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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	82.30	89.33	91.16	10.8%	2.0%	80.00	120.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	71.06	77.14	70.00	-1.5%	-9.3%	60.00	80.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	80.37	123.56	98.54	22.6%	-20.2%	80.00	120.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	59.82	96.31	97.16	62.4%	0.9%	80.00	120.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	117.75	155.96	152.71	29.7%	-2.1%	140.00	180.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	61.07	66.50	65.32	7.0%	-1.8%	50.00	80.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	56.86	104.46	96.89	70.4%	-7.2%	80.00	120.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	69.10	108.53	105.21	52.3%	-3.1%	80.00	120.00
Gotukola	Bunch	14.22	18.57	19.17	34.8%	3.2%	10.00	30.00
Kankun	Bunch	22.84	25.00	25.42	11.3%	1.7%	15.00	30.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	24.43	26.25	27.27	11.6%	3.9%	15.00	30.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	26.80	29.00	27.86	3.9%	-3.9%	20.00	30.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	102.85	110.91	105.94	3.0%	-4.5%	80.00	120.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	78.87	113.83	110.23	39.8%	-3.2%	80.00	120.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	153.31	293.18	238.04	55.3%	-18.8%	200.00	300.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	164.91	249.80	238.96	44.9%	-4.3%	200.00	300.00
Leeks	1 kg.	73.53	139.19	125.78	71.1%	-9.6%	120.00	160.00
Limes - Average	1 kg.	152.95	191.30	198.51	29.8%	3.8%	20.00	250.00
Coconut - Average	Each	33.61	33.41	33.63	0.1%	0.7%	20.00	48.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	39.43	37.64	37.76	-4.2%	0.3%	33.00	48.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	33.62	33.54	34.35	2.2%	2.4%	30.00	40.00
Coconut (small)	Each	27.77	29.04	28.79	3.6%	-0.9%	20.00	35.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	115.73	117.94	113.45	-2.0%	-3.8%	50.00	175.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	139.90	138.82	134.56	-3.8%	-3.1%	87.50	175.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	91.56	97.06	92.33	0.8%	-4.9%	50.00	125.00
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	337.83	320.00	329.90	-2.3%	3.1%	250.00	400.00
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	388.67	365.00	368.13	-5.3%	0.9%	300.00	400.00
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	286.98	275.00	291.67	1.6%	6.1%	250.00	300.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	137.07	144.21	141.65	3.3%	-1.8%	120.00	160.00
Imported	1 Kg	96.10	93.23	87.74	-8.7%	-5.9%	70.00	120.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	187.64	166.97	166.63	-11.2%	-0.2%	150.00	180.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	23.02	25.77	24.64	7.0%	-4.4%	20.00	30.00
Nivithi	Bunch	26.55	30.00	30.00	13.0%	0.0%	20.00	40.00
Sarana	Bunch	27.51	29.09	30.00	9.0%	3.1%	20.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	28.69	32.00	31.00	8.0%	-3.1%	20.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	183.17	200.00	200.00	9.2%	0.0%	200.00	200.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	139.64	119.39	128.87	-7.7%	7.9%	120.00	160.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	99.40	104.63	98.41	-1.0%	-5.9%	80.00	120.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	104.89	138.64	122.30	16.6%	-11.8%	100.00	140.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	73.12	98.11	92.07	25.9%	-6.2%	80.00	120.00
Carrot	1 kg.	83.93	133.60	129.93	54.8%	-2.7%	120.00	160.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	138.97	123.50	108.00	-22.3%	-12.6%	80.00	160.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	93.10	99.66	103.55	11.2%	3.9%	80.00	120.00
Raddish	1 kg.	69.21	93.24	91.71	32.5%	-1.6%	80.00	120.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	57.65	182.79	183.41	218.2%	0.3%	140.00	200.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	294.36	237.73	233.45	-20.7%	-1.8%	200.00	260.00
Corriander	1Kg.	304.43	274.55	281.14	-7.7%	2.4%	240.00	300.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	883.50	1442.31	1407.41	59.3%	-2.4%	1300.00	1600.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	786.60	640.00	642.76	-18.3%	0.4%	500.00	700.00
Garlic	1Kg.	198.20	292.26	294.29	48.5%	0.7%	250.00	300.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	597.50	651.25	662.86	10.9%	1.8%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	385.32	454.19	451.52	17.2%	-0.6%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	241.70	284.24	288.89	19.5%	1.6%	200.00	300.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	231.19	247.50	256.39	10.9%	3.6%	200.00	300.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1473.09	1605.00	1640.00	11.3%	2.2%	1400.00	2000.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	450.28	408.79	408.24	-9.3%	-0.1%	300.00	500.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1891.27	1850.00	1865.38	-1.4%	0.8%	1700.00	2000.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	33.96	33.52	33.03	-2.7%	-1.5%	30.00	40.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	246.35	208.75	216.43	-12.1%	3.7%	200.00	250.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	128.76	129.77	98.15	-23.8%	-24.4%	80.00	140.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.							
