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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	128.03	259.35	259.87	103.0%	0.2%	180.00	320.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	141.67	230.17	227.50	60.6%	-1.2%	140.00	320.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	151.65	275.00	302.96	99.8%	10.2%	160.00	480.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	239.08	412.50	415.38	73.7%	0.7%	240.00	600.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	227.04	464.21	484.76	113.5%	4.4%	320.00	640.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	100.33	217.50	234.40	133.6%	7.8%	160.00	320.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	153.27	270.83	268.15	74.9%	-1.0%	200.00	320.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	205.46	422.46	427.52	108.1%	1.2%	320.00	600.00
Gotukola	Bunch	33.50	61.43	61.43	83.4%	0.0%	30.00	80.00
Kankun	Bunch	46.67	72.50	72.50	55.4%	0.0%	50.00	80.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	52.22	73.13	73.13	40.0%	0.0%	50.00	80.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	55.00	71.67	71.67	30.3%	0.0%	40.00	80.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	156.10	249.17	254.17	62.8%	2.0%	120.00	400.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	178.93	358.25	390.90	118.5%	9.1%	240.00	600.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	327.45	557.00	529.60	61.7%	-4.9%	300.00	800.00
Capsicum	1 kg.	282.33	849.09	853.33	202.2%	0.5%	600.00	1000.00
Leeks	1 kg.	229.13	324.29	380.00	65.8%	17.2%	280.00	480.00
Limes	1 kg.	361.14	457.39	494.62	37.0%	8.1%	300.00	800.00
Coconut - Average	Each	78.36	93.71	95.29	21.6%	1.7%	80.00	120.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	89.00	105.45	106.00	19.1%	0.5%	100.00	120.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	78.68	92.67	94.47	20.1%	1.9%	85.00	110.00
Coconut (small)	Each	67.39	83.00	85.42	26.7%	2.9%	80.00	100.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	277.32	624.70	568.75	105.1%	-9.0%	300.00	875.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	337.68	733.33	675.00	99.9%	-8.0%	500.00	875.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	216.96	516.07	462.50	113.2%	-10.4%	300.00	625.00
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	1433.72	1226.25	1075.00	-25.0%	-12.3%	600.00	2000.00
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	1615.00	1512.50	1350.00	-16.4%	-10.7%	1000.00	2000.00
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	1252.43	940.00	800.00	-36.1%	-14.9%	600.00	1200.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	223.94	471.54	468.63	109.3%	-0.6%	380.00	560.00
Imported	1 Kg	149.44	273.75	293.75	96.6%	7.3%	220.00	320.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	444.08	515.00	516.25	16.3%	0.2%	450.00	680.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	46.25	70.00	70.00	51.4%	0.0%	50.00	80.00
Nivithi	500g	76.10	127.22	127.22	67.2%	0.0%	60.00	160.00
Sarana	Bunch	57.14	77.86	77.86	36.3%	0.0%	60.00	100.00
Thampala	Bunch	62.86	85.00	85.00	35.2%	0.0%	65.00	120.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	254.79	569.60	773.33	203.5%	35.8%	720.00	800.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	212.62	546.67	594.07	179.4%	8.7%	400.00	800.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	166.00	425.67	420.91	153.6%	-1.1%	280.00	560.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	142.76	308.70	322.07	125.6%	4.3%	200.00	480.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	192.83	489.09	536.15	178.0%	9.6%	400.00	600.00
Carrot	1 kg.	176.61	463.64	467.41	164.7%	0.8%	320.00	600.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	239.35	709.00	785.79	228.3%	10.8%	480.00	1200.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	172.55	353.66	378.11	119.1%	6.9%	264.00	480.00
Raddish	1 kg.	140.95	272.05	273.20	93.8%	0.4%	160.00	400.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	172.25	360.00	350.00	103.2%	-2.8%	280.00	400.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	640.24	1820.00	1825.00	185.0%	0.3%	1500.00	2200.00
Corriander	1Kg.	469.13	805.56	836.84	78.4%	3.9%	700.00	1000.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1365.00	2707.69	2685.71	96.8%	-0.8%	2200.00	3200.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	3762.50	3320.00	3292.86	-12.5%	-0.8%	2000.00	5000.00
Garlic	1Kg.	467.58	620.00	618.57	32.3%	-0.2%	500.00	800.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	986.95	2176.47	2310.00	134.1%	6.1%	1900.00	3000.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	795.00	1952.94	2015.79	153.6%	3.2%	1600.00	2800.00
Mustard	1Kg.	483.33	1005.56	950.00	96.6%	-5.5%	800.00	1200.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	484.23	1000.00	918.18	89.6%	-8.2%	600.00	1000.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	3822.16	5042.86	4881.82	27.7%	-3.2%	3200.00	7000.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	678.37	738.89	755.00	11.3%	2.2%	600.00	1000.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1984.88	3900.00	3792.86	91.1%	-2.7%	3200.00	4500.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	60.00	100.00	100.00	66.7%	0.0%	100.00	100.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	496.65	533.33	544.44	9.6%	2.1%	400.00	800.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	333.88	550.94	561.92	68.3%	2.0%	400.00	720.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	149.27	240.00	n.a				
