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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	107.56	108.48	112.32	4.4%	3.5%	80.00	160.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	96.75	102.86	104.00	7.5%	1.1%	80.00	120.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	121.33	103.89	113.33	-6.6%	9.1%	80.00	120.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	108.91	98.00	101.43	-6.9%	3.5%	80.00	120.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	158.86	144.00	148.00	-6.8%	2.8%	120.00	160.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	82.36	80.00	82.78	0.5%	3.5%	80.00	100.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	87.55	86.11	78.00	-10.9%	-9.4%	60.00	100.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	117.37	112.67	115.85	-1.3%	2.8%	80.00	120.00
Gotukola	Bunch	19.53	25.00	24.69	26.4%	-1.3%	15.00	30.00
Kankun	Bunch	25.54	26.33	26.88	5.2%	2.1%	20.00	30.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	25.92	27.50	27.33	5.4%	-0.6%	20.00	30.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	31.23	33.33	32.73	4.8%	-1.8%	30.00	40.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	115.20	137.14	138.46	20.2%	1.0%	120.00	160.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	123.33	114.19	114.38	-7.3%	0.2%	80.00	120.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	279.66	170.00	167.63	-40.1%	-1.4%	100.00	200.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	175.87	197.24	203.87	15.9%	3.4%	160.00	240.00
Leeks	1 kg.	100.20	177.71	177.14	76.8%	-0.3%	160.00	200.00
Limes - Average	1 kg.	187.86	254.00	263.61	40.3%	3.8%	200.00	300.00
Coconut - Average	Each	45.47	55.17	54.85	20.6%	-0.6%	40.00	70.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	52.29	62.39	62.07	18.7%	-0.5%	60.00	70.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	45.81	56.11	55.33	20.8%	-1.4%	50.00	60.00
Coconut (small)	Each	38.31	47.00	47.14	23.0%	0.3%	40.00	50.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	158.05	222.64	214.94	36.0%	-3.5%	125.00	300.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	180.27	244.23	238.64	32.4%	-2.3%	175.00	300.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	135.83	201.04	191.25	40.8%	-4.9%	125.00	250.00
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	394.94	399.68	403.27	2.1%	0.9%	320.00	500.00
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	443.66	463.64	451.54	1.8%	-2.6%	400.00	500.00
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	346.22	335.71	355.00	2.5%	5.7%	320.00	400.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	146.34	129.23	131.94	-9.8%	2.1%	110.00	160.00
Imported	1 Kg	106.75	98.85	100.59	-5.8%	1.8%	90.00	140.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	217.76	218.28	217.42	-0.2%	-0.4%	200.00	240.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	26.22	25.83	25.00	-4.6%	-3.2%	20.00	30.00
Nivithi	Bunch	30.25	30.00	30.56	1.0%	1.9%	20.00	40.00
Sarana	Bunch	31.32	31.67	32.08	2.4%	1.3%	20.00	50.00
Thampala	Bunch	31.70	32.50	33.33	5.1%	2.6%	20.00	50.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	203.57	226.67	220.00	8.1%	-2.9%	200.00	240.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	168.83	168.33	166.53	-1.4%	-1.1%	160.00	200.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	132.28	131.61	139.38	5.4%	5.9%	120.00	160.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	116.35	145.81	148.10	27.3%	1.6%	120.00	160.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	99.87	104.85	102.09	2.2%	-2.6%	80.00	120.00
Carrot	1 kg.	139.49	165.16	153.19	9.8%	-7.2%	120.00	160.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	172.34	411.67	391.43	127.1%	-4.9%	320.00	500.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	120.61	116.67	116.00	-3.8%	-0.6%	80.00	120.00
Raddish	1 kg.	108.05	95.83	96.30	-10.9%	0.5%	80.00	120.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	124.11	111.35	112.22	-9.6%	0.8%	100.00	140.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	225.11	262.50	259.44	15.3%	-1.2%	240.00	300.00
Corriander	1Kg.	386.19	332.86	330.00	-14.6%	-0.9%	280.00	380.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1354.28	1615.79	1650.00	21.8%	2.1%	1400.00	1800.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	665.58	631.82	655.36	-1.5%	3.7%	500.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	224.96	248.39	241.94	7.5%	-2.6%	200.00	300.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	713.02	712.26	696.43	-2.3%	-2.2%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	481.15	441.94	454.29	-5.6%	2.8%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	330.86	328.97	335.86	1.5%	2.1%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	267.48	329.26	325.56	21.7%	-1.1%	300.00	400.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1811.46	1817.39	1863.16	2.9%	2.5%	1600.00	2000.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	754.90	749.33	743.10	-1.6%	-0.8%	600.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1738.87	1653.64	1671.85	-3.9%	1.1%	1500.00	1800.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	34.53	35.70	35.04	1.5%	-1.9%	30.00	40.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	231.49	225.00	236.30	2.1%	5.0%	200.00	300.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	124.33	113.84	115.69	-7.0%	1.6%	90.00	160.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.							
