

**OPEN MARKET WEEKLY AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES - 1st Week of December'2015**

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		2014 Dec.	4th Week Nov.2015	1st Week Dec.2015	2014 Dec.	4th Week Nov.2015		
Ash Plantain	1 kg.	147.20	139.00	141.33	-4.0%	1.7%	120.00	160.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	83.63	103.33	101.67	21.6%	-1.6%	80.00	120.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	143.62	170.73	172.00	19.8%	0.7%	160.00	200.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	137.20	164.62	170.23	24.1%	3.4%	160.00	200.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	184.77	245.45	242.54	31.3%	-1.2%	200.00	300.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	98.66	127.37	130.55	32.3%	2.5%	100.00	160.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	91.59	121.38	110.23	20.4%	-9.2%	100.00	160.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	142.48	151.90	150.00	5.3%	-1.3%	120.00	160.00
Gotukola	Bunch	21.15	24.09	24.50	15.8%	1.7%	20.00	30.00
Kankun	Bunch	26.28	25.45	26.00	-1.1%	2.1%	20.00	30.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	27.61	27.50	28.18	2.1%	2.5%	20.00	40.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	34.34	29.50	30.56	-11.0%	3.6%	20.00	40.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	143.98	149.76	147.22	2.3%	-1.7%	120.00	160.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	146.83	153.50	147.50	0.5%	-3.9%	120.00	160.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	465.16	961.11	978.21	110.3%	1.8%	800.00	1000.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	287.94	469.41	473.17	64.3%	0.8%	400.00	600.00
Leeks	1 kg.	170.15	176.10	191.76	12.7%	8.9%	160.00	200.00
Limes - Average	1 kg.	275.16	738.86	530.00	92.6%	-28.3%	400.00	600.00
Coconut - Average	Each	46.99	48.36	47.04	0.1%	-2.7%	30.00	60.00
Coconut ( Large )	Each	54.53	56.05	53.83	-1.3%	-4.0%	50.00	60.00
Coconut ( Medium)	Each	47.04	48.63	47.25	0.4%	-2.8%	40.00	55.00
Coconut ( small)	Each	39.40	40.39	40.03	1.6%	-0.9%	30.00	45.00
Betel Leaves ( Average )	100 leaves	140.26	208.65	214.15	52.7%	2.6%	125.00	300.00
Betel Leaves ( Medium)	100 leaves	157.28	235.42	246.15	56.5%	4.6%	200.00	300.00
Betel Leaves ( Small)	100 leaves	123.25	181.88	182.14	47.8%	0.1%	125.00	200.00
Areanuts ( Average )	100 Nuts	374.69	496.43	472.25	26.0%	-4.9%	300.00	700.00
Areanuts ( Medium )	100 Nuts	418.14	617.86	573.08	37.1%	-7.2%	400.00	700.00
Areanuts ( Small )	100 Nuts	331.24	375.00	371.43	12.1%	-1.0%	300.00	400.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	153.83	158.06	143.10	-7.0%	-9.5%	120.00	160.00
Imported	1 Kg	104.70	120.36	98.28	-6.1%	-18.3%	80.00	120.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	210.75	198.95	201.91	-4.2%	1.5%	180.00	220.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	28.30	27.69	29.09	2.8%	5.1%	20.00	40.00
Nivithi	Bunch	29.21	31.54	33.64	15.1%	6.7%	20.00	40.00
Sarana	Bunch	30.75	31.54	33.64	9.4%	6.7%	20.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	30.28	31.67	34.00	12.3%	7.4%	20.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	259.17	373.33	380.00	46.6%	1.8%	320.00	400.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	207.49	289.77	283.26	36.5%	-2.2%	240.00	320.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	205.07	224.93	225.81	10.1%	0.4%	200.00	240.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	204.25	193.50	204.00	-0.1%	5.4%	160.00	240.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	163.57	217.30	230.48	40.9%	6.1%	200.00	280.00
Carrot	1 kg.	218.52	283.26	286.83	31.3%	1.3%	200.00	320.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	218.25	506.67	512.50	134.8%	1.2%	400.00	600.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	168.31	192.86	226.67	34.7%	17.5%	200.00	240.00
Raddish	1 kg.	137.91	172.00	170.00	23.3%	-1.2%	140.00	200.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	214.71	183.29	195.76	-8.8%	6.8%	160.00	200.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	260.93	353.11	359.47	37.8%	1.8%	330.00	400.00
Corriander	1Kg.	423.61	355.19	350.33	-17.3%	-1.4%	300.00	400.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1703.82	1686.36	1695.45	-0.5%	0.5%	1600.00	1800.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	668.15	646.00	657.42	-1.6%	1.8%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	227.37	294.84	300.36	32.1%	1.9%	260.00	350.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	708.87	704.84	714.52	0.8%	1.4%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	480.02	475.00	493.55	2.8%	3.9%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	331.43	328.79	340.91	2.9%	3.7%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	284.90	340.94	343.33	20.5%	0.7%	300.00	400.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1851.83	1876.19	1872.50	1.1%	-0.2%	1600.00	2000.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	722.94	706.90	715.63	-1.0%	1.2%	600.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1812.94	1741.67	1736.36	-4.2%	-0.3%	1500.00	2000.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	34.89	35.64	35.29	1.2%	-1.0%	30.00	40.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	218.30	433.85	441.92	102.4%	1.9%	400.00	500.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	119.07	163.50	161.42	35.6%	-1.3%	120.00	200.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	101.36	153.24	129.52	27.8%	-15.5%	120.00	160.00
Imported	1kg.	80.91	131.75	103.93	28.4%	-21.1%	80.00	120.00

