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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	98.79	109.33	107.35	8.7%	-1.8%	80.00	120.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	80.94	80.00	80.00	-1.2%	0.0%	60.00	100.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	96.25	101.00	92.86	-3.5%	-8.1%	80.00	120.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	95.63	99.49	98.00	2.5%	-1.5%	80.00	120.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	133.02	172.67	169.41	27.4%	-1.9%	160.00	200.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	83.23	77.50	73.33	-11.9%	-5.4%	60.00	100.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	84.28	91.43	90.91	7.9%	-0.6%	80.00	120.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	102.89	106.36	103.71	0.8%	-2.5%	80.00	120.00
Gotukola	Bunch	21.74	18.46	17.86	-17.8%	-3.3%	10.00	30.00
Kankun	Bunch	23.61	26.79	26.43	11.9%	-1.3%	15.00	40.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	27.77	25.36	24.64	-11.3%	-2.8%	15.00	30.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	31.51	32.22	31.11	-1.3%	-3.4%	20.00	40.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	115.61	125.63	125.00	8.1%	-0.5%	100.00	160.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	113.74	112.57	108.24	-4.8%	-3.9%	100.00	120.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	206.45	465.85	315.13	52.6%	-32.4%	200.00	400.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	139.52	244.41	190.00	36.2%	-22.3%	160.00	240.00
Leeks	1 kg.	133.79	100.50	102.70	-23.2%	2.2%	80.00	120.00
Limes - Average	1 kg.	352.73	179.12	195.00	-44.7%	8.9%	150.00	250.00
Coconut - Average	Each	41.99	44.71	42.37	0.9%	-5.2%	30.00	55.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	47.03	50.43	47.45	0.9%	-5.9%	40.00	55.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	42.38	45.13	42.60	0.5%	-5.6%	35.00	45.00
Coconut (small)	Each	36.54	38.56	37.07	1.4%	-3.9%	30.00	40.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	127.95	121.93	128.90	0.7%	5.7%	87.50	175.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	147.69	140.97	148.08	0.3%	5.0%	125.00	175.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	108.20	102.88	109.72	1.4%	6.6%	87.50	125.00
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	313.70	410.56	441.67	40.8%	7.6%	350.00	500.00
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	358.52	443.33	483.33	34.8%	9.0%	400.00	500.00
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	268.88	377.78	400.00	48.8%	5.9%	350.00	450.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	152.73	152.00	146.00	-4.4%	-3.9%	120.00	160.00
Imported	1 Kg	97.10	114.09	108.52	11.8%	-4.9%	100.00	140.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	191.43	209.58	210.00	9.7%	0.2%	200.00	240.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	26.78	27.86	28.46	6.3%	2.2%	20.00	30.00
Nivithi	Bunch	33.40	30.00	30.00	-10.2%	0.0%	20.00	40.00
Sarana	Bunch	30.00	31.82	32.50	8.3%	2.1%	20.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	32.25	33.64	32.73	1.5%	-2.7%	20.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	198.04	192.00	146.67	-25.9%	-23.6%	120.00	160.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	138.05	128.10	109.00	-21.0%	-14.9%	80.00	120.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	114.85	116.15	109.41	-4.7%	-5.8%	80.00	120.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	110.50	126.29	102.11	-7.6%	-19.1%	80.00	120.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	132.96	136.36	136.25	2.5%	-0.1%	120.00	160.00
Carrot	1 kg.	147.18	130.50	112.22	-23.8%	-14.0%	100.00	120.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	154.22	126.29	103.23	-33.1%	-18.3%	80.00	120.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	129.15	119.23	102.86	-20.4%	-13.7%	80.00	120.00
Raddish	1 kg.	94.04	88.67	86.45	-8.1%	-2.5%	80.00	100.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	93.95	121.54	98.92	5.3%	-18.6%	80.00	120.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	232.28	233.00	232.06	-0.1%	-0.4%	220.00	240.00
Corriander	1Kg.	291.37	385.91	373.33	28.1%	-3.3%	300.00	400.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1195.25	1617.65	1670.59	39.8%	3.3%	1500.00	1800.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	668.16	682.61	693.48	3.8%	1.6%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	212.10	212.86	222.59	4.9%	4.6%	200.00	250.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	709.33	730.43	715.38	0.9%	-2.1%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	464.65	439.13	456.00	-1.9%	3.8%	400.00	500.00
