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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	129.26	99.30	101.25	-21.7%	2.0%	80.00	120.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	87.35	95.56	93.33	6.8%	-2.3%	80.00	120.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	153.54	110.20	111.33	-27.5%	1.0%	80.00	120.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	104.55	92.60	92.41	-11.6%	-0.2%	80.00	120.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	164.12	141.82	147.27	-10.3%	3.8%	120.00	160.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	88.38	86.17	84.80	-4.1%	-1.6%	60.00	100.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	73.42	71.70	70.37	-4.2%	-1.9%	60.00	100.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	115.84	98.72	98.00	-15.4%	-0.7%	80.00	120.00
Gotukola	Bunch	22.55	20.83	20.42	-9.5%	-2.0%	10.00	30.00
Kankun	Bunch	25.79	26.54	26.43	2.5%	-0.4%	20.00	30.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	30.76	25.00	24.67	-19.8%	-1.3%	20.00	30.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	32.38	30.83	30.00	-7.3%	-2.7%	20.00	40.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	127.70	112.41	110.37	-13.6%	-1.8%	80.00	120.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	164.74	112.17	110.91	-32.7%	-1.1%	80.00	120.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	415.67	168.11	169.39	-59.2%	0.8%	100.00	200.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	251.05	170.00	169.03	-32.7%	-0.6%	160.00	200.00
Leeks	1 kg.	134.31	98.89	98.13	-26.9%	-0.8%	80.00	120.00
Limes - Average	1 kg.	197.96	145.68	149.20	-24.6%	2.4%	100.00	200.00
Coconut - Average	Each	39.85	47.15	45.93	15.3%	-2.6%	35.00	60.00
Coconut ( Large )	Each	45.34	53.15	52.59	16.0%	-1.1%	50.00	60.00
Coconut ( Medium )	Each	40.32	47.05	45.56	13.0%	-3.2%	40.00	50.00
Coconut ( small )	Each	33.88	41.25	39.65	17.1%	-3.9%	35.00	45.00
Betel Leaves ( Average )	100 leaves	131.89	132.47	134.21	1.8%	1.3%	87.50	175.00
Betel Leaves ( Medium )	100 leaves	152.45	153.57	153.46	0.7%	-0.1%	125.00	175.00
Betel Leaves ( Small )	100 leaves	111.34	111.36	114.95	3.2%	3.2%	87.50	150.00
Arecanuts ( Average )	100 Nuts	281.51	313.44	319.33	13.4%	1.9%	250.00	400.00
Arecanuts ( Medium )	100 Nuts	327.76	351.33	354.12	8.0%	0.8%	300.00	400.00
Arecanuts ( Small )	100 Nuts	235.27	275.56	284.55	20.9%	3.3%	250.00	350.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	120.85	125.00	121.82	0.8%	-2.5%	100.00	140.00
Imported	1 Kg	75.19	85.71	86.21	14.6%	0.6%	70.00	100.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	181.67	213.21	212.50	17.0%	-0.3%	200.00	230.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	27.55	26.33	26.56	-3.6%	0.9%	20.00	30.00
Nivithi	Bunch	34.45	32.86	32.67	-5.2%	-0.6%	20.00	40.00
Sarana	Bunch	33.39	32.31	32.69	-2.1%	1.2%	20.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	37.48	32.86	33.21	-11.4%	1.1%	20.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	203.21	146.67	146.67	-27.8%	0.0%	120.00	160.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	155.49	103.06	101.76	-34.6%	-1.3%	80.00	120.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	119.71	98.79	96.74	-19.2%	-2.1%	80.00	120.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	143.28	102.13	96.80	-32.4%	-5.2%	80.00	120.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	118.44	73.91	74.44	-37.1%	0.7%	60.00	100.00
Carrot	1 kg.	172.28	104.49	103.00	-40.2%	-1.4%	80.00	120.00
Drumstick	1 kg.						0.00	0.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	151.67	113.04	109.17	-28.0%	-3.4%	80.00	120.00
Raddish	1 kg.	94.66	89.38	88.82	-6.2%	-0.6%	80.00	120.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	159.52	77.44	78.33	-50.9%	1.2%	60.00	80.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	252.58	230.00	230.56	-8.7%	0.2%	200.00	250.00
Corriander	1Kg.	281.32	385.86	385.20	36.9%	-0.2%	300.00	400.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1259.64	1331.58	1342.11	6.5%	0.8%	1200.00	1400.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	672.74	645.71	647.78	-3.7%	0.3%	550.00	700.00
Garlic	1Kg.	275.58	212.14	213.81	-22.4%	0.8%	200.00	250.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	705.52	713.33	711.54	0.9%	-0.3%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	471.93	470.69	474.00	0.4%	0.7%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	321.48	325.00	321.74	0.1%	-1.0%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	264.88	272.41	271.15	2.4%	-0.5%	200.00	300.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1698.59	1828.57	1833.33	7.9%	0.3%	1600.00	2000.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	365.54	584.29	586.84	60.5%	0.4%	500.00	600.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1732.28	1771.43	1717.86	-0.8%	-3.0%	1500.00	2000.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	34.11	34.61	34.56	1.3%	-0.2%	30.00	40.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	196.53	263.46	268.75	36.7%	2.0%	200.00	300.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	158.97	126.34	127.32	-19.9%	0.8%	90.00	160.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	0.00	108.00	110.00		1.9%	100.00	120.00
