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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	96.63	115.85	113.17	17.1%	-2.3%	100.00	120.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	87.01	70.00	73.33	-15.7%	4.8%	60.00	80.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	96.00	100.75	105.29	9.7%	4.5%	80.00	120.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	92.68	107.82	110.75	19.5%	2.7%	80.00	120.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	130.27	129.63	134.07	2.9%	3.4%	120.00	160.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	69.33	72.43	77.25	11.4%	6.7%	60.00	80.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	72.67	81.76	85.78	18.0%	4.9%	80.00	120.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	95.87	95.00	97.22	1.4%	2.3%	80.00	120.00
Gotukola	Bunch	21.94	18.46	18.46	-15.8%	0.0%	10.00	30.00
Kankun	Bunch	26.04	25.71	25.45	-2.2%	-1.0%	20.00	30.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	28.15	26.43	27.27	-3.1%	3.2%	20.00	30.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	32.00	33.75	33.00	3.1%	-2.2%	20.00	40.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	108.94	126.00	135.17	24.1%	7.3%	120.00	160.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	106.73	117.04	113.57	6.4%	-3.0%	100.00	120.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	166.77	210.23	218.89	31.3%	4.1%	200.00	300.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	141.02	128.57	134.22	-4.8%	4.4%	120.00	160.00
Leeks	1 kg.	104.78	111.06	116.29	11.0%	4.7%	100.00	140.00
Limes - Average	1 kg.	703.03	211.86	264.58	-62.4%	24.9%	200.00	300.00
Coconut - Average	Each	46.20	44.11	45.34	-1.9%	2.8%	30.00	60.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	52.88	49.92	52.86	-0.1%	5.9%	50.00	60.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	46.59	44.19	45.07	-3.3%	2.0%	40.00	50.00
Coconut (small)	Each	39.12	38.24	38.10	-2.6%	-0.4%	30.00	40.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	146.72	143.51	143.27	-2.3%	-0.2%	100.00	175.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	171.71	164.71	162.50	-5.4%	-1.3%	125.00	175.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	121.72	122.32	124.04	1.9%	1.4%	100.00	150.00
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	401.82	388.45	408.93	1.8%	5.3%	300.00	500.00
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	452.96	441.18	467.86	3.3%	6.0%	400.00	500.00
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	350.68	335.71	350.00	-0.2%	4.3%	300.00	400.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	123.77	117.60	115.88	-6.4%	-1.5%	100.00	140.00
Imported	1 Kg	103.79	84.44	85.36	-17.8%	1.1%	80.00	100.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	200.59	198.18	202.07	0.7%	2.0%	180.00	220.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	28.62	27.69	26.25	-8.3%	-5.2%	20.00	30.00
Nivithi	Bunch	34.21	30.91	30.50	-10.9%	-1.3%	20.00	40.00
Sarana	Bunch	32.86	32.73	31.11	-5.3%	-4.9%	20.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	32.23	31.67	31.00	-3.8%	-2.1%	20.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	160.00	140.00	220.00	37.5%	57.1%	200.00	240.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	128.45	124.57	174.07	35.5%	39.7%	160.00	200.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	99.71	111.25	117.06	17.4%	5.2%	100.00	140.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	89.11	102.98	103.73	16.4%	0.7%	80.00	120.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	93.57	101.42	99.50	6.3%	-1.9%	80.00	120.00
Carrot	1 kg.	98.58	106.26	108.84	10.4%	2.4%	10.00	120.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	131.74	116.00	128.80	-2.2%	11.0%	100.00	160.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	101.84	104.36	107.60	5.7%	3.1%	80.00	120.00
Raddish	1 kg.	90.32	84.17	89.52	-0.9%	6.4%	80.00	100.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	107.42	72.09	85.58	-20.3%	18.7%	80.00	120.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	230.27	239.73	240.51	4.4%	0.3%	220.00	260.00
Corriander	1Kg.	313.77	390.00	390.43	24.4%	0.1%	360.00	400.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1187.05	1690.48	1704.76	43.6%	0.8%	1600.00	1800.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	660.89	669.57	656.67	-0.6%	-1.9%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	216.25	210.00	208.21	-3.7%	-0.9%	200.00	260.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	697.50	712.90	722.58	3.6%	1.4%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	463.46	446.30	467.24	0.8%	4.7%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	320.09	323.87	334.23	4.4%	3.2%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	262.06	283.87	281.00	7.2%	-1.0%	200.00	300.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1820.52	1800.00	1873.68	2.9%	4.1%	1600.00	2000.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	379.18	736.67	718.97	89.6%	-2.4%	600.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1776.47	1798.21	1809.95	1.9%	0.7%	1600.00	2000.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	34.33	34.65	33.74	-1.7%	-2.6%	30.00	45.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	201.62	234.00	235.00	16.6%	0.4%	200.00	300.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	174.86	106.68	105.35	-39.8%	-1.3%	80.00	140.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	118.34	106.43	94.23	-20.4%	-11.5%	80.00	120.00
