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		2016 Oct.	3rd Week Oct.2017	4th Week Oct.2017	2016 Oct.	3rd Week Oct.2017		
Ash Plantain	1 kg.	128.80	146.31	146.47	13.7%	0.1%	120.00	160.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	102.18	142.22	141.54	38.5%	-0.5%	120.00	160.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	120.55	138.65	146.38	21.4%	5.6%	120.00	160.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	124.34	211.22	200.22	61.0%	-5.2%	160.00	240.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	176.37	283.68	281.83	59.8%	-0.7%	200.00	320.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	98.85	112.70	112.50	13.8%	-0.2%	80.00	120.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	95.92	110.86	115.78	20.7%	4.4%	80.00	160.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	122.56	165.41	169.63	38.4%	2.5%	120.00	200.00
Gotukola	Bunch	27.58	30.59	31.33	13.6%	2.4%	20.00	40.00
Kankun	Bunch	32.09	37.14	37.19	15.9%	0.1%	30.00	40.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	32.40	39.05	40.77	25.8%	4.4%	30.00	50.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	33.26	44.17	43.33	30.3%	-1.9%	40.00	50.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	135.93	148.46	153.87	13.2%	3.6%	120.00	160.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	139.92	177.00	178.37	27.5%	0.8%	160.00	240.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	187.94	535.95	621.72	230.8%	16.0%	500.00	700.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	166.29	279.03	287.43	72.8%	3.0%	200.00	320.00
Leeks	1 kg.	140.16	194.48	205.26	46.5%	5.5%	160.00	240.00
Limes	1 kg.	851.43	461.29	432.17	-49.2%	-6.3%	300.00	500.00
Coconut - Average	Each	45.82	77.06	78.70	71.8%	2.1%	60.00	100.00
Coconut ( Large )	Each	53.65	86.19	89.14	66.2%	3.4%	80.00	100.00
Coconut ( Medium )	Each	45.73	77.78	80.13	75.2%	3.0%	70.00	85.00
Coconut ( small )	Each	38.08	67.22	66.84	75.5%	-0.6%	60.00	70.00
Betel Leaves ( Average )	100 leaves	354.57	200.00	208.00	-41.3%	4.0%	125.00	275.00
Betel Leaves ( Medium )	100 leaves	399.81	231.82	238.50	-40.3%	2.9%	200.00	275.00
Betel Leaves ( Small )	100 leaves	309.32	168.18	177.50	-42.6%	5.5%	125.00	225.00
Arecanuts ( Average )	100 Nuts	600.51	511.36	496.02	-17.4%	-3.0%	400.00	600.00
Arecanuts ( Medium )	100 Nuts	673.64	563.64	554.55	-17.7%	-1.6%	500.00	600.00
Arecanuts ( Small )	100 Nuts	527.38	459.09	437.50	-17.0%	-4.7%	400.00	500.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	142.36	164.38	159.50	12.0%	-3.0%	140.00	180.00
Imported	1 Kg	110.90	122.62	120.96	9.1%	-1.4%	100.00	140.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	222.98	289.36	281.62	26.3%	-2.7%	250.00	320.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	34.93	37.63	38.44	10.0%	2.1%	30.00	40.00
Nivithi	500g	42.70	46.92	47.69	11.7%	1.6%	30.00	60.00
Sarana	Bunch	32.82	42.22	41.43	26.2%	-1.9%	30.00	50.00
Thampala	Bunch	34.55	38.33	38.57	11.6%	0.6%	30.00	50.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	237.50	336.00	320.00	34.7%	-4.8%	320.00	320.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	185.84	191.27	204.80	10.2%	7.1%	160.00	240.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	139.03	184.52	176.40	26.9%	-4.4%	160.00	240.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	111.92	143.21	155.43	38.9%	8.5%	120.00	200.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	128.85	180.00	189.23	46.9%	5.1%	160.00	200.00
Carrot	1 kg.	134.94	186.34	202.05	49.7%	8.4%	160.00	240.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	167.16	255.63	288.57	72.6%	12.9%	200.00	320.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	116.22	173.16	176.14	51.6%	1.7%	120.00	200.00
Raddish	1 kg.	106.88	138.24	140.71	31.7%	1.8%	80.00	160.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	102.34	208.45	214.29	109.4%	2.8%	160.00	240.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	366.30	249.82	246.25	-32.8%	-1.4%	220.00	260.00
Corriander	1Kg.	339.42	334.23	345.31	1.7%	3.3%	300.00	400.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1842.39	1694.12	1622.73	-11.9%	-4.2%	1500.00	1800.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	668.32	681.58	676.00	1.1%	-0.8%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	435.12	338.80	332.26	-23.6%	-1.9%	300.00	400.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	726.74	772.00	753.23	3.6%	-2.4%	700.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	483.99	528.52	523.10	8.1%	-1.0%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	346.88	369.35	372.06	7.3%	0.7%	300.00	500.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	355.14	348.39	347.06	-2.3%	-0.4%	300.00	400.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	2563.25	2860.00	2845.00	11.0%	-0.5%	2400.00	3200.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	696.89	689.29	675.00	-3.1%	-2.1%	600.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1659.93	1629.41	1657.14	-0.2%	1.7%	1400.00	1800.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	66.08	60.00	62.35	-5.6%	3.9%	60.00	70.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	347.28	356.52	346.00	-0.4%	-3.0%	300.00	400.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	124.48	346.20	362.68	191.3%	4.8%	330.00	400.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	95.75	119.09	182.17	90.3%	53.0%	160.00	200.00
