rwanda	14181	16457	16973	17200	17300
Burundi	7715	7832	6335	6700	6400
Cameroon	4500	4600	4000	4200	4300
Argentina	64871	80000	88000	87000	72000
Brazil	4900	5000	5100	5200	5200
Peru	2750	2800	2850	2880	2900
Ecuador	1850	1900	1950	1970	1990
Zimbabwe	18734	14884	15737	13463	9300
Myanmar	17900	18000	18300	18400	18600
Malaysia	3821	2783	2727	2450	2350
South Africa	5694	2225	2835	3655	3000
Australia	1550	1600	1600	1630	1640
Ethiopia	4700	4900	5000	5200	5400
Korea	2703	3100	3524	4080	4100
Nepal	12600	13000	13500	13700	13800
GRAND TOTAL	3334534	3457594	3572663	3802937	3749775

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Source: Supplement to Annual Bulletin of Statistics-2008, ITC London.

World Export of Tea

(Figures in Th. Kgs.)

Name of Countries	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008 (P)
India	197668	199050	218734	178754	203117
Sri Lanka	290604	298769	314915	294254	298785
Indonesia	98572	102294	95339	83659	95000
Bangladesh	13435	9007	4794	10555	8393
China	280193	286563	286594	289431	296935
Taiwan	2388	2175	1962	2008	2328
Japan	923	1096	1681	1769	1700
Malaysia	400	300	320	300	310
Vietnam	99351	87918	105116	110929	115000
Korea	250	270	280	230	260
Nepal	3100	3600	4000	7000	6400
Iran	8000	6500	6000	5000	5300
Turkey	5904	7000	5500	3000	4500
Kenya	332502	348276	312156	343703	383444
Uganda	29686	33071	32699	43638	42385
Tanzania	24170	22498	24132	29125	24766
Malawi	46599	42978	41962	46585	40069
Mozambique	1100	1200	1400	1700	2000
Congo/ Zaire	2200	2250	2400	2400	2500
Ethiopia	1200	1300	1500	1600	1700
Mauritius	42	51	36	34	27
Rwanda	11537	11652	12859	13000	13300
Burundi	7170	7607	5903	6000	5300
Zimbabwe	14912	8451	11384	7601	5500
South Africa	5785	2290	1300	575	800
Georgia / CIS	700	600	700	700	800
Argentina	66374	66389	70723	74234	75500
Brazil	3593	3407	3238	3298	3034
Peru	100	100	100	110	110
Ecuador	1036	1050	1080	1100	1130
Cameroon	4500	4600	4000	4300	4100
Papua & New Guinea	6500	5500	5700	5800	6000
Other countries	2300	2300	2500	2600	2800
GRAND TOTAL	1562794	1570112	1581007	1574992	1653293

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Source: "Supplement to ITC Annual Bulletin 2008"

Unit Export Prices of Tea of Major Producing Exporting Countries

(in US \$ per kg.)

Name of the countries	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
India	2.38	2.04	1.95	1.79	1.97	2.06	2.09	2.03	2.45
Bangladesh	1.35	1.28	1.24	1.19	1.29		1.28	1.42	1.24
Sri Lanka	2.28	2.36	2.28	2.24	2.25	2.41	2.58	2.64	3.26
Indonesia	0.99	1.06	1.00	1.03	1.09	1.18	1.19	1.41	1.51
Kenya	1.93	2.12	1.67	1.58	1.63	1.61	1.59	2.07	1.99
Malawi	0.93	0.85	0.93	0.88	0.90	1.01	1.10	1.17	1.1
Mauritius	6.02	4.37	5.27	5.72	5.63	8.29	7.57	8.44	7.41
Rwanda	1.55	1.77	1.49	1.51	1.59	1.66	1.59	1.99	0
Tanzania	1.14	1.45	1.27	1.22	1.21	1.24	1.15	1.37	1.28
Argentina	0.75	0.76	0.71	0.69	0.57	0.59	0.66	0.69	0.72
Brazil	1.83	1.75	1.58	1.40	1.35	1.52	1.71	1.78	1.94
Papua & New Guinea	1.25	1.10	1.15	1.31	1.25	1.08	1.16	1.14	1.14
Japan	14.33	15.87	13.11	14.60	16.29	18.15	18.34	16.37	16.47
Turkey	1.08	0.91	0.85	0.85	0.77	1.16	1.14	1.15	1.2
Uganda	1.36	1.38	1.09	1.12	1.00	1.56	1.00	1.10	1.35
Zimbabwe	1.31	1.09	0.38						
China	1.7	1.52	1.37	1.21	1.38	1.56	2.06	1.88	2.10

Source: Annual Bulletin of Statistics-2008, ITC London.

TREND IN AUCTION PRICES IN MAJOR TEA PRODUCING COUNTRIES

(U S Dollar per kg.)

