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		2012 Sep.	1st Week Sep.2013	2nd Week Sep.2013	2012 Sep.	1st Week Sep.2013		
Ash Plantain	1 kg.	85.52	92.75	95.71	11.9%	3.2%	80.00	120.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	73.32	76.25	76.67	4.6%	0.5%	60.00	80.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	86.39	86.90	88.00	1.9%	1.3%	60.00	100.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	96.74	91.13	88.00	-9.0%	-3.4%	80.00	120.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	132.96	125.88	126.51	-4.9%	0.5%	120.00	160.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	68.93	83.00	72.63	5.4%	-12.5%	60.00	80.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	88.58	83.48	82.17	-7.2%	-1.6%	80.00	120.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	94.63	98.44	96.89	2.4%	-1.6%	80.00	120.00
Gotukola	Bunch	19.74	21.92	22.31	13.0%	1.8%	10.00	30.00
Kankun	Bunch	24.09	24.67	25.00	3.8%	1.4%	20.00	30.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	25.12	27.67	27.86	10.9%	0.7%	20.00	30.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	24.26	31.36	32.00	31.9%	2.0%	30.00	40.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	106.39	115.45	114.84	7.9%	-0.5%	100.00	120.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	104.62	110.53	112.05	7.1%	1.4%	80.00	120.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	140.01	203.04	157.35	12.4%	-22.5%	100.00	200.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	134.60	125.78	123.81	-8.0%	-1.6%	120.00	160.00
Leeks	1 kg.	113.19	125.78	125.24	10.6%	-0.4%	120.00	160.00
Limes - Average	1 kg.	462.09	467.14	514.29	11.3%	10.1%	400.00	600.00
Coconut - Average	Each	33.25	42.38	43.33	30.3%	2.3%	30.00	50.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	38.24	47.20	48.54	26.9%	2.8%	45.00	50.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	33.60	42.38	43.21	28.6%	2.0%	40.00	45.00
Coconut (small)	Each	27.90	37.56	38.25	37.1%	1.8%	30.00	40.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	119.33	129.85	158.19	32.6%	21.8%	112.50	200.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	139.49	151.04	184.82	32.5%	22.4%	137.50	200.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	99.17	108.65	131.56	32.7%	21.1%	112.50	150.00
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	324.96	318.62	407.14	25.3%	27.8%	300.00	500.00
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	382.78	363.08	464.29	21.3%	27.9%	350.00	500.00
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	267.15	274.17	350.00	31.0%	27.7%	300.00	400.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	102.71	148.25	140.50	36.8%	-5.2%	120.00	160.00
Imported	1 Kg	76.71	100.56	102.70	33.9%	2.1%	90.00	120.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	161.35	193.21	194.29	20.4%	0.6%	180.00	200.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	23.38	27.33	27.86	19.1%	1.9%	20.00	30.00
Nivithi	Bunch	26.84	32.69	32.92	22.6%	0.7%	25.00	40.00
Sarana	Bunch	26.10	30.36	30.77	17.9%	1.4%	20.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	27.41	32.31	32.50	18.6%	0.6%	30.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	200.00	186.67	146.67	-26.7%	-21.4%	120.00	160.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	128.90	127.73	101.02	-21.6%	-20.9%	80.00	120.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	99.76	95.00	91.11	-8.7%	-4.1%	80.00	100.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	115.62	91.11	92.12	-20.3%	1.1%	80.00	120.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	96.46	105.91	101.46	5.2%	-4.2%	80.00	120.00
Carrot	1 kg.	129.87	117.33	100.75	-22.4%	-14.1%	80.00	120.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	129.49	123.43	125.00	-3.5%	1.3%	100.00	160.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	99.97	100.87	96.67	-3.3%	-4.2%	80.00	120.00
Raddish	1 kg.	72.31	91.25	95.24	31.7%	4.4%	80.00	120.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	72.92	96.82	107.66	47.6%	11.2%	80.00	120.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	225.99	227.73	232.33	2.8%	2.0%	220.00	260.00
Corriander	1Kg.	284.09	292.86	292.00	2.8%	-0.3%	260.00	300.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1262.04	1195.65	1152.38	-8.7%	-3.6%	1000.00	1300.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	641.66	679.57	653.64	1.9%	-3.8%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	278.56	212.96	229.03	-17.8%	7.5%	200.00	280.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	657.99	720.00	716.13	8.8%	-0.5%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	459.54	458.28	471.43	2.6%	2.9%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	284.44	326.92	330.97	16.4%	1.2%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	260.77	261.67	267.58	2.6%	2.3%	200.00	300.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1501.41	1654.76	1620.00	7.9%	-2.1%	1400.00	1800.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	395.40	378.57	361.11	-8.7%	-4.6%	300.00	400.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1721.88	1877.78	1808.00	5.0%	-3.7%	1600.00	2000.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	33.73	34.30	34.32	1.7%	0.1%	30.00	40.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	215.23	192.07	192.07	-10.8%	0.0%	150.00	200.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	84.86	173.37	172.68	103.5%	-0.4%	140.00	240.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	70.28	146.49	129.72	84.6%	-11.4%	120.00	160.00
