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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	96.47	89.37	85.16	-11.7%	-4.7%	80.00	100.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	73.13	70.00	70.67	-3.4%	1.0%	60.00	80.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	95.42	78.95	81.21	-14.9%	2.9%	70.00	100.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	74.26	71.95	72.50	-2.4%	0.8%	60.00	100.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	119.58	117.83	123.50	3.3%	4.8%	100.00	160.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	67.95	68.59	68.14	0.3%	-0.7%	60.00	80.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	74.84	65.89	65.56	-12.4%	-0.5%	60.00	80.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	80.05	70.98	70.93	-11.4%	-0.1%	60.00	80.00
Gotukola	Bunch	17.19	15.00	14.55	-15.4%	-3.0%	10.00	20.00
Kankun	Bunch	21.84	22.86	22.69	3.9%	-0.7%	20.00	30.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	22.85	25.00	24.00	5.0%	-4.0%	20.00	30.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	26.42	27.50	26.25	-0.6%	-4.5%	20.00	30.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	103.44	108.92	103.44	0.0%	-5.0%	80.00	120.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	87.66	85.82	80.02	-8.7%	-6.8%	60.00	100.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	319.70	170.85	166.31	-48.0%	-2.7%	120.00	200.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	267.23	200.49	191.43	-28.4%	-4.5%	160.00	240.00
Leeks	1 kg.	142.67	78.25	77.57	-45.6%	-0.9%	60.00	100.00
Limes - Average	1 kg.	194.70	164.15	152.50	-21.7%	-7.1%	120.00	200.00
Coconut - Average	Each	28.10	34.95	33.96	20.8%	-2.8%	25.00	45.00
Coconut (Large)	Each		40.87	40.96		0.2%	40.00	45.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	29.68	34.97	33.46	12.7%	-4.3%	30.00	37.50
Coconut (small)	Each	26.53	29.00	27.45	3.5%	-5.3%	25.00	30.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	91.44	116.04	113.84	24.5%	-1.9%	75.00	200.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	107.29	138.33	137.50	28.2%	-0.6%	100.00	200.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	75.59	93.75	90.18	19.3%	-3.8%	75.00	125.00
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	202.88	316.48	320.31	57.9%	1.2%	200.00	400.00
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	245.45	361.54	378.13	54.1%	4.6%	300.00	400.00
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	160.31	271.43	262.50	63.7%	-3.3%	200.00	300.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	120.35	121.20	128.38	6.7%	5.9%	110.00	140.00
Imported	1 Kg	71.11	84.82	86.88	22.2%	2.4%	75.00	100.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	148.50	212.92	207.78	39.9%	-2.4%	200.00	240.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	22.89	24.23	22.86	-0.1%	-5.7%	20.00	30.00
Nivithi	Bunch	27.53	26.36	26.36	-4.2%	0.0%	20.00	30.00
Sarana	Bunch	27.57	30.00	28.33	2.8%	-5.6%	20.00	30.00
Thampala	Bunch	29.20	26.67	27.27	-6.6%	2.3%	20.00	30.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	141.25	184.00	178.00	26.0%	-3.3%	150.00	200.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	123.62	147.27	148.54	20.2%	0.9%	120.00	160.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	96.79	111.03	104.83	8.3%	-5.6%	80.00	120.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	137.13	135.50	131.86	-3.8%	-2.7%	120.00	160.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	93.66	78.93	83.57	-10.8%	5.9%	80.00	100.00
Carrot	1 kg.	141.88	97.91	93.73	-33.9%	-4.3%	80.00	120.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	136.51	169.54	135.25	-0.9%	-20.2%	120.00	160.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	108.15	110.34	101.99	-5.7%	-7.6%	80.00	120.00
Raddish	1 kg.	73.92	69.20	71.61	-3.1%	3.5%	60.00	80.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	102.43	50.41	54.85	-46.5%	8.8%	40.00	60.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	198.68	294.78	295.09	48.5%	0.1%	270.00	320.00
Corriander	1Kg.	306.39	290.56	305.94	-0.1%	5.3%	280.00	350.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	572.99	868.52	888.89	55.1%	2.3%	800.00	900.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	757.33	795.83	780.95	3.1%	-1.9%	700.00	900.00
Garlic	1Kg.	334.14	295.56	190.34	-43.0%	-35.6%	120.00	220.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	561.69	590.56	608.06	8.3%	3.0%	500.00	700.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	347.66	398.86	385.19	10.8%	-3.4%	300.00	400.00
Mustard	1Kg.	245.46	238.89	245.33	-0.1%	2.7%	200.00	300.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	233.98	231.84	233.33	-0.3%	0.6%	200.00	300.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1062.16	1440.74	1421.05	33.8%	-1.4%	1200.00	1500.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	192.35	461.47	443.55	130.6%	-3.9%	400.00	500.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1121.66	1913.04	1881.82	67.8%	-1.6%	1500.00	2000.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	36.11	34.53	34.94	-3.2%	1.2%	30.00	45.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	106.16	251.61	251.92	137.3%	0.1%	200.00	300.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	105.26	166.38	167.66	59.3%	0.8%	150.00	200.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.							
