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(Wholesale Prices of Rice & Subsidiary Food Crops)

Item	Pettah				Marandagamula			
	Range	Average		Change *	Range	Average		Change *
	25-Aug	25-Aug	24-Aug		25-Aug	25-Aug	24-Aug	
Rice (Rs/50 kg)								
Samba 1	4450.00 - 4600.00	4500.00	4500.00		4250.00 - 4375.00	4331.25	4331.25	
Samba 2	4100.00 - 4250.00	4170.00	4170.00		4000.00 - 4100.00	4060.00	4070.00	-10.00
Samba 3	4000.00 - 4050.00	4016.67	3987.50	29.17	3800.00 - 3900.00	3840.00	3840.00	
Nadu 1	3150.00 - 3500.00	3270.00	3280.00	-10.00	3650.00 - 3700.00	3683.33	3683.33	0.00
Nadu 2	3000.00 - 3150.00	3100.00	3090.00	10.00	2800.00 - 3200.00	2910.00	2940.00	-30.00
Raw red	2800.00 - 3000.00	2930.00	2920.00	10.00	2900.00 - 3100.00	2980.00	2980.00	
Raw White	2800.00 - 3000.00	2900.00	2890.00	10.00	2800.00 - 3100.00	2920.00	2940.00	-20.00
Imported Rice								
Ponne 1	5250.00 - 5300.00	5262.50	5250.00	12.50				
Kora								
Raw White								
Nadu								
Subsidiary Food Crops								
Dried Chillies (Rs/Kg)								
Imported	235.00 - 245.00	239.00	239.00					
Local								
Onion (Rs/Kg)								
Sinnan								
Vedalan	90.00 - 100.00	96.00	99.00	-3.00				
Imported								
Big Onion								
Imported	110.00 - 125.00	117.00	120.00	-3.00				
Local	110.00 - 120.00	114.00	119.00	-5.00				
Potatoes (Rs/Kg)								
Welimada								
Nuwaraeliya	100.00 - 110.00	106.25	114.00	-7.75				
Imported	75.00 - 85.00	81.00	80.60	0.40				
Pulses (Rs/Kg)								
Green Gram	175.00 - 190.00	185.00	182.60	2.40				
Cowpea	165.00 - 235.00	217.00	216.00	1.00				
Red Dhal	166.00 - 185.00	174.40	173.80	0.60				
Eggs (Rs/Egg)								
Brown	15.00 - 15.00	15.00	15.00					
White	14.00 - 14.00	14.00	14.00					

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Wholesale Prices in Selected Markets (Rs/Kg)

