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		2016 Jan.	4th Week Dec.2016	1st Week Jan.2017	2016 Jan.	4th Week Dec.2016		
Ash Plantain	1 kg.	140.18	132.57	135.15	-3.6%	1.9%	120.00	160.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	106.58	108.89	111.11	4.3%	2.0%	80.00	120.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	187.88	130.30	112.86	-39.9%	-13.4%	80.00	160.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	172.20	110.00	99.39	-42.3%	-9.6%	80.00	160.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	257.95	218.33	228.57	-11.4%	4.7%	160.00	250.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	101.42	108.11	115.69	14.1%	7.0%	80.00	120.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	108.44	101.62	108.48	0.0%	6.8%	80.00	120.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	155.77	143.96	128.33	-17.6%	-10.9%	100.00	160.00
Gotukola	Bunch	23.78	29.64	30.00	26.1%	1.2%	20.00	40.00
Kankun	Bunch	27.29	33.33	33.93	24.3%	1.8%	30.00	40.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	29.90	35.31	35.42	18.5%	0.3%	25.00	40.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	30.59	35.00	35.71	16.7%	2.0%	30.00	40.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	144.29	145.00	137.81	-4.5%	-5.0%	120.00	160.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	172.81	167.50	170.67	-1.2%	1.9%	120.00	200.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	585.56	186.80	276.39	-52.8%	48.0%	200.00	300.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	454.50	227.27	252.50	-44.4%	11.1%	200.00	280.00
Leeks	1 kg.	186.80	142.52	129.14	-30.9%	-9.4%	120.00	160.00
Limes	1 kg.	246.34	628.14	605.88	146.0%	-3.5%	500.00	800.00
Coconut - Average	Each	47.76	50.21	53.30	11.6%	6.2%	45.00	65.00
Coconut ( Large )	Each	55.66	57.12	59.21	6.4%	3.7%	55.00	65.00
Coconut ( Medium)	Each	49.21	51.00	52.96	7.6%	3.8%	50.00	60.00
Coconut ( small)	Each	38.41	42.50	47.73	24.3%	12.3%	45.00	50.00
Betel Leaves ( Average )	100 leaves	n.a.	178.47	172.92		-3.1%	100.00	250.00
Betel Leaves ( Medium)	100 leaves	n.a.	216.67	208.33		-3.8%	150.00	250.00
Betel Leaves ( Small)	100 leaves	n.a.	140.28	137.50		-2.0%	100.00	175.00
Arecanuts ( Average )	100 Nuts	n.a.	420.00	400.91		-4.5%	300.00	600.00
Arecanuts ( Medium )	100 Nuts	n.a.	500.00	481.82		-3.6%	400.00	600.00
Arecanuts ( Small )	100 Nuts		340.00	320.00		-5.9%	300.00	400.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	128.66	171.36	167.05	29.8%	-2.5%	140.00	200.00
Imported	1 Kg	81.08	118.15	119.31	47.1%	1.0%	100.00	140.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	206.27	248.19	248.89	20.7%	0.3%	230.00	260.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	29.19	34.67	35.00	19.9%	1.0%	30.00	40.00
Nivithi	500g	32.88	46.67	47.33	43.9%	1.4%	40.00	60.00
Sarana	Bunch	32.69	35.71	36.67	12.2%	2.7%	25.00	40.00
Thampala	Bunch	31.32	37.14	36.92	17.9%	-0.6%	30.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	340.50	320.00	200.00	-41.3%	-37.5%	200.00	200.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	270.60	230.27	136.13	-49.7%	-40.9%	120.00	200.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	185.78	178.27	150.18	-19.2%	-15.8%	120.00	200.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	274.50	134.29	129.70	-52.7%	-3.4%	100.00	160.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	219.84	105.00	94.38	-57.1%	-10.1%	80.00	120.00
Carrot	1 kg.	298.65	160.97	139.71	-53.2%	-13.2%	120.00	200.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	n.a.	365.71	n.a				
Knol Khol	1 kg.	196.89	143.33	147.62	-25.0%	3.0%	120.00	160.00
Raddish	1 kg.	140.15	123.53	100.00	-28.6%	-19.0%	80.00	160.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	106.85	89.89	124.52	16.5%	38.5%	100.00	160.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	364.36	338.75	329.31	-9.6%	-2.8%	300.00	380.00
Corriander	1Kg.	352.23	353.48	343.20	-2.6%	-2.9%	300.00	400.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1747.51	1800.00	1789.47	2.4%	-0.6%	1600.00	2000.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	680.66	680.00	672.73	-1.2%	-1.1%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	338.33	462.40	456.56	34.9%	-1.3%	400.00	500.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	722.75	733.46	731.03	1.1%	-0.3%	600.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	470.92	469.58	470.69	0.0%	0.2%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	344.56	356.90	343.10	-0.4%	-3.9%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	356.64	358.57	350.00	-1.9%	-2.4%	300.00	400.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	1891.51	2700.00	2778.57	46.9%	2.9%	2400.00	3000.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	717.92	739.13	712.07	-0.8%	-3.7%	600.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1766.49	1683.33	1625.00	-8.0%	-3.5%	1500.00	1800.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	38.31	62.78	64.38	68.1%	2.5%	60.00	80.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	449.00	341.60	350.00	-22.0%	2.5%	300.00	400.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	170.18	135.92	137.30	-19.3%	1.0%	120.00	160.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	99.37	123.18	n.a				
