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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	82.30	91.16	91.60	11.3%	0.5%	80.00	120.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	71.06	70.00	73.00	2.7%	4.3%	60.00	80.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	80.37	98.54	99.41	23.7%	0.9%	80.00	120.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	59.82	97.16	96.13	60.7%	-1.1%	80.00	120.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	117.75	152.71	151.40	28.6%	-0.9%	140.00	180.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	61.07	65.32	66.58	9.0%	1.9%	50.00	80.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	56.86	96.89	92.24	62.2%	-4.8%	80.00	120.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	69.10	105.21	100.40	45.3%	-4.6%	80.00	120.00
Gotukola	Bunch	14.22	19.17	19.29	35.6%	0.6%	10.00	30.00
Kankun	Bunch	22.84	25.42	25.00	9.5%	-1.6%	15.00	30.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	24.43	27.27	26.15	7.1%	-4.1%	15.00	30.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	26.80	27.86	26.67	-0.5%	-4.3%	20.00	30.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	102.85	105.94	107.78	4.8%	1.7%	80.00	120.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	78.87	110.23	106.83	35.5%	-3.1%	80.00	120.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	153.31	238.04	226.00	47.4%	-5.1%	200.00	300.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	164.91	238.96	221.91	34.6%	-7.1%	200.00	300.00
Leeks	1 kg.	73.53	125.78	133.37	81.4%	6.0%	120.00	140.00
Limes - Average	1 kg.	152.95	198.51	196.38	28.4%	-1.1%	150.00	250.00
Coconut - Average	Each	33.61	33.63	32.18	-4.3%	-4.3%	20.00	45.00
Coconut ( Large )	Each	39.43	37.76	37.67	-4.5%	-0.3%	35.00	45.00
Coconut ( Medium)	Each	33.62	34.35	32.91	-2.1%	-4.2%	30.00	40.00
Coconut ( small)	Each	27.77	28.79	25.95	-6.6%	-9.9%	20.00	30.00
Betel Leaves ( Average )	100 leaves	115.73	113.45	115.17	-0.5%	1.5%	50.00	175.00
Betel Leaves ( Medium)	100 leaves	139.90	134.56	134.09	-4.2%	-0.3%	87.50	175.00
Betel Leaves ( Small)	100 leaves	91.56	92.33	96.25	5.1%	4.2%	50.00	125.00
Arecanuts ( Average )	100 Nuts	337.83	329.90	316.73	-6.2%	-4.0%	200.00	400.00
Arecanuts ( Medium )	100 Nuts	388.67	368.13	358.46	-7.8%	-2.6%	300.00	400.00
Arecanuts ( Small )	100 Nuts	286.98	291.67	275.00	-4.2%	-5.7%	200.00	300.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	137.07	141.65	131.16	-4.3%	-7.4%	120.00	150.00
Imported	1 Kg	96.10	87.74	79.62	-17.2%	-9.3%	70.00	100.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	187.64	166.63	162.50	-13.4%	-2.5%	150.00	180.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	23.02	24.64	24.29	5.5%	-1.4%	20.00	30.00
Nivithi	Bunch	26.55	30.00	30.00	13.0%	0.0%	20.00	40.00
Sarana	Bunch	27.51	30.00	29.17	6.0%	-2.8%	20.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	28.69	31.00	31.25	8.9%	0.8%	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	128.87	127.52	-8.7%	-1.0%	120.00	160.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	99.40	98.41	98.61	-0.8%	0.2%	80.00	120.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	104.89	122.30	112.92	7.6%	-7.7%	100.00	140.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	73.12	92.07	95.92	31.2%	4.2%	80.00	120.00
Carrot	1 kg.	83.93	129.93	136.17	62.2%	4.8%	120.00	160.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	138.97	108.00	114.38	-17.7%	5.9%	80.00	160.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	93.10	103.55	106.67	14.6%	3.0%	80.00	120.00
Raddish	1 kg.	69.21	91.71	93.33	34.9%	1.8%	80.00	120.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	57.65	183.41	169.22	193.5%	-7.7%	140.00	200.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	294.36	233.45	230.38	-21.7%	-1.3%	200.00	260.00
Corriander	1Kg.	304.43	281.14	284.38	-6.6%	1.1%	240.00	300.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	883.50	1407.41	1426.19	61.4%	1.3%	1300.00	1600.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	786.60	642.76	641.30	-18.5%	-0.2%	500.00	700.00
Garlic	1Kg.	198.20	294.29	294.53	48.6%	0.1%	250.00	300.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	597.50	662.86	655.94	9.8%	-1.0%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	385.32	451.52	442.81	14.9%	-1.9%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	241.70	288.89	289.06	19.6%	0.1%	200.00	300.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	231.19	256.39	257.50	11.4%	0.4%	200.00	300.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1473.09	1640.00	1707.14	15.9%	4.1%	1400.00	2000.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	450.28	408.24	393.64	-12.6%	-3.6%	300.00	500.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1891.27	1865.38	1865.00	-1.4%	0.0%	1700.00	2000.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	33.96	33.03	33.03	-2.7%	0.0%	30.00	40.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	246.35	216.43	212.31	-13.8%	-1.9%	200.00	250.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	128.76	98.15	100.12	-22.2%	2.0%	80.00	140.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.							
