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**(Wholesale Prices of Rice & Subsidiary Food Crops)**

Item	Pettah				Marandagahamula			
	Range	Average		Change *	Range	Average		Change *
	5-Mar	5-Mar	2-Mar		5-Mar	5-Mar	2-Mar	
<b>Rice (Rs/50 kg)</b>								
Samba 1	5300.00 - 5500.00	5430.00	5412.50	17.50	5400.00 - 5500.00	5450.00	5360.00	90.00
Samba 2	5000.00 - 5100.00	5040.00	4990.00	50.00	4400.00 - 4650.00	4537.50	4490.00	47.50
Samba 3	-				-			
Nadu 1	4100.00 - 4300.00	4183.33	4166.67		4750.00 - 4850.00	4790.00	4810.00	-20.00
Nadu 2	3750.00 - 4000.00	3880.00	3930.00	-50.00	3800.00 - 4250.00	3930.00	3980.00	-50.00
Raw red	3700.00 - 3750.00	3730.00	3730.00		3600.00 - 3800.00	3710.00	3710.00	
Raw White	3750.00 - 3900.00	3870.00	3820.00	50.00	3700.00 - 3900.00	3790.00	3770.00	20.00
<b>Imported Rice</b>								
Ponne 1	3750.00 - 3900.00	3810.00	3810.00		3950.00 - 4000.00	3983.33	4166.67	-183.34
Kora								
Raw White	3250.00 - 3500.00	3380.00	3310.00		3300.00 - 3400.00	3333.33	3333.33	0.00
Nadu	3600.00 - 3650.00	3612.50	3540.00	72.50	3600.00 - 3700.00	3633.33	3616.67	16.66
<b>Subsidiary Food Crops</b>								
<b>Dried Chillies (Rs/Kg)</b>								
Imported	225.00 - 230.00	227.00	228.00	-1.00				
Local								
<b>Onion (Rs/Kg)</b>								
Sinnan	95.00 - 120.00							
Vedalan	130.00 - 130.00							
Imported	110.00 - 120.00	114.00	112.40	1.60				
<b>Big Onion</b>								
Imported	55.00 - 65.00	59.60	59.60					
Local	-							
<b>Potatoes (Rs/Kg)</b>								
Welimada	60.00 - 80.00	70.00	81.67					
Nuwaraeliya	90.00 - 100.00	95.00	100.00					
Imported	45.00 - 55.00	48.60	54.60	-6.00				
<b>Pulses (Rs/Kg)</b>								
Green Gram	190.00 - 200.00	195.60	195.00	0.60				
Cowpea	25.00 - 230.00	188.00	232.00	-44.00				
Red Dhal	105.00 - 108.00	106.20	105.60	0.60				
<b>Eggs (Rs/Egg)</b>								
Brown	14.50 - 14.50	14.50	14.50					
White	13.00 - 13.00	13.00	13.00					

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### Wholesale Prices in Selected Markets (Rs/Kg)

