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(Wholesale Prices of Rice & Subsidiary Food Crops)

Item	Pettah				Marandaghamula			
	Range	Average		Change *	Range	Average		Change *
	26-May	26-May	25-May		26-May	26-May	25-May	
Rice (Rs/50 kg)								
Samba 1	4350.00 - 4500.00	4440.00	4370.00	70.00	4500.00 - 4600.00	4560.00	4570.00	-10.00
Samba 2	3950.00 - 4200.00	4050.00	4070.00	-20.00	4000.00 - 4050.00	4020.00	3990.00	30.00
Samba 3	-				3500.00 - 3550.00	3516.67	3437.50	79.17
Nadu 1	3750.00 - 3900.00	3800.00	3825.00	-25.00	3500.00 - 3600.00	3520.00	3520.00	
Nadu 2	3500.00 - 3650.00	3540.00	3510.00	30.00	3200.00 - 3250.00	3220.00	3200.00	20.00
Raw red	2750.00 - 2850.00	2780.00	2770.00	10.00	2700.00 - 2800.00	2760.00	2770.00	-10.00
Raw White	3150.00 - 3350.00	3230.00	3230.00		3100.00 - 3300.00	3180.00	3140.00	40.00
Imported Rice								
Ponne 1	5500.00 - 5900.00	5633.33	5720.00	-86.67				
Kora								
Raw White								
Nadu								
Subsidiary Food Crops								
Dried Chillies (Rs/Kg)								
Imported	290.00 - 320.00	308.00	311.00	-3.00				
Local								
Onion (Rs/Kg)								
Sinnan	100.00 - 110.00	106.67	110.00					
Vedalan	120.00 - 165.00	145.00	137.50	7.50				
Imported	120.00 - 150.00	128.75	117.00	11.75				
Big Onion								
Imported	55.00 - 58.00	55.60	54.40	1.20				
Local								
Potatoes (Rs/Kg)								
Welimada			81.67					
Nuwaraeliya	120.00 - 140.00	131.25	120.00	11.25				
Imported	95.00 - 105.00	101.00	93.00	8.00				
Pulses (Rs/Kg)								
Green Gram	180.00 - 200.00	191.00	191.00					
Cowpea	200.00 - 210.00	205.00	205.00					
Red Dhal	168.00 - 226.00	190.80	179.60	11.20				
Eggs (Rs/Egg)								
Brown	13.50 - 13.50	13.50	13.50					
White	12.50 - 12.50	12.50	12.50					

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Wholesale Prices in Selected Markets (Rs/Kg)

