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Phillips' David Hockney Auction Realises £1.78 Million, the Highest Total Achieved for the Annual Dedicated Auction

Followed by the Evening & Day Editions Auction Which Realised £3.6 Million

London, 19 September 2024

Combined Total for the Week: £5,451,666 / \$7,226,183 / €6,480,941

David Hockney Sale Total: £1,785,303 / \$2,366,419 / €2,122,368

Lots Sold: 57 | Lots Offered: 61

Sold by Lot: 93% | Sold by Value: 80%



Robert Kennan, Head of Editions, Europe, said, “We are delighted with our sale total of over £1.7 million. It was wonderful to see such spirited international bidding, with participants from more than 30 countries across four continents taking part on the phone, online, and in the saleroom. Our third annual dedicated Hockney auction was carefully curated to showcase the remarkable cross-section of the artist’s work, reflecting the breadth and virtuosity of his talent from the youthful energy of his first etching portfolio, *A Rake’s Progress*, to the charming etchings of his beloved dachshunds in *Dog Wall*, created three decades later. We’re proud that our sale celebrated Hockney’s innovation and artistic mastery and underscores our deep commitment to contemporary edition collecting, and we look forward to our next dedicated David Hockney auction in September 2025.”

Top Ten Lots

Lot	Description	Estimate	Price Achieved
16	David Hockney, <i>Dog Wall</i> , 1998 WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THIS EDITION	£200,000 - 300,000	£317,500 \$420,846/€377,444
6	David Hockney, <i>A Rake’s Progress</i> (S.A.C. 17-32, M.C.A.T 12-27), 1961-63	£200,000 - 300,000	£254,000 \$336,677/€301,955

45	David Hockney, <i>The Arrival of Spring in Woldgate, East Yorkshire in 2011 (twenty eleven) - 30 April, 2011</i>	£70,000 - 90,000	£190,500 \$252,508/€226,466
44	David Hockney, <i>The Arrival of Spring in Woldgate, East Yorkshire in 2011 (twenty eleven) – 14 March, 2011</i>	£70,000 - 90,000	£177,800 \$235,674/€211,369
25	David Hockney, <i>Hotel Acatlán: Second Day, from Moving Focus (T.G. 283, M.C.A.T. 270), 1984-85</i>	£50,000 - 70,000	£82,550 \$109,420/€98,135
41	David Hockney, <i>Snow, from Weather Series (G. 445, S.A.C. 140, M.C.A.T. 131), 1973</i>	£25,000 - 35,000	£50,800 \$67,335/€60,391
26	David Hockney, <i>Tyler Dining Room, from Moving Focus (T.G. 278, M.C.A.T. 261), 1984</i>	£40,000 - 60,000	£40,640 \$53,868/€48,313
9	David Hockney, <i>Pool Made with Paper and Blue Ink for Book, from Paper Pools (T.G. 269, M.C.A.T. 234), 1980</i>	£25,000 - 35,000	£40,640 \$53,868/€48,313
40	David Hockney, <i>Mist, from Weather Series (G. 442, S.A.C. 138, M.C.A.T. 129), 1973</i> WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THIS EDITION	£20,000 - 30,000	£36,830 \$48,818/€43,784
35	David Hockney, <i>Untitled (Portrait of Johnny), 1979</i>	£18,000 - 25,000	£35,560 \$47,135/€42,274

New Auction Records

Lot	Description	Estimate	Price Achieved
16	David Hockney, <i>Dog Wall, 1998</i> <i>*previous record price: 405,094 USD set in 2023</i>	£200,000 - 300,000	£317,500 \$420,846/€377,444
40	David Hockney, <i>Mist, from Weather Series (G. 442, S.A.C. 138, M.C.A.T. 129), 1973</i> <i>*previous record price: 44,100 USD set in 2023</i>	£20,000 - 30,000	£36,830 \$48,818/€43,784
53	David Hockney, <i>Slow Rise, from Some More New Prints (G. 1626, M.C.A.T. 342), 1993</i> <i>*previous record price: 32,500 USD set in 2020</i>	£12,000 - 18,000	£30,480 \$40,401/€36,235
42	David Hockney, <i>Swimming Pool Carpet, from the Arterior Collection, 1988</i> <i>*previous record price: 23,750 USD set in 2015</i>	£5,000 - 7,000	£22,860 \$30,301/€27,176
33	David Hockney, <i>Celia with Chair (M.C.A.T. 306), 1986</i> <i>*previous record price: 10,710 GBP set in 2022</i>	£6,000 - 8,000	£15,240 \$20,201/€18,117
55	David Hockney, <i>Catherine's Walk, from Some More New Prints (G. 1623, M.C.A.T. 343), 1993</i> <i>*previous record price: 40,800 SEK set in 2013</i>	£3,000 - 5,000	£8,255 \$10,942/€9,814
36	David Hockney, <i>Johnny and Lindsay (T.G. 260, M.A.C.T. 231), 1979</i> <i>*previous record price: 3,810 USD set in 2023</i>	£1,000 - 1,500	£4,826 \$6,397/€5,737
15	David Hockney, <i>Picture of a Simple Framed Traditional Nude Drawing from A Hollywood Collection (S.A.C. 45, M.C.A.T. 45), 1965</i> <i>*previous record price: 2,286 GBP set in 2023</i>	£2,000 - 2,500	£2,794 \$3,703/€3,322