Variety	25/8/2015	25/8/2015	25/8/2015	24/8/2015	25/8/2015	25/8/2015
	Pettah Market	Kandy Market	Dambulla Market	Meegoda Market	Norochchole Market	Thambuththegama Market
Up Country Vegetable						
Beans	80.00 - 100.00	110.00 - 120.00	110.00 - 120.00	148.00 - 150.00	-	120.00 - 130.00
Carrot	70.00 - 90.00	80.00 - 90.00	75.00 - 100.00	90.00 - 100.00	-	100.00 - 120.00
Leeks	30.00 - 40.00	40.00 - 45.00	35.00 - 45.00	50.00 - 55.00	-	40.00 - 50.00
Beet root	30.00 - 35.00	35.00 - 40.00	18.00 - 25.00	30.00 - 32.00	20.00 - 22.00	22.00 - 25.00
Beet Root(N'Eliya)	50.00 - 60.00	40.00 - 45.00	28.00 - 35.00	-	-	50.00 - 55.00
Knolkhol	30.00 - 40.00	30.00 - 35.00	25.00 - 35.00	40.00 - 45.00	-	35.00 - 40.00
Raddish	15.00 - 20.00	20.00 - 25.00	10.00 - 15.00	35.00 - 40.00	12.00 - 15.00	15.00 - 20.00
Cabbage (N'Eliya)	35.00 - 45.00	28.00 - 30.00	-	50.00 - 55.00	-	-
Cabbage (Kandy)	20.00 - 30.00	20.00 - 25.00	25.00 - 35.00	-	-	45.00 - 50.00
Tomato	40.00 - 50.00	35.00 - 40.00	35.00 - 50.00	48.00 - 50.00	40.00 - 45.00	30.00 - 35.00
Low country Vegetable						
Ladies Fingers	30.00 - 40.00	30.00 - 35.00	15.00 - 23.00	30.00 - 35.00	25.00 - 30.00	16.00 - 20.00
Brinjals (Village)	60.00 - 70.00	55.00 - 60.00	-	65.00 - 70.00	-	-
Brinjals (Other)	40.00 - 50.00	50.00 - 55.00	40.00 - 55.00	55.00 - 60.00	25.00 - 28.00	40.00 - 50.00
Capsicum	60.00 - 90.00	100.00 - 120.00	60.00 - 80.00	85.00 - 100.00	75.00 - 80.00	75.00 - 85.00
Pumpkin	30.00 - 35.00	30.00 - 35.00	25.00 - 35.00	25.00 - 35.00	-	25.00 - 35.00
Cucumber	20.00 - 25.00	20.00 - 25.00	18.00 - 25.00	20.00 - 30.00	10.00 - 12.00	10.00 - 12.00
Bitter Gourd (Village)	60.00 - 80.00	-	-	-	-	-
Bitter Gourd (Other)	30.00 - 40.00	45.00 - 55.00	40.00 - 55.00	55.00 - 60.00	75.00 - 80.00	40.00 - 45.00
Snake Gourd	40.00 - 50.00	35.00 - 40.00	25.00 - 30.00	35.00 - 40.00	-	25.00 - 32.00
Drumstick	60.00 - 90.00	90.00 - 100.00	-	80.00 - 90.00	-	-
Luffa	40.00 - 50.00	60.00 - 65.00	40.00 - 50.00	50.00 - 60.00	40.00 - 50.00	40.00 - 42.00
Long Beans	50.00 - 60.00	55.00 - 60.00	35.00 - 45.00	65.00 - 70.00	60.00 - 65.00	40.00 - 45.00
Ash Plantains	50.00 - 60.00	50.00 - 60.00	40.00 - 50.00	70.00 - 75.00	-	40.00 - 45.00
Green Chillies	90.00 - 100.00	110.00 - 120.00	80.00 - 100.00	85.00 - 90.00	70.00 - 80.00	90.00 - 100.00
Lime	80.00 - 110.00	140.00 - 150.00	90.00 - 110.00	160.00 - 170.00	-	90.00 - 110.00
Sweet Potatoe	40.00 - 45.00	40.00 - 45.00	30.00 - 35.00	40.00 - 45.00		
Manioc	20.00 - 30.00	-	25.00 - 30.00	48.00 - 50.00		
Dambala (Wing Beans)						
Thithbatu						
Maize	-					
Black Gram	295.00 - 315.00					
Gingerly						
Soya						
Potato (Welimada)	-	-	88.00 - 95.00	-		-
Potato (Nuwaraeliya)	100.00 - 110.00	100.00 - 110.00	100.00 - 110.00	105.00 - 110.00		105.00 - 110.00
B'Onion Imported	110.00 - 125.00	-	100.00 - 105.00	110.00 - 115.00		-
Big-onion Local	110.00 - 120.00	100.00 - 115.00	85.00 - 100.00	110.00 - 115.00		-
Banana						
Ambul	50.00 - 60.00					
Kolikuttu (Rs/Fruits)	15.00 - 16.00					
Seeni	40.00 - 50.00					
Anamalu (Rs/Fruits)	7.00 - 10.00					
Papaya	70.00 - 80.00					
Passion Fruits	80.00 - 100.00					
Other Fruits (Rs/Fruit)						
Pineapple - Large	160.00 - 170.00					
- Medium	120.00 - 140.00					
- Small	100.00 - 110.00					
Mango - Betti	-					
- Karathakolom	-					
Woodapple	15.00 - 20.00					
Avocado	20.00 - 30.00					
Orange	20.00 - 25.00					

