

**OPEN MARKET WEEKLY AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES - 4th Week of September 2017**

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		2016 Sep.	3rd Week Sep.2017	4th Week Sep.2017	2016 Sep.	3rd Week Sep.2017		
Ash Plantain	1 kg.	128.30	144.89	141.76	10.5%	-2.2%	120.00	160.00
Ash Pumpkin	1 kg.	106.80	145.00	145.45	36.2%	0.3%	120.00	160.00
Bandakka	1 kg.	107.23	136.22	144.45	34.7%	6.0%	120.00	160.00
Brinjal	1 kg.	122.47	186.11	192.48	57.2%	3.4%	160.00	200.00
Bitter Guard	1 kg.	168.28	204.21	230.72	37.1%	13.0%	160.00	240.00
Cucumber	1 kg.	87.52	110.56	111.32	27.2%	0.7%	80.00	120.00
Red Pumpkin	1 kg.	97.54	123.68	123.00	26.1%	-0.6%	120.00	160.00
Snake Gourd	1 kg.	111.77	153.55	168.38	50.6%	9.7%	120.00	200.00
Gotukola	Bunch	27.26	28.67	29.38	7.7%	2.5%	20.00	40.00
Kankun	Bunch	32.34	34.64	35.00	8.2%	1.0%	20.00	40.00
Kathurumurunga	Bunch	33.10	38.00	38.00	14.8%	0.0%	30.00	50.00
Kohila Leaves	Bunch	32.32	43.75	42.00	29.9%	-4.0%	30.00	50.00
Kohila Yams	1 kg.	134.64	148.67	149.88	11.3%	0.8%	120.00	160.00
Vetakolu	1 kg.	117.20	177.06	184.71	57.6%	4.3%	160.00	200.00
Green Chillies	1 kg.	230.35	450.00	441.67	91.7%	-1.9%	400.00	600.00
Cap Chillies	1 kg.	191.70	198.89	217.78	13.6%	9.5%	160.00	240.00
Leeks	1 kg.	135.86	153.30	171.50	26.2%	11.9%	120.00	200.00
Limes	1 kg.	441.35	386.26	380.77	-13.7%	-1.4%	300.00	400.00
Coconut - Average	Each	42.03	70.31	75.92	80.6%	8.0%	60.00	90.00
Coconut ( Large )	Each	47.72	78.46	84.66	77.4%	7.9%	80.00	90.00
Coconut ( Medium)	Each	41.74	71.43	76.03	82.2%	6.4%	70.00	80.00
Coconut ( small)	Each	36.63	61.04	67.07	83.1%	9.9%	60.00	70.00
Betel Leaves ( Average )	100 leaves	358.26	192.07	192.87	-46.2%	0.4%	150.00	250.00
Betel Leaves ( Medium)	100 leaves	410.62	215.38	221.15	-46.1%	2.7%	200.00	250.00
Betel Leaves ( Small)	100 leaves	305.90	168.75	164.58	-46.2%	-2.5%	150.00	200.00
Arecanuts ( Average )	100 Nuts	517.82	508.46	509.94	-1.5%	0.3%	400.00	650.00
Arecanuts ( Medium )	100 Nuts	577.82	576.92	561.54	-2.8%	-2.7%	500.00	650.00
Arecanuts ( Small )	100 Nuts	457.81	440.00	458.33	0.1%	4.2%	400.00	500.00
Potatoes - Local	1 Kg	157.24	163.81	164.91	4.9%	0.7%	140.00	180.00
Imported	1 Kg	114.65	119.23	118.93	3.7%	-0.3%	100.00	150.00
Coconut Oil	750 ml	218.12	289.11	286.62	31.4%	-0.9%	250.00	320.00
Mukunuwenna	Bunch	33.99	34.33	34.67	2.0%	1.0%	20.00	40.00
Nivithi	500g	41.08	45.83	46.15	12.3%	0.7%	30.00	60.00
Sarana	Bunch	34.19	41.00	41.82	22.3%	2.0%	30.00	50.00
Thampala	Bunch	34.27	37.00	38.00	10.9%	2.7%	30.00	40.00
