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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	85.08	87.92	126.67	48.9%	44.1%	120.00	160.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	72.81	73.33	111.43	53.0%	52.0%	100.00	120.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	98.73	108.61	153.51	55.5%	41.3%	120.00	160.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	83.59	109.64	175.00	109.4%	59.6%	160.00	200.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	135.34	135.66	213.10	57.5%	57.1%	200.00	240.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	70.78	71.82	112.94	59.6%	57.3%	100.00	120.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	83.24	85.31	109.03	31.0%	27.8%	100.00	120.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	85.48	110.91	140.45	64.3%	26.6%	120.00	160.00
Gotukola	Bunch	14.15	19.00	18.44	30.3%	-3.0%	10.00	30.00
Kankun	Bunch	22.73	23.85	23.57	3.7%	-1.2%	20.00	30.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	25.00	24.29	24.00	-4.0%	-1.2%	20.00	30.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	25.03	23.21	23.00	-8.1%	-0.9%	20.00	30.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	103.24	106.15	133.55	29.4%	25.8%	120.00	160.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	82.45	104.81	133.50	61.9%	27.4%	120.00	160.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	335.54	154.23	231.40	-31.0%	50.0%	200.00	300.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	169.23	141.24	226.76	34.0%	60.5%	200.00	260.00
Leeks	1 kg.	68.86	109.31	133.50	93.9%	22.1%	120.00	160.00
Limes - Average	1 kg.	418.95	624.63	611.54	46.0%	-2.1%	500.00	800.00
Coconut - Average	Each	33.59	36.10	37.83	12.6%	4.8%	30.00	45.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	38.32	41.06	42.82	11.7%	4.3%	40.00	45.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	33.83	36.09	38.06	12.5%	5.4%	34.00	40.00
Coconut (small)	Each	28.63	31.16	32.61	13.9%	4.7%	30.00	35.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	117.88	120.06	117.19	-0.6%	-2.4%	75.00	150.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	136.72	136.36	133.33	-2.5%	-2.2%	100.00	150.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	99.04	103.75	101.04	2.0%	-2.6%	75.00	125.00
Areanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	449.39	318.46	314.83	-29.9%	-1.1%	200.00	400.00
Areanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	535.55	366.92	361.33	-32.5%	-1.5%	300.00	400.00
Areanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	363.23	270.00	268.33	-26.1%	-0.6%	200.00	300.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	118.59	93.41	116.61	-1.7%	24.8%	100.00	140.00
Imported	1 Kg	85.46	73.88	85.00	-0.5%	15.1%	80.00	90.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	159.74	166.29	169.31	6.0%	1.8%	160.00	180.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	22.80	22.14	21.43	-6.0%	-3.2%	20.00	30.00
Nivithi	Bunch	27.97	24.55	24.62	-12.0%	0.3%	20.00	40.00
Sarana	Bunch	27.17	25.00	25.36	-6.7%	1.4%	20.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	29.18	26.92	26.15	-10.4%	-2.8%	20.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	184.10	200.00	320.00	73.8%	60.0%	320.00	320.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	158.28	129.07	266.96	68.7%	106.8%	240.00	300.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	122.04	100.22	213.08	74.6%	112.6%	200.00	240.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	97.63	116.33	172.78	77.0%	48.5%	160.00	200.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	77.37	106.55	140.00	81.0%	31.4%	120.00	160.00
Carrot	1 kg.	128.25	142.74	217.60	69.7%	52.4%	200.00	260.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	129.80	133.82	218.75	68.5%	63.5%	200.00	240.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	110.69	106.21	178.18	61.0%	67.8%	160.00	200.00
Raddish	1 kg.	83.93	74.38	137.39	63.7%	84.7%	120.00	160.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	132.30	69.00	105.11	-20.5%	52.3%	80.00	120.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	283.32	224.58	224.23	-20.9%	-0.2%	200.00	260.00
Corriander	1Kg.	303.13	285.38	280.91	-7.3%	-1.6%	260.00	300.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	957.41	1267.86	1260.87	31.7%	-0.6%	1200.00	1400.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	724.54	656.67	644.17	-11.1%	-1.9%	600.00	700.00
