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Ash Plantain	1 kg.	137.50	140.43	140.42	2.1%	0.0%	120.00	160.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	109.79	142.86	140.00	27.5%	-2.0%	120.00	160.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	103.86	130.26	130.00	25.2%	-0.2%	120.00	160.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	129.64	176.71	176.86	36.4%	0.1%	160.00	200.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	179.40	186.67	193.33	7.8%	3.6%	160.00	240.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	76.16	98.00	99.89	31.2%	1.9%	80.00	120.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	129.81	131.28	130.56	0.6%	-0.6%	100.00	160.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	123.65	186.67	179.35	45.1%	-3.9%	160.00	240.00
Gotukola	Bunch	29.54	28.93	28.67	-3.0%	-0.9%	20.00	40.00
Kankun	Bunch	36.56	33.75	34.47	-5.7%	2.1%	20.00	40.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	36.03	36.43	36.76	2.0%	0.9%	25.00	50.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	35.92	41.67	42.22	17.5%	1.3%	40.00	50.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	135.17	162.76	161.79	19.7%	-0.6%	160.00	200.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	121.86	174.12	171.85	41.0%	-1.3%	160.00	240.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	401.93	497.44	465.63	15.8%	-6.4%	400.00	600.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	242.81	196.67	184.00	-24.2%	-6.4%	160.00	240.00
Leeks	1 kg.	147.38	133.83	131.49	-10.8%	-1.7%	120.00	160.00
Limes	1 kg.	352.75	214.75	225.17	-36.2%	4.9%	200.00	300.00
Coconut - Average	Each	40.79	61.61	63.01	54.5%	2.3%	50.00	80.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	46.88	70.08	72.78	55.2%	3.8%	60.00	80.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	41.10	62.17	62.10	51.1%	-0.1%	55.00	70.00
Coconut (small)	Each	34.40	52.59	54.17	57.5%	3.0%	50.00	60.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	280.56	185.73	182.92	-34.8%	-1.5%	125.00	250.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	327.64	205.21	206.25	-37.1%	0.5%	150.00	250.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	233.47	166.25	159.58	-31.6%	-4.0%	125.00	200.00
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	478.09	511.46	501.92	5.0%	-1.9%	400.00	600.00
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	535.61	556.25	553.85	3.4%	-0.4%	500.00	600.00
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	420.58	466.67	450.00	7.0%	-3.6%	400.00	500.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	172.55	173.81	177.12	2.6%	1.9%	140.00	200.00
Imported	1 Kg	112.02	119.64	114.00	1.8%	-4.7%	100.00	140.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	216.05	291.21	286.62	32.7%	-1.6%	250.00	320.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	37.25	34.06	35.00	-6.0%	2.8%	20.00	40.00
Nivithi	500g	44.86	50.00	47.22	5.3%	-5.6%	40.00	50.00
Sarana	Bunch	38.04	41.54	42.31	11.2%	1.9%	30.00	50.00
Thampala	Bunch	35.99	35.83	35.00	-2.7%	-2.3%	30.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	240.00	320.00	320.00	33.3%	0.0%	320.00	320.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	175.63	177.00	173.71	-1.1%	-1.9%	160.00	200.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	138.67	173.33	168.24	21.3%	-2.9%	160.00	200.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	127.13	136.22	135.76	6.8%	-0.3%	120.00	200.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	144.97	133.51	132.00	-8.9%	-1.1%	120.00	160.00
Carrot	1 kg.	150.12	172.31	159.68	6.4%	-7.3%	120.00	200.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	157.22	137.14	133.68	-15.0%	-2.5%	100.00	200.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	118.45	148.31	135.71	14.6%	-8.5%	120.00	160.00
Raddish	1 kg.	104.49	122.86	126.15	20.7%	2.7%	100.00	160.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	105.45	183.68	184.43	74.9%	0.4%	160.00	240.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	365.93	234.33	237.33	-35.1%	1.3%	200.00	260.00
Corriander	1Kg.	342.96	322.14	322.40	-6.0%	0.1%	300.00	400.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1821.46	1685.00	1676.19	-8.0%	-0.5%	1600.00	1800.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	661.49	660.00	674.07	1.9%	2.1%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	404.43	354.65	346.67	-14.3%	-2.2%	300.00	400.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	730.92	751.72	743.55	1.7%	-1.1%	700.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	468.99	507.14	508.62	8.5%	0.3%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	341.83	342.65	352.86	3.2%	3.0%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	345.86	341.43	347.14	0.4%	1.7%	300.00	400.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	2509.97	2861.11	2773.81	10.5%	-3.1%	2400.00	3200.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	691.00	683.33	686.67	-0.6%	0.5%	600.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1637.21	1596.43	1625.93	-0.7%	1.8%	1400.00	1800.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	68.80	61.11	63.04	-8.4%	3.2%	60.00	70.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	329.24	371.15	344.44	4.6%	-7.2%	300.00	400.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	123.88	213.79	234.32	89.1%	9.6%	200.00	280.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.				
