

**OPEN MARKET WEEKLY AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES - 4th Week of April'2014**

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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	101.44	98.86	101.71	0.3%	2.9%	80.00	120.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	69.77	94.29	94.55	35.5%	0.3%	80.00	120.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	95.69	103.89	105.29	10.0%	1.4%	80.00	120.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	90.07	105.68	96.44	7.1%	-8.7%	80.00	120.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	131.29	136.77	142.50	8.5%	4.2%	120.00	160.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	72.51	76.38	77.50	6.9%	1.5%	60.00	100.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	80.97	75.88	76.34	-5.7%	0.6%	60.00	100.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	94.12	110.00	112.59	19.6%	2.4%	80.00	120.00
Gotukola	Bunch	22.51	19.62	20.00	-11.1%	2.0%	10.00	30.00
Kankun	Bunch	23.76	25.00	25.38	6.8%	1.5%	20.00	30.00
Kathumurunga	Bunch	27.86	25.00	25.45	-8.6%	1.8%	20.00	30.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	31.68	31.43	31.25	-1.4%	-0.6%	30.00	40.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	114.17	112.38	113.13	-0.9%	0.7%	80.00	120.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	89.18	113.60	111.20	24.7%	-2.1%	80.00	120.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	284.82	250.50	239.76	-15.8%	-4.3%	200.00	300.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	210.86	157.87	149.05	-29.3%	-5.6%	120.00	200.00
Leeks	1 kg.	116.88	94.39	96.90	-17.1%	2.7%	80.00	120.00
Limes - Average	1 kg.	102.03	145.15	157.44	54.3%	8.5%	100.00	200.00
Coconut - Average	Each	43.17	47.18	45.52	5.5%	-3.5%	30.00	60.00
Coconut ( Large )	Each	48.15	54.12	52.26	8.5%	-3.4%	50.00	60.00
Coconut ( Medium)	Each	43.38	46.43	46.30	6.7%	-0.3%	40.00	50.00
Coconut ( small)	Each	37.96	41.00	38.00	0.1%	-7.3%	30.00	43.00
Betel Leaves ( Average )	100 leaves	131.85	156.67	152.53	15.7%	-2.6%	100.00	200.00
Betel Leaves ( Medium)	100 leaves	154.83	177.08	175.59	13.4%	-0.8%	150.00	200.00
Betel Leaves ( Small)	100 leaves	108.87	136.25	129.46	18.9%	-5.0%	100.00	150.00
Arecanuts ( Average )	100 Nuts	302.80	357.64	361.08	19.2%	1.0%	300.00	400.00
Arecanuts ( Medium )	100 Nuts	345.68	387.50	390.91	13.1%	0.9%	350.00	400.00
Arecanuts ( Small )	100 Nuts	259.92	327.78	331.25	27.4%	1.1%	300.00	400.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	106.89	131.30	134.17	25.5%	2.2%	120.00	160.00
Imported	1 Kg	69.23	104.81	105.00	51.7%	0.2%	90.00	120.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	190.94	221.11	220.38	15.4%	-0.3%	200.00	240.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	27.27	25.71	25.36	-7.0%	-1.4%	20.00	30.00
Nivithi	Bunch	34.58	31.25	31.79	-8.1%	1.7%	20.00	40.00
Sarana	Bunch	31.22	30.71	31.43	0.7%	2.3%	20.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	34.69	31.43	32.14	-7.3%	2.3%	20.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	174.17	140.00	140.00	-19.6%	0.0%	120.00	160.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	113.31	126.67	128.15	13.1%	1.2%	120.00	160.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	89.76	100.00	101.48	13.1%	1.5%	80.00	120.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	135.31	100.93	100.00	-26.1%	-0.9%	80.00	120.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	105.60	87.62	89.71	-15.0%	2.4%	80.00	120.00
Carrot	1 kg.	135.22	109.05	111.76	-17.3%	2.5%	80.00	120.00
Drumstick	1 kg.		155.33	156.00		0.4%	120.00	200.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	116.12	100.61	101.92	-12.2%	1.3%	80.00	120.00
Raddish	1 kg.	80.76	94.29	95.22	17.9%	1.0%	80.00	120.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	105.01	77.95	78.40	-25.3%	0.6%	60.00	100.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	243.06	230.57	232.76	-4.2%	0.9%	200.00	250.00
Corriander	1Kg.	290.56	386.30	388.26	33.6%	0.5%	300.00	400.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1250.34	1315.79	1325.00	6.0%	0.7%	1200.00	1400.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	673.38	639.13	626.96	-6.9%	-1.9%	70.00	700.00
Garlic	1Kg.	281.38	222.86	221.30	-21.4%	-0.7%	200.00	300.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	703.43	711.54	723.91	2.9%	1.7%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	464.26	470.00	477.27	2.8%	1.5%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	320.99	314.58	316.67	-1.3%	0.7%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	264.42	273.08	267.39	1.1%	-2.1%	200.00	300.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1698.37	1855.00	1800.00	6.0%	-3.0%	200.00	2000.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	369.99	744.44	747.73	102.1%	0.4%	600.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1748.98	1754.17	1785.00	2.1%	1.8%	1500.00	1900.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	33.41	33.96	34.00	1.8%	0.1%	30.00	40.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	170.58	254.35	250.00	46.6%	-1.7%	200.00	300.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	128.68	117.10	114.53	-11.0%	-2.2%	80.00	160.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.							
Imported	1kg.	75.13	68.65	72.70	-3.2%	5.9%	60.00	80.00