Imported	1kg.	77.13	100.22	96.98	25.7%	-3.2%	80.00	120.00

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Raw Red - ( Average )	1 Kg.	71.75	88.63	88.54	23.4%	-0.1%	78.00	100.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	74.49	91.77	91.74	23.2%	0.0%	90.00	100.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	69.01	85.48	85.35	23.7%	-0.2%	78.00	90.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	72.65	91.21	92.46	27.3%	1.4%	88.00	95.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	85.70	95.85	94.90	10.7%	-1.0%	87.00	100.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	79.61	93.90	95.39	19.8%	1.6%	85.00	95.00
Samba - ( Average )	1 Kg.	96.97	96.73	96.94	0.0%	0.2%	89.00	110.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	99.59	97.76	99.48	-0.1%	1.8%	95.00	110.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	94.35	95.71	94.41	0.1%	-1.4%	89.00	100.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	87.16	89.32	88.93	2.0%	-0.4%	85.00	95.00
Mysore Dhall - ( Average )	1 Kg.	182.83	195.67	192.21	5.1%	-1.8%	160.00	260.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	197.71	238.08	232.31	17.5%	-2.4%	200.00	260.00
No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	181.42	179.53	177.00	-2.4%	-1.4%	170.00	200.00
No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	169.36	169.41	167.33	-1.2%	-1.2%	160.00	170.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	267.15	266.96	260.28	-2.6%	-2.5%	230.00	300.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	256.05	229.70	230.18	-10.1%	0.2%	200.00	260.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	176.55	303.64	300.09	70.0%	-1.2%	237.00	360.00
Sugar	1Kg.	97.05	98.03	98.89	1.9%	0.9%	94.00	100.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	904.44	873.53	925.63	2.3%	6.0%	800.00	1000.00
Mullet	1Kg.	812.92	824.55	843.33	3.7%	2.3%	700.00	900.00
Thalpath	1Kg.	886.63	918.97	943.21	6.4%	2.6%	850.00	1000.00
Balaya	1Kg.	519.47	580.00	594.29	14.4%	2.5%	550.00	650.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	819.34	904.78	872.59	6.5%	-3.6%	800.00	1000.00
Mora	1Kg.	573.44	623.85	653.33	13.9%	4.7%	580.00	700.00
Salaya	1Kg.	161.73	164.38	143.91	-11.0%	-12.4%	120.00	180.00
Parati	1Kg.	558.17	577.27	623.33	11.7%	8.0%	600.00	650.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	516.31	537.14	565.45	9.5%	5.3%	440.00	650.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1125.26	1179.31	1182.69	5.1%	0.3%	1100.00	1300.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	609.91	654.81	666.09	9.2%	1.7%	600.00	700.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	533.16	517.69	518.67	-2.7%	0.2%	400.00	600.00
Beef	1Kg.	729.22	847.33	847.69	16.2%	0.0%	800.00	860.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1506.70	1600.00	1623.08	7.7%	1.4%	1500.00	1700.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	486.37	492.78	489.23	0.6%	-0.7%	450.00	540.00
Broiler	1Kg.	380.00	410.00	410.00	7.9%	0.0%	410.00	410.00
Pork	1Kg.	650.00	670.00	665.00	2.3%	-0.7%	650.00	680.00
Egg - ( Average )	Each	16.90	15.37	14.42	-14.7%	-6.2%	12.50	16.00
Egg - Red	Each	17.41	15.90	15.04	-13.6%	-5.4%	12.50	16.00
White	Each	16.40	14.84	13.81	-15.8%	-6.9%	12.50	15.00
Tin Fish	425g.	230.00	217.69	220.21	-4.3%	1.2%	130.00	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.	465.00	465.00	465.00	0.0%	0.0%	465.00	465.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	440.00	440.00	440.00	0.0%	0.0%	440.00	440.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	78.76	109.43	119.69	52.0%	9.4%	100.00	150.00
Anamalu	1 Kg.	125.85	163.96	169.20	34.4%	3.2%	120.00	180.00
Kolikuttu	1 Kg.	196.38	232.22	244.07	24.3%	5.1%	200.00	260.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	92.11	100.42	107.33	16.5%	6.9%	80.00	130.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	121.36	168.75	173.67	43.1%	2.9%	140.00	200.00
Bread	450g.	52.47	58.13	58.13	10.8%	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