Imported	1kg.	81.72	113.61	121.60	48.8%	7.0%	110.00	140.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	68.54	76.82	76.98	12.3%	0.2%	60.00	85.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	72.94	81.55	81.21	11.3%	-0.4%	78.00	85.00
Raw Red - No 2.	1 Kg.	64.13	72.10	72.76	13.4%	0.9%	60.00	78.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	67.61	70.00	70.45	4.2%	0.6%	60.00	80.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	71.91	86.55	86.61	20.4%	0.1%	80.00	90.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	73.55	76.90	77.80	5.8%	1.2%	70.00	80.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	81.81	89.19	89.37	9.2%	0.2%	82.00	100.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	85.52	91.07	91.14	6.6%	0.1%	85.00	100.00
Samba - No 2.	1 Kg.	78.11	87.31	87.60	12.2%	0.3%	82.00	90.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	97.45	85.93	86.07	-11.7%	0.2%	80.00	90.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	159.23	177.00	176.66	10.9%	-0.2%	150.00	210.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	172.77	194.83	194.42	12.5%	-0.2%	180.00	210.00
Mysore Dhall - No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	158.23	177.06	176.46	11.5%	-0.3%	160.00	190.00
Mysore Dhall - No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	146.70	159.09	159.09	8.4%	0.0%	150.00	170.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	242.98	259.12	260.77	7.3%	0.6%	200.00	300.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	330.31	276.28	278.27	-15.8%	0.7%	240.00	320.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	167.18	160.38	162.80	-2.6%	1.5%	150.00	200.00
Sugar	1Kg.	106.51	84.24	84.42	-20.7%	0.2%	80.00	90.00
Firewood	50Kg.	536.67	553.33	553.33	3.1%	0.0%	500.00	600.00
Sunlight	130g.	40.00	40.00	40.00	0.0%	0.0%	40.00	40.00
Khomba	75g.	41.00	42.00	42.00	2.4%	0.0%	42.00	42.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	769.36	784.62	809.38	5.2%	3.2%	600.00	900.00
Mullet	1Kg.	696.57	753.33	755.56	8.5%	0.3%	680.00	800.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	809.24	913.00	883.00	9.1%	-3.3%	800.00	1000.00
Balaya	1Kg.	537.80	600.00	628.18	16.8%	4.7%	550.00	720.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	750.49	845.00	856.36	14.1%	1.3%	800.00	960.00
Mora	1Kg.	559.64	588.00	628.57	12.3%	6.9%	560.00	720.00
Salaya	1Kg.	136.86	147.69	162.50	18.7%	10.0%	120.00	200.00
Parati	1Kg.	560.79	566.25	575.83	2.7%	1.7%	460.00	700.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	499.64	546.67	531.25	6.3%	-2.8%	450.00	600.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1056.49	1098.62	1132.97	7.2%	3.1%	900.00	1300.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	561.97	448.65	467.27	-16.9%	4.2%	380.00	500.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	493.47	463.81	483.04	-2.1%	4.1%	400.00	600.00
Beef	1Kg.	579.24	630.00	636.32	9.9%	1.0%	600.00	650.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1272.12	1270.00	1345.00	5.7%	5.9%	1300.00	1400.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	462.36	507.78	499.09	7.9%	-1.7%	450.00	550.00
Broiler	1Kg.	380.00	380.00	380.00	0.0%	0.0%	380.00	380.00
Pork	1Kg.	563.54	600.00	608.33	7.9%	1.4%	600.00	625.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	11.39	14.19	14.15	24.2%	-0.3%	12.50	16.00
Egg - Red	Each	11.95	14.65	14.67	22.7%	0.1%	13.50	16.00
Egg - White	Each	10.84	13.74	13.64	25.8%	-0.7%	12.50	15.00
Tin Fish	400g.	230.00	230.00	230.00	0.0%	0.0%	230.00	230.00
Lakspray	400g.	355.50	325.00	325.00	-8.6%	0.0%	325.00	325.00
Anchor	400g.	386.00	325.00	325.00	-15.8%	0.0%	325.00	325.00
Lactogen - II	400g.	465.00	440.00	440.00	-5.4%	0.0%	440.00	440.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	465.00	465.00	465.00	0.0%	0.0%	465.00	465.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	64.77	84.81	85.42	31.9%	0.7%	70.00	90.00
Anamalu	Each	12.18	14.63	14.57	19.6%	-0.4%	12.00	18.00
Kolikuttu	Each	14.00	17.89	17.93	28.1%	0.2%	15.00	20.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	56.91	91.72	90.00	58.1%	-1.9%	70.00	100.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	86.34	105.00	104.78	21.4%	-0.2%	80.00	120.00
Bread	450g.	60.00	53.06	53.06	-11.6%	0.0%	50.00	55.00

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