

Record Half Year at Christie's as Art Sales total £2.7 billion (\$4.5 billion), up 12%

Auction sales increase

13%

year-on-year

totalling £2.19 bn (\$3.63 bn, up 23%)

Christie's sells 51 works of art for over \$10 million during the first half of 2014

Online-only sales see

27%

new buyers with visitors from over 170 countries

11% of buyers who were new to Christie's via online-only sales continued to real time auctions

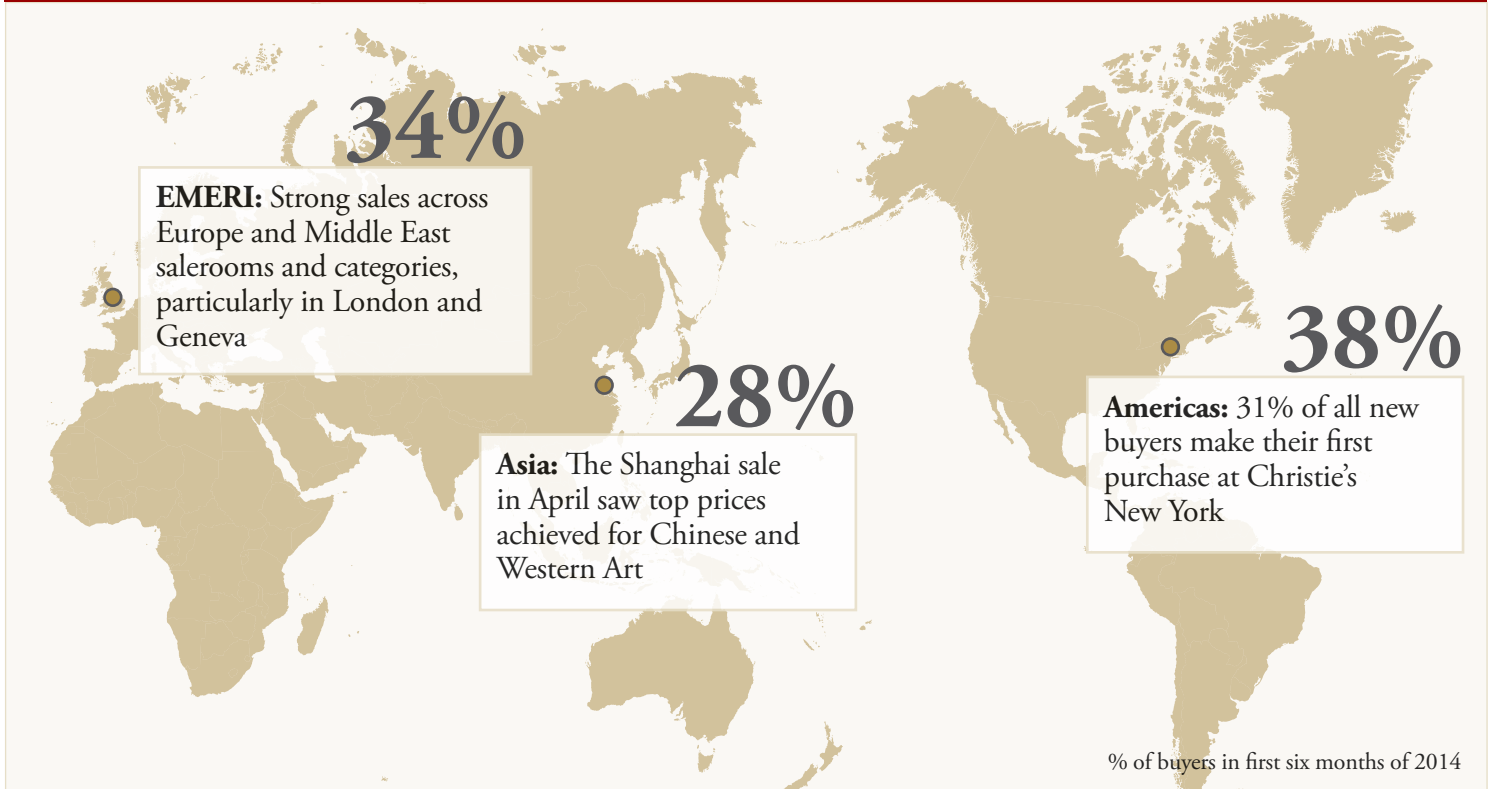
Private Sales grow

7%

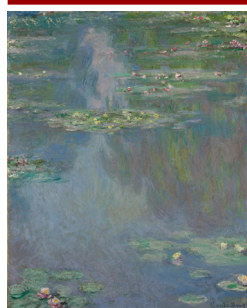
totalling £498.9 m (\$828.2 m, up 16%)

New space to open in New York in November 2014

Strong and growing buyer base best serves vendors: 24% of all buyers new to Christie's in first six months



Post-War & Contemporary Art has a record breaking six months with £799.9 m (\$1.3 bn), up 20%



Impressionist & Modern, including Modern British Art, realised £565.9 m (\$939.3 m), up 37%



Luxury sales, including Jewellery, Watches and Wine total £274.4 m (\$455.5 m), up 11%

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