Imported	1kg.	58.32	83.17	78.88	35.2%	-5.2%	70.00	100.00

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Raw Red - ( Average )	1 Kg.	57.32	56.57	57.23	-0.1%	1.2%	46.50	60.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	60.77	57.37	58.91	-3.1%	2.7%	58.00	60.00
Raw Red - No 2.	1 Kg.	53.87	55.78	55.56	3.1%	-0.4%	46.50	60.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.		58.09	57.77		-0.6%	50.00	60.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	60.49	59.71	60.37	-0.2%	1.1%	55.00	65.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	59.23	59.89	59.73	0.8%	-0.3%	55.00	65.00
Samba - ( Average )	1 Kg.	67.76	69.80	70.64	4.2%	1.2%	65.00	75.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	69.74	70.25	71.70	2.8%	2.1%	70.00	75.00
Samba - No 2.	1 Kg.	65.79	69.36	69.58	5.8%	0.3%	65.00	70.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	84.93	93.00	93.48	10.1%	0.5%	83.00	100.00
Mysore Dhall - ( Average )	1 Kg.	144.13	148.72	147.68	2.5%	-0.7%	124.50	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	157.91	164.29	161.94	2.6%	-1.4%	160.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	142.89	148.65	147.05	2.9%	-1.1%	140.00	160.00
Mysore Dhall - No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	131.59	133.23	134.04	1.9%	0.6%	124.50	140.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	229.71	220.25	220.60	-4.0%	0.2%	200.00	280.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.		246.04	246.08		0.0%	225.00	260.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	201.06	231.80	231.58	15.2%	-0.1%	200.00	270.00
Sugar	1Kg.	95.17	103.26	105.63	11.0%	2.3%	99.50	110.00
Firewood	50Kg.	442.50	484.29	484.29	9.4%	0.0%	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	859.58	888.24	-20.4%	3.3%	800.00	1000.00
Mullet	1Kg.	735.00	725.79	761.11	3.6%	4.9%	600.00	860.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	667.66	841.20	849.60	27.2%	1.0%	700.00	900.00
Balaya	1Kg.	689.10	537.50	528.00	-23.4%	-1.8%	400.00	600.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	522.41	699.13	706.54	35.2%	1.1%	550.00	760.00
Mora	1Kg.	633.73	606.00	603.33	-4.8%	-0.4%	560.00	650.00
Salaya	1Kg.	498.98	221.60	189.16	-62.1%	-14.6%	160.00	220.00
Parati	1Kg.	563.73	592.38	626.88	11.2%	5.8%	520.00	700.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	494.54	529.44	550.71	11.4%	4.0%	450.00	600.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	817.61	1041.08	1030.81	26.1%	-1.0%	900.00	1200.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	367.22	488.33	465.13	26.7%	-4.8%	385.00	500.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	405.09	418.89	422.79	4.4%	0.9%	350.00	500.00
Beef	1Kg.	454.02	505.71	501.58	10.5%	-0.8%	450.00	540.00
Mutton	1Kg.	817.75	1091.67	1088.25	33.1%	-0.3%	1050.00	1150.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	419.58	420.45	423.16	0.9%	0.6%	400.00	470.00
Broiler	1Kg.	350.00	350.00	350.00	0.0%	0.0%	350.00	350.00
Pork	1Kg.	468.54	465.00	457.50	-2.4%	-1.6%	450.00	480.00
Egg - ( Average )	Each	11.91	9.44	9.32	-21.8%	-1.3%	8.00	11.00
Egg - Red	Each	12.22	9.75	9.68	-20.8%	-0.7%	8.50	11.00
Egg - White	Each	11.60	9.14	8.95	-22.8%	-2.0%	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	316.00	315.00	21.2%	-0.3%	315.00	315.00
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	401.67	402.73	20.2%	0.3%	390.00	410.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	66.02	62.43	65.12	-1.4%	4.3%	50.00	80.00
Anamalu	Each	12.06	12.12	12.23	1.4%	1.0%	10.00	15.00
Kolikuttu	Each	14.05	14.35	14.78	5.2%	3.0%	12.00	18.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	77.49	64.74	69.59	-10.2%	7.5%	54.00	80.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	92.66	85.40	86.71	-6.4%	1.5%	70.00	98.00
Bread	450g.	48.92	57.32	57.32	17.2%	0.0%	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