Imported	1kg.	148.29	183.70	186.88	26.0%	1.7%	160.00	220.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	100.11	227.30	223.47	123.2%	-1.7%	210.00	240.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	104.86	224.59	223.47	113.1%	-0.5%	210.00	240.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	95.36	n.a	n.a				
Raw Red - Imported	1 Kg.		n.a	n.a				
Raw White local	1 Kg.	102.52	224.41	220.59	115.2%	-1.7%	205.00	270.00
Raw White Imported	1 Kg.		194.74	198.54		2.0%	170.00	220.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	109.45	250.33	246.40	125.1%	-1.6%	220.00	280.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	110.76	225.71	222.27	100.7%	-1.5%	220.00	240.00
Nadu-White Imported	1 Kg.		210.69	218.00		3.5%	190.00	250.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	122.84	220.93	227.20	85.0%	2.8%	194.00	260.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	133.49	231.25	235.94	76.8%	2.0%	220.00	260.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	103.11	n.a	n.a				
Ponni Samba Imported	1 Kg.		210.62	218.46		3.7%	194.00	240.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	98.59	422.50	432.00	338.2%	2.2%	400.00	460.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	265.37	464.96	472.44	78.0%	1.6%	410.00	560.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	282.46	503.33	514.62	82.2%	2.2%	490.00	560.00
No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	261.65	468.22	467.71	78.8%	-0.1%	429.00	520.00
No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	252.00	423.33	435.00	72.6%	2.8%	410.00	460.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	628.15	857.22	867.50	38.1%	1.2%	600.00	1200.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	838.12	932.98	1008.85	20.4%	8.1%	880.00	1200.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	344.30	739.26	762.25	121.4%	3.1%	630.00	1100.00
Sugar	1Kg.	127.58	288.52	287.33	125.2%	-0.4%	260.00	310.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	1473.04	2602.00	2756.36	87.1%	5.9%	1800.00	3400.00
Mullet	1Kg.	1364.17	3452.00	3383.33	148.0%	-2.0%	3000.00	3750.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	1564.99	3087.50	3096.88	97.9%	0.3%	2400.00	3750.00
Balaya	1Kg.	815.00	1805.90	1784.75	119.0%	-1.2%	1600.00	2000.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	1368.10	2803.57	2834.17	107.2%	1.1%	2000.00	3400.00
Mora	1Kg.	1190.42	2112.00	2037.14	71.1%	-3.5%	1690.00	2350.00
Salaya	1Kg.	256.47	799.50	972.00	279.0%	21.6%	790.00	1200.00
Parati	1Kg.	889.09	1833.33	1802.50	102.7%	-1.7%	1320.00	2400.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	849.79	1868.33	1845.45	117.2%	-1.2%	1400.00	2400.00
Hurulla	1Kg.	636.58	1202.31	1278.33	100.8%	6.3%	880.00	1700.00
Linna	1Kg.	518.08	1155.88	1201.18	131.9%	3.9%	880.00	1550.00
Prawns	1Kg.	1204.42	2032.00	2009.33	66.8%	-1.1%	1600.00	2400.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1686.47	2913.04	2866.67	70.0%	-1.6%	2400.00	3800.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	933.10	2104.17	2069.57	121.8%	-1.6%	1600.00	2800.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	709.93	1569.44	1470.59	107.1%	-6.3%	1100.00	2000.00
Beef	1Kg.	1145.65	2033.33	2040.00	78.1%	0.3%	2000.00	2200.00
Mutton	1Kg.	2022.92	2827.78	2890.00	42.9%	2.2%	2600.00	3000.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	685.88	1465.45	1473.33	114.8%	0.5%	1400.00	1580.00
Broiler	1Kg.	576.25	1260.00	1495.00	159.4%	18.7%	1450.00	1540.00
Pork	1Kg.	1000.00	1350.00	1500.00	50.0%	11.1%	1500.00	1500.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	18.44	49.64	49.62	169.1%	0.0%	47.00	50.00
Egg - Red	Each	19.34	49.86	49.83	157.6%	0.0%	49.00	50.00
White	Each	17.53	49.42	49.41	181.8%	0.0%	47.00	50.00
Tin Fish	425g.	364.78	750.94	781.74	114.3%	4.1%	650.00	910.00
Maliban	400g.	0.00	0.00	0.00	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	0.00	0.00
Anchor	400g.	380.00	1160.00	1160.00	205.3%	0.0%	1160.00	1160.00
Pelwatta	400g.		880.00	880.00		0.0%	880.00	880.00
Lactogen - II	400g.	590.00	1850.00	1850.00	213.6%	0.0%	1850.00	1850.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	580.00	1850.00	1850.00	219.0%	0.0%	1850.00	1850.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	120.07	211.00	224.76	87.2%	6.5%	180.00	280.00
Anamalu	1 Kg.	198.99	248.89	256.67	29.0%	3.1%	200.00	300.00
Kolikuttu	1 Kg.	265.62	394.76	447.50	68.5%	13.4%	380.00	500.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	136.43	280.53	257.33	88.6%	-8.3%	200.00	300.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	188.68	468.95	511.43	171.1%	9.1%	400.00	580.00
Bread	450g.	60.83	194.29	194.29	219.4%	0.0%	170.00	210.00

Source - Department of Census & Statistics

n.a. - not available

*: MAIN MARKETS IN COLOMBO DISTRICT- PETTAH, MARADANA, BORELLA, DEMATAGODA, GRANDPASS, KIRULAPANA, WELLAWATTA, KOTTE, NUJEGODA, DEHIWALA, RATHMALANA, KOLONNAWA