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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	101.44	97.71	98.86	-2.5%	1.2%	80.00	120.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	69.77	92.00	94.29	35.1%	2.5%	80.00	120.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	95.69	100.00	103.89	8.6%	3.9%	80.00	120.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	90.07	115.53	105.68	17.3%	-8.5%	80.00	120.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	131.29	135.95	136.77	4.2%	0.6%	120.00	160.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	72.51	74.26	76.38	5.3%	2.9%	60.00	100.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	80.97	73.33	75.88	-6.3%	3.5%	60.00	100.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	94.12	105.64	110.00	16.9%	4.1%	80.00	120.00
Gotukola	Bunch	22.51	20.00	19.62	-12.8%	-1.9%	10.00	30.00
Kankun	Bunch	23.76	25.36	25.00	5.2%	-1.4%	20.00	30.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	27.86	25.00	25.00	-10.3%	0.0%	20.00	30.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	31.68	30.91	31.43	-0.8%	1.7%	30.00	40.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	114.17	111.18	112.38	-1.6%	1.1%	80.00	120.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	89.18	111.61	113.60	27.4%	1.8%	80.00	120.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	284.82	247.02	250.50	-12.0%	1.4%	200.00	300.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	210.86	164.65	157.87	-25.1%	-4.1%	120.00	200.00
Leeks	1 kg.	116.88	96.67	94.39	-19.2%	-2.4%	80.00	120.00
Limes - Average	1 kg.	102.03	142.27	145.15	42.3%	2.0%	100.00	200.00
Coconut - Average	Each	43.17	46.09	47.18	9.3%	2.4%	30.00	60.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	48.15	52.73	54.12	12.4%	2.6%	50.00	60.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	43.38	45.50	46.43	7.0%	2.0%	40.00	50.00
Coconut (small)	Each	37.96	40.05	41.00	8.0%	2.4%	30.00	45.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	131.85	157.21	156.67	18.8%	-0.3%	100.00	200.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	154.83	176.92	177.08	14.4%	0.1%	125.00	200.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	108.87	137.50	136.25	25.1%	-0.9%	100.00	150.00
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	302.80	348.96	357.64	18.1%	2.5%	300.00	400.00
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	345.68	372.92	387.50	12.1%	3.9%	350.00	400.00
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	259.92	325.00	327.78	26.1%	0.9%	300.00	400.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	106.89	129.67	131.30	22.8%	1.3%	120.00	160.00
Imported	1 Kg	69.23	100.00	104.81	51.4%	4.8%	90.00	120.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	190.94	218.80	221.11	15.8%	1.1%	200.00	240.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	27.27	26.15	25.71	-5.7%	-1.7%	20.00	30.00
Nivithi	Bunch	34.58	31.25	31.25	-9.6%	0.0%	20.00	40.00
Sarana	Bunch	31.22	30.91	30.71	-1.6%	-0.6%	20.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	34.69	31.67	31.43	-9.4%	-0.8%	20.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	174.17	142.86	140.00	-19.6%	-2.0%	120.00	160.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	113.31	103.40	126.67	11.8%	22.5%	120.00	160.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	89.76	98.70	100.00	11.4%	1.3%	80.00	120.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	135.31	101.79	100.93	-25.4%	-0.8%	80.00	120.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	105.60	89.57	87.62	-17.0%	-2.2%	80.00	120.00
Carrot	1 kg.	135.22	103.83	109.05	-19.4%	5.0%	80.00	120.00
Drumstick	1 kg.		195.77	155.33		-20.7%	120.00	200.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	116.12	103.57	100.61	-13.4%	-2.9%	80.00	120.00
Raddish	1 kg.	80.76	90.91	94.29	16.7%	3.7%	80.00	120.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	105.01	75.60	77.95	-25.8%	3.1%	60.00	100.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	243.06	229.72	230.57	-5.1%	0.4%	200.00	250.00
Corriander	1Kg.	290.56	391.48	386.30	32.9%	-1.3%	300.00	400.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1250.34	1300.95	1315.79	5.2%	1.1%	1200.00	1400.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	673.38	627.27	639.13	-5.1%	1.9%	500.00	700.00
Garlic	1Kg.	281.38	215.05	222.86	-20.8%	3.6%	200.00	300.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	703.43	712.58	711.54	1.2%	-0.1%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	464.26	466.07	470.00	1.2%	0.8%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	320.99	320.00	314.58	-2.0%	-1.7%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	264.42	273.45	273.08	3.3%	-0.1%	200.00	300.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1698.37	1820.83	1855.00	9.2%	1.9%	1600.00	2000.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	369.99	748.15	744.44	101.2%	-0.5%	600.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1748.98	1732.26	1754.17	0.3%	1.3%	1500.00	1900.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	33.41	34.83	33.96	1.7%	-2.5%	30.00	40.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	170.58	238.89	254.35	49.1%	6.5%	200.00	300.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	128.68	101.06	117.10	-9.0%	15.9%	100.00	160.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.							