Exchange Rate on 19 SEPTEMBER 2024: GBP£1 = US\$1 1.3255, €1.1888

Phillips' Evening & Day Editions Auction Realises £3.6 Million, with Sell-Through Rates of 98% Sold by Value and 91% Sold by Lot

London, 19 & 20 September 2024

Evening & Day Editions Sale Total: £3,666,363 / \$4,859,764 / €4,358,572

Lots Sold: 297 | Lots Offered: 325

Sold by Lot: 91% | Sold by Value: 98%



Rebecca Tooby-Desmond, Specialist, Head of Sale, and Auctioneer, said, “We are thrilled with the success of our Evening & Day Editions auction, achieving a total of £3.6 million, with sell-through rates of 98% sold by value and 91% sold by lot, and several world auction records. Our auction featured a strong selection of works for all collectors, attracting enthusiastic international bidding from over 40 countries, demonstrating the enduring demand for modern and contemporary editions. American Pop art, especially unique works by Andy Warhol, exceeded their high estimates, highlighting his lasting influence. Notable results included *Details of Renaissance Paintings* at £247,650 against an estimate of £100,000–150,000, and *Black Rhinoceros, Queen Elizabeth II, and Alexander the Great* all surpassed expectations. Competitive bidding also drove prices for works by Picasso, including setting a new auction record for the complete *Imaginary Portraits* set, as well as contemporary works by Damien Hirst, and Banksy. We look forward to continuing this momentum with our New York Editions & Works on Paper sale and the Damien Hirst online auction in October.”

Top Ten Lots

Lot	Description	Estimate	Price Achieved
110	Andy Warhol, <i>Details of Renaissance Paintings (Sandro Botticelli, Birth of Venus, 1482) (see F. & S. 316-319)</i> , 1984 WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THIS EDITION	£100,000 - 150,000	£247,650 \$328,260/€294,406
107	Andy Warhol, <i>Black Rhinoceros, from Endangered Species (see F. & S. 301)</i> , 1983	£120,000 - 180,000	£190,500 \$252,508/€226,466
111	Andy Warhol, <i>Queen Elizabeth II of the United Kingdom, from Reigning Queens (F. & S. 337)</i> , 1985	£100,000 - 150,000	£165,100 \$218,840/€196,271

109	Andy Warhol, <i>Alexander the Great</i> (see F. & S. 291-292), 1982	£60,000 - 80,000	£139,700 \$185,172/€166,075
108	Andy Warhol, <i>Mobil</i> , from <i>Ads</i> (see F. & S. 350), 1985	£80,000 - 120,000	£120,650 \$159,922/€143,429
122	After Pablo Picasso, <i>Portraits Imaginaires (Imaginary Portraits)</i> , 1969 WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE COMPLETE SET	£50,000 - 70,000	£114,300 \$151,505/€135,880
161	Banksy, <i>Kate Moss: Original Colourway</i> , 2005	£80,000 - 120,000	£101,600 \$134,671/€120,782
123	Pablo Picasso, <i>La femme à la fenêtre (The Woman at the Window)</i> (Bl. 695, Ba. 891), 1952	£50,000 - 70,000	£82,550 \$109,42/€98,135
152	Damien Hirst, <i>The Virtues (H9)</i> , 2021	£60,000 - 80,000	£76,200 \$101,003/€90,587
160	Banksy, <i>Girl with Balloon</i> , 2004	£60,000 - 80,000	£76,200 \$101,003/€90,587

New Auction Records

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110	Andy Warhol, <i>Details of Renaissance Paintings (Sandro Botticelli, Birth of Venus, 1482)</i> (see F. & S. 316-319), 1984 <i>*previous record price: 325,000 USD set in 2021</i>	£100,000 - 150,000	£247,650 \$328,260/€294,406
122	After Pablo Picasso, <i>Portraits Imaginaires (Imaginary Portraits)</i> , 1969 <i>*previous record price: 89,060 CHF set in 2023</i>	£50,000 - 70,000	£114,300 \$151,505/€135,880
118	Roy Lichtenstein, <i>Composition IV (C. 293)</i> , 1995 <i>*previous record price: 27,720 USD set in 2021</i>	£12,000 - 18,000	£22,860 \$30,301/€27,176
151	Alex Katz, <i>Pas de Deux (S. 281-285)</i> , 1993-94 <i>*previous record price: 18,750 GBP set in 2021</i>	£10,000 - 15,000	£20,320 \$26,934/€24,156
132	Marc Chagall, <i>Le bouquet rouge et jaune (The Red and Yellow Bouquet)</i> (M. 711), 1974 <i>*previous record price: 2,041,500 JPY set in 2008</i>	£8,000 - 12,000	£19,050 \$25,251/€22,647

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