Garlic	1Kg.	134.82	278.48	271.18	101.1%	-2.6%	250.00	300.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	600.09	653.13	652.42	8.7%	-0.1%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	388.09	460.00	446.97	15.2%	-2.8%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	240.05	285.94	289.43	20.6%	1.2%	200.00	300.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	230.96	259.06	253.43	9.7%	-2.2%	200.00	300.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1552.62	1525.00	1508.00	-2.9%	-1.1%	1400.00	1600.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	397.75	398.44	380.31	-4.4%	-4.5%	300.00	500.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1635.97	1743.75	1704.00	4.2%	-2.3%	1600.00	1800.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	34.18	32.97	33.85	-1.0%	2.7%	30.00	40.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	211.94	210.91	217.04	2.4%	2.9%	200.00	250.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	126.86	107.93	122.50	-3.4%	13.5%	100.00	160.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.		69.77	88.23		26.5%	80.00	120.00
Imported	1kg.	81.51	55.00	68.33	-16.2%	24.2%	60.00	80.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	56.63	59.40	59.43	5.0%	0.1%	50.00	65.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	57.49	61.39	61.67	7.3%	0.5%	60.00	65.00
Raw Red - No 2.	1 Kg.	55.76	57.41	57.20	2.6%	-0.4%	50.00	60.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	56.00	59.30	59.66	6.5%	0.6%	56.00	65.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	60.33	60.41	60.32	0.0%	-0.1%	53.00	68.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	58.76	60.22	61.51	4.7%	2.1%	59.00	65.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	68.04	71.18	72.24	6.2%	1.5%	65.00	75.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	69.65	72.75	74.64	7.2%	2.6%	70.00	75.00
Samba - No 2.	1 Kg.	66.43	69.61	69.84	5.1%	0.3%	65.00	70.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	84.12	92.69	97.61	16.0%	5.3%	85.00	105.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	131.69	146.77	148.64	12.9%	1.3%	119.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	152.23	162.27	164.17	7.8%	1.2%	160.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	129.12	144.83	146.79	13.7%	1.4%	140.00	160.00
Mysore Dhall - No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	113.73	133.20	134.96	18.7%	1.3%	119.00	140.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	230.94	248.28	249.31	8.0%	0.4%	200.00	260.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	182.90	271.69	274.90	50.3%	1.2%	240.00	280.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	212.56	237.23	232.76	9.5%	-1.9%	200.00	260.00
Sugar	1Kg.	92.95	108.75	109.24	17.5%	0.4%	105.00	115.00
Firewood	50Kg.	435.00	484.29	484.29	11.3%	0.0%	450.00	500.00
Sunlight	130g.	31.66	36.06	36.06	13.9%	0.0%	35.00	37.00
Khomba	75g.	35.00	38.00	38.00	8.6%	0.0%	38.00	38.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	674.90	688.89	726.25	7.6%	5.4%	600.00	800.00
Mullet	1Kg.	609.73	626.36	648.00	6.3%	3.5%	560.00	780.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	683.96	686.97	776.82	13.6%	13.1%	700.00	800.00
Balaya	1Kg.	449.92	397.78	480.00	6.7%	20.7%	400.00	560.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	645.61	532.80	669.47	3.7%	25.7%	520.00	760.00
Mora	1Kg.	457.51	492.00	541.11	18.3%	10.0%	480.00	600.00
Salaya	1Kg.	131.11	125.81	180.91	38.0%	43.8%	140.00	200.00
Parati	1Kg.	433.81	366.43	498.75	15.0%	36.1%	400.00	600.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	385.80	314.12	424.44	10.0%	35.1%	320.00	500.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	885.17	992.86	1002.90	13.3%	1.0%	900.00	1100.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	382.11	474.61	465.11	21.7%	-2.0%	299.00	500.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	388.84	410.00	417.60	7.4%	1.9%	300.00	600.00
Beef	1Kg.	466.54	508.24	505.88	8.4%	-0.5%	500.00	520.00
Mutton	1Kg.	880.47	1116.67	1117.86	27.0%	0.1%	1100.00	1200.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	424.43	420.31	418.24	-1.5%	-0.5%	400.00	450.00
Broiler	1Kg.	350.00	367.14	376.25	7.5%	2.5%	350.00	380.00
Pork	1Kg.	462.81	412.50	416.67	-10.0%	1.0%	400.00	450.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	9.69	9.89	11.33	16.8%	14.5%	10.00	13.00
Egg - Red	Each	9.97	10.06	11.65	16.8%	15.8%	10.50	13.00
Egg - White	Each	9.42	9.73	11.00	16.8%	13.1%	10.00	12.50
Tin Fish	425g.	225.00	230.00	230.00	2.2%	0.0%	230.00	230.00
Lakspray	400g.	260.00	315.00	315.00	21.2%	0.0%	315.00	315.00
Anchor	400g.	264.00	325.00	325.00	23.1%	0.0%	325.00	325.00
Lactogen - II	400g.	320.00	415.00	415.00	29.7%	0.0%	415.00	415.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	350.00	410.00	410.00	17.1%	0.0%	410.00	410.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	69.82	70.47	70.86	1.5%	0.6%	60.00	80.00
Anamalu	Each	12.35	12.13	12.14	-1.7%	0.1%	10.00	15.00
Kolikuttu	Each	15.11	15.06	15.17	0.4%	0.7%	12.00	18.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	68.68	65.56	64.67	-5.8%	-1.4%	60.00	80.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	103.53	97.29	95.50	-7.8%	-1.8%	80.00	120.00
Bread	450g.	48.89	57.76	58.67	20.0%	1.6%	55.00	60.00

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