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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	101.44	101.95	97.71	-3.7%	-4.2%	80.00	120.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	69.77	91.11	92.00	31.9%	1.0%	80.00	120.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	95.69	97.44	100.00	4.5%	2.6%	80.00	120.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	90.07	96.14	115.53	28.3%	20.2%	100.00	120.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	131.29	137.37	135.95	3.5%	-1.0%	120.00	160.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	72.51	74.68	74.26	2.4%	-0.6%	60.00	100.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	80.97	70.73	73.33	-9.4%	3.7%	60.00	100.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	94.12	102.97	105.64	12.2%	2.6%	80.00	120.00
Gotukola	Bunch	22.51	20.38	20.00	-11.1%	-1.9%	10.00	30.00
Kankun	Bunch	23.76	25.00	25.36	6.7%	1.4%	20.00	30.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	27.86	24.29	25.00	-10.3%	2.9%	20.00	30.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	31.68	31.82	30.91	-2.4%	-2.9%	30.00	40.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	114.17	115.63	111.18	-2.6%	-3.8%	80.00	120.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	89.18	105.31	111.61	25.2%	6.0%	80.00	120.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	284.82	194.27	247.02	-13.3%	27.2%	200.00	300.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	210.86	159.25	164.65	-21.9%	3.4%	120.00	200.00
Leeks	1 kg.	116.88	100.95	96.67	-17.3%	-4.2%	80.00	120.00
Limes - Average	1 kg.	102.03	145.11	142.27	39.4%	-2.0%	100.00	200.00
Coconut - Average	Each	43.17	46.36	46.09	6.8%	-0.6%	33.00	60.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	48.15	52.32	52.73	9.5%	0.8%	50.00	60.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	43.38	46.02	45.50	4.9%	-1.1%	40.00	50.00
Coconut (small)	Each	37.96	40.75	40.05	5.5%	-1.7%	33.00	45.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	131.85	150.45	157.21	19.2%	4.5%	100.00	200.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	154.83	171.09	176.92	14.3%	3.4%	125.00	200.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	108.87	129.81	137.50	26.3%	5.9%	100.00	150.00
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	302.80	319.32	348.96	15.2%	9.3%	300.00	400.00
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	345.68	363.64	372.92	7.9%	2.6%	300.00	400.00
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	259.92	275.00	325.00	25.0%	18.2%	300.00	350.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	106.89	124.55	129.67	21.3%	4.1%	100.00	140.00
Imported	1 Kg	69.23	92.17	100.00	44.4%	8.5%	90.00	120.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	190.94	219.13	218.80	14.6%	-0.2%	200.00	240.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	27.27	25.94	26.15	-4.1%	0.8%	20.00	30.00
Nivithi	Bunch	34.58	31.43	31.25	-9.6%	-0.6%	20.00	40.00
Sarana	Bunch	31.22	30.71	30.91	-1.0%	0.6%	20.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	34.69	32.08	31.67	-8.7%	-1.3%	20.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	174.17	150.00	142.86	-18.0%	-4.8%	120.00	160.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	113.31	107.35	103.40	-8.7%	-3.7%	80.00	120.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	89.76	95.14	98.70	10.0%	3.7%	80.00	120.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	135.31	100.02	101.79	-24.8%	1.8%	80.00	120.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	105.60	86.00	89.57	-15.2%	4.1%	80.00	120.00
Carrot	1 kg.	135.22	104.90	103.83	-23.2%	-1.0%	80.00	120.00
Drumstick	1 kg.		208.75	195.77		-6.2%	160.00	240.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	116.12	100.71	103.57	-10.8%	2.8%	80.00	120.00
Raddish	1 kg.	80.76	89.44	90.91	12.6%	1.6%	80.00	120.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	105.01	77.63	75.60	-28.0%	-2.6%	60.00	100.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	243.06	228.00	229.72	-5.5%	0.8%	200.00	250.00
Corriander	1Kg.	290.56	387.59	391.48	34.7%	1.0%	300.00	400.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1250.34	1307.89	1300.95	4.0%	-0.5%	1200.00	1400.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	673.38	641.67	627.27	-6.8%	-2.2%	500.00	700.00
Garlic	1Kg.	281.38	209.97	215.05	-23.6%	2.4%	200.00	300.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	703.43	737.04	712.58	1.3%	-3.3%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	464.26	472.22	466.07	0.4%	-1.3%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	320.99	326.92	320.00	-0.3%	-2.1%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	264.42	267.58	273.45	3.4%	2.2%	200.00	300.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1698.37	1800.00	1820.83	7.2%	1.2%	1600.00	2000.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	369.99	518.97	748.15	102.2%	44.2%	600.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1748.98	1809.52	1732.26	-1.0%	-4.3%	1500.00	1900.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	33.41	34.89	34.83	4.3%	-0.2%	30.00	40.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	170.58	244.76	238.89	40.0%	-2.4%	200.00	300.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	128.68	100.50	101.06	-21.5%	0.6%	80.00	140.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.							
