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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	116.42	110.56	118.54	1.8%	7.2%	80.00	160.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	102.96	102.00	104.44	1.4%	2.4%	80.00	120.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	115.32	135.71	140.00	21.4%	3.2%	120.00	160.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	104.27	108.48	117.13	12.3%	8.0%	80.00	160.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	152.56	159.33	172.50	13.1%	8.3%	120.00	200.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	84.15	110.77	116.08	38.0%	4.8%	80.00	160.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	78.27	94.12	99.43	27.0%	5.6%	80.00	160.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	118.56	145.60	150.00	26.5%	3.0%	120.00	160.00
Gotukola	Bunch	24.44	27.06	26.67	9.1%	-1.4%	20.00	40.00
Kankun	Bunch	26.47	32.75	31.07	17.4%	-5.1%	20.00	40.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	26.73	35.83	36.54	36.7%	2.0%	25.00	40.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	33.59	37.92	36.00	7.2%	-5.1%	30.00	40.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	143.13	136.19	141.48	-1.2%	3.9%	100.00	160.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	121.32	144.76	154.29	27.2%	6.6%	120.00	160.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	179.54	255.35	250.91	39.8%	-1.7%	200.00	300.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	217.82	228.48	228.57	4.9%	0.0%	200.00	320.00
Leeks	1 kg.	189.53	148.82	154.65	-18.4%	3.9%	120.00	200.00
Limes	1 kg.	268.22	664.97	687.50	156.3%	3.4%	500.00	800.00
Coconut - Average	Each	54.42	46.82	46.11	-15.3%	-1.5%	35.00	60.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	61.65	54.23	51.82	-15.9%	-4.4%	50.00	60.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	54.86	47.83	47.00	-14.3%	-1.7%	40.00	55.00
Coconut (small)	Each	46.75	38.40	39.52	-15.5%	2.9%	35.00	45.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	185.24	382.31	330.63	78.5%	-13.5%	250.00	400.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	212.38	443.18	372.73	75.5%	-15.9%	300.00	400.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	158.09	321.43	288.54	82.5%	-10.2%	250.00	350.00
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	413.01	488.64	463.39	12.2%	-5.2%	300.00	600.00
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	464.49	527.27	512.50	10.3%	-2.8%	400.00	600.00
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	361.54	450.00	414.29	14.6%	-7.9%	300.00	500.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	134.48	141.75	143.04	6.4%	0.9%	120.00	160.00
Imported	1 Kg	103.58	89.11	88.73	-14.3%	-0.4%	80.00	100.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	214.36	206.07	206.61	-3.6%	0.3%	190.00	220.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	25.11	34.21	31.92	27.1%	-6.7%	20.00	40.00
Nivithi	500g	29.95	36.25	36.54	22.0%	0.8%	30.00	40.00
Sarana	Bunch	31.16	37.31	36.67	17.7%	-1.7%	30.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	32.45	37.81	35.45	9.3%	-6.2%	30.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	225.67	240.00	260.00	15.2%	8.3%	240.00	280.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	176.99	211.25	209.50	18.4%	-0.8%	160.00	240.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	140.35	136.92	153.55	9.4%	12.1%	120.00	200.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	154.91	160.85	176.25	13.8%	9.6%	160.00	200.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	108.32	130.67	138.18	27.6%	5.8%	120.00	160.00
Carrot	1 kg.	187.90	159.43	153.97	-18.1%	-3.4%	120.00	200.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	362.86	351.43	313.60	-13.6%	-10.8%	240.00	400.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	128.92	144.00	145.00	12.5%	0.7%	120.00	160.00
Raddish	1 kg.	103.37	110.59	120.00	16.1%	8.5%	80.00	160.00
Tomatoo - No 1.	1 kg.	102.81	203.53	214.25	108.4%	5.3%	160.00	240.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	263.45	365.79	369.29	40.2%	1.0%	330.00	400.00
Corriander	1Kg.	344.29	343.87	348.52	1.2%	1.4%	300.00	400.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1656.11	1717.31	1757.69	6.1%	2.4%	1600.00	2000.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	643.91	663.46	676.00	5.0%	1.9%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	249.94	426.06	453.67	81.5%	6.5%	300.00	500.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	709.84	701.61	719.35	1.3%	2.5%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	464.21	476.67	462.90	-0.3%	-2.9%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	335.09	337.93	350.00	4.5%	3.6%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	335.33	358.18	352.86	5.2%	-1.5%	300.00	400.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1830.42	2147.06	2138.89	16.9%	-0.4%	1800.00	2400.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	744.30	684.85	696.77	-6.4%	1.7%	600.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1671.11	1820.69	1841.07	10.2%	1.1%	1600.00	2000.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	34.82	67.25	68.20	95.9%	1.4%	60.00	80.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	235.42	298.21	305.56	29.8%	2.5%	200.00	400.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	119.54	126.01	127.79	6.9%	1.4%	90.00	160.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.							
