

OPEN MARKET WEEKLY AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES - 4th Week of March 2020

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		2019 Mar.	3rd Week Mar.2020	4th Week Mar.2020	2019 Mar.	3rd Week Mar.2020
Ash Plantain	1 kg.	139.56	151.63	151.63	8.6%	0.0%
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	135.13	124.12	124.12	-8.1%	0.0%
Bandakka	1 kg.	141.29	129.20	129.20	-8.6%	0.0%
Brinjal	1 kg.	134.94	156.59	140.93	4.4%	-10.0%
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	189.25	198.05	198.05	4.7%	0.0%
Cucumber	1 kg.	106.50	98.07	98.07	-7.9%	0.0%
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	92.23	130.02	169.02	83.3%	30.0%
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	145.44	160.62	164.28	13.0%	2.3%
Gotukola	Bunch	27.25	30.60	30.47	11.8%	-0.4%
Kankun	Bunch	36.64	45.83	45.89	25.2%	0.1%
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	40.71	51.81	51.26	25.9%	-1.1%
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	39.22	49.42	50.46	28.7%	2.1%
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	142.76	149.52	146.85	2.9%	-1.8%
Vetakolu	1 kg.	157.17	165.47	165.47	5.3%	0.0%
Green Chillies	1 kg.	356.86	259.79	264.99	-25.7%	2.0%
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	205.41	253.67	246.65	20.1%	-2.8%
Leeks	1 kg.	138.19	194.67	199.32	44.2%	2.4%
Limes	1 kg.	234.73	180.13	216.15	-7.9%	20.0%
Coconut - Average	Each	50.39	69.00	81.70	62.1%	18.4%
Coconut (Large)	Each	58.37	76.57	92.10	57.8%	20.3%
Coconut (Medium)	Each	50.54	69.77	80.05	58.4%	14.7%
Coconut (small)	Each	42.25	60.64	72.94	72.6%	20.3%
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	316.86	435.17	417.42	31.7%	-4.1%
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	370.73	475.84	467.41	26.1%	-1.8%
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	262.99	394.50	367.42	39.7%	-6.9%
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	447.05	498.96	475.01	6.3%	-4.8%
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	521.59	582.70	556.42	6.7%	-4.5%
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	372.50	415.22	393.60	5.7%	-5.2%
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	156.74	187.93	190.20	21.3%	1.2%
Imported	1 Kg	109.17	116.86	152.19	39.4%	30.2%
Coconut Oil	750 ml	263.60	319.70	319.70	21.3%	0.0%
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	36.67	44.84	44.88	22.4%	0.1%
Nivithi	500g	50.25	60.23	60.00	19.4%	-0.4%
Sarana	Bunch	46.73	55.39	55.23	18.2%	-0.3%
Thampala	Bunch	45.77	64.02	64.05	39.9%	0.0%
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	253.33	217.32	222.50	-12.2%	2.4%
Beans - Green	1 kg.	143.75	156.22	249.95	73.9%	60.0%
Long Beans	1 kg.	140.95	158.72	158.72	12.6%	0.0%
BeetRoot	1 kg.	125.79	148.19	151.15	20.2%	2.0%
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	122.85	169.69	173.09	40.9%	2.0%
Carrot	1 kg.	146.08	193.11	220.00	50.6%	13.9%
Drumstick	1 kg.	378.97	448.89	448.89	18.4%	0.0%
Knol Khol	1 kg.	156.62	167.64	171.64	9.6%	2.4%
Raddish	1 kg.	127.93	122.05	124.96	-2.3%	2.4%
Tomatoo - No 1.	1 kg.	105.20	163.46	196.15	86.5%	20.0%

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Dried Chillies	1Kg.	331.47	573.55	573.55	73.0%	0.0%
Corriander	1Kg.	371.93	376.80	385.72	3.7%	2.4%
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1527.44	1394.23	1396.50	-8.6%	0.2%
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	659.89	1080.58	1066.59	61.6%	-1.3%
Garlic	1Kg.	345.06	555.51	549.11	59.1%	-1.2%
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	844.65	888.16	889.98	5.4%	0.2%
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	619.33	603.78	613.09	-1.0%	1.5%
Mustard	1Kg.	376.93	380.39	377.17	0.1%	-0.8%
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	373.60	358.51	356.91	-4.5%	-0.4%
Cinnamon	1Kg.	3142.19	3115.10	3170.51	0.9%	1.8%
Gorakka	1Kg.	630.43	582.97	593.90	-5.8%	1.9%
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1814.71	1762.84	1779.29	-2.0%	0.9%
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	61.55	61.47	62.97	2.3%	2.4%
Tamarind	1Kg.	383.53	390.91	401.99	4.8%	2.8%
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	155.97	380.43	400.64	156.9%	5.3%
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.		
Imported	1kg.	78.41	214.96	175.88	124.3%	-18.2%

