

**OPEN MARKET WEEKLY AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES - 2nd Week of August 2017**

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		2016 Aug.	1st Week Aug.2017	2nd Week Aug.2017	2016 Aug.	1st Week Aug.2017		
Ash Plantain	1 kg.	137.50	143.78	146.11	6.3%	1.6%	120.00	160.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	109.79	140.00	140.00	27.5%	0.0%	120.00	160.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	103.86	139.47	140.54	35.3%	0.8%	120.00	200.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	129.64	174.86	175.29	35.2%	0.2%	160.00	200.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	179.40	204.74	195.79	9.1%	-4.4%	160.00	240.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	76.16	102.94	104.00	36.5%	1.0%	80.00	120.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	129.81	168.65	166.84	28.5%	-1.1%	160.00	200.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	123.65	185.88	188.39	52.4%	1.3%	160.00	240.00
Gotukola	Bunch	29.54	28.67	28.08	-5.0%	-2.1%	15.00	40.00
Kankun	Bunch	36.56	34.12	34.00	-7.0%	-0.3%	20.00	40.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	36.03	36.43	36.92	2.5%	1.4%	30.00	50.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	35.92	42.00	42.00	16.9%	0.0%	40.00	50.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	135.17	164.00	163.75	21.1%	-0.2%	140.00	200.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	121.86	178.89	177.14	45.4%	-1.0%	160.00	240.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	401.93	475.00	492.11	22.4%	3.6%	400.00	600.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	242.81	253.57	236.47	-2.6%	-6.7%	200.00	300.00
Leeks	1 kg.	147.38	134.05	134.44	-8.8%	0.3%	120.00	160.00
Limes	1 kg.	352.75	186.67	190.42	-46.0%	2.0%	150.00	200.00
Coconut - Average	Each	40.79	60.89	61.13	49.8%	0.4%	50.00	80.00
Coconut ( Large )	Each	46.88	69.28	69.46	48.1%	0.3%	65.00	80.00
Coconut ( Medium)	Each	41.10	61.07	61.43	49.5%	0.6%	55.00	65.00
Coconut ( small)	Each	34.40	52.31	52.50	52.6%	0.4%	50.00	55.00
Betel Leaves ( Average )	100 leaves	280.56	198.89	199.05	-29.1%	0.1%	150.00	250.00
Betel Leaves ( Medium)	100 leaves	327.64	220.00	220.83	-32.6%	0.4%	200.00	250.00
Betel Leaves ( Small)	100 leaves	233.47	177.78	177.27	-24.1%	-0.3%	150.00	200.00
Arecanuts ( Average )	100 Nuts	478.09	532.86	534.44	11.8%	0.3%	400.00	600.00
Arecanuts ( Medium )	100 Nuts	535.61	585.71	588.89	9.9%	0.5%	500.00	600.00
Arecanuts ( Small )	100 Nuts	420.58	480.00	480.00	14.1%	0.0%	400.00	500.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	172.55	178.81	182.45	5.7%	2.0%	150.00	200.00
Imported	1 Kg	112.02	115.26	116.67	4.1%	1.2%	100.00	130.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	216.05	284.41	289.22	33.9%	1.7%	250.00	320.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	37.25	34.12	34.33	-7.8%	0.6%	20.00	40.00
Nivithi	500g	44.86	48.18	49.17	9.6%	2.0%	30.00	60.00
Sarana	Bunch	38.04	43.33	41.67	9.5%	-3.8%	30.00	50.00
Thampala	Bunch	35.99	35.00	36.00	0.0%	2.9%	30.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	240.00	320.00	n.a.				
Beans - Green	1 kg.	175.63	160.00	168.65	-4.0%	5.4%	120.00	200.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	138.67	170.59	172.41	24.3%	1.1%	160.00	200.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	127.13	138.89	139.49	9.7%	0.4%	120.00	200.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	144.97	170.26	167.78	15.7%	-1.5%	160.00	200.00
Carrot	1 kg.	150.12	204.21	196.92	31.2%	-3.6%	160.00	240.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	157.22	247.88	241.94	53.9%	-2.4%	200.00	320.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	118.45	158.67	151.88	28.2%	-4.3%	120.00	200.00
Raddish	1 kg.	104.49	129.03	127.27	21.8%	-1.4%	120.00	160.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	105.45	197.22	191.11	81.2%	-3.1%	160.00	240.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	365.93	232.86	237.88	-35.0%	2.2%	200.00	260.00
Corriander	1Kg.	342.96	334.40	317.24	-7.5%	-5.1%	300.00	400.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1821.46	1729.41	1698.00	-6.8%	-1.8%	1600.00	1800.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	661.49	643.48	659.26	-0.3%	2.5%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	404.43	370.59	363.81	-10.0%	-1.8%	300.00	500.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	730.92	750.00	750.00	2.6%	0.0%	700.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	468.99	501.67	509.38	8.6%	1.5%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	341.83	336.36	345.31	1.0%	2.7%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	345.86	339.71	350.00	1.2%	3.0%	300.00	400.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	2509.97	2720.00	2850.00	13.5%	4.8%	2400.00	3200.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	691.00	679.03	687.50	-0.5%	1.2%	600.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1637.21	1605.00	1635.71	-0.1%	1.9%	1400.00	1800.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	68.80	62.22	60.71	-11.7%	-2.4%	60.00	70.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	329.24	398.00	389.29	18.2%	-2.2%	300.00	500.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	123.88	183.33	176.95	42.8%	-3.5%	160.00	220.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.				
Imported	1kg.	81.53	106.41	116.00	42.3%	9.0%	90.00	120.00