Variety	26/5/2016	26/5/2016	26/5/2016	25/5/2016	26/5/2016	26/5/2016
	Pettah Market	Kandy Market	Dambulla Market	Meegoda Market	Norochchole Market	Thambuththegama Market
Up Country Vegetable						
Beans	230.00 - 250.00	200.00 - 210.00	220.00 - 240.00	250.00 - 260.00	-	240.00 - 250.00
Carrot	120.00 - 140.00	120.00 - 130.00	120.00 - 130.00	140.00 - 150.00	-	140.00 - 160.00
Leeks	130.00 - 150.00	120.00 - 130.00	120.00 - 140.00	140.00 - 145.00	-	140.00 - 150.00
Beet root	70.00 - 80.00	125.00 - 130.00	110.00 - 120.00	100.00 - 110.00	80.00 - 90.00	110.00 - 120.00
Beet Root(N'Eliya)	110.00 - 130.00	110.00 - 120.00	120.00 - 135.00	135.00 - 140.00	-	140.00 - 160.00
Knolkhol	80.00 - 100.00	90.00 - 100.00	100.00 - 110.00	-	-	110.00 - 120.00
Raddish	60.00 - 70.00	65.00 - 70.00	50.00 - 55.00	75.00 - 90.00	25.00 - 30.00	70.00 - 80.00
Cabbage (N'Eliya)	80.00 - 100.00	80.00 - 90.00	-	100.00 - 110.00	-	-
Cabbage (Kandy)	-	70.00 - 75.00	70.00 - 80.00	90.00 - 100.00	80.00 - 90.00	100.00 - 115.00
Tomato	130.00 - 140.00	110.00 - 120.00	110.00 - 130.00	120.00 - 130.00	-	120.00 - 130.00
Low country Vegetable						
Ladies Fingers	90.00 - 100.00	80.00 - 85.00	110.00 - 120.00	95.00 - 100.00	75.00 - 80.00	100.00 - 120.00
Brinjals (Village)	100.00 - 110.00	110.00 - 120.00	-	125.00 - 130.00	-	-
Brinjals (Other)	90.00 - 100.00	95.00 - 100.00	90.00 - 110.00	120.00 - 125.00	55.00 - 60.00	100.00 - 120.00
Capsicum	140.00 - 150.00	130.00 - 140.00	110.00 - 130.00	150.00 - 170.00	120.00 - 130.00	140.00 - 160.00
Pumpkin	55.00 - 60.00	55.00 - 60.00	45.00 - 60.00	47.00 - 60.00	-	55.00 - 65.00
Cucumber	80.00 - 100.00	65.00 - 75.00	50.00 - 70.00	60.00 - 80.00	35.00 - 40.00	60.00 - 70.00
Bitter Gourd (Village)	180.00 - 200.00	-	-	145.00 - 150.00	-	-
Bitter Gourd (Other)	160.00 - 170.00	120.00 - 140.00	130.00 - 150.00	140.00 - 145.00	110.00 - 120.00	100.00 - 130.00
Snake Gourd	100.00 - 120.00	90.00 - 100.00	100.00 - 110.00	110.00 - 120.00	-	100.00 - 110.00
Drumstick	-	-	-	-	-	-
Luffa	90.00 - 110.00	110.00 - 120.00	110.00 - 130.00	110.00 - 120.00	55.00 - 60.00	120.00 - 130.00
Long Beans	120.00 - 140.00	130.00 - 140.00	110.00 - 130.00	120.00 - 130.00	100.00 - 110.00	80.00 - 100.00
Ash Plantains	50.00 - 60.00	60.00 - 70.00	30.00 - 40.00	50.00 - 60.00	-	40.00 - 50.00
Green Chillies	300.00 - 350.00	350.00 - 400.00	200.00 - 260.00	370.00 - 400.00	390.00 - 400.00	300.00 - 350.00
Lime	250.00 - 300.00	350.00 - 380.00	230.00 - 260.00	300.00 - 350.00	-	180.00 - 200.00
Sweet Potatoe	60.00 - 70.00	60.00 - 65.00	45.00 - 55.00	-		
Manioc	30.00 - 40.00	-	20.00 - 30.00	-		
Dambala (Wing Beans)						
Thithbatu						
Maize	-					
Black Gram	420.00 - 430.00					
Gingerly						
Soya						
Potato (Welimada)	-	-	-	-		-
Potato (Nuwaraeliya)	120.00 - 140.00	125.00 - 135.00	120.00 - 130.00	130.00 - 135.00		120.00 - 130.00
B'Onion Imported	55.00 - 58.00	68.00 - 72.00	-	58.00 - 60.00		-
Big-onion Local	-	-	-	-		-
Banana						
Ambul	30.00 - 50.00					
Kolikuttu (Rs/Fruits)	14.00 - 16.00					
Seeni	40.00 - 50.00					
Anamalu (Rs/Fruits)	7.00 - 10.00					
Papaya	40.00 - 60.00					
Passion Fruits	15.00 - 16.66					
Other Fruits (Rs/Fruit)						
Pineapple - Large	130.00 - 140.00					
- Medium	100.00 - 120.00					
- Small	70.00 - 90.00					
Mango - Betti	10.00 - 12.50					
- Karathakolom	30.00 - 40.00					
Woodapple	30.00 - 40.00					
Avocado	20.00 - 36.00					
Orange	45.00 - 50.00					

