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(Wholesale Prices of Rice & Subsidiary Food Crops)

| Item | Pettah | | | | Marandagahamula | | | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|---------|---------|----------|-------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| | Range | Average | | Change * | Range | Average | | Change * |
| | 13-Mar | 13-Mar | 12-Mar | | 13-Mar | 13-Mar | 12-Mar | |
| Rice (Rs/50 kg) | | | | | | | | |
| Samba 1 | 5250.00 - 5500.00 | 5380.00 | 5350.00 | 30.00 | 5450.00 - 5500.00 | 5470.00 | 5470.00 | |
| Samba 2 | 4900.00 - 5150.00 | 5050.00 | 5070.00 | -20.00 | 4400.00 - 4600.00 | 4520.00 | 4520.00 | |
| Samba 3 | - | | | | - | | | |
| Nadu 1 | - | | 4225.00 | | 4750.00 - 4850.00 | 4810.00 | 4810.00 | |
| Nadu 2 | 3750.00 - 4000.00 | 3910.00 | 3980.00 | -70.00 | 3800.00 - 4300.00 | 3960.00 | 3970.00 | -10.00 |
| Raw red | 3600.00 - 3750.00 | 3670.00 | 3730.00 | -60.00 | 3600.00 - 3800.00 | 3710.00 | 3680.00 | 30.00 |
| Raw White | 3750.00 - 3850.00 | 3810.00 | 3750.00 | 60.00 | 3700.00 - 4000.00 | 3820.00 | 3810.00 | 10.00 |
| Imported Rice | | | | | | | | |
| Ponne 1 | 3600.00 - 3800.00 | 3690.00 | 3630.00 | 60.00 | 3850.00 - 4000.00 | 3916.67 | 3950.00 | -33.33 |
| Kora | | | | | | | | |
| Raw White | - | | 3350.00 | | 3400.00 - 3600.00 | 3500.00 | 3433.33 | 66.67 |
| Nadu | 3500.00 - 3750.00 | 3637.50 | 3610.00 | 27.50 | 3600.00 - 3650.00 | 3616.67 | 3616.67 | 0.00 |
| Subsidiary Food Crops | | | | | | | | |
| Dried Chillies (Rs/Kg) | | | | | | | | |
| Imported | 240.00 - 245.00 | 242.00 | 233.00 | 9.00 | | | | |
| Local | | | | | | | | |
| Onion (Rs/Kg) | | | | | | | | |
| Sinnan | - | | | | | | | |
| Vedalan | - | | | | | | | |
| Imported | 110.00 - 120.00 | 116.00 | 124.00 | -8.00 | | | | |
| Big Onion | | | | | | | | |
| Imported | 50.00 - 55.00 | 52.00 | 58.00 | -6.00 | | | | |
| Local | - | | | | | | | |
| Potatoes (Rs/Kg) | | | | | | | | |
| Welimada | 80.00 - 85.00 | 81.67 | 81.67 | 0.00 | | | | |
| Nuwaraeliya | 95.00 - 100.00 | 97.50 | 105.00 | -7.50 | | | | |
| Imported | 50.00 - 60.00 | 56.00 | 57.00 | -1.00 | | | | |
| Pulses (Rs/Kg) | | | | | | | | |
| Green Gram | 190.00 - 195.00 | 193.00 | 193.00 | | | | | |
| Cowpea | 220.00 - 230.00 | 225.00 | 223.00 | 2.00 | | | | |
| Red Dhal | 104.00 - 110.00 | 106.40 | 106.20 | 0.20 | | | | |
| Eggs (Rs/Egg) | | | | | | | | |
| Brown | 14.00 - 14.50 | 14.25 | 14.25 | | | | | |
| White | 13.00 - 13.00 | 13.00 | 13.00 | | | | | |

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Wholesale Prices in Selected Markets (Rs/Kg)

