

**OPEN MARKET WEEKLY AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES - 4th Week of December'2015**

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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	147.20	140.50	142.63	-3.1%	1.5%	120.00	160.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	83.63	106.67	109.09	30.4%	2.3%	80.00	120.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	143.62	181.95	182.05	26.8%	0.1%	160.00	200.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	137.20	169.73	172.31	25.6%	1.5%	120.00	200.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	184.77	252.59	250.43	35.5%	-0.9%	200.00	300.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	98.66	134.29	131.00	32.8%	-2.4%	100.00	160.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	91.59	96.10	98.46	7.5%	2.5%	80.00	120.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	142.48	145.00	143.78	0.9%	-0.8%	120.00	160.00
Gotukola	Bunch	21.15	23.75	24.23	14.6%	2.0%	20.00	30.00
Kankun	Bunch	26.28	26.67	26.92	2.5%	1.0%	20.00	30.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	27.61	29.23	29.29	6.1%	0.2%	20.00	40.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	34.34	30.50	31.36	-8.7%	2.8%	20.00	40.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	143.98	147.65	148.39	3.1%	0.5%	120.00	160.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	146.83	156.11	155.88	6.2%	-0.1%	120.00	160.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	465.16	954.17	948.61	103.9%	-0.6%	800.00	1000.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	287.94	511.43	511.35	77.6%	0.0%	400.00	600.00
Leeks	1 kg.	170.15	188.24	188.75	10.9%	0.3%	160.00	200.00
Limes - Average	1 kg.	275.16	434.13	438.84	59.5%	1.1%	300.00	600.00
Coconut - Average	Each	46.99	46.16	46.49	-1.1%	0.7%	30.00	60.00
Coconut ( Large )	Each	54.53	53.62	53.55	-1.8%	-0.1%	45.00	60.00
Coconut ( Medium)	Each	47.04	47.48	47.81	1.6%	0.7%	40.00	55.00
Coconut ( small)	Each	39.40	37.39	38.13	-3.2%	2.0%	30.00	40.00
Betel Leaves ( Average )	100 leaves	140.26	198.67	207.14	47.7%	4.3%	125.00	300.00
Betel Leaves ( Medium)	100 leaves	157.28	229.17	239.29	52.1%	4.4%	200.00	300.00
Betel Leaves ( Small)	100 leaves	123.25	168.18	175.00	42.0%	4.1%	125.00	250.00
Areanuts ( Average )	100 Nuts	374.69	402.08	407.69	8.8%	1.4%	300.00	600.00
Areanuts ( Medium )	100 Nuts	418.14	466.67	465.38	11.3%	-0.3%	400.00	600.00
Areanuts ( Small )	100 Nuts	331.24	337.50	350.00	5.7%	3.7%	300.00	400.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	153.83	138.92	139.73	-9.2%	0.6%	100.00	160.00
Imported	1 Kg	104.70	96.46	94.92	-9.3%	-1.6%	70.00	120.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	210.75	202.50	203.24	-3.6%	0.4%	190.00	220.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	28.30	30.00	30.00	6.0%	0.0%	20.00	40.00
Nivithi	Bunch	29.21	32.31	31.67	8.4%	-2.0%	20.00	40.00
Sarana	Bunch	30.75	33.33	32.73	6.4%	-1.8%	20.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	30.28	32.08	31.36	3.6%	-2.2%	20.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	259.17	340.00	340.00	31.2%	0.0%	320.00	380.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	207.49	302.58	308.00	48.4%	1.8%	280.00	320.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	205.07	224.12	222.78	8.6%	-0.6%	200.00	240.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	204.25	227.59	229.63	12.4%	0.9%	200.00	240.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	163.57	219.00	224.00	36.9%	2.3%	160.00	280.00
Carrot	1 kg.	218.52	278.00	288.95	32.2%	3.9%	240.00	320.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	218.25	550.00	550.00	152.0%	0.0%	500.00	600.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	168.31	214.70	216.28	28.5%	0.7%	200.00	240.00
Raddish	1 kg.	137.91	167.50	170.40	23.6%	1.7%	160.00	200.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	214.71	237.56	241.46	12.5%	1.6%	200.00	300.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	260.93	363.25	361.08	38.4%	-0.6%	330.00	400.00
Corriander	1Kg.	423.61	349.33	346.43	-18.2%	-0.8%	300.00	400.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1703.82	1690.91	1694.74	-0.5%	0.2%	1600.00	1800.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	668.15	656.92	665.83	-0.3%	1.4%	500.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	227.37	313.61	316.36	39.1%	0.9%	280.00	360.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	708.87	716.13	722.58	1.9%	0.9%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	480.02	490.32	491.67	2.4%	0.3%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	331.43	341.94	343.10	3.5%	0.3%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	284.90	343.45	339.26	19.1%	-1.2%	300.00	400.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1851.83	1904.55	1920.83	3.7%	0.9%	1600.00	2000.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	722.94	721.21	728.33	0.7%	1.0%	600.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1812.94	1695.77	1689.60	-6.8%	-0.4%	1500.00	2000.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	34.89	36.47	36.45	4.5%	-0.1%	30.00	40.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	218.30	453.00	449.63	106.0%	-0.7%	400.00	500.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	119.07	171.86	173.58	45.8%	1.0%	100.00	240.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	101.36	114.92	113.90	12.4%	-0.9%	100.00	129.50
Imported	1kg.	80.91	83.58	83.44	3.1%	-0.2%	50.00	100.00

