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		2017 Apr.	4th Week Mar.2018	1st Week Apr.2018	2017 Apr.	4th Week Mar.2018		
Ash Plantain	1 kg.	136.33	141.08	134.29	-1.5%	-4.8%	100.00	160.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	140.13	135.56	141.82	1.2%	4.6%	100.00	160.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	154.21	136.77	131.03	-15.0%	-4.2%	120.00	160.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	108.84	134.12	136.25	25.2%	1.6%	120.00	160.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	219.42	183.33	185.88	-15.3%	1.4%	160.00	240.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	100.71	114.05	108.82	8.1%	-4.6%	80.00	120.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	133.84	108.65	100.57	-24.9%	-7.4%	80.00	120.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	159.58	143.45	138.13	-13.4%	-3.7%	120.00	160.00
Gotukola	Bunch	29.70	33.85	34.29	15.5%	1.3%	20.00	40.00
Kankun	Bunch	33.14	39.29	39.00	17.7%	-0.7%	30.00	40.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	39.60	43.57	43.08	8.8%	-1.1%	30.00	50.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	39.72	43.75	46.25	16.4%	5.7%	40.00	50.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	145.85	143.33	146.21	0.2%	2.0%	120.00	160.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	204.80	177.70	170.83	-16.6%	-3.9%	140.00	200.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	274.96	220.59	195.52	-28.9%	-11.4%	150.00	200.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	272.17	193.79	181.38	-33.4%	-6.4%	160.00	240.00
Leeks	1 kg.	108.01	193.64	218.75	102.5%	13.0%	160.00	240.00
Limes	1 kg.	190.47	173.38	198.18	4.0%	14.3%	160.00	200.00
Coconut - Average	Each	64.31	78.68	79.74	24.0%	1.3%	60.00	100.00
Coconut (Large)	Each	72.70	90.24	89.58	23.2%	-0.7%	80.00	100.00
Coconut (Medium)	Each	64.46	79.19	78.48	21.7%	-0.9%	75.00	85.00
Coconut (small)	Each	55.77	66.61	71.15	27.6%	6.8%	60.00	75.00
Betel Leaves (Average)	100 leaves	209.70	202.80	211.46	0.8%	4.3%	150.00	300.00
Betel Leaves (Medium)	100 leaves	247.78	244.23	250.00	0.9%	2.4%	200.00	300.00
Betel Leaves (Small)	100 leaves	171.61	161.36	172.92	0.8%	7.2%	150.00	200.00
Arecanuts (Average)	100 Nuts	465.28	523.85	547.53	17.7%	4.5%	400.00	700.00
Arecanuts (Medium)	100 Nuts	508.53	607.69	630.77	24.0%	3.8%	500.00	700.00
Arecanuts (Small)	100 Nuts	422.02	440.00	464.29	10.0%	5.5%	400.00	500.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	161.33	130.20	141.18	-12.5%	8.4%	100.00	160.00
Imported	1 Kg	114.56	87.96	95.20	-16.9%	8.2%	80.00	100.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	288.43	291.71	289.73	0.5%	-0.7%	240.00	320.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	34.43	38.33	38.33	11.3%	0.0%	30.00	40.00
Nivithi	500g	46.27	53.75	51.88	12.1%	-3.5%	40.00	60.00
Sarana	Bunch	37.39	45.00	44.17	18.1%	-1.9%	30.00	50.00
Thampala	Bunch	37.45	45.45	44.55	18.9%	-2.0%	40.00	50.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	265.00	300.00	280.00	5.7%	-6.7%	240.00	320.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	187.36	148.48	140.00	-25.3%	-5.7%	120.00	200.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	142.56	141.82	137.24	-3.7%	-3.2%	120.00	160.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	162.82	104.38	103.33	-36.5%	-1.0%	80.00	120.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	124.26	105.33	107.88	-13.2%	2.4%	80.00	120.00
Carrot	1 kg.	159.35	148.57	142.78	-10.4%	-3.9%	120.00	160.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	319.55	399.05	388.75	21.7%	-2.6%	300.00	500.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	144.71	144.31	148.89	2.9%	3.2%	120.00	200.00
Raddish	1 kg.	116.36	106.40	108.39	-6.9%	1.9%	80.00	120.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	184.69	93.14	90.81	-50.8%	-2.5%	80.00	120.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	265.41	297.35	299.17	12.7%	0.6%	260.00	320.00
Corriander	1Kg.	328.76	325.93	327.59	-0.4%	0.5%	300.00	400.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1760.90	1533.33	1552.17	-11.9%	1.2%	1400.00	1800.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	671.51	650.00	656.00	-2.3%	0.9%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	489.14	291.88	289.33	-40.8%	-0.9%	240.00	350.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	740.34	801.72	809.26	9.3%	0.9%	750.00	900.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	502.26	612.00	589.66	17.4%	-3.7%	500.00	800.00
Mustard	1Kg.	346.13	356.90	364.71	5.4%	2.2%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	350.30	348.48	355.59	1.5%	2.0%	300.00	400.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	2769.77	2940.00	2893.75	4.5%	-1.6%	2500.00	3200.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	690.85	663.24	670.59	-2.9%	1.1%	500.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1661.23	1644.44	1605.56	-3.4%	-2.4%	1400.00	1800.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	62.19	60.67	61.39	-1.3%	1.2%	60.00	70.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	474.04	336.54	336.67	-29.0%	0.0%	300.00	400.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	173.51	172.04	177.67	2.4%	3.3%	120.00	200.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.				