Imported	1kg.	59.28	59.17	57.63	-2.8%	-2.6%	50.00	70.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	54.33	56.43	57.47	5.8%	1.8%	47.50	65.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	57.33	57.39	60.40	5.4%	5.2%	56.00	65.00
Raw Red - No 2.	1 Kg.	51.32	55.47	54.54	6.3%	-1.7%	47.50	60.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	49.45	57.20	57.29	15.8%	0.2%	51.00	60.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	63.96	61.74	61.60	-3.7%	-0.2%	57.00	70.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	55.10	59.75	59.21	7.5%	-0.9%	54.50	65.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	66.09	68.58	67.95	2.8%	-0.9%	60.00	75.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	68.24	69.87	70.11	2.7%	0.3%	65.00	75.00
Samba - No 2.	1 Kg.	63.94	67.30	65.78	2.9%	-2.3%	60.00	70.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	72.30	84.96	84.95	17.5%	0.0%	80.00	90.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	155.06	145.36	144.57	-6.8%	-0.5%	120.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.	1 Kg.	162.83	160.18	156.97	-3.6%	-2.0%	150.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 2.	1 Kg.	147.30	131.07	132.17	-10.3%	0.8%	120.00	140.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	182.07	229.44	229.38	26.0%	0.0%	200.00	280.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	236.59	203.69	201.73	-14.7%	-1.0%	190.00	230.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	151.00	200.34	199.10	31.9%	-0.6%	180.00	220.00
Sugar	1Kg.	90.32	95.06	94.75	4.9%	-0.3%	89.00	100.00
Firewood	50Kg.	403.75	445.71	445.71	10.4%	0.0%	420.00	480.00
Sunlight	130g.	27.00	30.00	30.00	11.1%	0.0%	30.00	30.00
Khomba	75g.	33.00	34.38	35.00	6.1%	1.8%	35.00	35.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	672.61	737.92	709.41	5.5%	-3.9%	560.00	800.00
Mullet	1Kg.	646.14	684.55	650.67	0.7%	-4.9%	500.00	760.00
Thalpath	1Kg.	696.42	705.67	674.35	-3.2%	-4.4%	500.00	760.00
Balaya	1Kg.	431.95	500.96	496.92	15.0%	-0.8%	400.00	580.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	591.72	612.58	597.14	0.9%	-2.5%	400.00	720.00
Mora	1Kg.	457.59	525.33	493.13	7.8%	-6.1%	400.00	560.00
Salaya	1Kg.	169.89	184.55	164.67	-3.1%	-10.8%	120.00	200.00
Parati	1Kg.	456.18	593.50	538.89	18.1%	-9.2%	400.00	600.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	429.41	514.77	477.14	11.1%	-7.3%	350.00	600.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	831.25	844.27	804.55	-3.2%	-4.7%	720.00	850.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	369.02	371.28	361.82	-2.0%	-2.5%	300.00	400.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	335.62	442.16	415.13	23.7%	-6.1%	350.00	500.00
Beef	1Kg.	437.89	454.55	454.29	3.7%	-0.1%	420.00	480.00
Mutton	1Kg.	762.12	804.67	813.64	6.8%	1.1%	780.00	850.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	409.09	400.00	420.24	2.7%	5.1%	390.00	480.00
Broiler	1Kg.	350.00	350.00	350.00	0.0%	0.0%	350.00	350.00
Pork	1Kg.	463.75	482.50	443.33	-4.4%	-8.1%	400.00	480.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	12.47	11.13	11.54	-7.5%	3.7%	10.00	13.00
Egg - Red	Each	12.79	11.52	11.85	-7.4%	2.9%	10.50	13.00
Egg - White	Each	12.15	10.73	11.23	-7.5%	4.6%	10.00	12.00
Tin Fish	1Kg.	199.75	225.00	225.00	12.6%	0.0%	225.00	225.00
Lakspray	400g.	233.15	261.23	260.00	11.5%	-0.5%	260.00	260.00
Anchor	400g.	242.15	264.00	264.00	9.0%	0.0%	264.00	264.00
Lactogen - II	400g.	275.00	298.00	298.00	8.4%	0.0%	298.00	298.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	315.00	335.00	335.00	6.3%	0.0%	335.00	335.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	65.99	64.65	66.34	0.5%	2.6%	50.00	80.00
Anamalu	Each	10.89	12.18	12.07	10.9%	-0.9%	10.00	15.00
Kolikuttu	Each	14.45	13.93	14.23	-1.5%	2.1%	10.00	18.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	54.43	76.88	76.48	40.5%	-0.5%	68.00	90.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	93.83	84.74	88.33	-5.9%	4.2%	70.00	100.00
Bread	450g.	39.07	48.92	48.92	25.2%	0.0%	45.00	55.00

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