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		2020 Jul.	4th Week June.2021	1st Week Jul.2021	2020 Jul.	4th Week June.2021		
Ash Plantain	1 kg.	160.45	137.42	131.27	-18.2%	-4.5%	80.00	200.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	128.69	148.33	160.00	24.3%	7.9%	120.00	200.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	149.11	200.60	183.27	22.9%	-8.6%	120.00	280.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	160.98	242.22	191.90	19.2%	-20.8%	140.00	280.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	218.41	337.50	274.29	25.6%	-18.7%	200.00	400.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	119.29	151.75	162.73	36.4%	7.2%	120.00	200.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	115.59	134.22	165.45	43.1%	23.3%	120.00	240.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	170.04	256.47	231.36	36.1%	-9.8%	180.00	320.00
Gotukola	Bunch	37.44	33.50	33.50	-10.5%	0.0%	20.00	60.00
Kankun	Bunch	43.06	46.67	46.67	8.4%	0.0%	30.00	50.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	49.11	52.22	52.22	6.3%	0.0%	40.00	60.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	48.36	53.75	53.75	11.1%	0.0%	50.00	60.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	169.39	190.00	163.81	-3.3%	-13.8%	120.00	240.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	168.55	241.75	188.56	11.9%	-22.0%	120.00	280.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	398.89	435.60	410.95	3.0%	-5.7%	300.00	600.00
Capsicum	1 kg.	317.61	410.35	354.82	11.7%	-13.5%	280.00	512.00
Leeks	1 kg.	160.80	258.50	228.50	42.1%	-11.6%	200.00	330.00
Limes	1 kg.	536.17	364.00	348.80	-34.9%	-4.2%	300.00	400.00
Coconut - Average	Each	66.56	83.40	78.14	17.4%	-6.3%	60.00	100.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	74.81	91.88	88.08	17.7%	-4.1%	80.00	100.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	67.21	85.00	79.06	17.6%	-7.0%	70.00	90.00
Coconut (small)	Each	57.67	73.33	67.27	16.7%	-8.3%	60.00	75.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	227.42	253.75	251.79	10.7%	-0.8%	100.00	500.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	280.83	307.50	300.00	6.8%	-2.4%	150.00	500.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	174.00	200.00	203.57	17.0%	1.8%	100.00	300.00
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	941.46	937.30	1069.44	13.6%	14.1%	500.00	1500.00
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	1132.11	1088.89	1255.56	10.9%	15.3%	1000.00	1500.00
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	750.81	785.71	883.33	17.7%	12.4%	500.00	1300.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	244.66	215.00	206.67	-15.5%	-3.9%	150.00	240.00
Imported	1 Kg	181.72	160.71	160.56	-11.6%	-0.1%	130.00	220.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	367.20	538.08	480.56	30.9%	-10.7%	400.00	580.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	42.86	46.25	46.25	7.9%	0.0%	30.00	50.00
Nivithi	500g	70.45	76.10	76.10	8.0%	0.0%	40.00	80.00
Sarana	Bunch	54.41	57.14	57.14	5.0%	0.0%	50.00	60.00
Thampala	Bunch	60.94	62.86	62.86	3.2%	0.0%	50.00	80.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	312.26	370.00	240.33	-23.0%	-35.0%	200.00	282.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	207.42	332.67	227.50	9.7%	-31.6%	160.00	280.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	166.42	218.93	213.18	28.1%	-2.6%	140.00	280.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	178.36	241.76	188.18	5.5%	-22.2%	120.00	240.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	174.10	246.63	209.55	20.4%	-15.0%	160.00	280.00
Carrot	1 kg.	185.76	250.56	209.52	12.8%	-16.4%	160.00	240.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	224.62	635.00	460.00	104.8%	-27.6%	320.00	700.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	191.41	228.75	191.76	0.2%	-16.2%	120.00	280.00
Raddish	1 kg.	147.94	205.22	169.77	14.8%	-17.3%	120.00	240.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	162.99	214.21	149.05	-8.6%	-30.4%	110.00	240.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	554.83	620.00	627.80	13.2%	1.3%	540.00	800.00
Corriander	1Kg.	424.59	421.43	445.63	5.0%	5.7%	400.00	500.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1372.09	1344.44	1373.08	0.1%	2.1%	1200.00	1650.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	2910.00	2625.00	2860.00	-1.7%	9.0%	2500.00	3000.00
Garlic	1Kg.	309.60	526.00	493.13	59.3%	-6.3%	400.00	640.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	906.58	888.46	923.53	1.9%	3.9%	800.00	1200.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	683.93	721.05	742.86	8.6%	3.0%	600.00	1100.00
Mustard	1Kg.	428.99	412.50	421.88	-1.7%	2.3%	300.00	500.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	408.87	459.09	460.00	12.5%	0.2%	400.00	700.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	3363.47	3913.33	3818.18	13.5%	-2.4%	2800.00	5000.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	587.70	643.75	643.75	9.5%	0.0%	500.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1928.04	2050.00	2033.33	5.5%	-0.8%	2000.00	2100.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	60.20	60.00	60.00	-0.3%	0.0%	60.00	60.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	418.64	600.00	570.83	36.4%	-4.9%	400.00	750.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	257.47	364.79	361.54	40.4%	-0.9%	280.00	400.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.							
