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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	126.71	142.35	141.18	11.4%	-0.8%	120.00	160.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	90.98	136.00	112.50	23.7%	-17.3%	80.00	120.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	107.65	109.97	106.41	-1.2%	-3.2%	80.00	120.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	102.45	134.05	136.50	33.2%	1.8%	120.00	160.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	156.67	189.68	185.81	18.6%	-2.0%	160.00	240.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	77.18	74.29	74.44	-3.5%	0.2%	60.00	100.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	92.34	172.09	144.97	57.0%	-15.8%	120.00	160.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	122.11	141.88	136.22	11.6%	-4.0%	120.00	160.00
Gotukola	Bunch	22.88	30.71	31.43	37.3%	2.3%	20.00	40.00
Kankun	Bunch	25.08	37.37	38.33	52.8%	2.6%	30.00	40.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	25.21	37.78	37.50	48.8%	-0.7%	25.00	40.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	28.56	38.89	38.89	36.2%	0.0%	30.00	40.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	134.55	140.00	136.36	1.4%	-2.6%	120.00	160.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	132.23	137.06	132.01	-0.2%	-3.7%	80.00	160.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	346.90	647.06	531.58	53.2%	-17.8%	400.00	600.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	197.68	355.56	258.92	31.0%	-27.2%	200.00	300.00
Leeks	1 kg.	130.29	164.00	160.00	22.8%	-2.4%	120.00	200.00
Limes	1 kg.	259.77	339.43	342.65	31.9%	0.9%	300.00	450.00
Coconut - Average	Each	46.29	45.35	40.07	-13.4%	-11.7%	25.00	50.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	54.41	52.00	46.56	-14.4%	-10.5%	40.00	50.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	46.50	45.65	40.68	-12.5%	-10.9%	35.00	45.00
Coconut (small)	Each	37.97	38.41	32.97	-13.2%	-14.2%	25.00	35.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	169.81	243.61	247.06	45.5%	1.4%	175.00	350.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	201.66	290.00	284.62	41.1%	-1.9%	225.00	350.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	137.96	197.22	209.50	51.9%	6.2%	175.00	250.00
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	527.62	463.89	450.21	-14.7%	-2.9%	300.00	600.00
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	619.05	516.67	511.54	-17.4%	-1.0%	400.00	600.00
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	436.19	411.11	388.89	-10.8%	-5.4%	300.00	500.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	147.94	185.68	174.55	18.0%	-6.0%	160.00	200.00
Imported	1 Kg	99.75	116.66	111.67	11.9%	-4.3%	80.00	120.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	201.87	219.53	215.97	7.0%	-1.6%	200.00	240.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	26.08	37.37	38.33	47.0%	2.6%	30.00	40.00
Nivithi	500g	29.35	45.56	46.67	59.0%	2.4%	30.00	50.00
Sarana	Bunch	30.05	40.00	39.33	30.9%	-1.7%	30.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	30.29	36.67	37.14	22.6%	1.3%	30.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	215.25	300.00	280.00	30.1%	-6.7%	280.00	280.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	151.61	198.92	201.03	32.6%	1.1%	160.00	240.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	132.97	153.53	142.56	7.2%	-7.1%	120.00	160.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	119.60	157.50	146.49	22.5%	-7.0%	120.00	200.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	120.09	173.88	146.47	22.0%	-15.8%	120.00	160.00
Carrot	1 kg.	154.93	171.68	164.37	6.1%	-4.3%	120.00	200.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	155.09	182.50	167.78	8.2%	-8.1%	120.00	200.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	130.97	133.33	129.91	-0.8%	-2.6%	80.00	160.00
Raddish	1 kg.	102.17	115.38	114.73	12.3%	-0.6%	80.00	160.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	108.15	184.88	127.78	18.1%	-30.9%	120.00	200.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	279.34	370.00	368.19	31.8%	-0.5%	340.00	400.00
Corriander	1Kg.	357.72	348.57	340.38	-4.8%	-2.3%	300.00	400.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1688.89	1828.57	1836.36	8.7%	0.4%	1600.00	2000.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	653.52	688.46	670.37	2.6%	-2.6%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	267.93	408.94	401.91	50.0%	-1.7%	300.00	500.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	716.49	724.14	729.03	1.8%	0.7%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	473.44	474.64	473.57	0.0%	-0.2%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	333.30	346.67	350.00	5.0%	1.0%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	340.08	366.25	351.67	3.4%	-4.0%	300.00	400.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1828.77	2604.55	2492.50	36.3%	-4.3%	2000.00	3000.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	738.76	701.61	698.21	-5.5%	-0.5%	600.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1708.56	1642.86	1630.26	-4.6%	-0.8%	1475.00	1800.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	34.96	69.78	70.71	102.3%	1.3%	60.00	80.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	359.91	309.50	330.80	-8.1%	6.9%	300.00	400.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	131.12	150.76	136.54	4.1%	-9.4%	120.00	180.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.							