Imported	1kg.	58.32	84.65	83.17	42.6%	-1.7%	70.00	100.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	57.32	55.63	56.57	-1.3%	1.7%	46.50	60.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	60.77	57.92	57.37	-5.6%	-0.9%	55.00	60.00
Raw Red - No 2.	1 Kg.	53.87	53.34	55.78	3.5%	4.6%	46.50	60.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.		56.87	58.09		2.2%	49.00	60.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	60.49	59.57	59.71	-1.3%	0.2%	49.00	65.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	59.23	59.73	59.89	1.1%	0.3%	56.00	65.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	67.76	69.95	69.80	3.0%	-0.2%	65.00	75.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	69.74	70.67	70.25	0.7%	-0.6%	70.00	75.00
Samba - No 2.	1 Kg.	65.79	69.24	69.36	5.4%	0.2%	65.00	70.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	84.93	93.37	93.00	9.5%	-0.4%	85.00	100.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	144.13	148.34	148.72	3.2%	0.3%	120.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	157.91	163.24	164.29	4.0%	0.6%	160.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	142.89	148.95	148.65	4.0%	-0.2%	140.00	160.00
Mysore Dhall - No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	131.59	132.85	133.23	1.2%	0.3%	120.00	140.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	229.71	217.11	220.25	-4.1%	1.4%	200.00	280.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.		241.07	246.04		2.1%	226.00	260.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	201.06	228.78	231.80	15.3%	1.3%	200.00	270.00
Sugar	1Kg.	95.17	101.47	103.26	8.5%	1.8%	90.00	110.00
Firewood	50Kg.	442.50	500.00	484.29	9.4%	-3.1%	450.00	500.00
Sunlight	130g.	30.00	35.00	35.00	16.7%	0.0%	35.00	35.00
Khomba	75g.	35.00	38.00	38.00	8.6%	0.0%	38.00	38.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	1116.17	853.91	859.58	-23.0%	0.7%	800.00	1000.00
Mullet	1Kg.	735.00	750.00	725.79	-1.3%	-3.2%	600.00	860.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	667.66	838.96	841.20	26.0%	0.3%	700.00	900.00
Balaya	1Kg.	689.10	632.22	537.50	-22.0%	-15.0%	400.00	600.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	522.41	747.39	699.13	33.8%	-6.5%	550.00	760.00
Mora	1Kg.	633.73	628.90	606.00	-4.4%	-3.6%	500.00	720.00
Salaya	1Kg.	498.98	234.00	221.60	-55.6%	-5.3%	200.00	260.00
Parati	1Kg.	563.73	615.00	592.38	5.1%	-3.7%	500.00	700.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	494.54	568.00	529.44	7.1%	-6.8%	440.00	600.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	817.61	1042.57	1041.08	27.3%	-0.1%	900.00	1200.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	367.22	473.14	488.33	33.0%	3.2%	385.00	550.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	405.09	413.75	418.89	3.4%	1.2%	320.00	500.00
Beef	1Kg.	454.02	504.00	505.71	11.4%	0.3%	480.00	540.00
Mutton	1Kg.	817.75	1072.73	1091.67	33.5%	1.8%	1050.00	1150.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	419.58	420.00	420.45	0.2%	0.1%	400.00	470.00
Broiler	1Kg.	350.00	350.00	350.00	0.0%	0.0%	350.00	350.00
Pork	1Kg.	468.54	462.00	465.00	-0.8%	0.6%	450.00	480.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	11.91	9.87	9.44	-20.7%	-4.3%	8.00	11.00
Egg - Red	Each	12.22	10.28	9.75	-20.2%	-5.1%	8.50	11.00
Egg - White	Each	11.60	9.46	9.14	-21.3%	-3.4%	8.00	10.50
Tin Fish	425g.	225.00	230.00	230.00	2.2%	0.0%	230.00	230.00
Lakspray	400g.	260.00	325.00	316.00	21.5%	-2.8%	315.00	325.00
Anchor	400g.	264.00	325.00	325.00	23.1%	0.0%	325.00	325.00
Lactogen - II	400g.	298.00	350.00	350.00	17.4%	0.0%	350.00	350.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	335.00	390.00	401.67	19.9%	3.0%	390.00	410.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	66.02	63.43	62.43	-5.4%	-1.6%	50.00	80.00
Anamalu	Each	12.06	12.07	12.12	0.4%	0.4%	10.00	15.00
Kolikuttu	Each	14.05	13.73	14.35	2.2%	4.6%	12.00	18.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	77.49	64.17	64.74	-16.5%	0.9%	50.00	80.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	92.66	86.30	85.40	-7.8%	-1.0%	70.00	98.00
Bread	450g.	48.92	56.68	57.32	17.2%	1.1%	50.00	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