

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

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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	103.67	152.35	151.67	46.3%	-0.5%	120.00	160.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	91.39	85.00	86.67	-5.2%	2.0%	80.00	100.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	98.42	150.70	152.00	54.4%	0.9%	120.00	160.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	92.58	142.44	145.13	56.8%	1.9%	120.00	160.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	140.37	190.00	201.25	43.4%	5.9%	160.00	240.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	70.62	98.37	99.41	40.8%	1.1%	80.00	120.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	71.99	90.95	92.97	29.1%	2.2%	80.00	120.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	96.93	142.83	145.12	49.7%	1.6%	120.00	160.00
Gotukola	Bunch	21.13	21.82	21.00	-0.6%	-3.8%	10.00	30.00
Kankun	Bunch	26.03	25.83	26.36	1.3%	2.1%	20.00	30.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	26.88	28.18	28.18	4.9%	0.0%	20.00	30.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	32.69	34.44	33.75	3.2%	-2.0%	30.00	40.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	110.79	142.86	146.86	32.5%	2.8%	120.00	160.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	103.63	151.19	150.50	45.2%	-0.5%	140.00	200.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	216.13	581.40	602.50	178.8%	3.6%	500.00	700.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	235.23	334.19	344.50	46.5%	3.1%	280.00	400.00
Leeks	1 kg.	97.96	170.81	174.74	78.4%	2.3%	160.00	200.00
Limes - Average	1 kg.	318.33	262.50	263.83	-17.1%	0.5%	200.00	300.00
Coconut - Average	Each	47.27	46.33	47.46	0.4%	2.4%	35.00	60.00
Coconut ( Large )	Each	55.50	53.64	54.81	-1.2%	2.2%	50.00	60.00
Coconut ( Medium)	Each	47.64	46.35	47.27	-0.8%	2.0%	40.00	50.00
Coconut ( small)	Each	38.67	39.00	40.29	4.2%	3.3%	35.00	45.00
Betel Leaves ( Average )	100 leaves	123.87	138.80	144.79	16.9%	4.3%	100.00	175.00
Betel Leaves ( Medium)	100 leaves	146.78	155.38	158.33	7.9%	1.9%	125.00	175.00
Betel Leaves ( Small)	100 leaves	100.95	122.22	131.25	30.0%	7.4%	100.00	150.00
Arecanuts ( Average )	100 Nuts	346.67	376.58	376.83	8.7%	0.1%	200.00	500.00
Arecanuts ( Medium )	100 Nuts	380.42	430.93	430.93	13.3%	0.0%	333.00	500.00
Arecanuts ( Small )	100 Nuts	312.92	322.22	322.73	3.1%	0.2%	200.00	450.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	145.54	158.85	158.93	9.2%	0.1%	140.00	180.00
Imported	1 Kg	114.74	107.88	107.12	-6.6%	-0.7%	100.00	120.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	220.30	213.14	217.19	-1.4%	1.9%	200.00	240.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	26.58	28.18	28.00	5.3%	-0.6%	20.00	30.00
Nivithi	Bunch	33.34	29.00	30.00	-10.0%	3.4%	20.00	40.00
Sarana	Bunch	31.72	30.00	31.00	-2.3%	3.3%	20.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	31.82	30.00	31.11	-2.2%	3.7%	20.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	193.83	270.00	266.67	37.6%	-1.2%	240.00	280.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	138.48	212.22	216.47	56.3%	2.0%	200.00	280.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	110.91	212.80	216.67	95.4%	1.8%	200.00	240.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	103.84	216.47	219.20	111.1%	1.3%	200.00	240.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	89.38	174.59	178.13	99.3%	2.0%	160.00	200.00
Carrot	1 kg.	101.74	219.05	221.05	117.3%	0.9%	200.00	240.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	164.78	215.00	225.00	36.5%	4.7%	200.00	260.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	111.40	174.29	183.00	64.3%	5.0%	140.00	200.00
Raddish	1 kg.	97.08	141.14	144.52	48.9%	2.4%	120.00	160.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	88.78	237.00	241.79	172.3%	2.0%	200.00	280.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	227.25	273.03	273.32	20.3%	0.1%	240.00	300.00
Corriander	1Kg.	370.28	411.15	412.41	11.4%	0.3%	360.00	450.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1307.31	1702.17	1738.33	33.0%	2.1%	1600.00	1800.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	681.45	668.75	678.85	-0.4%	1.5%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	228.34	235.93	237.74	4.1%	0.8%	200.00	260.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	709.88	709.68	721.43	1.6%	1.7%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	473.42	468.33	472.06	-0.3%	0.8%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	336.30	326.43	334.06	-0.7%	2.3%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	271.88	286.30	291.67	7.3%	1.9%	250.00	300.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1827.83	1856.82	1898.00	3.8%	2.2%	1600.00	2000.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	439.42	720.00	739.39	68.3%	2.7%	600.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1759.63	1811.54	1844.83	4.8%	1.8%	1600.00	2000.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	34.22	34.70	35.91	4.9%	3.5%	30.00	40.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	253.32	219.23	225.00	-11.2%	2.6%	200.00	300.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	237.60	121.07	119.83	-49.6%	-1.0%	80.00	160.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	153.10	103.57	104.38	-31.8%	0.8%	80.00	140.00
Imported	1kg.	115.98	82.50	84.81	-26.9%	2.8%	70.00	120.00

