

**OPEN MARKET WEEKLY AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES - 3rd Week of April'2013**

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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	74.09	103.57	99.57	34.4%	-3.9%	80.00	120.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	59.64	70.00	66.67	11.8%	-4.8%	60.00	80.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	76.87	93.49	95.35	24.0%	2.0%	80.00	120.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	73.13	90.61	89.79	22.8%	-0.9%	80.00	120.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	96.88	129.78	131.89	36.1%	1.6%	120.00	160.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	58.46	73.19	71.67	22.6%	-2.1%	60.00	80.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	57.23	81.67	77.17	34.8%	-5.5%	60.00	100.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	74.49	91.30	91.16	22.4%	-0.2%	80.00	120.00
Gotukola	Bunch	16.22	22.33	22.50	38.7%	0.7%	15.00	30.00
Kankun	Bunch	22.18	24.00	23.44	5.7%	-2.3%	15.00	30.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	24.34	28.00	27.19	11.7%	-2.9%	15.00	35.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	31.99	31.88	31.11	-2.7%	-2.4%	25.00	40.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	91.54	114.69	115.20	25.8%	0.4%	100.00	120.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	91.98	85.45	85.53	-7.0%	0.1%	80.00	100.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	143.14	314.10	245.68	71.6%	-21.8%	200.00	300.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	142.06	229.10	214.67	51.1%	-6.3%	200.00	280.00
Leeks	1 kg.	101.92	114.58	116.59	14.4%	1.8%	100.00	120.00
Limes - Average	1 kg.	136.60	93.08	109.33	-20.0%	17.5%	100.00	120.00
Coconut - Average	Each	34.71	42.66	43.39	25.0%	1.7%	35.00	50.00
Coconut ( Large )	Each	39.39	47.81	48.40	22.9%	1.2%	45.00	50.00
Coconut ( Medium)	Each	34.67	42.48	43.52	25.5%	2.5%	38.00	46.00
Coconut ( small)	Each	30.08	37.70	38.24	27.1%	1.4%	35.00	40.00
Betel Leaves ( Average )	100 leaves	125.49	132.19	129.66	3.3%	-1.9%	75.00	175.00
Betel Leaves ( Medium)	100 leaves	146.82	151.88	155.15	5.7%	2.2%	112.50	175.00
Betel Leaves ( Small)	100 leaves	104.17	112.50	104.17	0.0%	-7.4%	75.00	125.00
Areanuts ( Average )	100 Nuts	300.27	295.57	308.55	2.8%	4.4%	200.00	400.00
Areanuts ( Medium )	100 Nuts	335.90	333.64	352.94	5.1%	5.8%	300.00	400.00
Areanuts ( Small )	100 Nuts	264.64	257.50	264.17	-0.2%	2.6%	200.00	300.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	112.94	107.69	108.67	-3.8%	0.9%	100.00	120.00
Imported	1 Kg	86.62	71.19	69.83	-19.4%	-1.9%	60.00	80.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	164.72	192.24	190.30	15.5%	-1.0%	170.00	200.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	22.41	27.06	27.19	21.3%	0.5%	15.00	30.00
Nivithi	Bunch	30.00	34.33	34.67	15.6%	1.0%	25.00	50.00
Sarana	Bunch	29.89	30.88	31.00	3.7%	0.4%	15.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	28.26	34.69	34.69	22.8%	0.0%	20.00	50.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	122.44	160.00	160.00	30.7%	0.0%	160.00	160.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	100.29	97.14	98.10	-2.2%	1.0%	80.00	120.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	81.26	89.47	88.22	8.6%	-1.4%	80.00	100.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	93.95	128.10	134.10	42.7%	4.7%	120.00	160.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	59.39	102.29	109.33	84.1%	6.9%	100.00	120.00
Carrot	1 kg.	82.53	130.21	134.64	63.1%	3.4%	120.00	160.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	350.84						
Knol Khol	1 kg.	95.09	110.87	110.13	15.8%	-0.7%	100.00	120.00
Raddish	1 kg.	65.41	75.15	74.19	13.4%	-1.3%	60.00	80.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	65.80	112.63	106.51	61.9%	-5.4%	100.00	120.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	230.72	248.72	235.90	2.2%	-5.2%	220.00	260.00
Corriander	1Kg.	267.77	290.00	290.33	8.4%	0.1%	260.00	300.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1555.33	1250.00	1252.63	-19.5%	0.2%	1200.00	1400.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	656.87	678.33	666.30	1.4%	-1.8%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	196.84	276.13	280.00	42.2%	1.4%	250.00	300.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	636.93	695.71	700.00	9.9%	0.6%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	449.57	450.00	466.07	3.7%	3.6%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	268.41	319.35	317.24	18.2%	-0.7%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	236.08	264.85	264.85	12.2%	0.0%	200.00	300.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1531.75	1711.76	1683.33	9.9%	-1.7%	1600.00	1800.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	394.01	377.50	366.45	-7.0%	-2.9%	300.00	400.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1896.22	1731.48	1742.22	-8.1%	0.6%	1600.00	1800.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	32.70	33.35	33.29	1.8%	-0.2%	30.00	40.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	225.44	161.07	189.17	-16.1%	17.4%	150.00	200.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	104.61	129.47	132.43	26.6%	2.3%	80.00	180.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.							
Imported	1kg.	86.28	74.29	72.67	-15.8%	-2.2%	60.00	80.00