Year	Indian tea at Indian Auction	Sri Lankan tea at Colombo Auction	African tea at Mombassa Auction
2000	1.37	1.75	2.02
2003	1.20	1.54	1.54
2004	1.42	1.78	1.55
2005	1.32	1.84	1.47
2006	1.46	1.90	1.93
2007	1.62	2.51	1.66
2008 (P)	1.99	2.83	2.18

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Sales of Tea at auctions in different Producing Countries of the World.

Qty.in M.Kgs.
Price in respective Currencies.
Price equivalent in US\$.

Year	Indian Auctions			Chittagong Auctions			Colombo Auctions			Jakarta Auctions		
	Qty.	Price (Rs)	Equi Price	Qty.	Price (Taka)	Equi Price	Qty.	Price (Sl Rs)	Equi Price	Qty.	Price US Cts	Equi Price
2001	463.69	61.66	1.31	47.08	58.88	1.06	279.46	143.54	1.61	41.80	97.39	0.97
2002	456.55	55.96	1.15	50.72	59.78	1.03	280.02	148.66	1.55	37.43	101.11	1.01
2003	477.77	56.03	1.20	47.79	67.77	1.17	273.23	148.32	1.54	33.77	95.49	0.95
2004	474.35	64.54	1.42	52.93	63.72	1.07	269.87	180.18	1.78	32.21	102.22	1.02
2005	510.23	58.05	1.32	54.16	76.02	1.18	273.06	184.42	1.84	36.97	103.73	1.04
2006	499.07	66.01	1.46	50.03	95.10	1.38	265.91	197.29	1.90	35.23	134.04	1.34
2007	514.28	67.41	1.63	56.15	80.51	1.17	242.00	277.70	2.51	42.36	132.92	1.33

Year	Mombassa Auctions			Limbe Auctions			Currency per US\$			
	Qty.	Price (US Cts)	Equi Price	Qty.	Price (US Cts)	Equi Price	Indian Rs	Bang. Taka	SL Rs.	US Cts.
2001	276.22	153.00	1.53	14.54	87.00	0.87	47.1857	55.807	89.383	100
2002	270.64	149.00	1.49	17.24	91.45	0.91	48.5993	57.888	95.662	100
2003	285.84	154.00	1.54	15.90	93.39	0.93	46.5800	58.150	96.512	100
2004	298.09	155.00	1.55	17.22	100.27	1.00	45.3165	59.5127	101.1945	100
2005	306.83	147.00	1.47	11.93	91.68	0.92	44.1000	64.3275	100.4981	100
2006	281.65	193.00	1.93	17.37	122.93	1.23	45.193	68.93	103.91	100
2007	344.31	166.00	1.66	17.61	105.13	1.05	41.397	68.87	110.63	100

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World Demand and Supply of Tea

(Figures in M.Kgs)

Year	World Supply	World Demand	(+) or (-)
2004	3334.53	3192.93	(+) 141.60
2005	3457.59	3348.52	(+) 109.07
2006	3572.66	3466.99	(+) 105.67
2007	3802.94	3710.84	(+) 92.10
2008 (P)	3749.78	3596.17	(+) 153.61

Region wise Global Demand of Tea

(Figures in M.kgs.)

Regions	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008 (P)
E.E.C.	198.75	194.07	191.75	200.33	200.56	198.28
Other West Europe	8.85	9.31	8.88	8.65	9.16	10.13
East Europe	275.64	273.38	280.97	279.78	291.99	292.24
America	148.46	146.36	160.23	172.09	170.60	162.50
West Asia	406.91	421.56	392.24	404.55	425.86	410.35
Asia other** than West	1808.44	1856.07	2021.79	2079.04	2266.01	2219.02
North Africa	144.27	160.60	179.38	181.70	172.80	191.10
Africa other than North	139.94	110.65	91.46	119.16	152.40	91.83
Oceania	20.45	20.93	21.82	21.69	21.46	20.72
Total	3151.71	3192.93	3348.52	3466.99	3710.84	3596.17

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Region wise Import of Tea for Consumption Vis-à-vis Export from India

(Figures in M.kgs.)

Region	2006		2007		2008 (P)	
	Import for Consumption	Export from India	Import for Consumption	Export from India	Import for Consumption	Export from India
E.E.C.	200.33	33.24	200.56	28.98	198.28	28.02
Other West Europe	8.65	0.07	9.15	0.26	10.13	0.15
CIS	238.73	49.10	250.00	53.50	246.70	54.02
Other East Europe	36.82	3.78	37.73	4.62	41.44	3.55
North America	124.61	9.67	126.94	10.59	131.95	11.06
Latin America	24.72	0.04	25.35	0.03	28.24	0.15
WANA	435.76	78.11	411.66	49.39	438.25	70.18
Asia other than West **	301.08	31.26	312.20	23.02	290.63	28.81
Africa other than North	92.29	8.99	97.84	3.47	103.28	2.24
Oceania	19.09	4.47	18.91	4.89	18.33	4.94
Grand Total	1482.08	218.73	1490.34	178.75	1507.23	203.12

** Includes the figures of import for re-export by India and Sri Lanka.

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