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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	99.66	80.93	84.13	-15.6%	4.0%	57.48	120.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	74.22	65.00	73.33	-1.2%	12.8%	60.00	120.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	91.91	89.00	107.75	17.2%	21.1%	77.08	160.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	89.26	71.54	70.00	-21.6%	-2.2%	60.00	80.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	121.98	113.19	116.83	-4.2%	3.2%	100.00	140.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	60.16	65.24	69.08	14.8%	5.9%	40.00	80.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	75.80	67.31	73.88	-2.5%	9.8%	60.00	80.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	74.92	70.23	74.45	-0.6%	6.0%	60.00	80.00
Gotukola	Bunch	15.46	13.64	13.33	-13.7%	-2.2%	10.00	20.00
Kankun	Bunch	21.70	23.33	23.67	9.0%	1.4%	20.00	30.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	22.63	25.00	26.00	14.9%	4.0%	20.00	30.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	25.25	27.50	27.50	8.9%	0.0%	20.00	35.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	100.54	98.13	103.20	2.6%	5.2%	80.00	120.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	92.79	76.90	74.29	-19.9%	-3.4%	60.00	80.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	160.23	161.93	169.03	5.5%	4.4%	120.00	200.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	111.07	97.84	99.35	-10.6%	1.5%	80.00	120.00
Leeks	1 kg.	115.71	61.33	64.30	-44.4%	4.8%	40.00	80.00
Limes - Average	1 kg.	125.82	371.95	360.00	186.1%	-3.2%	300.00	400.00
Coconut - Average	Each	32.36	34.48	34.76	7.4%	0.8%	25.00	45.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	0.00	38.91	40.58		4.3%	35.00	45.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	34.25	34.87	34.07	-0.5%	-2.3%	30.00	40.00
Coconut (small)	Each	30.47	29.67	29.63	-2.8%	-0.1%	25.00	35.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	131.58	120.34	120.98	-8.1%	0.5%	75.00	175.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	159.59	136.76	140.91	-11.7%	3.0%	100.00	175.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	103.56	103.91	101.04	-2.4%	-2.8%	75.00	150.00
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	482.44	532.31	522.08	8.2%	-1.9%	400.00	600.00
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	520.30	594.62	579.17	11.3%	-2.6%	500.00	600.00
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	444.58	470.00	465.00	4.6%	-1.1%	400.00	500.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	104.85	120.87	117.50	12.1%	-2.8%	100.00	140.00
Imported	1 Kg	80.18	101.92	84.71	5.7%	-16.9%	70.00	100.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	158.19	172.17	175.36	10.9%	1.8%	150.00	200.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	22.66	24.00	23.45	3.5%	-2.3%	20.00	30.00
Nivithi	Bunch	30.22	27.14	27.69	-8.4%	2.0%	20.00	40.00
Sarana	Bunch	27.71	28.89	28.37	2.4%	-1.8%	20.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	30.87	30.00	29.55	-4.3%	-1.5%	20.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	147.83	170.00	173.33	17.2%	2.0%	160.00	200.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	125.79	117.23	116.54	-7.4%	-0.6%	100.00	140.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	97.71	91.21	83.24	-14.8%	-8.7%	60.00	100.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	89.75	74.24	75.91	-15.4%	2.3%	60.00	100.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	98.97	63.41	65.89	-33.4%	3.9%	50.00	80.00
Carrot	1 kg.	97.47	87.46	90.61	-7.0%	3.6%	60.00	100.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	109.71	139.35	94.45	-13.9%	-32.2%	60.00	120.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	97.16	71.00	72.93	-24.9%	2.7%	60.00	80.00
Raddish	1 kg.	69.01	68.81	69.14	0.2%	0.5%	50.00	80.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	106.27	69.70	73.57	-30.8%	5.6%	60.00	80.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	192.84	285.57	289.73	50.2%	1.5%	270.00	300.00
Corriander	1Kg.	296.80	300.88	300.91	1.4%	0.0%	280.00	350.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	601.37	978.57	961.76	59.9%	-1.7%	900.00	1000.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	795.00	752.17	733.33	-7.8%	-2.5%	700.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	309.23	154.64	147.42	-52.3%	-4.7%	120.00	200.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	566.54	601.33	596.56	5.3%	-0.8%	500.00	700.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	355.23	383.33	385.42	8.5%	0.5%	300.00	400.00