Imported	1kg.	117.85	86.29	83.56	-29.1%	-3.2%	70.00	100.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	76.45	64.22	65.07	-14.9%	1.3%	49.00	75.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	80.69	67.35	68.60	-15.0%	1.9%	65.00	75.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	72.20	61.09	61.55	-14.8%	0.7%	49.00	70.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	70.24	68.50	68.47	-2.5%	-0.1%	60.00	75.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	86.05	76.68	77.44	-10.0%	1.0%	60.00	85.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	77.12	74.47	75.00	-2.7%	0.7%	85.00	98.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	89.32	93.38	91.19	2.1%	-2.3%	80.00	110.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	91.42	98.07	95.02	3.9%	-3.1%	90.00	110.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	87.21	88.69	87.36	0.2%	-1.5%	80.00	95.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	85.97	91.80	91.83	6.8%	0.0%	85.00	98.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	185.26	186.90	192.93	4.1%	3.2%	168.00	220.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	200.43	205.71	209.00	4.3%	1.6%	200.00	220.00
No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	185.41	185.67	193.00	4.1%	3.9%	180.00	200.00
No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	169.96	169.33	176.78	4.0%	4.4%	168.00	180.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	259.79	259.86	261.09	0.5%	0.5%	230.00	300.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	271.43	260.37	259.53	-4.4%	-0.3%	200.00	300.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	163.17	202.03	206.19	26.4%	2.1%	180.00	250.00
Sugar	1Kg.	84.37	104.51	104.93	24.4%	0.4%	87.00	110.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	810.51	932.67	889.38	9.7%	-4.6%	800.00	980.00
Mullet	1Kg.	756.49	827.50	815.00	7.7%	-1.5%	700.00	900.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	889.00	916.90	891.88	0.3%	-2.7%	700.00	1000.00
Balaya	1Kg.	637.92	558.75	561.43	-12.0%	0.5%	480.00	640.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	850.75	875.83	846.40	-0.5%	-3.4%	700.00	1000.00
Mora	1Kg.	614.76	636.00	617.14	0.4%	-3.0%	500.00	700.00
Salaya	1Kg.	161.08	147.50	149.52	-7.2%	1.4%	120.00	200.00
Parati	1Kg.	589.97	624.00	635.33	7.7%	1.8%	480.00	720.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	526.96	591.00	577.14	9.5%	-2.3%	450.00	700.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1125.51	1167.59	1205.88	7.1%	3.3%	1000.00	1300.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	459.24	697.88	712.06	55.1%	2.0%	600.00	800.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	481.57	564.06	571.03	18.6%	1.2%	480.00	800.00
Beef	1Kg.	632.88	779.23	787.65	24.5%	1.1%	750.00	800.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1320.35	1507.14	1507.14	14.1%	0.0%	1500.00	1600.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	495.91	565.56	568.42	14.6%	0.5%	520.00	600.00
Broiler	1Kg.	380.00	380.00	380.00	0.0%	0.0%	380.00	380.00
Pork	1Kg.	609.38	675.00	666.67	9.4%	-1.2%	650.00	700.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	14.27	16.30	15.24	6.8%	-6.5%	13.00	18.00
Egg - Red	Each	14.74	16.81	15.82	7.3%	-5.9%	14.00	18.00
White	Each	13.80	15.79	14.67	6.2%	-7.1%	13.00	17.00
Tin Fish	425g.	230.00	195.00	196.36	-14.6%	0.7%	140.00	230.00
Lakspray	400g.	325.00	325.00	325.00	0.0%	0.0%	325.00	325.00
Anchor	400g.	325.00	325.00	325.00	0.0%	0.0%	325.00	325.00
Lactogen - II	400g.	440.00	465.00	465.00	5.7%	0.0%	465.00	465.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	465.00	440.00	440.00	-5.4%	0.0%	440.00	440.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	80.17	94.47	84.06	4.9%	-11.0%	60.00	100.00
Anamalu	1 Kg.	140.30	133.79	129.67	-7.6%	-3.1%	100.00	160.00
Kolikuttu	1 Kg.	171.90	233.50	229.00	33.2%	-1.9%	200.00	280.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	87.61	140.36	118.50	35.3%	-15.6%	100.00	160.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	104.17	131.92	128.52	23.4%	-2.6%	100.00	160.00
Bread	450g.	52.78	57.29	57.29	8.5%	0.0%	55.00	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