Variety	5/3/2018	5/3/2018	5/3/2018	4/3/2018	5/3/2018	5/3/2018	5/3/2018	5/3/2018
	Pettah Market	Kandy Market	Dambulla Market	Meegoda Market	Norochhole Market	T'thagama Market	Kappelpola Market	Nuwaraeliya Market
<b>Up Country Vegetable</b>								
Beans	80.00 - 100.00	90.00 - 100.00	65.00 - 75.00	120.00 - 130.00	-	-	90.00 - 100.00	
Carrot	40.00 - 60.00	70.00 - 80.00	45.00 - 80.00	80.00 - 95.00	-	-	50.00 - 55.00	60.00 - 70.00
Leeks	80.00 - 110.00	90.00 - 100.00	90.00 - 110.00	110.00 - 120.00	-	-	80.00 - 90.00	85.00 - 90.00
Beet root	15.00 - 25.00	25.00 - 30.00	15.00 - 25.00	25.00 - 30.00	-	-	-	-
Beet Root(N'Eliya)	30.00 - 50.00	35.00 - 40.00	25.00 - 30.00	-	-	-	40.00 - 45.00	35.00 - 40.00
Knolkhol	30.00 - 40.00	30.00 - 35.00	30.00 - 35.00	50.00 - 60.00	-	-	20.00 - 30.00	-
Raddish	15.00 - 30.00	15.00 - 20.00	10.00 - 15.00	30.00 - 40.00	-	-	10.00 - 15.00	14.00 - 16.00
Cabbage (N'Eliya)	25.00 - 30.00	20.00 - 25.00	25.00 - 30.00	40.00 - 45.00	-	-	15.00 - 20.00	25.00 - 28.00
Cabbage (Kandy)	20.00 - 25.00	15.00 - 20.00	20.00 - 25.00	35.00 - 40.00	-	-	-	
Tomato	30.00 - 50.00	20.00 - 30.00	20.00 - 30.00	40.00 - 45.00	-	-	20.00 - 30.00	
<b>Low country Vegetable</b>								
Ladies Fingers	60.00 - 80.00	60.00 - 65.00	30.00 - 35.00	75.00 - 85.00	-	-	-	
Brinjals (Village)	90.00 - 100.00	90.00 - 100.00	80.00 - 90.00	90.00 - 100.00	-	-	65.00 - 75.00	
Brinjals (Other)	50.00 - 80.00	80.00 - 90.00	55.00 - 80.00	80.00 - 90.00	-	-	-	
Capsicum	80.00 - 110.00	110.00 - 120.00	70.00 - 90.00	110.00 - 140.00	-	-	100.00 - 120.00	
Pumpkin	40.00 - 50.00	50.00 - 60.00	45.00 - 60.00	55.00 - 70.00	-	-	50.00 - 60.00	
Cucumber	40.00 - 60.00	45.00 - 50.00	35.00 - 55.00	50.00 - 70.00	-	-	-	
Bitter Gourd (Village)	90.00 - 100.00	80.00 - 90.00	70.00 - 80.00	130.00 - 150.00	-	-		
Bitter Gourd (Other)	60.00 - 80.00	60.00 - 75.00	60.00 - 70.00	70.00 - 90.00	-	-		
Snake Gourd	40.00 - 70.00	50.00 - 55.00	35.00 - 45.00	50.00 - 60.00	-	-		
Drumstick	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Luffa	60.00 - 80.00	70.00 - 80.00	45.00 - 60.00	75.00 - 120.00	-	-		
Long Beans	50.00 - 80.00	60.00 - 70.00	50.00 - 65.00	80.00 - 90.00	-	-		
Ash Plantains	60.00 - 70.00	60.00 - 75.00	50.00 - 65.00	70.00 - 80.00	-	-		
Green Chillies	50.00 - 70.00	60.00 - 80.00	40.00 - 80.00	60.00 - 80.00	-	-	70.00 - 75.00	
Lime	25.00 - 50.00	40.00 - 45.00	35.00 - 40.00	55.00 - 60.00	-	-	50.00 - 60.00	
Sweet Potatoe	45.00 - 50.00	45.00 - 50.00	40.00 - 50.00	-				
Manioc	15.00 - 30.00	-	15.00 - 22.00	-				
Dambala (Wing Beans)								
Thithbatu								
Maize	-							
Black Gram	-							
Gingerly								
Soya								
Potato (Welimada)	60.00 - 80.00	80.00 - 90.00	-	85.00 - 90.00			65.00 - 70.00	-
Potato (Nuwaraeliya)	90.00 - 100.00	100.00 - 105.00	85.00 - 90.00	95.00 - 100.00			-	75.00 - 80.00
B'Onion Imported	55.00 - 65.00	70.00 - 82.00	-	-				
Big-onion Local	-	-	-	-				
<b>Banana</b>								
Ambul	50.00 - 70.00							
Kolikuttu (Rs/Fruits)	10.00 - 13.00							
Seeni	60.00 - 80.00							
Anamalu (Rs/Fruits)	13.00 - 17.00							
Papaya	50.00 - 70.00							
Passion Fruits	15.00 - 20.00							
<b>Other Fruits (Rs/Fruit)</b>								
Pineapple - Large	150.00 - 170.00							
- Medium	120.00 - 140.00							
- Small	80.00 - 100.00							
Mango - Betti	20.00 - 25.00							
- Karathakolom	90.00 - 100.00							
Woodapple	15.00 - 17.00							
Avocado	50.00 - 70.00							
Orange	15.00 - 25.00							

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