Imported	1kg.	75.13	67.36	66.32	-11.7%	-1.5%	60.00	80.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	59.35	68.40	67.40	13.6%	-1.5%	60.00	75.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	61.73	70.85	68.21	10.5%	-3.7%	64.00	75.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	56.98	65.95	66.60	16.9%	1.0%	60.00	70.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	58.19	70.12	72.62	24.8%	3.6%	65.00	76.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	62.75	72.47	75.45	20.3%	4.1%	67.00	80.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	60.57	73.22	78.69	29.9%	7.5%	75.00	80.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	71.89	81.19	82.16	14.3%	1.2%	73.00	90.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	74.31	83.94	85.47	15.0%	1.8%	80.00	90.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	69.47	78.44	78.84	13.5%	0.5%	73.00	80.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	99.18	97.24	97.16	-2.0%	-0.1%	90.00	105.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	158.88	159.82	160.01	0.7%	0.1%	140.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	173.13	171.05	172.50	-0.4%	0.8%	160.00	180.00
No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	158.53	157.74	158.24	-0.2%	0.3%	140.00	160.00
No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	144.98	150.65	149.29	3.0%	-0.9%	140.00	160.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	262.80	258.34	250.38	-4.7%	-3.1%	200.00	320.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	304.08	327.52	328.52	8.0%	0.3%	300.00	360.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	198.47	157.21	160.22	-19.3%	1.9%	130.00	200.00
Sugar	1Kg.	101.55	103.06	103.75	2.2%	0.7%	95.00	110.00
Firewood	50Kg.	500.00	550.00	550.00	10.0%	0.0%	500.00	600.00
Sunlight	130g.	37.00	40.00	40.00	8.1%	0.0%	40.00	40.00
Khomba	75g.	39.00	41.00	41.00	5.1%	0.0%	41.00	41.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	721.98	711.85	702.86	-2.6%	-1.3%	600.00	800.00
Mullet	1Kg.	628.86	645.38	662.14	5.3%	2.6%	500.00	760.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	732.57	753.45	762.92	4.1%	1.3%	600.00	800.00
Balaya	1Kg.	519.92	508.33	515.00	-0.9%	1.3%	440.00	560.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	645.65	688.85	716.67	11.0%	4.0%	550.00	800.00
Mora	1Kg.	520.93	581.25	583.75	12.1%	0.4%	480.00	600.00
Salaya	1Kg.	141.86	103.87	108.46	-23.5%	4.4%	100.00	120.00
Parati	1Kg.	509.84	536.67	533.08	4.6%	-0.7%	440.00	600.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	469.37	410.00	423.08	-9.9%	3.2%	320.00	500.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1028.80	1045.95	1046.11	1.7%	0.0%	880.00	1200.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	658.06	561.39	571.14	-13.2%	1.7%	480.00	600.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	521.10	491.25	485.22	-6.9%	-1.2%	400.00	600.00
Beef	1Kg.	544.50	575.33	581.05	6.7%	1.0%	560.00	600.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1142.34	1263.00	1275.00	11.6%	1.0%	1250.00	1300.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	475.99	479.17	481.33	1.1%	0.5%	430.00	500.00
Broiler	1Kg.	380.00	380.00	380.00	0.0%	0.0%	380.00	380.00
Pork	1Kg.	421.88	562.50	560.00	32.7%	-0.4%	550.00	600.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	12.94	14.88	14.52	12.2%	-2.5%	13.00	18.00
Egg - Red	Each	13.36	15.24	14.93	11.7%	-2.0%	14.00	18.00
White	Each	12.51	14.53	14.11	12.7%	-2.9%	13.00	16.00
Tin Fish	400g.	230.00	230.00	230.00	0.0%	0.0%	230.00	230.00
Lakspray	400g.	311.67	325.00	325.00	4.3%	0.0%	325.00	325.00
Anchor	400g.	325.00	386.00	386.00	18.8%	0.0%	386.00	386.00
Lactogen - II	400g.	415.00	465.00	465.00	12.0%	0.0%	465.00	465.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	410.00	465.00	465.00	13.4%	0.0%	465.00	465.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	73.66	64.55	67.17	-8.8%	4.1%	50.00	80.00
Anamalu	Each	13.12	12.11	12.74	-2.9%	5.2%	10.00	15.00
Kolikuttu	Each	15.26	13.55	14.33	-6.1%	5.8%	12.00	17.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	85.53	74.72	81.36	-4.9%	8.9%	60.00	100.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	102.60	103.58	103.16	0.5%	-0.4%	80.00	120.00
Bread	450g.	60.00	60.00	60.00	0.0%	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