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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	166.56	166.67	152.57	-8.4%	-8.5%	120.00	200.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	140.97	173.33	168.89	19.8%	-2.6%	160.00	200.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	174.91	221.33	184.67	5.6%	-16.6%	160.00	240.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	235.76	213.85	186.33	-21.0%	-12.9%	160.00	240.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	279.16	312.38	286.21	2.5%	-8.4%	240.00	320.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	132.11	151.71	125.00	-5.4%	-17.6%	100.00	160.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	133.73	137.58	127.69	-4.5%	-7.2%	120.00	160.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	211.28	237.66	176.22	-16.6%	-25.9%	160.00	240.00
Gotukola	Bunch	34.14	39.23	38.57	13.0%	-1.7%	30.00	50.00
Kankun	Bunch	39.39	39.58	38.85	-1.4%	-1.9%	30.00	40.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	43.06	40.00	41.54	-3.5%	3.8%	30.00	50.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	45.53	45.56	45.56	0.1%	0.0%	40.00	50.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	171.13	180.64	159.35	-6.9%	-11.8%	120.00	200.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	237.53	210.53	204.13	-14.1%	-3.0%	160.00	240.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	731.33	415.00	613.33	-16.1%	47.8%	500.00	700.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	412.63	433.33	398.33	-3.5%	-8.1%	300.00	500.00
Leeks	1 kg.	291.45	281.70	251.00	-13.9%	-10.9%	200.00	320.00
Limes	1 kg.	238.12	794.12	734.14	208.3%	-7.6%	600.00	800.00
Coconut - Average	Each	83.42	60.83	55.66	-33.3%	-8.5%	40.00	80.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	94.34	71.73	68.27	-27.6%	-4.8%	65.00	80.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	83.01	61.04	55.39	-33.3%	-9.3%	50.00	65.00
Coconut (small)	Each	72.93	49.72	43.33	-40.6%	-12.8%	40.00	50.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	173.56	241.14	196.44	13.2%	-18.5%	125.00	250.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	201.58	277.27	227.88	13.0%	-17.8%	175.00	250.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	145.54	205.00	165.00	13.4%	-19.5%	125.00	200.00
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	509.98	612.70	560.51	9.9%	-8.5%	400.00	800.00
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	560.07	711.11	627.27	12.0%	-11.8%	500.00	800.00
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	459.90	514.29	493.75	7.4%	-4.0%	400.00	600.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	157.00	185.00	182.17	16.0%	-1.5%	160.00	200.00
Imported	1 Kg	96.64	121.74	121.00	25.2%	-0.6%	100.00	140.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	289.37	275.75	268.38	-7.3%	-2.7%	230.00	300.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	40.51	38.08	37.50	-7.4%	-1.5%	30.00	40.00
Nivithi	500g	50.87	52.22	52.50	3.2%	0.5%	40.00	60.00
Sarana	Bunch	44.76	46.67	47.78	6.7%	2.4%	40.00	50.00
Thampala	Bunch	40.60	48.89	47.78	17.7%	-2.3%	40.00	50.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	400.00	400.00	400.00	0.0%	0.0%	400.00	400.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	295.45	344.85	276.50	-6.4%	-19.8%	240.00	360.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	237.10	256.67	183.45	-22.6%	-28.5%	160.00	240.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	240.83	247.41	251.97	4.6%	1.8%	200.00	320.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	198.60	241.27	193.28	-2.7%	-19.9%	160.00	240.00
Carrot	1 kg.	217.19	357.06	272.94	25.7%	-23.6%	240.00	320.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	381.33	400.00	n.a.				
