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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	156.74	181.62	180.01	14.8%	-0.9%	120.00	240.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	143.58	144.00	146.67	2.1%	1.9%	120.00	160.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	156.27	154.72	157.75	0.9%	2.0%	110.00	240.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	172.86	172.37	159.44	-7.8%	-7.5%	120.00	240.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	253.47	265.31	290.83	14.7%	9.6%	240.00	320.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	124.53	125.47	124.50	0.0%	-0.8%	80.00	160.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	132.92	204.52	210.29	58.2%	2.8%	160.00	240.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	179.57	190.32	205.45	14.4%	8.0%	160.00	240.00
Gotukola	Bunch	29.38	34.71	34.17	16.3%	-1.6%	10.00	60.00
Kankun	Bunch	38.01	43.17	43.33	14.0%	0.4%	30.00	50.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	44.70	49.23	48.18	7.8%	-2.1%	40.00	60.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	47.79	48.57	50.00	4.6%	2.9%	40.00	60.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	160.13	174.67	173.13	8.1%	-0.9%	100.00	240.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	196.63	208.91	229.10	16.5%	9.7%	160.00	320.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	367.38	346.94	330.59	-10.0%	-4.7%	200.00	500.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	241.47	414.12	449.71	86.2%	8.6%	320.00	600.00
Leeks	1 kg.	146.38	148.95	148.95	1.8%	0.0%	80.00	240.00
Limes	1 kg.	502.63	252.37	223.53	-55.5%	-11.4%	120.00	300.00
Coconut - Average	Each	48.53	78.20	79.57	64.0%	1.8%	55.00	100.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	56.24	86.17	88.70	57.7%	2.9%	75.00	100.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	48.47	79.00	79.80	64.6%	1.0%	65.00	85.00
Coconut (small)	Each	40.88	69.44	70.23	71.8%	1.1%	55.00	80.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	248.57	241.56	233.41	-6.1%	-3.4%	150.00	400.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	292.29	292.50	281.82	-3.6%	-3.7%	200.00	400.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	204.85	190.63	185.00	-9.7%	-3.0%	150.00	250.00
Areanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	586.61	2990.91	2809.09	378.9%	-6.1%	2400.00	3500.00
Areanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	662.75	2981.82	2809.09	323.9%	-5.8%	2400.00	3500.00
Areanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	510.47	3000.00	n.a.				
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	219.10	211.14	192.73	-12.0%	-8.7%	160.00	240.00
Imported	1 Kg	143.09	148.50	147.50	3.1%	-0.7%	120.00	180.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	247.59	326.00	327.06	32.1%	0.3%	280.00	380.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	37.88	44.43	44.17	16.6%	-0.6%	40.00	50.00
Nivithi	500g	52.97	75.45	77.00	45.4%	2.0%	60.00	100.00
Sarana	Bunch	49.53	52.22	55.71	12.5%	6.7%	40.00	80.00
Thampala	Bunch	47.48	60.00	60.00	26.4%	0.0%	40.00	80.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	306.09	340.00	n.a.				
Beans - Green	1 kg.	263.91	277.94	295.75	12.1%	6.4%	200.00	400.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	178.22	198.75	221.67	24.4%	11.5%	160.00	240.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	149.88	178.06	174.00	16.1%	-2.3%	120.00	240.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	139.69	204.24	196.32	40.5%	-3.9%	160.00	320.00
Carrot	1 kg.	156.87	192.78	193.21	23.2%	0.2%	140.00	240.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	170.47	375.00	375.00	120.0%	0.0%	240.00	500.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	161.88	192.31	195.71	20.9%	1.8%	120.00	240.00
Raddish	1 kg.	141.82	151.19	163.93	15.6%	8.4%	120.00	200.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	153.64	174.72	198.24	29.0%	13.5%	160.00	240.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	409.50	525.31	540.30	31.9%	2.9%	440.00	800.00
Corriander	1Kg.	358.85	413.03	409.70	14.2%	-0.8%	280.00	500.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1361.08	1272.00	1291.67	-5.1%	1.5%	1000.00	1600.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	657.31	n.a.	n.a.				