Imported	1kg.	81.53	134.65	138.17	69.5%	2.6%	120.00	160.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	67.35	85.64	86.14	27.9%	0.6%	74.00	100.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	70.44	90.84	90.64	28.7%	-0.2%	85.00	100.00
Raw Red - No 2.	1 Kg.	64.25	80.44	81.65	27.1%	1.5%	74.00	87.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	69.67	83.42	82.78	18.8%	-0.8%	65.00	96.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	76.35	96.61	97.14	27.2%	0.5%	80.00	100.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	77.36	91.71	92.38	19.4%	0.7%	85.00	95.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	90.97	98.75	98.36	8.1%	-0.4%	90.00	110.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	94.76	101.86	102.96	8.7%	1.1%	98.00	110.00
Samba - No 2.	1 Kg.	87.19	95.64	93.76	7.5%	-2.0%	90.00	100.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	88.36	88.08	89.29	1.0%	1.4%	85.00	95.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	188.14	180.67	181.91	-3.3%	0.7%	145.00	240.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	222.36	218.67	219.69	-1.2%	0.5%	200.00	240.00
Mysore Dhall - No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	173.80	165.71	169.78	-2.3%	2.5%	155.00	190.00
Mysore Dhall - No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	168.25	157.63	156.25	-7.1%	-0.9%	145.00	160.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	256.98	319.59	321.85	25.2%	0.7%	280.00	380.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	235.69	254.38	254.21	7.9%	-0.1%	220.00	280.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	246.33	328.03	326.79	32.7%	-0.4%	259.00	380.00
Sugar	1Kg.	94.90	107.84	107.68	13.5%	-0.2%	100.00	110.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	956.77	1076.25	1050.00	9.7%	-2.4%	900.00	1200.00
Mullet	1Kg.	925.88	854.00	866.67	-6.4%	1.5%	800.00	900.00
Thalpath	1Kg.	914.68	1139.31	1121.92	22.7%	-1.5%	900.00	1200.00
Balaya	1Kg.	634.33	622.50	643.08	1.4%	3.3%	500.00	720.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	891.45	1037.14	1043.50	17.1%	0.6%	800.00	1200.00
Mora	1Kg.	655.00	793.85	775.00	18.3%	-2.4%	700.00	860.00
Salaya	1Kg.	203.17	209.33	189.60	-6.7%	-9.4%	160.00	200.00
Parati	1Kg.	710.02	709.09	693.08	-2.4%	-2.3%	550.00	800.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	646.02	648.57	613.75	-5.0%	-5.4%	480.00	720.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1153.43	1250.00	1252.86	8.6%	0.2%	1000.00	1400.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	496.93	770.97	764.64	53.9%	-0.8%	700.00	800.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	514.89	618.21	591.58	14.9%	-4.3%	400.00	800.00
Beef	1Kg.	820.52	938.61	942.00	14.8%	0.4%	900.00	960.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1595.08	1741.67	1766.67	10.8%	1.4%	1700.00	1800.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	599.57	543.53	537.65	-10.3%	-1.1%	480.00	590.00
Broiler	1Kg.	410.00	420.00	420.00	2.4%	0.0%	420.00	420.00
Pork	1Kg.	658.33	640.00	637.50	-3.2%	-0.4%	600.00	650.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	18.57	13.23	12.87	-30.7%	-2.7%	11.00	16.00
Egg - Red	Each	19.14	13.79	13.67	-28.6%	-0.9%	12.00	16.00
Egg - White	Each	18.01	12.67	12.07	-33.0%	-4.7%	11.00	14.00
Tin Fish	425g.	227.33	223.84	224.79	-1.1%	0.4%	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	518.57	527.50	13.4%	1.7%	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	109.05	119.35	14.4%	9.5%	100.00	140.00
Anamalu	1 Kg.	145.76	171.58	178.18	22.2%	3.8%	150.00	200.00
Kolikuttu	1 Kg.	231.80	202.61	202.81	-12.5%	0.1%	180.00	240.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	126.63	98.29	98.00	-22.6%	-0.3%	80.00	120.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	143.07	185.40	169.59	18.5%	-8.5%	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