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Raw Red - ( Average )	1 Kg.	59.35	68.01	68.36	15.2%	0.5%	60.00	77.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	61.73	71.60	72.56	17.5%	1.3%	70.00	77.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	56.98	64.43	64.17	12.6%	-0.4%	60.00	70.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	58.19	68.88	68.03	16.9%	-1.2%	65.00	80.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	62.75	75.00	73.96	17.9%	-1.4%	68.00	80.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	60.57	73.36	72.50	19.7%	-1.2%	68.00	80.00
Samba - ( Average )	1 Kg.	71.89	81.98	81.95	14.0%	0.0%	75.00	90.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	74.31	86.04	86.25	16.1%	0.2%	80.00	90.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	69.47	77.92	77.65	11.8%	-0.3%	75.00	80.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	99.18	97.03	97.85	-1.3%	0.9%	90.00	105.00
Mysore Dhall - ( Average )	1 Kg.	158.88	159.14	160.35	0.9%	0.8%	140.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	173.13	172.42	174.21	0.6%	1.0%	164.00	180.00
No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	158.53	158.33	158.61	0.1%	0.2%	150.00	160.00
No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	144.98	146.67	148.23	2.2%	1.1%	140.00	150.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	262.80	254.01	253.76	-3.4%	-0.1%	200.00	320.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	304.08	322.98	326.98	7.5%	1.2%	270.00	350.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	198.47	161.87	163.58	-17.6%	1.1%	130.00	200.00
Sugar	1Kg.	101.55	103.75	103.97	2.4%	0.2%	95.00	110.00
Firewood	50Kg.	500.00	533.33	533.33	6.7%	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	726.19	733.75	1.6%	1.0%	600.00	800.00
Mullet	1Kg.	628.86	653.64	655.00	4.2%	0.2%	500.00	760.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	732.57	747.33	752.31	2.7%	0.7%	600.00	800.00
Balaya	1Kg.	519.92	521.82	518.89	-0.2%	-0.6%	440.00	600.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	645.65	735.52	736.92	14.1%	0.2%	550.00	800.00
Mora	1Kg.	520.93	580.00	568.57	9.1%	-2.0%	450.00	600.00
Salaya	1Kg.	141.86	117.59	120.40	-15.1%	2.4%	100.00	160.00
Parati	1Kg.	509.84	560.00	567.27	11.3%	1.3%	400.00	600.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	469.37	440.77	450.67	-4.0%	2.2%	350.00	560.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1028.80	1037.71	1033.10	0.4%	-0.4%	880.00	1200.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	658.06	557.58	566.09	-14.0%	1.5%	480.00	600.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	521.10	488.41	500.58	-3.9%	2.5%	400.00	600.00
Beef	1Kg.	544.50	574.71	573.33	5.3%	-0.2%	500.00	600.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1142.34	1272.73	1270.83	11.2%	-0.1%	1250.00	1300.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	475.99	482.94	483.21	1.5%	0.1%	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	550.00	30.4%	-1.8%	500.00	600.00
Egg - ( Average )	Each	12.94	13.22	11.99	-7.3%	-9.3%	11.00	14.00
Egg - Red	Each	13.36	13.77	12.45	-6.8%	-9.6%	12.00	14.00
White	Each	12.51	12.66	11.52	-7.9%	-9.0%	11.00	13.00
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	67.44	69.31	-5.9%	2.8%	50.00	80.00
Anamalu	Each	13.12	12.87	12.68	-3.4%	-1.5%	10.00	15.00
Kolikuttu	Each	15.26	14.47	14.41	-5.6%	-0.4%	12.00	17.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	85.53	79.43	80.74	-5.6%	1.6%	60.00	100.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	102.60	103.62	103.87	1.2%	0.2%	85.00	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