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Raw Red - ( Average )	1 Kg.	91.90	71.54	71.32	-22.4%	-0.3%	60.00	80.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	93.73	75.17	73.69	-21.4%	-2.0%	70.00	80.00
Raw Red - No 2.	1 Kg.	90.07	67.92	68.94	-23.5%	1.5%	60.00	75.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	78.19	67.12	68.25	-12.7%	1.7%	60.00	80.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	92.35	83.13	82.17	-11.0%	-1.2%	70.00	90.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	87.56	76.56	78.40	-10.5%	2.4%	69.00	80.00
Samba - ( Average )	1 Kg.	92.77	93.43	95.54	3.0%	2.3%	89.00	100.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	94.26	96.41	98.33	4.3%	2.0%	95.00	100.00
Samba - No 2.	1 Kg.	91.27	90.45	92.74	1.6%	2.5%	89.00	95.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	97.84	86.64	86.34	-11.7%	-0.3%	78.00	90.00
Mysore Dhall - ( Average )	1 Kg.	170.34	192.38	185.70	9.0%	-3.5%	167.00	220.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	184.83	209.00	210.38	13.8%	0.7%	200.00	220.00
Mysore Dhall - No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	168.52	190.15	178.06	5.7%	-6.4%	168.00	200.00
Mysore Dhall - No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	157.66	178.00	168.67	7.0%	-5.2%	167.00	170.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	228.84	271.27	267.99	17.1%	-1.2%	220.00	300.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	305.08	251.68	255.98	-16.1%	1.7%	200.00	300.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	157.50	180.20	172.32	9.4%	-4.4%	150.00	200.00
Sugar	1Kg.	100.37	91.72	90.96	-9.4%	-0.8%	85.00	95.00
Firewood	50Kg.	538.75	566.67	566.67	5.2%	0.0%	500.00	600.00
Sunlight	130g.	40.00	40.00	40.00	0.0%	0.0%	40.00	40.00
Khomba	75g.	42.00	42.00	42.00	0.0%	0.0%	42.00	42.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	773.96	933.08	896.36	15.8%	-3.9%	800.00	1000.00
Mullet	1Kg.	737.72	835.83	826.67	12.1%	-1.1%	720.00	900.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	854.20	869.62	875.00	2.4%	0.6%	800.00	1000.00
Balaya	1Kg.	569.46	550.00	500.00	-12.2%	-9.1%	480.00	520.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	744.35	801.15	801.36	7.7%	0.0%	720.00	900.00
Mora	1Kg.	629.58	595.71	586.67	-6.8%	-1.5%	520.00	650.00
Salaya	1Kg.	139.74	183.75	183.00	31.0%	-0.4%	150.00	200.00
Parati	1Kg.	553.77	555.00	546.36	-1.3%	-1.6%	400.00	680.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	469.24	506.67	500.00	6.6%	-1.3%	400.00	600.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1066.76	1107.78	1112.12	4.3%	0.4%	1000.00	1200.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	569.50	657.05	611.82	7.4%	-6.9%	400.00	800.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	510.79	522.27	527.00	3.2%	0.9%	400.00	700.00
Beef	1Kg.	591.75	723.50	712.22	20.4%	-1.6%	650.00	760.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1290.87	1514.29	1500.00	16.2%	-0.9%	1400.00	1600.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	455.10	503.33	485.71	6.7%	-3.5%	440.00	530.00
Broiler	1Kg.	380.00	380.00	380.00	0.0%	0.0%	380.00	380.00
Pork	1Kg.	565.63	650.00	650.00	14.9%	0.0%	600.00	700.00
Egg - ( Average )	Each	12.78	13.51	14.67	14.8%	8.6%	12.00	16.00
Egg - Red	Each	13.25	14.03	15.20	14.7%	8.3%	14.00	16.00
Egg - White	Each	12.31	12.98	14.13	14.8%	8.9%	12.00	15.00
Tin Fish	425g.	230.00	230.00	230.00	0.0%	0.0%	230.00	230.00
Lakspray	400g.	386.00	325.00	325.00	-15.8%	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.	440.00	440.00	440.00	0.0%	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.	73.62	76.47	76.29	3.6%	-0.2%	60.00	90.00
Anamalu	Each	13.25	14.09	13.96	5.4%	-0.9%	12.00	16.00
Kolikuttu	Each	15.16	18.72	18.32	20.8%	-2.1%	15.00	20.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	79.23	76.18	75.76	-4.4%	-0.5%	60.00	100.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	100.34	123.45	115.63	15.2%	-6.3%	100.00	160.00
Bread	450g.	60.00	53.81	53.81	-10.3%	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