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Raw Red - ( Average )	1 Kg.	91.90	71.42	71.49	-22.2%	0.1%	65.00	80.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	93.73	72.80	72.33	-22.8%	-0.6%	70.00	80.00
Raw Red - No 2.	1 Kg.	90.07	70.04	70.64	-21.6%	0.9%	65.00	75.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	78.19	73.63	73.78	-5.6%	0.2%	70.00	80.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	92.35	84.14	84.59	-8.4%	0.5%	70.00	90.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	87.56	79.14	79.25	-9.5%	0.1%	73.00	80.00
Samba - ( Average )	1 Kg.	92.77	95.52	95.60	3.1%	0.1%	88.00	100.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	94.26	98.21	98.16	4.1%	-0.1%	95.00	100.00
Samba - No 2.	1 Kg.	91.27	92.83	93.04	1.9%	0.2%	88.00	98.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	97.84	86.54	86.69	-11.4%	0.2%	78.00	90.00
Mysore Dhall - ( Average )	1 Kg.	170.34	176.00	175.91	3.3%	-0.1%	160.00	200.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	184.83	187.27	187.27	1.3%	0.0%	180.00	200.00
Mysore Dhall - No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	168.52	171.21	171.00	1.5%	-0.1%	160.00	190.00
Mysore Dhall - No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	157.66	169.53	169.44	7.5%	-0.1%	168.00	175.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	228.84	265.90	265.22	15.9%	-0.3%	220.00	320.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	305.08	249.10	250.39	-17.9%	0.5%	188.00	280.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	157.50	174.08	175.47	11.4%	0.8%	150.00	200.00
Sugar	1Kg.	100.37	90.85	90.46	-9.9%	-0.4%	85.00	95.00
Firewood	50Kg.	538.75	575.00	575.00	6.7%	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	893.13	888.33	14.8%	-0.5%	800.00	1000.00
Mullet	1Kg.	737.72	834.44	857.00	16.2%	2.7%	700.00	900.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	854.20	885.33	892.67	4.5%	0.8%	800.00	1000.00
Balaya	1Kg.	569.46	524.29	518.75	-8.9%	-1.1%	460.00	550.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	744.35	816.36	832.73	11.9%	2.0%	750.00	900.00
Mora	1Kg.	629.58	580.00	605.56	-3.8%	4.4%	540.00	650.00
Salaya	1Kg.	139.74	163.00	162.11	16.0%	-0.5%	140.00	180.00
Parati	1Kg.	553.77	546.36	567.27	2.4%	3.8%	400.00	650.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	469.24	480.00	496.15	5.7%	3.4%	400.00	550.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1066.76	1090.00	1087.37	1.9%	-0.2%	1000.00	1200.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	569.50	547.44	558.11	-2.0%	1.9%	400.00	720.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	510.79	513.29	516.72	1.2%	0.7%	400.00	700.00
Beef	1Kg.	591.75	727.50	723.89	22.3%	-0.5%	700.00	760.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1290.87	1495.83	1500.00	16.2%	0.3%	1500.00	1500.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	455.10	503.53	506.47	11.3%	0.6%	460.00	550.00
Broiler	1Kg.	380.00	380.00	380.00	0.0%	0.0%	380.00	380.00
Pork	1Kg.	565.63	650.00	666.67	17.9%	2.6%	650.00	700.00
Egg - ( Average )	Each	12.78	16.11	16.09	25.9%	-0.1%	14.50	18.00
Egg - Red	Each	13.25	16.67	16.61	25.3%	-0.4%	15.50	18.00
Egg - White	Each	12.31	15.56	15.58	26.6%	0.1%	14.50	17.00
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	77.50	76.88	4.4%	-0.8%	60.00	90.00
Anamalu	Each	13.25	13.85	14.00	5.6%	1.1%	12.00	16.00
Kolikuttu	Each	15.16	18.41	18.31	20.7%	-0.6%	15.00	20.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	79.23	75.94	77.10	-2.7%	1.5%	60.00	100.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	100.34	115.86	115.71	15.3%	-0.1%	100.00	160.00
Bread	450g.	60.00	52.68	52.68	-12.2%	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