Imported	1kg.	114.66	79.03	78.54	-31.5%	-0.6%	68.00	80.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	70.09	65.96	67.15	-4.2%	1.8%	55.00	75.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	74.38	70.00	70.42	-5.3%	0.6%	65.00	75.00
Raw Red - No 2.	1 Kg.	65.80	61.93	63.88	-2.9%	3.2%	55.00	70.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	64.88	70.08	69.68	7.4%	-0.6%	63.00	75.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	81.91	75.29	76.32	-6.8%	1.4%	60.00	80.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	72.22	77.46	77.83	7.8%	0.5%	85.00	95.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	89.59	91.32	90.88	1.4%	-0.5%	80.00	110.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	92.31	95.00	94.92	2.8%	-0.1%	90.00	110.00
Samba - No 2.	1 Kg.	86.88	87.64	86.85	0.0%	-0.9%	80.00	90.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	85.99	88.90	88.03	2.4%	-1.0%	85.00	95.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	191.24	186.15	187.45	-2.0%	0.7%	160.00	240.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	205.35	218.75	220.00	7.1%	0.6%	200.00	240.00
Mysore Dhall - No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	190.14	171.52	174.08	-8.4%	1.5%	168.00	180.00
Mysore Dhall - No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	178.22	168.18	168.26	-5.6%	0.0%	160.00	170.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	259.01	255.77	257.89	-0.4%	0.8%	220.00	300.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	256.10	239.89	239.44	-6.5%	-0.2%	200.00	280.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	160.63	244.54	241.11	50.1%	-1.4%	200.00	300.00
Sugar	1Kg.	81.17	94.87	94.86	16.9%	0.0%	93.00	95.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	907.52	955.00	969.38	6.8%	1.5%	800.00	1100.00
Fresh Fish - Mullet	1Kg.	827.38	948.00	938.00	13.4%	-1.1%	820.00	1000.00
Fresh Fish - Thalapath	1Kg.	873.75	920.43	917.92	5.1%	-0.3%	850.00	1000.00
Fresh Fish - Balaya	1Kg.	632.84	656.67	645.00	1.9%	-1.8%	540.00	720.00
Fresh Fish - Kelewella	1Kg.	812.70	912.59	907.04	11.6%	-0.6%	800.00	1000.00
Fresh Fish - Mora	1Kg.	646.62	656.67	661.67	2.3%	0.8%	550.00	720.00
Fresh Fish - Salaya	1Kg.	180.85	196.67	198.89	10.0%	1.1%	140.00	240.00
Fresh Fish - Parati	1Kg.	588.72	684.00	707.27	20.1%	3.4%	560.00	800.00
Fresh Fish - Small Mullet	1Kg.	505.84	649.29	643.08	27.1%	-1.0%	500.00	760.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1121.51	1150.00	1146.97	2.3%	-0.3%	1000.00	1400.00
Dried Fish - Spratts	1 Kg.	654.11	570.34	494.38	-24.4%	-13.3%	480.00	550.00
Dried Fish - Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	509.03	573.72	512.33	0.6%	-10.7%	400.00	700.00
Beef	1Kg.	693.56	812.31	815.33	17.6%	0.4%	800.00	850.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1425.66	1581.82	1590.91	11.6%	0.6%	1500.00	1600.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	536.40	589.72	601.39	12.1%	2.0%	560.00	620.00
Chicken - Broiler	1Kg.	380.00	410.00	410.00	7.9%	0.0%	410.00	410.00
Pork	1Kg.	626.46	675.00	650.00	3.8%	-3.7%	600.00	700.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	16.32	18.95	19.35	18.5%	2.1%	16.00	21.00
Egg - Red	Each	16.79	19.50	19.96	18.9%	2.4%	19.00	21.00
Egg - White	Each	15.85	18.39	18.73	18.2%	1.8%	16.00	20.00
Tin Fish	425g.	230.00	199.64	226.82	-1.4%	13.6%	140.00	295.00
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.	80.44	101.63	101.84	26.6%	0.2%	80.00	120.00
Anamalu	1 Kg.	148.00	144.00	146.67	-0.9%	1.9%	120.00	160.00
Kolikuttu	1 Kg.	178.90	228.08	229.26	28.1%	0.5%	180.00	250.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	123.42	104.20	109.38	-11.4%	5.0%	80.00	140.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	123.93	136.14	134.50	8.5%	-1.2%	100.00	160.00
Bread	450g.	53.18	58.14	58.14	9.3%	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