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Raw Red - ( Average )	1 Kg.	67.35	88.04	86.53	28.5%	-1.7%	75.00	95.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	70.44	90.71	90.29	28.2%	-0.5%	88.00	95.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	64.25	85.38	82.78	28.8%	-3.0%	75.00	88.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	69.67	82.37	82.04	17.8%	-0.4%	70.00	95.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	76.35	100.97	96.53	26.4%	-4.4%	80.00	100.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	77.36	92.11	91.46	18.2%	-0.7%	85.00	90.00
Samba - ( Average )	1 Kg.	90.97	98.01	98.98	8.8%	1.0%	85.00	110.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	94.76	102.29	103.17	8.9%	0.9%	97.00	110.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	87.19	93.73	94.79	8.7%	1.1%	85.00	100.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	88.36	89.42	87.92	-0.5%	-1.7%	85.00	90.00
Mysore Dhall - ( Average )	1 Kg.	188.14	179.24	181.25	-3.7%	1.1%	150.00	240.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	222.36	218.18	218.00	-2.0%	-0.1%	200.00	240.00
No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	173.80	163.24	169.44	-2.5%	3.8%	160.00	180.00
No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	168.25	156.31	156.31	-7.1%	0.0%	150.00	160.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	256.98	320.82	319.70	24.4%	-0.4%	280.00	380.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	235.69	255.37	253.34	7.5%	-0.8%	220.00	280.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	246.33	318.33	327.14	32.8%	2.8%	257.00	380.00
Sugar	1Kg.	94.90	106.11	106.20	11.9%	0.1%	99.00	110.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	956.77	982.14	1006.92	5.2%	2.5%	800.00	1120.00
Mullet	1Kg.	925.88	846.67	842.50	-9.0%	-0.5%	680.00	900.00
Thalpath	1Kg.	914.68	1130.40	1128.70	23.4%	-0.2%	1000.00	1200.00
Balaya	1Kg.	634.33	542.73	588.00	-7.3%	8.3%	480.00	700.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	891.45	888.42	943.33	5.8%	6.2%	800.00	1100.00
Mora	1Kg.	655.00	796.67	820.00	25.2%	2.9%	700.00	900.00
Salaya	1Kg.	203.17	186.67	203.75	0.3%	9.2%	160.00	250.00
Parati	1Kg.	710.02	686.92	688.89	-3.0%	0.3%	550.00	800.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	646.02	614.29	637.14	-1.4%	3.7%	480.00	760.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1153.43	1267.24	1261.29	9.4%	-0.5%	1000.00	1400.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	496.93	780.87	781.20	57.2%	0.0%	700.00	800.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	514.89	613.22	611.22	18.7%	-0.3%	450.00	800.00
Beef	1Kg.	820.52	918.75	935.71	14.0%	1.8%	850.00	950.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1595.08	1659.09	1693.75	6.2%	2.1%	1600.00	1750.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	599.57	575.63	550.53	-8.2%	-4.4%	500.00	590.00
Broiler	1Kg.	410.00	420.00	420.00	2.4%	0.0%	420.00	420.00
Pork	1Kg.	658.33	646.00	652.50	-0.9%	1.0%	630.00	680.00
Egg - ( Average )	Each	18.57	14.66	14.56	-21.6%	-0.7%	12.00	17.00
Egg - Red	Each	19.14	15.21	15.14	-20.9%	-0.5%	12.00	17.00
White	Each	18.01	14.11	13.99	-22.3%	-0.9%	12.00	16.00
Tin Fish	425g.	227.33	224.83	226.00	-0.6%	0.5%	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	506.67	518.57	11.5%	2.3%	465.00	590.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	440.00	510.00	510.00	15.9%	0.0%	440.00	580.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	104.35	114.23	111.36	6.7%	-2.5%	100.00	120.00
Anamalu	1 Kg.	145.76	176.19	176.00	20.7%	-0.1%	150.00	200.00
Kolikuttu	1 Kg.	231.80	197.69	197.50	-14.8%	-0.1%	180.00	220.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	126.63	102.31	100.35	-20.8%	-1.9%	80.00	120.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	143.07	184.08	184.70	29.1%	0.3%	150.00	200.00
Bread	450g.	58.14	58.18	58.18	0.1%	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