Beans - Butter	1 kg.	205.00	320.00	340.00	65.9%	6.3%	320.00	360.00
Beans - Green	1 kg.	151.85	185.45	218.97	44.2%	18.1%	160.00	240.00
Long Beans	1 kg.	133.47	164.17	177.22	32.8%	8.0%	160.00	200.00
BeetRoot	1 kg.	114.32	142.16	140.50	22.9%	-1.2%	120.00	200.00
Cabbage Seed	1 kg.	132.00	136.00	161.33	22.2%	18.6%	120.00	200.00
Carrot	1 kg.	132.84	146.50	173.46	30.6%	18.4%	120.00	200.00
Drumstick	1 kg.	188.54	122.78	143.78	-23.7%	17.1%	80.00	160.00
Knol Khol	1 kg.	103.73	145.00	158.26	52.6%	9.1%	120.00	200.00
Raddish	1 kg.	99.05	119.05	129.71	31.0%	9.0%	80.00	160.00
Tomatoe - No 1.	1 kg.	100.94	219.38	208.16	106.2%	-5.1%	160.00	240.00

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Dried Chillies - No 1.	1Kg.	361.59	240.69	245.17	-32.2%	1.9%	220.00	260.00
Corriander	1Kg.	343.94	333.08	322.22	-6.3%	-3.3%	300.00	400.00
Pepper - Powder	1Kg.	1816.45	1685.00	1672.73	-7.9%	-0.7%	1600.00	1800.00
Turmeric -Powder	1Kg.	678.12	647.83	658.00	-3.0%	1.6%	600.00	800.00
Garlic	1Kg.	415.30	337.93	335.94	-19.1%	-0.6%	300.00	400.00
Cummin Seed	1Kg.	715.56	756.67	766.67	7.1%	1.3%	700.00	800.00
Fennel Seed	1Kg.	483.10	523.21	506.30	4.8%	-3.2%	400.00	600.00
Mustard	1Kg.	352.42	357.81	350.00	-0.7%	-2.2%	300.00	400.00
Mathe Seed	1Kg.	348.51	347.06	345.59	-0.8%	-0.4%	300.00	400.00
Cinnamon	1Kg.	2545.91	2864.71	2922.22	14.8%	2.0%	2400.00	3200.00
Gorakka	1Kg.	686.41	669.12	690.63	0.6%	3.2%	600.00	800.00
Maldive Fish	1Kg.	1645.54	1614.29	1600.00	-2.8%	-0.9%	1400.00	1800.00
Salt	1Kg.Pkt.	67.57	62.00	60.59	-10.3%	-2.3%	60.00	70.00
Tamarind	1Kg.	338.40	348.28	362.50	7.1%	4.1%	300.00	400.00
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	118.25	334.44	346.89	193.4%	3.7%	280.00	400.00
B.Onions - Local	1kg.	102.51	n.a.	114.38	11.6%		100.00	125.00
Imported	1kg.	87.38	131.89	137.35	57.2%	4.1%	120.00	160.00

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Raw Red - ( Average )	1 Kg.	68.14	88.77	90.51	32.8%	2.0%	77.00	96.00
Raw Red - No 1.	1 Kg.	70.75	91.92	93.64	32.3%	1.9%	90.00	96.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	65.53	85.62	87.39	33.4%	2.1%	77.00	90.00
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	70.15	82.40	84.84	20.9%	3.0%	68.00	100.00
Nadu - Red	1 Kg.	77.09	97.34	97.17	26.0%	-0.2%	83.00	100.00
Nadu - White	1 Kg.	76.81	93.45	94.06	22.5%	0.7%	85.00	95.00
Samba - ( Average )	1 Kg.	89.47	102.03	102.80	14.9%	0.8%	89.00	110.00
Samba - No 1.	1 Kg.	92.77	106.53	108.14	16.6%	1.5%	100.00	110.00
