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(Wholesale Prices of Rice & Subsidiary Food Crops)

Item	Pettah				Marandagahamula			
	Range	Average		Change *	Range	Average		Change *
	1-May	1-May	27-Apr		1-May	1-May	27-Apr	
Rice (Rs/50 kg)								
Samba 1	5250.00 - 5600.00	5410.00	5390.00	20.00	5450.00 - 5500.00	5480.00	5480.00	
Samba 2	5000.00 - 5150.00	5080.00	5080.00		4750.00 - 4900.00	4800.00	4770.00	30.00
Samba 3	-				-			
Nadu 1	-				4800.00 - 4850.00	4830.00	4830.00	
Nadu 2	3900.00 - 4000.00	3970.00	3970.00		3900.00 - 4100.00	3960.00	3960.00	
Raw red	3450.00 - 3600.00	3520.00	3550.00	-30.00	3400.00 - 3800.00	3620.00	3590.00	30.00
Raw White	3700.00 - 3800.00	3750.00	3750.00		3700.00 - 4000.00	3820.00	3810.00	10.00
Imported Rice								
Ponne 1	3500.00 - 3550.00	3510.00	3510.00		3650.00 - 3700.00	3683.33	3600.00	83.33
Kora	-							
Raw White	3450.00 - 3600.00	3530.00	3530.00		3350.00 - 3400.00	3383.33	3350.00	33.33
Nadu	-				3500.00 - 3600.00	3566.67	3633.33	-66.66
Subsidiary Food Crops								
Dried Chillies (Rs/Kg)								
Imported	245.00 - 250.00	248.00	248.00					
Local								
Onion (Rs/Kg)								
Sinnan	-							
Vedalan	110.00 - 120.00	115.00						
Imported	100.00 - 115.00	110.00	111.00	-1.00				
Big Onion								
Imported	38.00 - 40.00	39.20	39.20					
Local	-							
Potatoes (Rs/Kg)								
Welimada	-							
Nuwaraeliya	100.00 - 105.00	101.67	109.33	-7.66				
Imported	63.00 - 70.00	66.80	58.60	8.20				
Pulses (Rs/Kg)								
Green Gram	200.00 - 200.00	200.00	200.00					
Cowpea	220.00 - 230.00	225.00	225.00					
Red Dhal	105.00 - 107.00	105.60	105.60					
Eggs (Rs/Egg)								
Brown	12.50 - 12.50	12.50	12.50					
White	11.00 - 11.00	11.00	11.00					

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Wholesale Prices in Selected Markets (Rs/Kg)