Imported	1kg.	92.63	78.85	78.08	-15.7%	-1.0%	70.00	100.00

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Raw Red - ( Average )	1 Kg.	60.94	67.16	67.68	11.1%	0.8%	60.00	75.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	63.38	69.19	69.93	10.3%	1.1%	68.00	75.00
Raw Red - No 2.	1 Kg.	58.50	65.13	65.42	11.8%	0.5%	60.00	68.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	60.30	67.32	67.00	11.1%	-0.5%	60.00	70.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	63.48	71.15	72.42	14.1%	1.8%	65.00	78.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	62.67	68.85	68.70	9.6%	-0.2%	64.00	70.00
Samba - ( Average )	1 Kg.	74.65	78.93	79.09	5.9%	0.2%	74.00	85.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	78.33	80.60	80.36	2.6%	-0.3%	75.00	85.00
Samba - No 2.	1 Kg.	70.98	77.25	77.83	9.6%	0.7%	74.00	80.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	98.79	97.38	97.07	-1.7%	-0.3%	90.00	100.00
Mysore Dhall - ( Average )	1 Kg.	148.91	158.81	159.35	7.0%	0.3%	140.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	162.07	174.57	172.76	6.6%	-1.0%	160.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	146.53	158.00	158.79	8.4%	0.5%	150.00	160.00
Mysore Dhall - No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	138.12	143.85	146.50	6.1%	1.8%	140.00	150.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	267.91	277.96	278.78	4.1%	0.3%	240.00	320.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	292.70	305.28	313.51	7.1%	2.7%	280.00	330.00
Kadalai - Average		200.36	160.91	165.25	-17.5%	2.7%	140.00	200.00
Sugar	1Kg.	100.97	101.86	101.70	0.7%	-0.2%	95.00	110.00
Firewood	50Kg.	486.67	547.14	547.14	12.4%	0.0%	480.00	600.00
Sunlight	130g.	37.00	40.00	40.00	8.1%	0.0%	40.00	40.00
Khomba	75g.	38.82	39.00	39.00	0.5%	0.0%	39.00	39.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	735.38	818.50	780.37	6.1%	-4.7%	700.00	900.00
Mullet	1Kg.	634.34	770.00	724.00	14.1%	-6.0%	600.00	800.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	738.87	826.33	823.10	11.4%	-0.4%	650.00	900.00
Balaya	1Kg.	534.49	504.67	496.88	-7.0%	-1.5%	440.00	560.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	629.73	724.00	698.46	10.9%	-3.5%	550.00	800.00
Mora	1Kg.	538.91	548.67	560.71	4.0%	2.2%	460.00	600.00
Salaya	1Kg.	173.40	154.14	132.86	-23.4%	-13.8%	120.00	160.00
Parati	1Kg.	606.54	540.91	531.82	-12.3%	-1.7%	400.00	600.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	495.41	457.14	426.84	-13.8%	-6.6%	350.00	500.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1013.49	1001.33	1031.18	1.7%	3.0%	800.00	1200.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	762.29	553.87	565.56	-25.8%	2.1%	480.00	600.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	505.43	524.03	508.18	0.5%	-3.0%	400.00	600.00
Beef	1Kg.	518.62	552.00	550.56	6.2%	-0.3%	520.00	580.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1136.44	1262.50	1270.83	11.8%	0.7%	1200.00	1300.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	466.97	477.14	476.67	2.1%	-0.1%	430.00	500.00
Broiler	1Kg.	380.00	380.00	380.00	0.0%	0.0%	380.00	380.00
Pork	1Kg.	420.83	482.00	496.00	17.9%	2.9%	450.00	550.00
Egg - ( Average )	Each	15.88	13.89	13.77	-13.3%	-0.9%	12.00	16.00
Egg - Red	Each	16.25	14.40	14.20	-12.6%	-1.4%	13.00	16.00
Egg - White	Each	15.50	13.38	13.33	-14.0%	-0.4%	12.00	15.00
Tin Fish		230.00	230.00	230.00	0.0%	0.0%	230.00	230.00
Lakspray	400g.	300.00	325.00	325.00	8.3%	0.0%	325.00	325.00
Anchor	400g.	325.00	325.00	361.60	11.3%	11.3%	325.00	386.00
Lactogen - II	400g.	415.00	443.57	465.00	12.0%	4.8%	465.00	465.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	410.00	460.00	465.00	13.4%	1.1%	465.00	465.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	73.14	70.14	67.44	-7.8%	-3.8%	60.00	80.00
Anamalu	Each	12.85	13.70	12.91	0.4%	-5.8%	12.00	16.50
Kolikuttu	Each	15.63	14.40	14.44	-7.6%	0.3%	12.00	18.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	129.87	68.28	68.49	-47.3%	0.3%	50.00	80.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	89.78	93.71	88.91	-1.0%	-5.1%	70.00	109.00
Bread	450g.	59.94	60.00	60.00	0.1%	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