Imported	1kg.	93.56	84.85	80.12	-14.4%	-5.6%	70.00	100.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	59.08	84.50	84.36	42.8%	-0.2%	78.00	90.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	61.27	87.10	86.96	41.9%	-0.2%	85.00	90.00
Raw Red - No 2.	1 Kg.	56.90	81.90	81.77	43.7%	-0.2%	78.00	85.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	59.38	79.10	78.76	32.6%	-0.4%	70.00	90.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	62.59	90.39	90.07	43.9%	-0.3%	84.00	95.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	61.32	86.97	87.93	43.4%	1.1%	80.00	90.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	71.01	91.53	90.36	27.2%	-1.3%	80.00	96.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	72.71	94.86	92.60	27.4%	-2.4%	90.00	96.00
Samba - No 2.	1 Kg.	69.32	88.21	88.12	27.1%	-0.1%	80.00	90.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	97.58	97.47	97.12	-0.5%	-0.4%	90.00	100.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	157.47	166.79	170.41	8.2%	2.2%	150.00	190.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	169.63	179.85	181.30	6.9%	0.8%	170.00	190.00
Mysore Dhall - No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	155.79	165.14	173.06	11.1%	4.8%	160.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	146.99	155.38	156.88	6.7%	1.0%	150.00	160.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	253.44	226.60	226.53	-10.6%	0.0%	180.00	280.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	291.41	314.67	314.50	7.9%	-0.1%	280.00	340.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	171.97	161.29	161.02	-6.4%	-0.2%	140.00	180.00
Sugar	1Kg.	100.81	99.46	99.55	-1.3%	0.1%	93.00	110.00
Firewood	50Kg.	566.67	527.50	527.50	-6.9%	0.0%	480.00	580.00
Sunlight	130g.	37.00	40.00	40.00	8.1%	0.0%	40.00	40.00
Khomba	75g.	39.00	42.00	42.00	7.7%	0.0%	42.00	42.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	754.71	872.14	795.71	5.4%	-8.8%	700.00	900.00
Mullet	1Kg.	716.93	794.44	763.75	6.5%	-3.9%	600.00	800.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	784.54	847.27	833.04	6.2%	-1.7%	700.00	900.00
Balaya	1Kg.	515.17	570.77	560.00	8.7%	-1.9%	500.00	600.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	712.88	841.58	731.05	2.5%	-13.1%	640.00	800.00
Mora	1Kg.	558.61	632.00	628.75	12.6%	-0.5%	500.00	700.00
Salaya	1Kg.	170.24	177.83	150.00	-11.9%	-15.6%	100.00	180.00
Parati	1Kg.	589.04	625.26	522.35	-11.3%	-16.5%	450.00	650.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	471.19	559.23	462.67	-1.8%	-17.3%	400.00	560.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1011.79	1066.67	1057.93	4.6%	-0.8%	900.00	1200.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	669.51	574.31	569.70	-14.9%	-0.8%	480.00	600.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	490.07	509.60	501.26	2.3%	-1.6%	400.00	600.00
Beef	1Kg.	549.46	589.44	588.00	7.0%	-0.2%	560.00	600.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1204.55	1280.00	1277.78	6.1%	-0.2%	1250.00	1300.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	415.79	451.07	443.06	6.6%	-1.8%	400.00	480.00
Broiler	1Kg.	380.00	380.00	380.00	0.0%	0.0%	380.00	380.00
Pork	1Kg.	439.38	537.50	550.00	25.2%	2.3%	550.00	550.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	13.81	11.88	11.75	-14.9%	-1.1%	10.00	14.00
Egg - Red	Each	14.25	12.20	12.11	-15.0%	-0.7%	10.30	14.00
Egg - White	Each	13.37	11.55	11.39	-14.8%	-1.4%	10.00	13.00
Tin Fish	425g.	230.00	230.00	230.00	0.0%	0.0%	230.00	230.00
Lakspray	400g.	324.98	385.90	386.00	18.8%	0.0%	386.00	386.00
Anchor	400g.	325.00	385.90	386.00	18.8%	0.0%	386.00	386.00
Lactogen - II	400g.	440.00	440.00	440.00	0.0%	0.0%	440.00	440.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	440.00	465.00	465.00	5.7%	0.0%	465.00	465.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	73.17	74.79	76.07	4.0%	1.7%	60.00	80.00
Anamalu	Each	13.55	14.47	14.09	4.0%	-2.6%	12.00	16.00
Kolikuttu	Each	14.51	15.67	15.48	6.7%	-1.2%	14.00	18.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	76.82	113.81	83.24	8.3%	-26.9%	70.00	100.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	105.97	135.50	119.69	12.9%	-11.7%	100.00	160.00
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