Variety	1/5/2018	1/5/2018	1/5/2018	30/4/2018	1/5/2018	1/5/2018	1/5/2018	1/5/2018
	Pettah Market	Kandy Market	Dambulla Market	Meegoda Market	Norochhole Market	T'thegama Market	Kappetipola Market	Nuwaraeliya Market
Up Country Vegetable								
Beans	130.00 - 150.00	120.00 - 130.00	150.00 - 170.00	.	-	140.00 - 150.00	100.00 - 110.00	
Carrot	80.00 - 100.00	90.00 - 100.00	75.00 - 100.00	.	-	110.00 - 120.00	50.00 - 70.00	80.00 - 85.00
Leeks	130.00 - 150.00	130.00 - 140.00	160.00 - 180.00	.	-	150.00 - 160.00	115.00 - 120.00	125.00 - 130.00
Beet root	20.00 - 25.00	20.00 - 25.00	20.00 - 25.00	.	10.00 - 15.00	20.00 - 25.00	-	-
Beet Root(N'Eliya)	30.00 - 40.00	30.00 - 35.00	30.00 - 35.00	.	-	40.00 - 50.00	20.00 - 25.00	20.00 - 25.00
Knolkhol	30.00 - 40.00	40.00 - 50.00	40.00 - 50.00	.	-	50.00 - 60.00	25.00 - 30.00	-
Raddish	30.00 - 50.00	30.00 - 40.00	35.00 - 40.00	.	10.00 - 15.00	40.00 - 45.00	-	30.00 - 35.00
Cabbage (N'Eliya)	30.00 - 35.00	30.00 - 35.00	45.00 - 50.00	.	-	-	20.00 - 25.00	35.00 - 40.00
Cabbage (Kandy)	25.00 - 28.00	20.00 - 25.00	35.00 - 40.00	.	20.00 - 30.00	50.00 - 55.00	-	
Tomato	20.00 - 35.00	30.00 - 35.00	40.00 - 50.00	.	30.00 - 40.00	25.00 - 30.00	10.00 - 15.00	
Low country Vegetable								
Ladies Fingers	40.00 - 50.00	50.00 - 60.00	50.00 - 60.00	.	40.00 - 50.00	50.00 - 60.00	-	
Brinjals (Village)	45.00 - 50.00	50.00 - 55.00	-	.	-	-	-	
Brinjals (Other)	40.00 - 45.00	40.00 - 45.00	35.00 - 45.00	.	30.00 - 40.00	40.00 - 50.00	25.00 - 30.00	
Capsicum	60.00 - 80.00	70.00 - 80.00	50.00 - 70.00	.	70.00 - 80.00	90.00 - 100.00	65.00 - 70.00	
Pumpkin	15.00 - 20.00	20.00 - 25.00	12.00 - 20.00	.	15.00 - 25.00	15.00 - 20.00	35.00 - 40.00	
Cucumber	40.00 - 50.00	75.00 - 80.00	60.00 - 70.00	.	60.00 - 70.00	40.00 - 50.00	-	
Bitter Gourd (Village)	110.00 - 120.00	85.00 - 90.00	-	.	-	-		
Bitter Gourd (Other)	80.00 - 100.00	75.00 - 80.00	50.00 - 65.00	.	60.00 - 70.00	60.00 - 70.00		
Snake Gourd	60.00 - 70.00	60.00 - 70.00	40.00 - 50.00	.	40.00 - 50.00	50.00 - 60.00		
Drumstick	-	-	-	.	-	-		
Luffa	50.00 - 60.00	70.00 - 75.00	60.00 - 70.00	.	40.00 - 50.00	60.00 - 65.00		
Long Beans	40.00 - 60.00	50.00 - 55.00	45.00 - 60.00	.	40.00 - 50.00	55.00 - 70.00		
Ash Plantains	40.00 - 50.00	55.00 - 65.00	40.00 - 50.00	.	50.00 - 60.00	30.00 - 35.00		
Green Chillies	90.00 - 110.00	200.00 - 250.00	60.00 - 100.00	.	60.00 - 70.00	70.00 - 100.00	50.00 - 60.00	
Lime	180.00 - 220.00	350.00 - 400.00	280.00 - 300.00	.	-	220.00 - 230.00		
Sweet Potatoe	-	50.00 - 60.00	-	.	-			
Manioc	-	-	-	.	-			
Dambala (Wing Beans)								
Thithbatu								
Maize	-							
Black Gram	-							
Gingerly								
Soya								
Potato (Welimada)	-	90.00 - 95.00	-	.		110.00 - 120.00	90.00 - 95.00	-
Potato (Nuwaraeliya)	100.00 - 105.00	110.00 - 115.00	95.00 - 105.00	.		-	-	94.00 - 98.00
B'Onion Imported	38.00 - 40.00	43.00 - 45.00	-	.		-		
Big-onion Local	-	-	-	.		-		
Banana								
Ambul	50.00 - 70.00							
Kolikuttu (Rs/Fruits)	110.00 - 130.00							
Seeni	60.00 - 80.00							
Anamalu (Rs/Fruits)	15.00 - 18.00							
Papaya	50.00 - 80.00							
Passion Fruits	13.00 - 15.00							
Other Fruits (Rs/Fruit)								
Pineapple - Large	140.00 - 160.00							
- Medium	120.00 - 130.00							
- Small	80.00 - 100.00							
Mango - Betti	18.00 - 20.00							
- Karathakolon	40.00 - 60.00							
Woodapple	13.00 - 15.00							
Avocado	40.00 - 60.00							
Orange	30.00 - 35.00							

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