Imported	1kg.	73.76	117.62	108.63	47.3%	-7.6%	100.00	120.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	58.06	59.00	58.65	1.0%	-0.6%	45.00	65.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	59.73	61.50	61.36	2.7%	-0.2%	60.00	65.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	56.39	56.51	55.93	-0.8%	-1.0%	45.00	60.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	58.37	57.74	57.66	-1.2%	-0.1%	52.00	65.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	59.56	62.16	62.05	4.2%	-0.2%	60.00	70.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	59.74	60.18	60.18	0.7%	0.0%	56.00	65.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	70.83	70.10	71.05	0.3%	1.4%	65.00	80.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	72.29	71.15	73.00	1.0%	2.6%	70.00	80.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	69.37	69.04	69.10	-0.4%	0.1%	65.00	70.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	93.24	97.40	97.83	4.9%	0.4%	90.00	105.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	147.45	157.63	158.57	7.5%	0.6%	140.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	162.20	170.63	173.33	6.9%	1.6%	160.00	180.00
No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	146.30	156.03	156.97	7.3%	0.6%	150.00	160.00
No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	133.85	146.22	145.41	8.6%	-0.6%	140.00	150.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	229.35	249.27	240.47	4.9%	-3.5%	220.00	280.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	259.37	287.29	289.49	11.6%	0.8%	260.00	320.00
Kadalai - Average		230.81	179.06	179.55	-22.2%	0.3%	150.00	220.00
Sugar	1Kg.	106.67	101.60	102.00	-4.4%	0.4%	95.00	105.00
Firewood	50Kg.	492.00	526.67	526.67	7.0%	0.0%	480.00	600.00
Sunlight	130g.	35.00	37.00	37.00	5.7%	0.0%	37.00	37.00
Khomba	75g.	38.00	39.00	39.00	2.6%	0.0%	39.00	39.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	806.54	781.11	765.00	-5.2%	-2.1%	680.00	840.00
Mullet	1Kg.	740.77	703.33	725.00	-2.1%	3.1%	600.00	800.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	829.03	786.79	780.87	-5.8%	-0.8%	640.00	860.00
Balaya	1Kg.	509.01	498.18	490.00	-3.7%	-1.6%	440.00	560.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	677.04	675.00	677.50	0.1%	0.4%	520.00	800.00
Mora	1Kg.	539.77	576.00	560.00	3.7%	-2.8%	520.00	600.00
Salaya	1Kg.	175.31	175.77	165.91	-5.4%	-5.6%	140.00	200.00
Parati	1Kg.	547.12	596.25	583.33	6.6%	-2.2%	480.00	680.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	477.39	498.95	493.68	3.4%	-1.1%	420.00	560.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1030.08	1016.88	1001.29	-2.8%	-1.5%	800.00	1200.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	444.17	684.17	670.30	50.9%	-2.0%	600.00	800.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	402.39	506.11	508.33	26.3%	0.4%	400.00	600.00
Beef	1Kg.	506.06	550.63	546.25	7.9%	-0.8%	520.00	580.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1101.20	1187.50	1185.00	7.6%	-0.2%	1100.00	1200.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	425.22	442.50	424.17	-0.2%	-4.1%	400.00	450.00
Broiler	1Kg.	350.00	380.00	380.00	8.6%	0.0%	380.00	380.00
Pork	1Kg.	423.63	430.00	440.00	3.9%	2.3%	400.00	460.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	13.91	13.65	13.51	-2.9%	-1.0%	11.50	15.00
Egg - Red	Each	14.20	14.05	14.02	-1.3%	-0.2%	12.50	15.00
White	Each	13.63	13.25	13.00	-4.6%	-1.9%	11.50	14.00
Tin Fish		230.00	230.00	230.00	0.0%	0.0%	230.00	230.00
Lakspray	400g.	315.00	325.00	325.00	3.2%	0.0%	325.00	325.00
Anchor	400g.	325.00	325.00	325.00	0.0%	0.0%	325.00	325.00
Lactogen - II	400g.	388.75	440.00	440.00	13.2%	0.0%	440.00	440.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	410.00	409.44	415.00	1.2%	1.4%	390.00	440.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	71.55	71.26	75.33	5.3%	5.7%	60.00	80.00
Anamalu	Each	13.07	13.58	13.52	3.4%	-0.4%	12.00	15.00
Kolikuttu	Each	16.10	15.30	15.32	-4.9%	0.1%	13.00	18.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	70.21	87.58	87.06	24.0%	-0.6%	70.00	100.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	97.17	116.50	106.71	9.8%	-8.4%	80.00	120.00
Bread	450g.	57.30	60.00	60.00	4.7%	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