Imported	1kg.	96.76	78.70	73.85	-23.7%	-6.2%	60.00	90.00

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Raw Red - (Average)	1 Kg.	82.15	85.40	84.90	3.4%	-0.6%	65.00	95.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	85.44	90.25	90.23	5.6%	0.0%	88.00	95.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	78.85	80.56	79.58	0.9%	-1.2%	65.00	85.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	77.38	82.27	81.95	5.9%	-0.4%	65.00	100.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	90.60	98.56	99.19	9.5%	0.6%	85.00	110.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	81.95	92.15	92.34	12.7%	0.2%	80.00	95.00
Samba - (Average)	1 Kg.	92.15	104.73	105.75	14.8%	1.0%	96.00	120.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	95.26	112.74	112.27	17.9%	-0.4%	100.00	120.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	89.04	96.71	99.23	11.4%	2.6%	96.00	100.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	89.87	90.10	89.71	-0.2%	-0.4%	80.00	95.00
Mysore Dhall - (Average)	1 Kg.	182.25	156.49	151.80	-16.7%	-3.0%	110.00	200.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	220.27	193.33	190.00	-13.7%	-1.7%	180.00	200.00
No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	168.16	151.15	140.45	-16.5%	-7.1%	120.00	170.00
No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	158.33	124.97	124.96	-21.1%	0.0%	110.00	140.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	312.73	290.68	292.53	-6.5%	0.6%	240.00	340.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	247.79	250.58	234.31	-5.4%	-6.5%	200.00	250.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	302.19	316.61	303.07	0.3%	-4.3%	220.00	420.00
Sugar	1Kg.	108.95	109.41	108.46	-0.4%	-0.9%	100.00	115.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	912.47	929.52	966.67	5.9%	4.0%	800.00	1200.00
Mullet	1Kg.	768.75	866.67	873.00	13.6%	0.7%	800.00	950.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	963.47	1065.81	1080.77	12.2%	1.4%	800.00	1200.00
Balaya	1Kg.	588.85	557.78	539.23	-8.4%	-3.3%	460.00	720.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	880.27	932.31	965.45	9.7%	3.6%	800.00	1120.00
Mora	1Kg.	635.94	725.71	763.33	20.0%	5.2%	700.00	800.00
Salaya	1Kg.	162.14	166.15	160.00	-1.3%	-3.7%	120.00	200.00
Parati	1Kg.	649.37	649.09	687.27	5.8%	5.9%	580.00	780.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	582.69	528.75	572.73	-1.7%	8.3%	480.00	780.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1206.35	1216.13	1234.48	2.3%	1.5%	1000.00	1400.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	696.58	712.00	747.14	7.3%	4.9%	600.00	800.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	567.76	553.89	570.67	0.5%	3.0%	400.00	800.00
Beef	1Kg.	878.14	958.00	958.00	9.1%	0.0%	920.00	1000.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1655.49	1791.67	1791.67	8.2%	0.0%	1700.00	1800.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	523.71	562.67	603.08	15.2%	7.2%	540.00	650.00
Broiler	1Kg.	414.17	420.00	420.00	1.4%	0.0%	420.00	420.00
Pork	1Kg.	661.88	600.00	610.00	-7.8%	1.7%	550.00	680.00
Egg - (Average)	Each	14.61	13.42	13.04	-10.7%	-2.8%	10.00	15.00
Egg - Red	Each	15.00	14.09	13.79	-8.1%	-2.2%	12.00	15.00
White	Each	14.22	12.75	12.30	-13.5%	-3.6%	10.00	14.00
Tin Fish	425g.	224.92	236.25	237.71	5.7%	0.6%	160.00	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	590.00	590.00	26.9%	0.0%	590.00	590.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	440.00	580.00	580.00	31.8%	0.0%	580.00	580.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	138.48	98.06	101.66	-26.6%	3.7%	80.00	120.00
Anamalu	1 Kg.	170.81	185.22	180.45	5.6%	-2.6%	160.00	200.00
Kolikuttu	1 Kg.	227.22	177.56	179.64	-20.9%	1.2%	150.00	200.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	161.49	105.38	110.40	-31.6%	4.8%	80.00	130.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	213.33	154.70	150.35	-29.5%	-2.8%	120.00	180.00
Bread	450g.	58.18	58.71	58.71	0.9%	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