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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	74.09	99.57	97.14	31.1%	-2.4%	80.00	120.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	59.64	66.67	69.09	15.9%	3.6%	60.00	80.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	76.87	95.35	97.84	27.3%	2.6%	80.00	120.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	73.13	89.79	95.00	29.9%	5.8%	80.00	120.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	96.88	131.89	132.22	36.5%	0.3%	120.00	160.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	58.46	71.67	74.58	27.6%	4.1%	60.00	80.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	57.23	77.17	83.64	46.1%	8.4%	80.00	100.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	74.49	91.16	94.50	26.9%	3.7%	80.00	120.00
Gotukola	Bunch	16.22	22.50	22.69	39.9%	0.9%	15.00	30.00
Kankun	Bunch	22.18	23.44	23.33	5.2%	-0.4%	20.00	30.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	24.34	27.19	27.67	13.7%	1.8%	15.00	35.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	31.99	31.11	31.25	-2.3%	0.4%	20.00	40.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	91.54	115.20	114.38	24.9%	-0.7%	100.00	120.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	91.98	85.53	93.00	1.1%	8.7%	80.00	100.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	143.14	245.68	224.36	56.7%	-8.7%	200.00	300.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	142.06	214.67	175.24	23.4%	-18.4%	160.00	220.00
Leeks	1 kg.	101.92	116.59	119.50	17.3%	2.5%	100.00	120.00
Limes - Average	1 kg.	136.60	109.33	118.11	-13.5%	8.0%	100.00	150.00
Coconut - Average	Each	34.71	43.39	44.07	26.9%	1.6%	35.00	50.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	39.39	48.40	48.90	24.1%	1.0%	45.00	50.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	34.67	43.52	44.24	27.6%	1.6%	40.00	48.00
Coconut (small)	Each	30.08	38.24	39.05	29.8%	2.1%	35.00	40.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	125.49	129.66	132.40	5.5%	2.1%	75.00	175.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	146.82	155.15	157.50	7.3%	1.5%	112.50	175.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	104.17	104.17	107.29	3.0%	3.0%	75.00	125.00
Areanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	300.27	308.55	314.78	4.8%	2.0%	200.00	400.00
Areanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	335.90	352.94	365.38	8.8%	3.5%	300.00	400.00
Areanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	264.64	264.17	264.17	-0.2%	0.0%	200.00	300.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	112.94	108.67	106.15	-6.0%	-2.3%	100.00	120.00
Imported	1 Kg	86.62	69.83	69.52	-19.7%	-0.4%	60.00	80.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	164.72	190.30	187.76	14.0%	-1.3%	170.00	200.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	22.41	27.19	27.33	22.0%	0.5%	20.00	30.00
Nivithi	Bunch	30.00	34.67	35.00	16.7%	1.0%	25.00	50.00
Sarana	Bunch	29.89	31.00	31.33	4.8%	1.1%	20.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	28.26	34.69	35.00	23.9%	0.9%	20.00	50.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	122.44	160.00	186.67	52.5%	16.7%	160.00	200.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	100.29	98.10	125.84	25.5%	28.3%	120.00	160.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	81.26	88.22	91.11	12.1%	3.3%	80.00	100.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	93.95	134.10	145.00	54.3%	8.1%	120.00	160.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	59.39	109.33	111.63	87.9%	2.1%	100.00	120.00
Carrot	1 kg.	82.53	134.64	141.46	71.4%	5.1%	120.00	160.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	350.84						
Knol Khol	1 kg.	95.09	110.13	129.00	35.7%	17.1%	120.00	160.00
Raddish	1 kg.	65.41	74.19	84.44	29.1%	13.8%	80.00	100.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	65.80	106.51	94.88	44.2%	-10.9%	80.00	120.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	230.72	235.90	241.00	4.5%	2.2%	220.00	260.00
Corriander	1Kg.	267.77	290.33	294.81	10.1%	1.5%	260.00	300.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1555.33	1252.63	1255.26	-19.3%	0.2%	1200.00	1400.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	656.87	666.30	667.39	1.6%	0.2%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	196.84	280.00	288.82	46.7%	3.2%	250.00	300.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	636.93	700.00	713.33	12.0%	1.9%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	449.57	466.07	466.67	3.8%	0.1%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	268.41	317.24	329.63	22.8%	3.9%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	236.08	264.85	260.00	10.1%	-1.8%	200.00	300.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1531.75	1683.33	1692.50	10.5%	0.5%	1600.00	1800.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	394.01	366.45	374.07	-5.1%	2.1%	300.00	400.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1896.22	1742.22	1800.00	-5.1%	3.3%	1600.00	2000.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	32.70	33.29	33.00	0.9%	-0.9%	30.00	40.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	225.44	189.17	189.13	-16.1%	0.0%	150.00	200.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	104.61	132.43	126.32	20.8%	-4.6%	80.00	160.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.							
