

**OPEN MARKET WEEKLY AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES - 2nd Week of October 2019**

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		2018 Oct.	1st Week Oct.2019	2nd Week Oct.2019	2018 Oct.	1st Week Oct.2019		
Ash Plantain	1 kg.	147.19	155.03	156.45	6.3%	0.9%	120.00	200.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	135.83	142.86	137.14	1.0%	-4.0%	120.00	160.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	157.75	157.59	157.49	-0.2%	-0.1%	120.00	200.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	170.02	174.12	173.20	1.9%	-0.5%	120.00	240.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	228.43	246.13	289.87	26.9%	17.8%	240.00	320.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	119.85	116.15	115.00	-4.0%	-1.0%	80.00	160.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	118.88	140.00	156.47	31.6%	11.8%	120.00	200.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	182.47	189.94	207.70	13.8%	9.4%	120.00	240.00
Gotukola	Bunch	35.92	30.00	30.00	-16.5%	0.0%	20.00	40.00
Kankun	Bunch	37.58	37.92	38.18	1.6%	0.7%	30.00	40.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	40.97	44.62	45.00	9.8%	0.9%	40.00	50.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	43.13	48.33	48.33	12.1%	0.0%	40.00	50.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	161.94	167.59	172.31	6.4%	2.8%	120.00	240.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	177.50	205.42	190.21	7.2%	-7.4%	160.00	240.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	276.37	367.75	367.00	32.8%	-0.2%	300.00	400.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	229.13	253.33	285.61	24.6%	12.7%	200.00	320.00
Leeks	1 kg.	152.75	145.05	147.20	-3.6%	1.5%	120.00	200.00
Limes	1 kg.	645.66	495.53	484.85	-24.9%	-2.2%	400.00	600.00
Coconut - Average	Each	59.22	48.39	48.29	-18.4%	-0.2%	35.00	60.00
Coconut ( Large )	Each	69.92	55.00	56.36	-19.4%	2.5%	50.00	60.00
Coconut ( Medium)	Each	58.97	49.00	48.52	-17.7%	-1.0%	40.00	55.00
Coconut ( small)	Each	48.75	41.16	40.00	-18.0%	-2.8%	35.00	45.00
Betel Leaves ( Average )	100 leaves	311.72	235.91	235.56	-24.4%	-0.1%	150.00	350.00
Betel Leaves ( Medium)	100 leaves	344.53	281.82	285.00	-17.3%	1.1%	200.00	350.00
Betel Leaves ( Small)	100 leaves	278.91	190.00	186.11	-33.3%	-2.0%	150.00	250.00
Arecanuts ( Average )	100 Nuts	648.09	585.45	573.57	-11.5%	-2.0%	400.00	800.00
Arecanuts ( Medium )	100 Nuts	730.37	690.91	657.14	-10.0%	-4.9%	500.00	800.00
Arecanuts ( Small )	100 Nuts	565.80	480.00	490.00	-13.4%	2.1%	400.00	600.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	144.34	208.70	182.52	26.5%	-12.5%	160.00	240.00
Imported	1 Kg	106.74	138.64	133.16	24.8%	-4.0%	100.00	160.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	273.60	251.21	244.04	-10.8%	-2.9%	200.00	280.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	36.89	37.50	37.69	2.2%	0.5%	30.00	40.00
Nivithi	500g	48.42	52.45	53.00	9.5%	1.0%	40.00	60.00
Sarana	Bunch	43.26	52.40	55.00	27.1%	5.0%	50.00	60.00
Thampala	Bunch	47.69	47.00	47.00	-1.4%	0.0%	40.00	50.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	339.00	340.00	351.00	3.5%	3.2%	342.00	360.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	224.53	255.55	239.06	6.5%	-6.5%	200.00	320.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	175.87	190.80	189.36	7.7%	-0.8%	160.00	240.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	149.58	150.18	150.59	0.7%	0.3%	120.00	200.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	168.15	166.11	183.85	9.3%	10.7%	140.00	200.00
Carrot	1 kg.	216.09	158.05	174.86	-19.1%	10.6%	120.00	240.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	210.71	178.06	209.89	-0.4%	17.9%	140.00	300.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	159.65	161.48	161.00	0.8%	-0.3%	120.00	200.00
Raddish	1 kg.	141.84	137.06	149.64	5.5%	9.2%	120.00	200.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	125.34	162.49	185.06	47.7%	13.9%	140.00	200.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	316.86	444.14	441.43	39.3%	-0.6%	300.00	500.00
Corriander	1Kg.	331.17	366.56	362.96	9.6%	-1.0%	300.00	400.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1517.32	1376.00	1357.89	-10.5%	-1.3%	1200.00	1600.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	653.10	673.91	657.89	0.7%	-2.4%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	230.46	397.42	394.64	71.2%	-0.7%	350.00	500.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	826.88	875.00	864.29	4.5%	-1.2%	800.00	1000.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	586.90	613.79	640.91	9.2%	4.4%	500.00	800.00
Mustard	1Kg.	369.26	378.79	377.78	2.3%	-0.3%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	362.47	368.18	371.15	2.4%	0.8%	300.00	400.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	3175.98	3285.00	3200.00	0.8%	-2.6%	2600.00	4000.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	635.00	553.13	570.37	-10.2%	3.1%	400.00	700.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1801.53	1778.13	1839.29	2.1%	3.4%	1600.00	2000.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	62.14	58.75	61.18	-1.6%	4.1%	60.00	70.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	331.09	375.93	373.60	12.8%	-0.6%	300.00	500.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	149.12	220.36	256.90	72.3%	16.6%	200.00	320.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	124.19	306.25	282.78	127.7%	-7.7%	240.00	320.00
Imported	1kg.	107.00	279.94	232.86	117.6%	-16.8%	200.00	260.00