Garlic	1Kg.	407.65	308.57	305.88	-25.0%	-0.9%	240.00	400.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	872.89	941.94	931.67	6.7%	-1.1%	800.00	1400.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	626.21	660.61	670.69	7.1%	1.5%	450.00	1000.00
Mustard	1Kg.	377.31	418.06	418.57	10.9%	0.1%	300.00	600.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	368.67	408.33	392.86	6.6%	-3.8%	300.00	500.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	3239.85	3473.91	3305.88	2.0%	-4.8%	2600.00	4500.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	557.93	588.57	567.19	1.7%	-3.6%	400.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1811.83	1869.23	1876.19	3.6%	0.4%	1500.00	2200.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	60.93	60.00	60.00	-1.5%	0.0%	60.00	60.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	369.93	446.88	464.29	25.5%	3.9%	300.00	600.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	157.35	210.91	223.94	42.3%	6.2%	180.00	300.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	193.71	158.95	161.76	-16.5%	1.8%	130.00	180.00
Imported	1kg.	146.05	155.32	172.00	17.8%	10.7%	140.00	200.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	82.07	97.57	97.50	18.8%	-0.1%	91.00	105.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	86.11	101.33	100.71	17.0%	-0.6%	100.00	105.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	78.02	93.81	94.29	20.8%	0.5%	91.00	98.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	88.09	96.86	96.69	9.8%	-0.2%	93.00	105.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	93.33	105.46	106.74	14.4%	1.2%	96.00	130.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	92.83	99.84	99.29	7.0%	-0.6%	85.00	100.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	94.94	103.88	105.25	10.9%	1.3%	98.00	120.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	99.48	109.50	112.50	13.1%	2.7%	105.00	120.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	90.39	98.25	98.00	8.4%	-0.3%	98.00	98.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	94.42	92.81	92.63	-1.9%	-0.2%	85.00	100.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	145.41	165.95	168.31	15.7%	1.4%	140.00	220.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	178.48	188.13	191.67	7.4%	1.9%	180.00	220.00
No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	135.90	162.93	163.93	20.6%	0.6%	160.00	180.00
No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	121.85	146.80	149.33	22.6%	1.7%	140.00	160.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	288.78	404.29	409.82	41.9%	1.4%	310.00	480.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	281.23	344.53	340.79	21.2%	-1.1%	275.00	400.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	223.25	228.30	218.75	-2.0%	-4.2%	145.00	360.00
Sugar	1Kg.	107.00	135.57	135.23	26.4%	-0.3%	125.00	145.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	1180.03	1268.73	1305.00	10.6%	2.9%	1180.00	1500.00
Mullet	1Kg.	977.63	1126.67	1216.67	24.5%	8.0%	700.00	1400.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	1260.56	1277.31	1293.46	2.6%	1.3%	1000.00	1500.00
Balaya	1Kg.	760.33	750.00	748.57	-1.5%	-0.2%	500.00	880.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	1146.66	1106.84	1135.16	-1.0%	2.6%	850.00	1320.00
Mora	1Kg.	919.33	962.86	993.33	8.0%	3.2%	880.00	1300.00
Salaya	1Kg.	295.00	283.30	250.43	-15.1%	-11.6%	190.00	400.00
Parati	1Kg.	867.97	887.50	864.44	-0.4%	-2.6%	700.00	1000.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	799.91	822.86	751.50	-6.1%	-8.7%	600.00	890.00
Hurulla	1Kg.	520.85	503.29	486.75	-6.5%	-3.3%	400.00	644.00
Linna	1Kg.	431.95	400.00	376.42	-12.9%	-5.9%	280.00	500.00
Prawns	1Kg.	1317.65	1324.44	1345.00	2.1%	1.6%	1240.00	1500.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1474.36	1500.00	1494.12	1.3%	-0.4%	1200.00	1700.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	766.21	691.79	687.63	-10.3%	-0.6%	500.00	900.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	635.92	640.00	651.79	2.5%	1.8%	500.00	800.00
Beef	1Kg.	1005.82	1030.56	1025.00	1.9%	-0.5%	1000.00	1200.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1850.16	1885.71	1896.15	2.5%	0.6%	1800.00	2000.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	585.66	623.89	625.24	6.8%	0.2%	550.00	690.00
Broiler	1Kg.	450.00	457.50	430.00	-4.4%	-6.0%	430.00	430.00
Pork	1Kg.	830.00	860.00	850.00	2.4%	-1.2%	800.00	900.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	20.20	21.56	19.20	-4.9%	-10.9%	17.00	23.00
Egg - Red	Each	20.72	21.95	19.31	-6.8%	-12.0%	18.00	23.00
White	Each	19.67	21.17	19.10	-2.9%	-9.8%	17.00	22.00
Tin Fish	425g.	236.60	293.10	295.77	25.0%	0.9%	240.00	320.00
Lakspray	400g.	370.00	380.00	380.00	2.7%	0.0%	380.00	380.00
Anchor	400g.	370.00	380.00	380.00	2.7%	0.0%	380.00	380.00
Highland	400g.	345.00	380.00	380.00	10.1%	0.0%	380.00	380.00
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.	137.07	155.00	157.41	14.8%	1.6%	130.00	180.00
Anamalu	1 Kg.	186.54	207.62	211.43	13.3%	1.8%	180.00	250.00
Kolikuttu	1 Kg.	253.44	280.83	294.81	16.3%	5.0%	250.00	350.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	138.88	154.29	154.93	11.6%	0.4%	120.00	220.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	186.93	191.20	190.83	2.1%	-0.2%	140.00	300.00
Bread	450g.	63.13	57.50	57.50	-8.9%	0.0%	55.00	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