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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	156.52	144.86	146.67	-6.3%	1.2%	120.00	200.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	123.44	130.00	133.33	8.0%	2.6%	120.00	160.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	169.59	144.86	144.83	-14.6%	0.0%	120.00	200.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	131.08	134.21	121.48	-7.3%	-9.5%	80.00	160.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	201.63	192.22	192.00	-4.8%	-0.1%	160.00	240.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	122.52	106.67	107.74	-12.1%	1.0%	80.00	160.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	119.32	91.58	95.71	-19.8%	4.5%	60.00	120.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	150.11	137.22	140.00	-6.7%	2.0%	120.00	200.00
Gotukola	Bunch	33.76	37.33	36.15	7.1%	-3.2%	30.00	50.00
Kankun	Bunch	39.38	37.81	36.79	-6.6%	-2.7%	30.00	50.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	43.32	41.25	41.43	-4.4%	0.4%	30.00	50.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	45.07	45.00	45.00	-0.2%	0.0%	40.00	50.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	145.91	136.67	137.78	-5.6%	0.8%	120.00	160.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	197.47	166.29	167.22	-15.3%	0.6%	120.00	200.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	241.74	359.70	361.03	49.3%	0.4%	300.00	400.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	272.01	214.11	216.67	-20.3%	1.2%	160.00	300.00
Leeks	1 kg.	215.01	144.21	142.67	-33.6%	-1.1%	120.00	200.00
Limes	1 kg.	166.19	276.56	268.97	61.8%	-2.7%	200.00	400.00
Coconut - Average	Each	77.85	52.72	50.48	-35.2%	-4.3%	35.00	70.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	87.40	62.33	62.50	-28.5%	0.3%	60.00	70.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	76.85	53.33	49.05	-36.2%	-8.0%	40.00	60.00
Coconut (small)	Each	69.29	42.50	39.88	-42.4%	-6.2%	35.00	50.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	206.20	275.19	278.06	34.9%	1.0%	200.00	350.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	244.79	320.83	320.00	30.7%	-0.3%	300.00	350.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	167.60	229.55	236.11	40.9%	2.9%	200.00	250.00
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	445.38	497.27	508.33	14.1%	2.2%	400.00	700.00
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	524.92	554.55	566.67	8.0%	2.2%	500.00	700.00
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	365.83	440.00	450.00	23.0%	2.3%	400.00	500.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	146.85	169.17	164.71	12.2%	-2.6%	140.00	200.00
Imported	1 Kg	80.01	100.56	98.61	23.3%	-1.9%	80.00	120.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	290.08	266.29	255.00	-12.1%	-4.2%	230.00	300.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	38.92	37.81	36.79	-5.5%	-2.7%	30.00	50.00
Nivithi	500g	51.14	49.29	49.23	-3.7%	-0.1%	40.00	60.00
Sarana	Bunch	44.33	47.14	46.67	5.3%	-1.0%	40.00	60.00
Thampala	Bunch	42.92	45.38	45.00	4.9%	-0.8%	40.00	50.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	283.33	296.67	293.33	3.5%	-1.1%	280.00	320.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	202.07	142.70	146.48	-27.5%	2.6%	120.00	200.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	158.61	146.67	134.40	-15.3%	-8.4%	120.00	200.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	142.28	118.27	116.55	-18.1%	-1.5%	80.00	160.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	127.86	126.67	126.40	-1.1%	-0.2%	120.00	160.00
Carrot	1 kg.	150.16	151.28	151.81	1.1%	0.4%	120.00	200.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	648.79	490.74	370.00	-43.0%	-24.6%	300.00	500.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	171.39	157.39	158.42	-7.6%	0.7%	120.00	200.00
Raddish	1 kg.	108.56	127.27	128.70	18.5%	1.1%	120.00	160.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	98.96	106.35	103.73	4.8%	-2.5%	80.00	160.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	272.69	330.34	333.93	22.5%	1.1%	300.00	360.00
Corriander	1Kg.	323.47	367.50	375.38	16.0%	2.1%	300.00	800.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1525.69	1498.00	1489.41	-2.4%	-0.6%	1400.00	1800.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	660.24	656.00	645.45	-2.2%	-1.6%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	304.42	277.14	277.86	-8.7%	0.3%	200.00	300.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	799.89	840.32	850.00	6.3%	1.2%	800.00	900.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	582.74	612.50	623.08	6.9%	1.7%	500.00	800.00