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Raw Red - ( Average )	1 Kg.	80.22	82.14	86.46	7.8%	5.3%	71.00	95.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	84.65	84.43	90.09	6.4%	6.7%	85.00	95.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	75.78	79.85	82.83	9.3%	3.7%	71.00	88.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	84.17	90.37	90.72	7.8%	0.4%	80.00	95.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	96.63	95.79	96.40	-0.2%	0.6%	74.00	100.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	89.30	95.27	95.48	6.9%	0.2%	87.00	100.00
Samba - ( Average )	1 Kg.	111.51	96.43	95.69	-14.2%	-0.8%	85.00	110.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	115.71	101.37	100.63	-13.0%	-0.7%	94.00	110.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	107.31	91.50	90.75	-15.4%	-0.8%	85.00	95.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	95.42	93.42	93.00	-2.5%	-0.4%	87.00	100.00
Mysore Dhall - ( Average )	1 Kg.	144.50	146.01	144.45	0.0%	-1.1%	110.00	200.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	184.61	177.78	175.00	-5.2%	-1.6%	160.00	200.00
No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	130.68	136.67	136.15	4.2%	-0.4%	130.00	140.00
No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	118.21	123.57	122.21	3.4%	-1.1%	110.00	130.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	273.01	290.05	291.10	6.6%	0.4%	240.00	320.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	252.51	274.10	273.89	8.5%	-0.1%	235.00	320.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	253.48	228.69	227.68	-10.2%	-0.4%	160.00	300.00
Sugar	1Kg.	110.63	107.00	106.90	-3.4%	-0.1%	99.00	110.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	1048.19	1164.00	1103.08	5.2%	-5.2%	1000.00	1300.00
Mullet	1Kg.	849.56	953.75	869.09	2.3%	-8.9%	800.00	1000.00
Thalapatth	1Kg.	1119.41	1240.71	1229.17	9.8%	-0.9%	1000.00	1400.00
Balaya	1Kg.	588.35	713.64	720.91	22.5%	1.0%	520.00	880.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	906.94	1109.74	1080.50	19.1%	-2.6%	850.00	1200.00
Mora	1Kg.	798.32	928.57	876.36	9.8%	-5.6%	720.00	1000.00
Salaya	1Kg.	205.65	257.00	237.78	15.6%	-7.5%	200.00	300.00
Parati	1Kg.	624.29	834.29	766.24	22.7%	-8.2%	640.00	1000.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	552.63	774.17	705.42	27.6%	-8.9%	560.00	900.00
Hurulla	1Kg.	n.a.	507.73	500.00		-1.5%	400.00	600.00
Linna	1Kg.	n.a.	405.13	365.50		-9.8%	290.00	460.00
Prawns	1Kg.	n.a.	1293.33	1307.65		1.1%	1000.00	1400.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1317.46	1492.86	1458.62	10.7%	-2.3%	1200.00	1700.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	723.51	735.88	741.38	2.5%	0.7%	600.00	900.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	614.27	592.99	600.00	-2.3%	1.2%	400.00	800.00
Beef	1Kg.	968.79	1008.50	1007.33	4.0%	-0.1%	950.00	1100.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1815.74	1842.86	1840.91	1.4%	-0.1%	1800.00	1900.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	555.93	590.59	575.00	3.4%	-2.6%	500.00	650.00
Broiler	1Kg.	441.93	450.00	450.00	1.8%	0.0%	450.00	450.00
Pork	1Kg.	705.83	813.33	843.33	19.5%	3.7%	800.00	880.00
Egg - ( Average )	Each	14.73	20.14	20.59	39.8%	2.2%	19.00	22.00
Egg - Red	Each	15.23	20.69	21.09	38.5%	1.9%	20.00	22.00
White	Each	14.23	19.60	20.09	41.2%	2.5%	19.00	21.00
Tin Fish	425g.	269.69	236.85	222.86	-17.4%	-5.9%	200.00	260.00
Lakspray	400g.	345.00	395.00	395.00	14.5%	0.0%	395.00	395.00
Anchor	400g.	345.00	395.00	395.00	14.5%	0.0%	395.00	395.00
Highland	400g.	295.00	345.00	345.00	16.9%	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.	106.42	135.73	124.15	16.7%	-8.5%	100.00	160.00
Anamalu	1 Kg.	179.99	182.80	186.36	3.5%	1.9%	160.00	200.00
Kolikuttu	1 Kg.	217.28	231.79	230.38	6.0%	-0.6%	200.00	260.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	140.57	131.83	103.12	-26.6%	-21.8%	80.00	140.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	164.44	189.20	193.78	17.8%	2.4%	160.00	220.00
Bread	450g.	62.57	63.13	63.13	0.9%	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