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	79.77	96.77	96.16	20.6%	-0.6%
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	84.22	102.09	101.30	20.3%	-0.8%
No 2.	1 Kg.	75.31	91.45	91.02	20.9%	-0.5%
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	84.12	97.78	97.30	15.7%	-0.5%
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	93.37	103.22	103.22	10.5%	0.0%
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	88.93	98.23	98.23	10.5%	0.0%
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	108.40	100.81	101.62	-6.3%	0.8%
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	115.05	104.94	105.00	-8.7%	0.1%
No 2.	1 Kg.	101.75	96.68	98.24	-3.4%	1.6%
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	94.33	91.10	91.07	-3.5%	0.0%
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	149.81	153.18	131.49	-12.2%	-14.2%
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	190.02	182.67	182.16	-4.1%	-0.3%
No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	134.52	144.43	147.30	9.5%	2.0%
No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	124.90	132.44	65.00	-48.0%	-50.9%
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	274.53	308.89	307.78	12.1%	-0.4%
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	263.12	299.21	298.32	13.4%	-0.3%
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	239.57	238.99	242.78	1.3%	1.6%
Sugar	1Kg.	104.57	108.38	108.38	3.6%	0.0%
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	998.24	1159.97	1091.73	9.4%	-5.9%
Mullet	1Kg.	829.82	1082.51	1018.83	22.8%	-5.9%
Thalapath	1Kg.	1094.09	1147.12	1079.64	-1.3%	-5.9%
Balaya	1Kg.	604.25	643.55	605.69	0.2%	-5.9%
Kelewella	1Kg.	881.70	830.42	830.42	-5.8%	0.0%
Mora	1Kg.	785.00	947.87	892.11	13.6%	-5.9%
Salaya	1Kg.	196.89	268.10	290.71	47.6%	8.4%
Parati	1Kg.	706.18	772.36	772.36	9.4%	0.0%
Small Mullet	1Kg.	615.75	709.86	709.86	15.3%	0.0%
Hurulla	1Kg.	365.40	657.33	657.33	79.9%	0.0%
Linna	1Kg.	300.68	445.22	435.75	44.9%	-2.1%
Prawns	1Kg.	984.63	1315.26	1315.26	33.6%	0.0%
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1313.63	1483.10	1483.10	12.9%	0.0%
Spratts	1 Kg.	748.12	768.47	768.47	2.7%	0.0%
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	613.79	666.50	666.16	8.5%	-0.1%
Beef	1Kg.	979.11	1002.83	1004.45	2.6%	0.2%
Mutton	1Kg.	1797.22	1852.21	1860.05	3.5%	0.4%
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	574.52	517.36	525.16	-8.6%	1.5%
Broiler	1Kg.	445.00	429.96	429.97	-3.4%	0.0%
Pork	1Kg.	747.50	827.87	829.91	11.0%	0.2%
Egg - (Average)	Each	18.69	20.33	16.76	-10.4%	-17.6%
Egg - Red	Each	19.34	21.01	17.32	-10.4%	-17.6%
White	Each	18.05	19.64	16.19	-10.3%	-17.6%
Tin Fish	425g.	251.96	279.05	166.93	-33.7%	-40.2%
Lakspray	400g.	345.00	380.00	380.00	10.1%	0.0%
Anchor	400g.	345.00	380.00	380.00	10.1%	0.0%
Highland	400g.	295.00	345.00	345.00	16.9%	0.0%
Lactogen - II	400g.	590.00	590.00	590.00	0.0%	0.0%
Lactogen - I	400g.	580.00	580.00	580.00	0.0%	0.0%
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	92.78	106.59	106.59	14.9%	0.0%
Anamalu	1 Kg.	174.96	192.90	204.12	16.7%	5.8%
Kolikuttu	1 Kg.	177.76	212.12	223.69	25.8%	5.5%
Papaw	1 Kg.	187.15	157.91	144.75	-22.7%	-8.3%
Pineapple	1 Kg.	172.71	153.72	150.36	-12.9%	-2.2%
Bread	450g.	62.40	57.50	57.50	-7.9%	0.0%

Source - Department of Census & Statistics

n.a. - not available

imputed prices using alternative data sources(March 3rd week to May 2nd week)