Mustard	1Kg.	323.41	336.25	331.20	2.4%	-1.5%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	265.43	269.29	272.76	2.8%	1.3%	200.00	300.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1638.27	1778.95	1795.65	9.6%	0.9%	1600.00	2000.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	370.05	730.95	744.00	101.1%	1.8%	600.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1810.62	1775.00	1795.00	-0.9%	1.1%	1600.00	2000.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	34.37	34.24	35.81	4.2%	4.6%	30.00	40.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	191.28	229.41	221.43	15.8%	-3.5%	200.00	300.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	169.62	113.04	110.09	-35.1%	-2.6%	80.00	160.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	135.61	127.50	127.37	-6.1%	-0.1%	120.00	140.00
Imported	1kg.	126.64	108.48	105.00	-17.1%	-3.2%	80.00	120.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	58.64	70.35	82.41	40.5%	17.1%	75.00	85.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	60.84	72.57	85.00	39.7%	17.1%	85.00	85.00
Raw Red - No 2.	1 Kg.	56.44	68.12	79.81	41.4%	17.2%	75.00	82.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	57.79	70.74	74.98	29.8%	6.0%	68.00	85.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	62.37	80.73	82.89	32.9%	2.7%	76.00	85.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	60.56	79.06	81.66	34.8%	3.3%	75.00	85.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	70.80	80.84	84.23	19.0%	4.2%	80.00	90.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	72.32	82.48	86.20	19.2%	4.5%	80.00	90.00
Samba - No 2.	1 Kg.	69.28	79.20	82.27	18.8%	3.9%	80.00	85.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	97.91	96.59	97.41	-0.5%	0.8%	90.00	105.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	157.85	158.82	165.06	4.6%	3.9%	140.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	171.30	172.66	175.42	2.4%	1.6%	160.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	157.21	159.20	166.00	5.6%	4.3%	150.00	170.00
Mysore Dhall - No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	145.05	144.60	153.75	6.0%	6.3%	140.00	160.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	243.75	229.08	231.43	-5.1%	1.0%	180.00	280.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	287.10	321.01	316.64	10.3%	-1.4%	290.00	360.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	177.87	168.86	166.46	-6.4%	-1.4%	140.00	200.00
Sugar	1Kg.	101.89	99.40	100.31	-1.6%	0.9%	94.00	110.00
Firewood	50Kg.	517.71	500.00	518.33	0.1%	3.7%	480.00	575.00
Sunlight	130g.	37.00	40.00	40.00	8.1%	0.0%	40.00	40.00
Khomba	75g.	39.00	41.67	41.67	6.8%	0.0%	41.00	42.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	805.91	890.71	882.63	9.5%	-0.9%	800.00	990.00
Mullet	1Kg.	723.45	764.29	754.00	4.2%	-1.3%	650.00	850.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	799.03	838.75	874.29	9.4%	4.2%	700.00	960.00
Balaya	1Kg.	540.65	566.67	578.75	7.0%	2.1%	500.00	700.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	723.46	776.67	817.62	13.0%	5.3%	600.00	920.00
Mora	1Kg.	594.17	616.92	590.00	-0.7%	-4.4%	500.00	700.00
Salaya	1Kg.	196.51	163.20	171.90	-12.5%	5.3%	140.00	200.00
Parati	1Kg.	587.38	638.00	611.67	4.1%	-4.1%	520.00	760.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	500.31	506.36	514.55	2.8%	1.6%	400.00	600.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1013.30	1063.70	1057.33	4.3%	-0.6%	880.00	1200.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	657.42	605.88	605.71	-7.9%	0.0%	500.00	700.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	511.02	540.56	532.88	4.3%	-1.4%	400.00	700.00
Beef	1Kg.	550.55	591.11	587.50	6.7%	-0.6%	550.00	600.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1194.73	1283.33	1280.77	7.2%	-0.2%	1250.00	1300.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	443.01	456.05	442.22	-0.2%	-3.0%	400.00	480.00
Broiler	1Kg.	380.00	380.00	380.00	0.0%	0.0%	380.00	380.00
Pork	1Kg.	432.08	533.33	537.50	24.4%	0.8%	500.00	550.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	13.31	13.85	13.21	-0.8%	-4.6%	11.00	15.00
Egg - Red	Each	13.75	14.25	13.52	-1.7%	-5.1%	11.50	15.00
Egg - White	Each	12.88	13.44	12.90	0.2%	-4.1%	11.00	15.00
Tin Fish	425g.	230.00	230.00	230.00	0.0%	0.0%	230.00	230.00
Lakspray	400g.	325.00	386.00	386.00	18.8%	0.0%	386.00	386.00
Anchor	400g.	325.00	386.00	386.00	18.8%	0.0%	386.00	386.00
Lactogen - II	400g.	424.15	465.00	465.00	9.6%	0.0%	465.00	465.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	390.00	465.00	465.00	19.2%	0.0%	465.00	465.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	71.00	64.46	66.79	-5.9%	3.6%	60.00	80.00
Anamalu	Each	13.72	13.00	13.17	-4.0%	1.3%	10.00	15.00
Kolikuttu	Each	15.13	13.65	14.08	-6.9%	3.1%	12.00	18.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	72.58	65.20	77.88	7.3%	19.5%	60.00	100.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	90.00	88.54	98.15	9.0%	10.8%	70.00	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