Imported	1kg.	90.86	119.21	119.42	31.4%	0.2%	95.00	140.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	98.31	103.00	101.77	3.5%	-1.2%	93.00	120.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	101.18	110.33	109.78	8.5%	-0.5%	100.00	120.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	95.44	95.67	93.75	-1.8%	-2.0%	93.00	96.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	97.89	115.76	114.35	16.8%	-1.2%	93.00	130.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	107.80	123.73	121.07	12.3%	-2.1%	96.00	150.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	100.62	123.52	121.45	20.7%	-1.7%	96.00	135.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	103.68	156.47	153.68	48.2%	-1.8%	140.00	170.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	107.88	156.47	153.68	42.5%	-1.8%	140.00	170.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	99.48	n.a	n.a				
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	93.85	94.29	95.70	2.0%	1.5%	87.00	110.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	168.49	224.67	222.65	32.1%	-0.9%	189.00	260.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	191.68	251.00	249.17	30.0%	-0.7%	230.00	260.00
No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	165.22	219.21	217.39	31.6%	-0.8%	200.00	240.00
No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	148.57	203.80	201.40	35.6%	-1.2%	189.00	210.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	391.53	693.75	713.13	82.1%	2.8%	600.00	800.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg	348.43	914.17	902.50	159.0%	-1.3%	800.00	1000.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg	250.65	316.13	303.13	20.9%	-4.1%	249.00	380.00
Sugar	1Kg.	135.56	119.60	127.13	-6.2%	6.3%	101.00	140.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	1273.98	1268.75	1261.25	-1.0%	-0.6%	1140.00	1400.00
Mullet	1Kg.	1258.33	1235.00	1135.00	-9.8%	-8.1%	960.00	1260.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	1341.08	1336.00	1373.33	2.4%	2.8%	1150.00	1610.00
Balaya	1Kg.	745.17	0.00	700.00	-6.1%		500.00	800.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	1077.47	1230.00	1207.14	12.0%	-1.9%	1080.00	1300.00
Mora	1Kg.	1155.00	1153.33	1132.00	-2.0%	-1.8%	980.00	1400.00
Salaya	1Kg.	362.59	368.75	343.33	-5.3%	-6.9%	280.00	400.00
Parati	1Kg.	920.77	983.33	835.00	-9.3%	-15.1%	720.00	1120.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	864.27	805.00	765.00	-11.5%	-5.0%	600.00	900.00
Hurulla	1Kg.	708.25	710.00	618.75	-12.6%	-12.9%	520.00	800.00
Linna	1Kg.	525.65	542.73	496.00	-5.6%	-8.6%	400.00	600.00
Prawns	1Kg.	1307.81	1212.50	1100.00	-15.9%	-9.3%	1000.00	1300.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1521.72	1644.44	1650.00	8.4%	0.3%	1400.00	2000.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	711.82	780.59	847.06	19.0%	8.5%	720.00	900.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	611.53	792.86	720.00	17.7%	-9.2%	600.00	1000.00
Beef	1Kg.	1033.33	1121.88	1122.22	8.6%	0.0%	1000.00	1200.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1886.81	1934.62	1944.44	3.1%	0.5%	1800.00	2200.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	623.81	673.75	660.00	5.8%	-2.0%	620.00	700.00
Broiler	1Kg.	430.00	462.50	456.00	6.0%	-1.4%	430.00	480.00
Pork	1Kg.	858.33	975.00	975.00	13.6%	0.0%	950.00	1000.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	20.88	19.06	19.72	-5.6%	3.4%	17.00	22.00
Egg - Red	Each	21.45	19.25	20.50	-4.4%	6.5%	19.00	22.00
White	Each	20.31	18.88	18.93	-6.8%	0.3%	17.00	20.00
Tin Fish	425g.	286.47	321.00	334.00	16.6%	4.0%	260.00	370.00
Lakspray	400g.	380.00	380.00	380.00	0.0%	0.0%	380.00	380.00
Anchor	400g.	380.00	380.00	380.00	0.0%	0.0%	380.00	380.00
Highland	400g.	380.00	380.00	380.00	0.0%	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.	141.29	99.00	100.17	-29.1%	1.2%	80.00	120.00
Anamalu	1 Kg.	192.44	181.25	187.86	-2.4%	3.6%	140.00	220.00
Kolikuttu	1 Kg.	257.89	193.00	192.00	-25.5%	-0.5%	150.00	240.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	108.45	107.33	143.08	31.9%	33.3%	120.00	160.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	176.96	125.60	130.93	-26.0%	4.2%	100.00	180.00
Bread	450g.	57.50	57.50	57.50	0.0%	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 & NARAHENPITA

* Due to the prevailing Covid 19 situation in the Colombo District, data collection was done over the phone.