Imported	1kg.	75.13	66.32	68.65	-8.6%	3.5%	60.00	80.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	59.35	67.40	68.01	14.6%	0.9%	59.00	75.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	61.73	68.21	71.60	16.0%	5.0%	68.00	75.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	56.98	66.60	64.43	13.1%	-3.3%	59.00	70.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	58.19	72.62	68.88	18.4%	-5.1%	65.00	80.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	62.75	75.45	75.00	19.5%	-0.6%	68.00	80.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	60.57	78.69	73.36	21.1%	-6.8%	68.00	80.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	71.89	82.16	81.98	14.0%	-0.2%	75.00	90.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	74.31	85.47	86.04	15.8%	0.7%	80.00	90.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	69.47	78.84	77.92	12.2%	-1.2%	75.00	80.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	99.18	97.16	97.03	-2.2%	-0.1%	90.00	105.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	158.88	160.01	159.14	0.2%	-0.5%	140.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	173.13	172.50	172.42	-0.4%	0.0%	160.00	180.00
No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	158.53	158.24	158.33	-0.1%	0.1%	150.00	160.00
No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	144.98	149.29	146.67	1.2%	-1.8%	140.00	150.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	262.80	250.38	254.01	-3.3%	1.5%	200.00	320.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	304.08	328.52	322.98	6.2%	-1.7%	300.00	340.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	198.47	160.22	161.87	-18.4%	1.0%	130.00	200.00
Sugar	1Kg.	101.55	103.75	103.75	2.2%	0.0%	95.00	110.00
Firewood	50Kg.	500.00	550.00	533.33	6.7%	-3.0%	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	702.86	726.19	0.6%	3.3%	600.00	800.00
Mullet	1Kg.	628.86	662.14	653.64	3.9%	-1.3%	500.00	760.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	732.57	762.92	747.33	2.0%	-2.0%	600.00	800.00
Balaya	1Kg.	519.92	515.00	521.82	0.4%	1.3%	440.00	600.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	645.65	716.67	735.52	13.9%	2.6%	550.00	800.00
Mora	1Kg.	520.93	583.75	580.00	11.3%	-0.6%	450.00	600.00
Salaya	1Kg.	141.86	108.46	117.59	-17.1%	8.4%	100.00	160.00
Parati	1Kg.	509.84	533.08	560.00	9.8%	5.1%	400.00	600.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	469.37	423.08	440.77	-6.1%	4.2%	350.00	560.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1028.80	1046.11	1037.71	0.9%	-0.8%	880.00	1200.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	658.06	571.14	557.58	-15.3%	-2.4%	480.00	600.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	521.10	485.22	488.41	-6.3%	0.7%	400.00	600.00
Beef	1Kg.	544.50	581.05	574.71	5.5%	-1.1%	550.00	600.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1142.34	1275.00	1272.73	11.4%	-0.2%	1250.00	1300.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	475.99	481.33	482.94	1.5%	0.3%	430.00	500.00
Broiler	1Kg.	380.00	380.00	380.00	0.0%	0.0%	380.00	380.00
Pork	1Kg.	421.88	560.00	560.00	32.7%	0.0%	550.00	600.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	12.94	14.52	13.22	2.2%	-9.0%	12.00	15.00
Egg - Red	Each	13.36	14.93	13.77	3.1%	-7.7%	13.00	15.00
White	Each	12.51	14.11	12.66	1.2%	-10.2%	12.00	14.00
Tin Fish	425g.	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	67.17	67.44	-8.4%	0.4%	50.00	80.00
Anamalu	Each	13.12	12.74	12.87	-1.9%	1.0%	10.00	15.00
Kolikuttu	Each	15.26	14.33	14.47	-5.2%	0.9%	12.00	17.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	85.53	81.36	79.43	-7.1%	-2.4%	60.00	100.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	102.60	103.16	103.62	1.0%	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