Imported	1kg.	86.28	72.67	72.19	-16.3%	-0.6%	60.00	80.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	55.25	58.68	59.63	7.9%	1.6%	50.00	65.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	57.68	60.91	61.67	6.9%	1.2%	60.00	65.00
Raw Red - No 2.	1 Kg.	52.81	56.45	57.59	9.0%	2.0%	50.00	60.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	52.39	57.84	58.72	12.1%	1.5%	50.00	60.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	60.34	63.93	62.56	3.7%	-2.1%	60.00	70.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	58.06	60.31	60.80	4.7%	0.8%	55.00	65.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	68.99	71.17	72.34	4.9%	1.6%	65.00	80.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	70.36	73.30	75.08	6.7%	2.4%	70.00	80.00
Samba - No 2.	1 Kg.	67.62	69.04	69.60	2.9%	0.8%	65.00	70.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	84.57	99.66	98.32	16.3%	-1.3%	90.00	105.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	150.39	157.79	159.00	5.7%	0.8%	140.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	163.90	173.94	173.45	5.8%	-0.3%	160.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	150.35	156.76	158.37	5.3%	1.0%	150.00	160.00
Mysore Dhall - No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	136.91	142.67	145.17	6.0%	1.8%	140.00	150.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	232.48	259.21	261.82	12.6%	1.0%	220.00	300.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	232.68	302.57	303.47	30.4%	0.3%	280.00	320.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	225.78	199.08	199.14	-11.8%	0.0%	170.00	240.00
Sugar	1Kg.	98.90	100.30	99.58	0.7%	-0.7%	95.00	105.00
Firewood	50Kg.	467.50	500.00	500.00	7.0%	0.0%	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	731.33	746.67	4.9%	2.1%	600.00	800.00
Mullet	1Kg.	673.12	612.00	645.00	-4.2%	5.4%	480.00	720.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	753.49	748.40	760.80	1.0%	1.7%	550.00	800.00
Balaya	1Kg.	469.61	548.57	546.92	16.5%	-0.3%	450.00	600.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	692.06	657.22	671.25	-3.0%	2.1%	480.00	720.00
Mora	1Kg.	496.12	500.00	540.00	8.8%	8.0%	450.00	600.00
Salaya	1Kg.	151.63	139.20	134.40	-11.4%	-3.4%	120.00	160.00
Parati	1Kg.	497.19	511.82	508.18	2.2%	-0.7%	440.00	560.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	434.61	476.67	465.71	7.2%	-2.3%	400.00	550.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	961.74	1046.75	1010.00	5.0%	-3.5%	800.00	1200.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	441.07	661.84	650.26	47.4%	-1.7%	600.00	800.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	403.54	517.50	516.81	28.1%	-0.1%	400.00	600.00
Beef	1Kg.	491.01	550.48	547.62	11.5%	-0.5%	500.00	580.00
Mutton	1Kg.	997.88	1138.46	1150.00	15.2%	1.0%	1100.00	1200.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	425.03	497.22	496.32	16.8%	-0.2%	450.00	540.00
Broiler	1Kg.	349.17	380.00	380.00	8.8%	0.0%	380.00	380.00
Pork	1Kg.	469.25	427.50	425.00	-9.4%	-0.6%	400.00	450.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	10.49	11.60	11.25	7.2%	-3.0%	10.00	14.00
Egg - Red	Each	10.68	11.90	11.89	11.4%	-0.1%	10.50	14.00
Egg - White	Each	10.30	11.29	10.60	3.0%	-6.1%	10.00	13.00
Tin Fish	425g.	226.37	230.00	230.00	1.6%	0.0%	230.00	230.00
Lakspray	400g.	260.00	315.00	325.00	25.0%	3.2%	325.00	325.00
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	75.16	74.23	4.7%	-1.2%	60.00	80.00
Anamalu	Each	12.77	13.37	13.35	4.5%	-0.1%	12.00	15.00
Kolikuttu	Each	15.27	15.64	15.50	1.5%	-0.9%	14.00	18.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	80.54	72.58	72.00	-10.6%	-0.8%	60.00	80.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	96.41	100.65	101.07	4.8%	0.4%	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