| Variety | 13/3/2018 | 13/3/2018 | 13/3/2018 | 12/3/2018 | 13/3/2018 | 13/3/2018 | 13/3/2018 | 13/3/2018 |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | Pettah Market | Kandy Market | Dambulla Market | Meegoda Market | Norochhole Market | T'thagama Market | Kappetipola Market | Nuwaraeliya Market |
| Up Country Vegetable | | | | | | | | |
| Beans | 120.00 - 150.00 | 90.00 - 100.00 | 70.00 - 80.00 | 110.00 - 120.00 | - | 100.00 - 120.00 | 70.00 - 80.00 | |
| Carrot | 60.00 - 70.00 | 70.00 - 80.00 | 75.00 - 90.00 | 90.00 - 100.00 | - | 90.00 - 100.00 | 45.00 - 55.00 | 60.00 - 70.00 |
| Leeks | 110.00 - 120.00 | 110.00 - 120.00 | 100.00 - 115.00 | 120.00 - 130.00 | - | 120.00 - 130.00 | 85.00 - 90.00 | 90.00 - 95.00 |
| Beet root | 20.00 - 30.00 | 25.00 - 35.00 | 20.00 - 25.00 | 30.00 - 35.00 | - | 20.00 - 25.00 | - | - |
| Beet Root(N'Eliya) | 40.00 - 50.00 | 40.00 - 45.00 | 25.00 - 30.00 | - | - | 40.00 - 50.00 | 40.00 - 42.00 | 30.00 - 35.00 |
| Knolkhol | 30.00 - 40.00 | 40.00 - 45.00 | 20.00 - 25.00 | 40.00 - 50.00 | - | 30.00 - 40.00 | 20.00 - 30.00 | - |
| Raddish | 20.00 - 30.00 | 20.00 - 25.00 | 12.00 - 18.00 | - | - | 20.00 - 25.00 | 10.00 - 15.00 | 15.00 - 18.00 |
| Cabbage (N'Eliya) | 25.00 - 30.00 | 30.00 - 35.00 | - | 40.00 - 45.00 | - | - | 15.00 - 20.00 | 25.00 - 30.00 |
| Cabbage (Kandy) | 20.00 - 25.00 | 20.00 - 25.00 | 20.00 - 35.00 | 35.00 - 40.00 | - | 30.00 - 35.00 | - | |
| Tomato | 40.00 - 50.00 | 40.00 - 50.00 | 25.00 - 30.00 | 40.00 - 50.00 | - | 30.00 - 35.00 | 30.00 - 35.00 | |
| Low country Vegetable | | | | | | | | |
| Ladies Fingers | 40.00 - 50.00 | 40.00 - 50.00 | 30.00 - 40.00 | 60.00 - 70.00 | - | 30.00 - 40.00 | - | |
| Brinjals (Village) | 45.00 - 50.00 | 60.00 - 65.00 | - | 75.00 - 80.00 | - | - | 60.00 - 70.00 | |
| Brinjals (Other) | 40.00 - 45.00 | 50.00 - 55.00 | 35.00 - 45.00 | 65.00 - 70.00 | - | 40.00 - 50.00 | - | |
| Capsicum | 50.00 - 100.00 | 90.00 - 100.00 | 50.00 - 80.00 | 100.00 - 120.00 | - | 100.00 - 110.00 | 80.00 - 100.00 | |
| Pumpkin | 30.00 - 50.00 | 40.00 - 50.00 | 35.00 - 50.00 | 48.00 - 70.00 | - | 35.00 - 40.00 | 60.00 - 65.00 | |
| Cucumber | 40.00 - 50.00 | 40.00 - 50.00 | 35.00 - 45.00 | 50.00 - 70.00 | - | 30.00 - 45.00 | - | |
| Bitter Gourd (Village) | 75.00 - 80.00 | - | - | 100.00 - 110.00 | - | - | | |
| Bitter Gourd (Other) | 50.00 - 70.00 | 60.00 - 70.00 | 45.00 - 55.00 | 70.00 - 90.00 | - | 60.00 - 70.00 | | |
| Snake Gourd | 50.00 - 60.00 | 50.00 - 55.00 | 40.00 - 45.00 | 70.00 - 75.00 | - | 40.00 - 50.00 | | |
| Drumstick | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Luffa | 60.00 - 80.00 | 70.00 - 80.00 | 40.00 - 50.00 | 70.00 - 120.00 | - | 65.00 - 70.00 | | |
| Long Beans | 50.00 - 80.00 | 60.00 - 70.00 | 40.00 - 50.00 | 70.00 - 80.00 | - | 35.00 - 40.00 | | |
| Ash Plantains | 50.00 - 70.00 | 60.00 - 70.00 | 50.00 - 55.00 | 65.00 - 70.00 | - | 45.00 - 50.00 | | |
| Green Chillies | 50.00 - 70.00 | 70.00 - 100.00 | 50.00 - 70.00 | 75.00 - 85.00 | - | 80.00 - 100.00 | 60.00 - 70.00 | |
| Lime | 25.00 - 50.00 | 70.00 - 80.00 | 70.00 - 80.00 | 90.00 - 100.00 | - | 30.00 - 45.00 | | |
| Sweet Potatoe | 45.00 - 50.00 | - | 40.00 - 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) | 80.00 - 85.00 | 85.00 - 90.00 | - | - | | 80.00 - 95.00 | 70.00 - 80.00 | - |
| Potato (Nuwaraeliya) | 95.00 - 100.00 | 100.00 - 105.00 | 90.00 - 95.00 | 90.00 - 92.00 | | - | - | 85.00 - 90.00 |
| B'Onion Imported | 50.00 - 55.00 | - | - | - | | - | | |
| Big-onion Local | - | - | - | - | | - | | |
| Banana | | | | | | | | |
| Ambul | 50.00 - 60.00 | | | | | | | |
| Kolikuttu (Rs/Fruits) | 10.00 - 12.00 | | | | | | | |
| Seeni | 60.00 - 80.00 | | | | | | | |
| Anamalu (Rs/Fruits) | 13.00 - 16.00 | | | | | | | |
| Papaya | 50.00 - 70.00 | | | | | | | |
| Passion Fruits | 15.00 - 20.00 | | | | | | | |
| Other Fruits (Rs/Fruit) | | | | | | | | |
| Pineapple - Large | 150.00 - 180.00 | | | | | | | |
| - Medium | 120.00 - 130.00 | | | | | | | |
| - Small | 80.00 - 100.00 | | | | | | | |
| Mango - Betti | 20.00 - 22.00 | | | | | | | |
| - Karathakolom | 60.00 - 80.00 | | | | | | | |
| Woodapple | 13.00 - 15.00 | | | | | | | |
| Avocado | 70.00 - 80.00 | | | | | | | |
| Orange | 15.00 - 25.00 | | | | | | | |

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