Imported	1kg.	79.85	146.05	151.89	90.2%	4.0%	130.00	160.00

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Raw Red - ( Average )	1 Kg.	72.09	91.38	92.02	27.6%	0.7%	80.00	100.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	75.03	95.57	95.75	27.6%	0.2%	90.00	100.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	69.14	87.20	88.28	27.7%	1.2%	80.00	95.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	74.05	84.71	85.21	15.1%	0.6%	65.00	100.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	81.73	102.90	102.63	25.6%	-0.3%	85.00	110.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	80.10	95.48	97.78	22.1%	2.4%	85.00	95.00
Samba - ( Average )	1 Kg.	90.98	102.36	107.77	18.5%	5.3%	90.00	120.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	94.50	107.86	113.27	19.9%	5.0%	100.00	120.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	87.45	96.86	102.26	16.9%	5.6%	90.00	110.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	88.54	90.00	90.41	2.1%	0.5%	85.00	95.00
Mysore Dhall - ( Average )	1 Kg.	193.57	180.23	181.26	-6.4%	0.6%	140.00	240.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	233.80	216.25	218.46	-6.6%	1.0%	200.00	240.00
No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	178.46	169.72	171.88	-3.7%	1.3%	160.00	200.00
No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	168.45	154.71	153.43	-8.9%	-0.8%	140.00	160.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	258.54	321.48	323.48	25.1%	0.6%	260.00	360.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	228.73	257.10	257.62	12.6%	0.2%	220.00	280.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	276.59	351.18	351.33	27.0%	0.0%	300.00	400.00
Sugar	1Kg.	96.90	112.79	110.51	14.0%	-2.0%	104.00	115.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	918.38	1056.88	1053.00	14.7%	-0.4%	900.00	1200.00
Mullet	1Kg.	900.69	896.25	898.57	-0.2%	0.3%	750.00	960.00
Thalpath	1Kg.	914.73	1080.83	1101.60	20.4%	1.9%	900.00	1200.00
Balaya	1Kg.	652.56	544.00	538.89	-17.4%	-0.9%	480.00	600.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	890.03	977.33	974.44	9.5%	-0.3%	850.00	1150.00
Mora	1Kg.	700.46	739.00	724.55	3.4%	-2.0%	600.00	820.00
Salaya	1Kg.	172.00	187.20	180.95	5.2%	-3.3%	150.00	200.00
Parati	1Kg.	655.72	682.50	631.33	-3.7%	-7.5%	520.00	800.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	622.35	628.00	597.78	-3.9%	-4.8%	520.00	760.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1179.74	1269.23	1264.52	7.2%	-0.4%	1000.00	1400.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	589.99	729.64	715.16	21.2%	-2.0%	560.00	900.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	531.97	629.17	623.88	17.3%	-0.8%	500.00	800.00
Beef	1Kg.	839.83	954.12	943.53	12.3%	-1.1%	900.00	1000.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1605.38	1716.67	1745.83	8.7%	1.7%	1600.00	1800.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	562.22	500.00	522.14	-7.1%	4.4%	480.00	560.00
Broiler	1Kg.	410.00	420.00	420.00	2.4%	0.0%	420.00	420.00
Pork	1Kg.	671.50	625.00	616.67	-8.2%	-1.3%	600.00	650.00
Egg - ( Average )	Each	14.42	11.71	11.51	-20.2%	-1.7%	10.00	15.00
Egg - Red	Each	15.08	12.35	12.07	-20.0%	-2.3%	11.00	15.00
White	Each	13.76	11.07	10.96	-20.4%	-1.0%	10.00	13.00
Tin Fish	425g.	226.63	227.92	226.67	0.0%	-0.5%	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.	465.00	515.00	515.00	10.8%	0.0%	465.00	590.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	440.00	496.00	496.00	12.7%	0.0%	440.00	580.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	106.46	143.45	134.77	26.6%	-6.1%	120.00	160.00
Anamalu	1 Kg.	146.84	181.11	172.78	17.7%	-4.6%	150.00	200.00
Kolikuttu	1 Kg.	248.16	230.81	214.40	-13.6%	-7.1%	200.00	250.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	122.81	120.21	101.48	-17.4%	-15.6%	80.00	160.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	301.55	169.09	171.67	-43.1%	1.5%	150.00	200.00
Bread	450g.	58.14	58.31	58.31	0.3%	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