Mustard	1Kg.	366.95	376.47	382.14	4.1%	1.5%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	351.87	363.64	376.79	7.1%	3.6%	300.00	400.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	2898.52	3156.25	3023.08	4.3%	-4.2%	2800.00	3600.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	670.30	638.33	615.22	-8.2%	-3.6%	500.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1583.55	1816.67	1818.18	14.8%	0.1%	1600.00	2000.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	61.90	61.23	61.57	-0.5%	0.6%	60.00	70.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	350.46	374.33	375.22	7.1%	0.2%	300.00	500.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	225.76	178.29	174.11	-22.9%	-2.3%	140.00	200.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	n.a.	110.00	102.86		-6.5%	100.00	120.00
Imported	1kg.	112.85	78.97	77.21	-31.6%	-2.2%	68.00	90.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	87.96	82.35	80.20	-8.8%	-2.6%	68.00	90.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	92.34	86.25	84.44	-8.5%	-2.1%	80.00	90.00
Raw Red - No 2.	1 Kg.	83.58	78.44	75.96	-9.1%	-3.2%	68.00	80.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	81.06	88.29	85.17	5.1%	-3.5%	75.00	95.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	101.00	97.12	93.81	-7.1%	-3.4%	80.00	110.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	91.74	93.25	90.56	-1.3%	-2.9%	86.00	100.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	104.66	110.19	109.33	4.5%	-0.8%	100.00	120.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	113.17	115.96	115.53	2.1%	-0.4%	110.00	120.00
Samba - No 2.	1 Kg.	96.16	104.43	103.14	7.3%	-1.2%	100.00	110.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	90.22	94.34	94.27	4.5%	-0.1%	86.00	100.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	148.31	151.18	151.99	2.5%	0.5%	116.00	200.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	188.17	190.38	191.11	1.6%	0.4%	180.00	200.00
Mysore Dhall - No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	135.02	137.29	137.86	2.1%	0.4%	130.00	140.00
Mysore Dhall - No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	121.75	125.86	127.00	4.3%	0.9%	116.00	130.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	296.99	274.32	272.69	-8.2%	-0.6%	240.00	320.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	248.35	265.08	264.09	6.3%	-0.4%	220.00	300.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	362.38	240.06	236.52	-34.7%	-1.5%	200.00	300.00
Sugar	1Kg.	109.12	105.15	105.60	-3.2%	0.4%	95.00	110.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	1044.86	1085.56	1013.75	-3.0%	-6.6%	900.00	1200.00
Mullet	1Kg.	923.48	823.33	836.25	-9.4%	1.6%	760.00	900.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	1110.11	1143.33	1115.86	0.5%	-2.4%	900.00	1200.00
Balaya	1Kg.	620.43	660.00	672.86	8.5%	1.9%	550.00	800.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	931.54	985.61	991.00	6.4%	0.5%	900.00	1200.00
Mora	1Kg.	749.11	770.00	787.00	5.1%	2.2%	700.00	900.00
Salaya	1Kg.	161.28	200.00	206.32	27.9%	3.2%	160.00	240.00
Parati	1Kg.	664.49	693.33	695.00	4.6%	0.2%	560.00	800.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	577.49	620.00	630.77	9.2%	1.7%	500.00	720.00
Hurulla	1Kg.	n.a.	384.55	377.86		-1.7%	320.00	440.00
Linna	1Kg.	n.a.	283.91	294.38		3.7%	200.00	360.00
Prawns	1Kg.	n.a.	988.00	1013.13		2.5%	900.00	1100.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1190.62	1290.00	1286.54	8.1%	-0.3%	1200.00	1400.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	704.68	757.58	760.71	8.0%	0.4%	600.00	800.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	584.06	601.67	600.63	2.8%	-0.2%	500.00	700.00
Beef	1Kg.	951.52	986.25	983.85	3.4%	-0.2%	950.00	1000.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1786.05	1795.83	1804.55	1.0%	0.5%	1800.00	1850.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	540.14	575.00	565.71	4.7%	-1.6%	500.00	620.00
Broiler	1Kg.	420.00	445.00	445.00	6.0%	0.0%	445.00	445.00
Pork	1Kg.	626.67	750.00	733.33	17.0%	-2.2%	700.00	800.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	14.24	20.42	20.17	41.6%	-1.2%	18.00	22.00
Egg - Red	Each	14.92	21.06	21.00	40.8%	-0.3%	19.00	22.00
Egg - White	Each	13.57	19.79	19.34	42.5%	-2.2%	18.00	20.00
Tin Fish	425g.	236.76	250.63	252.50	6.6%	0.7%	240.00	270.00
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.	590.00	590.00	590.00	0.0%	0.0%	590.00	590.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	580.00	580.00	580.00	0.0%	0.0%	580.00	580.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	120.75	96.18	95.91	-20.6%	-0.3%	80.00	120.00
Anamalu	1 Kg.	184.19	172.69	178.82	-2.9%	3.6%	150.00	200.00
Kolikuttu	1 Kg.	203.49	177.13	175.13	-13.9%	-1.1%	150.00	200.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	98.01	180.50	269.52	175.0%	49.3%	200.00	300.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	155.36	143.38	156.82	0.9%	9.4%	120.00	200.00
Bread	450g.	58.83	62.50	62.50	6.2%	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