Mustard	1Kg.	244.88	236.97	236.67	-3.4%	-0.1%	200.00	300.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	232.36	228.71	222.58	-4.2%	-2.7%	200.00	300.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1094.08	1588.24	1550.00	41.7%	-2.4%	1400.00	1800.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	224.68	396.33	412.73	83.7%	4.1%	300.00	500.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1351.13	1775.00	1750.00	29.5%	-1.4%	1600.00	2000.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	35.20	34.09	34.17	-2.9%	0.2%	30.00	45.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	186.63	245.33	229.66	23.1%	-6.4%	150.00	400.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	90.68	110.25	112.35	23.9%	1.9%	100.00	120.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	80.34	70.17	70.84	-11.8%	1.0%	60.00	90.00
Imported	1kg.	75.99	71.00	67.50	-11.2%	-4.9%	60.00	70.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	52.09	53.10	53.37	2.5%	0.5%	43.00	60.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	55.22	56.11	56.25	1.9%	0.2%	55.00	60.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	48.96	50.09	50.49	3.1%	0.8%	43.00	60.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	47.78	51.11	52.98	10.9%	3.7%	45.00	65.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	60.41	60.09	58.88	-2.5%	-2.0%	55.00	65.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	53.55	56.00	55.98	4.5%	0.0%	47.50	60.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	65.11	65.42	66.09	1.5%	1.0%	54.00	70.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	68.23	68.29	68.49	0.4%	0.3%	64.00	70.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	61.99	62.55	63.69	2.7%	1.8%	54.00	70.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	74.17	84.60	83.72	12.9%	-1.0%	80.00	90.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	157.49	133.71	134.33	-14.7%	0.5%	110.00	160.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	165.99	152.92	151.71	-8.6%	-0.8%	140.00	160.00
No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	0.00	130.53	131.75		0.9%	120.00	140.00
No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	148.99	117.68	119.53	-19.8%	1.6%	110.00	130.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	180.30	229.76	228.96	27.0%	-0.3%	200.00	280.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	222.14	180.51	181.70	-18.2%	0.7%	160.00	200.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	156.27	208.58	206.88	32.4%	-0.8%	160.00	250.00
Sugar	1Kg.	89.41	97.12	97.17	8.7%	0.0%	92.00	105.00
Firewood	50Kg.	400.00	457.50	457.50	14.4%	0.0%	450.00	480.00
Sunlight	130g.	27.00	30.00	30.00	11.1%	0.0%	30.00	30.00
Khomba	75g.	33.00	35.00	35.00	6.1%	0.0%	35.00	35.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	716.77	736.19	725.00	1.1%	-1.5%	600.00	800.00
Mullet	1Kg.	617.25	676.15	689.23	11.7%	1.9%	600.00	760.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	744.59	719.69	728.48	-2.2%	1.2%	590.00	800.00
Balaya	1Kg.	466.87	476.47	451.18	-3.4%	-5.3%	400.00	560.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	635.36	652.22	643.60	1.3%	-1.3%	490.00	720.00
Mora	1Kg.	467.66	483.33	480.56	2.8%	-0.6%	400.00	550.00
Salaya	1Kg.	150.29	158.15	145.50	-3.2%	-8.0%	120.00	200.00
Parati	1Kg.	490.57	506.67	476.11	-2.9%	-6.0%	400.00	560.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	412.30	453.00	461.25	11.9%	1.8%	400.00	550.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	857.62	880.57	885.63	3.3%	0.6%	720.00	1000.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	363.02	373.59	375.54	3.4%	0.5%	300.00	400.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	353.90	385.00	404.24	14.2%	5.0%	300.00	500.00
Beef	1Kg.	451.92	466.84	460.00	1.8%	-1.5%	400.00	500.00
Mutton	1Kg.	788.50	870.00	870.00	10.3%	0.0%	850.00	900.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	483.28	487.00	486.84	0.7%	0.0%	450.00	500.00
Broiler	1Kg.	351.53	350.00	350.00	-0.4%	0.0%	350.00	350.00
Pork	1Kg.	459.38	483.33	487.50	6.1%	0.9%	480.00	500.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	15.20	10.74	11.23	-26.1%	4.6%	9.50	12.50
Egg - Red	Each	15.54	11.17	11.44	-26.4%	2.5%	10.00	12.50
White	Each	14.85	10.30	11.01	-25.9%	6.8%	9.50	12.00
Tin Fish	425g.	198.58	225.00	225.00	13.3%	0.0%	225.00	225.00
Lakspray	400g.	240.40	260.00	260.00	8.2%	0.0%	260.00	260.00
Anchor	400g.	244.00	264.00	264.00	8.2%	0.0%	264.00	264.00
Lactogen - II	400g.	293.44	320.00	320.00	9.1%	0.0%	320.00	320.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	318.04	350.00	350.00	10.0%	0.0%	350.00	350.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	72.92	69.22	67.58	-7.3%	-2.4%	50.00	80.00
Anamalu	Each	12.13	13.12	12.70	4.7%	-3.2%	10.00	15.00
Kolikuttu	Each	14.86	15.11	14.91	0.3%	-1.3%	12.00	18.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	51.74	67.59	68.56	32.5%	1.4%	60.00	90.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	125.62	94.37	93.46	-25.6%	-1.0%	68.21	120.00
Bread	450g.	42.10	48.96	48.96	16.3%	0.0%	45.00	50.00

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