Knol Khol	1 kg.	231.83	282.35	256.19	10.5%	-9.3%	160.00	320.00
Raddish	1 kg.	166.41	217.98	159.38	-4.2%	-26.9%	120.00	200.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	158.96	377.83	378.28	138.0%	0.1%	300.00	400.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	264.58	312.12	327.58	23.8%	5.0%	240.00	360.00
Corriander	1Kg.	327.24	355.00	341.15	4.3%	-3.9%	300.00	400.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1635.45	1564.29	1552.38	-5.1%	-0.8%	1400.00	1800.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	664.34	666.67	655.00	-1.4%	-1.8%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	331.12	247.31	258.53	-21.9%	4.5%	200.00	300.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	775.31	840.63	834.00	7.6%	-0.8%	700.00	900.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	543.59	589.47	630.77	16.0%	7.0%	500.00	800.00
Mustard	1Kg.	355.09	384.78	367.39	3.5%	-4.5%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	355.56	378.00	362.12	1.8%	-4.2%	300.00	400.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	2888.02	3218.18	3241.18	12.2%	0.7%	2800.00	3600.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	671.65	659.26	650.00	-3.2%	-1.4%	500.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1606.10	1787.50	1800.00	12.1%	0.7%	1600.00	2000.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	61.32	61.88	61.05	-0.4%	-1.3%	60.00	70.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	344.30	360.00	355.19	3.2%	-1.3%	300.00	400.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	490.81	203.93	211.56	-56.9%	3.7%	180.00	240.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	190.44	141.82	123.00	-35.4%	-13.3%	120.00	140.00
Imported	1kg.	151.54	116.00	96.48	-36.3%	-16.8%	80.00	120.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	91.05	81.86	82.53	-9.4%	0.8%	68.00	90.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	94.91	85.45	86.82	-8.5%	1.6%	85.00	90.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	87.19	78.27	78.24	-10.3%	0.0%	68.00	80.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	85.89	87.00	88.26	2.8%	1.4%	79.00	90.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	105.31	97.00	96.94	-8.0%	-0.1%	80.00	110.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	101.63	91.90	92.03	-9.4%	0.1%	87.00	100.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	104.76	110.12	110.60	5.6%	0.4%	100.00	120.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	113.13	115.54	115.07	1.7%	-0.4%	110.00	120.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	96.38	104.70	106.13	10.1%	1.4%	100.00	110.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	89.50	93.23	94.96	6.1%	1.9%	87.00	100.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	158.51	145.60	148.54	-6.3%	2.0%	110.00	200.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	189.62	185.25	187.14	-1.3%	1.0%	170.00	200.00
No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	154.42	132.14	135.00	-12.6%	2.2%	130.00	150.00
No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	131.47	119.40	123.48	-6.1%	3.4%	110.00	130.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	303.35	272.92	273.79	-9.7%	0.3%	220.00	320.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	252.42	258.64	255.28	1.1%	-1.3%	205.00	300.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	370.85	242.48	244.63	-34.0%	0.9%	200.00	320.00
Sugar	1Kg.	111.86	107.34	106.66	-4.7%	-0.6%	98.00	120.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	1045.02	1040.00	1060.53	1.5%	2.0%	820.00	1200.00
Mullet	1Kg.	835.92	828.89	794.00	-5.0%	-4.2%	660.00	850.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	1111.74	1106.32	1109.57	-0.2%	0.3%	900.00	1200.00
Balaya	1Kg.	602.69	581.25	560.00	-7.1%	-3.7%	480.00	640.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	909.96	913.85	885.79	-2.7%	-3.1%	800.00	1000.00
Mora	1Kg.	708.30	753.33	745.71	5.3%	-1.0%	640.00	800.00
Salaya	1Kg.	158.87	177.86	176.00	10.8%	-1.0%	120.00	200.00
Parati	1Kg.	559.63	581.33	588.75	5.2%	1.3%	500.00	700.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	537.38	545.38	551.67	2.7%	1.2%	400.00	680.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1216.85	1330.43	1317.31	8.3%	-1.0%	1200.00	1400.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	703.06	724.33	737.88	5.0%	1.9%	600.00	800.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	576.82	594.32	611.37	6.0%	2.9%	400.00	800.00
Beef	1Kg.	954.67	967.65	970.67	1.7%	0.3%	950.00	1000.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1764.53	1810.00	1811.54	2.7%	0.1%	1800.00	1900.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	543.26	521.50	535.79	-1.4%	2.7%	480.00	600.00
Broiler	1Kg.	420.00	445.00	445.00	6.0%	0.0%	445.00	445.00
Pork	1Kg.	627.17	710.00	730.00	16.4%	2.8%	730.00	730.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	14.75	18.07	19.92	35.1%	10.3%	18.50	21.00
Egg - Red	Each	15.34	18.75	20.27	32.1%	8.1%	19.00	21.00
White	Each	14.15	17.38	19.57	38.3%	12.6%	18.50	20.00
Tin Fish	425g.	232.55	271.88	278.00	19.5%	2.3%	250.00	295.00
Lakspray	400g.	325.00	345.00	345.00	6.2%	0.0%	345.00	345.00
Anchor	400g.	325.00	345.00	345.00	6.2%	0.0%	345.00	345.00
Lactogen - II	400g.	579.58	590.00	590.00	1.8%	0.0%	590.00	590.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	568.33	580.00	580.00	2.1%	0.0%	580.00	580.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	112.70	98.80	93.33	-17.2%	-5.5%	80.00	120.00
Anamalu	1 Kg.	182.78	182.92	178.40	-2.4%	-2.5%	150.00	200.00
Kolikuttu	1 Kg.	184.17	200.75	190.36	3.4%	-5.2%	160.00	200.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	111.34	130.48	167.37	50.3%	28.3%	140.00	180.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	133.76	144.76	134.92	0.9%	-6.8%	120.00	160.00
Bread	450g.	58.66	62.50	62.50	6.5%	0.0%	60.00	65.00

Source - Department of Census & Statistics

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* : MAIN MARKETS IN COLOMBO DISTRICT- PETTAH, MARADANA, BORELLA, DEMATAGODA, GRANDPASS, KIRULAPANA, WELLAWATTA, KOTTE, NUGEGODA, DEHIWALA, RATHMALANA, KOLONNAWA