No 2.	1 Kg.	86.18	97.53	97.46	13.1%	-0.1%	89.00	100.00
Wheat Flour	1 Kg.	88.83	88.71	89.91	1.2%	1.3%	85.00	95.00
Mysore Dhall - ( Average )	1 Kg.	188.94	180.28	179.94	-4.8%	-0.2%	148.00	240.00
Mysore Dhall - No 1.(Large)	1 Kg.	222.26	212.86	213.00	-4.2%	0.1%	200.00	240.00
No 2.(Medium)	1 Kg.	175.96	172.22	171.07	-2.8%	-0.7%	160.00	190.00
No 3.(Small)	1 Kg.	168.61	155.75	155.76	-7.6%	0.0%	148.00	160.00
Cowpea Whole - Average	1 Kg.	256.90	328.76	325.82	26.8%	-0.9%	260.00	380.00
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	229.87	253.89	255.81	11.3%	0.8%	220.00	300.00
Kadalai - Average	1 Kg.	258.73	347.19	349.58	35.1%	0.7%	280.00	400.00
Sugar	1Kg.	95.22	110.63	111.61	17.2%	0.9%	103.00	120.00
Fresh Fish - Paraw	1Kg.	958.94	1106.11	1086.67	13.3%	-1.8%	980.00	1200.00
Mullet	1Kg.	910.46	878.33	913.00	0.3%	3.9%	800.00	1000.00
Thalapath	1Kg.	919.96	1115.77	1139.17	23.8%	2.1%	950.00	1200.00
Balaya	1Kg.	634.08	618.75	637.50	0.5%	3.0%	520.00	720.00
Kelewella	1Kg.	898.07	1012.50	1003.81	11.8%	-0.9%	900.00	1200.00
Mora	1Kg.	663.13	793.75	767.50	15.7%	-3.3%	680.00	850.00
Salaya	1Kg.	204.61	187.00	186.67	-8.8%	-0.2%	150.00	200.00
Parati	1Kg.	696.25	695.45	695.83	-0.1%	0.1%	540.00	860.00
Small Mullet	1Kg.	615.70	642.31	636.43	3.4%	-0.9%	480.00	760.00
Dried Fish - Katta	1 Kg.	1150.61	1248.48	1253.03	8.9%	0.4%	1100.00	1400.00
Spratts	1 Kg.	513.38	763.44	740.00	44.1%	-3.1%	600.00	800.00
Salaya - Average	1 Kg.	516.45	590.56	608.33	17.8%	3.0%	500.00	800.00
Beef	1Kg.	842.55	942.50	942.50	11.9%	0.0%	900.00	980.00
Mutton	1Kg.	1599.17	1750.00	1745.45	9.1%	-0.3%	1700.00	1800.00
Chicken - Fresh	1Kg.	586.37	516.11	506.32	-13.7%	-1.9%	480.00	580.00
Broiler	1Kg.	410.00	420.00	420.00	2.4%	0.0%	420.00	420.00
Pork	1Kg.	669.79	625.00	616.67	-7.9%	-1.3%	600.00	650.00
Egg - ( Average )	Each	16.68	14.08	13.72	-17.8%	-2.6%	11.50	17.00
Egg - Red	Each	17.17	14.71	14.43	-15.9%	-1.9%	13.00	17.00
White	Each	16.18	13.46	13.00	-19.7%	-3.4%	11.50	15.00
Tin Fish	425g.	228.68	225.83	226.61	-0.9%	0.3%	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	527.50	527.50	13.4%	0.0%	465.00	590.00
Lactogen - I	400g.	440.00	520.00	520.00	18.2%	0.0%	440.00	580.00
Sour Plantain	1 Kg.	104.69	137.73	142.69	36.3%	3.6%	120.00	160.00
Anamalu	1 Kg.	145.92	182.92	180.74	23.9%	-1.2%	150.00	200.00
Kolikuttu	1 Kg.	241.23	219.29	227.33	-5.8%	3.7%	200.00	250.00
Papaw	1 Kg.	142.24	111.83	115.56	-18.8%	3.3%	100.00	130.00
Pineapple	1 Kg.	147.07	179.83	181.85	23.6%	1.1%	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