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Raw Red - ( Average )	1 Kg.	60.78	92.65	92.97	53.0%	0.3%	86.00	100.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	63.15	94.62	94.76	50.1%	0.2%	90.00	100.00
Raw Red - No 2.	1 Kg.	58.40	90.69	91.17	56.1%	0.5%	86.00	95.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	60.44	78.20	78.38	29.7%	0.2%	60.00	95.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	64.16	93.27	93.63	45.9%	0.4%	85.00	100.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	63.31	87.66	88.71	40.1%	1.2%	84.00	95.00
Samba - ( Average )	1 Kg.	72.21	93.45	93.92	30.1%	0.5%	80.00	100.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	74.64	94.43	95.14	27.5%	0.7%	80.00	100.00
Samba - No 2.	1 Kg.	69.77	92.46	92.70	32.9%	0.3%	88.00	98.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	97.93	97.55	97.79	-0.1%	0.2%	93.00	100.00
Mysore Dhall - ( Average )	1 Kg.	157.05	170.05	169.28	7.8%	-0.5%	150.00	200.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	169.48	186.07	185.47	9.4%	-0.3%	180.00	200.00
Mysore Dhall - No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	156.29	167.21	167.36	7.1%	0.1%	160.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	145.39	156.88	155.00	6.6%	-1.2%	150.00	160.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	280.75	231.44	231.44	-17.6%	0.0%	180.00	300.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	297.95	307.14	307.14	3.1%	0.0%	220.00	360.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	165.41	157.67	156.99	-5.1%	-0.4%	134.00	180.00
Sugar	1Kg.	102.41	100.39	100.39	-2.0%	0.0%	90.00	110.00
Firewood	50Kg.	566.67	557.50	557.50	-1.6%	0.0%	480.00	650.00
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.	728.57	780.71	774.09	6.2%	-0.8%	600.00	900.00
Mullet	1Kg.	669.75	733.75	740.00	10.5%	0.9%	600.00	800.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	762.53	842.80	845.60	10.9%	0.3%	700.00	960.00
Balaya	1Kg.	508.09	555.00	580.00	14.2%	4.5%	460.00	640.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	694.60	746.36	745.22	7.3%	-0.2%	600.00	800.00
Mora	1Kg.	540.48	610.00	615.00	13.8%	0.8%	520.00	700.00
Salaya	1Kg.	141.12	138.64	141.36	0.2%	2.0%	100.00	160.00
Parati	1Kg.	436.58	554.00	554.55	27.0%	0.1%	400.00	650.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	382.40	475.00	482.86	26.3%	1.7%	320.00	560.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1011.59	1060.61	1075.48	6.3%	1.4%	900.00	1200.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	633.12	571.21	574.00	-9.3%	0.5%	480.00	600.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	496.15	516.71	519.32	4.7%	0.5%	400.00	600.00
Beef	1Kg.	548.11	591.43	585.33	6.8%	-1.0%	500.00	600.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1223.37	1290.91	1290.91	5.5%	0.0%	1250.00	1300.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	413.55	463.21	465.77	12.6%	0.6%	420.00	485.00
Broiler	1Kg.	380.00	380.00	380.00	0.0%	0.0%	380.00	380.00
Pork	1Kg.	442.71	562.50	562.50	27.1%	0.0%	500.00	600.00
Egg - ( Average )	Each	14.12	13.05	13.00	-8.0%	-0.4%	11.50	15.00
Egg - Red	Each	14.61	13.53	13.47	-7.8%	-0.4%	12.50	15.00
Egg - White	Each	13.64	12.57	12.52	-8.2%	-0.4%	11.50	14.00
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.	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.	70.20	73.07	74.87	6.6%	2.5%	60.00	80.00
Anamalu	Each	13.39	13.27	13.36	-0.2%	0.7%	12.00	15.00
Kolikuttu	Each	15.04	15.25	15.54	3.3%	1.9%	14.00	18.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	62.91	78.80	78.08	24.1%	-0.9%	60.00	100.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	92.62	101.11	103.00	11.2%	1.9%	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