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Raw Red - ( Average )	1 Kg.	55.25	59.96	58.68	6.2%	-2.1%	50.00	65.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	57.68	63.33	60.91	5.6%	-3.8%	60.00	65.00
Raw Red - No 2.	1 Kg.	52.81	56.59	56.45	6.9%	-0.2%	50.00	60.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	52.39	57.87	57.84	10.4%	0.0%	50.00	60.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	60.34	61.86	63.93	6.0%	3.3%	60.00	70.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	58.06	60.38	60.31	3.9%	-0.1%	55.00	65.00
Samba - ( Average )	1 Kg.	68.99	72.14	71.17	3.2%	-1.3%	65.00	80.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	70.36	74.80	73.30	4.2%	-2.0%	70.00	80.00
Samba - No 2.	1 Kg.	67.62	69.47	69.04	2.1%	-0.6%	65.00	70.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	84.57	99.88	99.66	17.8%	-0.2%	90.00	105.00
Mysore Dhall - ( Average )	1 Kg.	150.39	159.31	157.79	4.9%	-1.0%	140.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	163.90	172.42	173.94	6.1%	0.9%	160.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	150.35	160.08	156.76	4.3%	-2.1%	150.00	160.00
Mysore Dhall - No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	136.91	145.42	142.67	4.2%	-1.9%	140.00	150.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	232.48	266.49	259.21	11.5%	-2.7%	220.00	300.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	232.68	305.60	302.57	30.0%	-1.0%	270.00	320.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	225.78	197.65	199.08	-11.8%	0.7%	170.00	240.00
Sugar	1Kg.	98.90	102.34	100.30	1.4%	-2.0%	95.00	105.00
Firewood	50Kg.	467.50	505.83	500.00	7.0%	-1.2%	450.00	550.00
Sunlight	130g.	34.00	37.00	37.00	8.8%	0.0%	37.00	37.00
Khomba	75g.	37.00	39.00	39.00	5.4%	0.0%	39.00	39.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	712.00	699.13	731.33	2.7%	4.6%	600.00	800.00
Mullet	1Kg.	673.12	613.75	612.00	-9.1%	-0.3%	480.00	720.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	753.49	722.22	748.40	-0.7%	3.6%	550.00	800.00
Balaya	1Kg.	469.61	494.17	548.57	16.8%	11.0%	450.00	600.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	692.06	625.22	657.22	-5.0%	5.1%	480.00	720.00
Mora	1Kg.	496.12	515.71	500.00	0.8%	-3.0%	450.00	560.00
Salaya	1Kg.	151.63	146.90	139.20	-8.2%	-5.2%	120.00	160.00
Parati	1Kg.	497.19	521.11	511.82	2.9%	-1.8%	440.00	560.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	434.61	459.38	476.67	9.7%	3.8%	420.00	550.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	961.74	1044.32	1046.75	8.8%	0.2%	900.00	1200.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	441.07	654.63	661.84	50.1%	1.1%	600.00	800.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	403.54	528.91	517.50	28.2%	-2.2%	400.00	600.00
Beef	1Kg.	491.01	542.00	550.48	12.1%	1.6%	540.00	580.00
Mutton	1Kg.	997.88	1140.91	1138.46	14.1%	-0.2%	1100.00	1200.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	425.03	464.00	497.22	17.0%	7.2%	460.00	550.00
Broiler	1Kg.	349.17	380.00	380.00	8.8%	0.0%	380.00	380.00
Pork	1Kg.	469.25	425.00	427.50	-8.9%	0.6%	400.00	460.00
Egg - ( Average )	Each	10.49	14.15	11.60	10.6%	-18.1%	10.50	14.00
Egg - Red	Each	10.68	14.48	11.90	11.5%	-17.8%	11.00	14.00
Egg - White	Each	10.30	13.83	11.29	9.6%	-18.4%	10.50	13.50
Tin Fish	425g.	226.37	230.00	230.00	1.6%	0.0%	230.00	230.00
Lakspray	400g.	260.00	306.67	315.00	21.2%	2.7%	315.00	315.00
Anchor	400g.	264.00	325.00	325.00	23.1%	0.0%	325.00	325.00
Lactogen - II	400g.	329.39	415.00	415.00	26.0%	0.0%	415.00	415.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	383.15	410.00	410.00	7.0%	0.0%	410.00	410.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	70.92	75.34	75.16	6.0%	-0.2%	60.00	80.00
Anamalu	Each	12.77	13.38	13.37	4.7%	0.0%	12.00	15.00
Kolikuttu	Each	15.27	15.76	15.64	2.4%	-0.7%	14.00	18.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	80.54	73.50	72.58	-9.9%	-1.3%	60.00	80.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	96.41	93.72	100.65	4.4%	7.4%	80.00	120.00
Bread	450g.	52.55	60.00	60.00	14.2%	0.0%	60.00	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