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Price List of Selected NTFPs and Spices in Nepali and Indian Markets

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SN	Nepali Name	English Name	Botanical Name	Nepal		India				
				AT	NPG	AT	DEL	TNK	LCK	KOL
1	Aduwa	Fresh ginger	<i>Zingiber officinale</i>	▼	20	-	***	***	***	***
2	Alaichi	Large cardamom	<i>Amomum subulatum</i>	-	***	▼	1000	944	1024	928
3	Amala	Indian gooseberry	<i>Phyllanthus emblica</i>	▲	140	▲	240	224	256	304
4	Amalbed (<i>Chulthi</i>)	Himalayan rhubarb	<i>Rheum australe</i>	-	200	▲	520	416	560	640
5	Atis	Aconite	<i>Aconitum heterophyllum</i>	-	1000	▼	1000	944	1080	1200
6	Barro	Beleric myrabolan	<i>Terminalia bellirica</i>	-	***	◆	30	21	36	42
7	Bhutkesh	Rugwort	<i>Selinum tennifolium</i>	▼	160	▲	360	304	400	480
8	Bikhjara	Nepali aconite	<i>Aconitum spicatum</i>	-	350	-	***	***	***	***
9	Bojho	Sweetflag	<i>Acorus calamus</i>	▲	110	◆	131	120	141	152
10	Chiraito	Chiretta	<i>Swertia chirayita</i>	▲	275	▲	440	360	440	480
11	Dalchini	Cinnamon	<i>Cinnamomum tamala</i>	▲	100	▲	176	144	200	240
12	Guchhichyau	Morel mushroom	<i>Morchella conica</i>	-	13000	-	16000	***	***	***
13	Harro	Chebulic myrabolan	<i>Terminalia chebula</i>	-	***	▲	51	40	56	64
14	Jatamansi*	Spikenard	<i>Nardostachys grandiflora</i>	-	650	▲	1320	1216	1360	1520
15	Jhyau**	Lichen	<i>Parmelia nepalensis</i>	-	***	▲	544	464	560	680
16	Kakrasinghi	Indian mastiche	<i>Pistacia chinensis</i>	▲	1200	▲	1152	1056	1200	1280
17	Kutki*	Gentian	<i>Picrorhiza scrophulariiflora</i>	▲	1050	-	1120	1040	1184	1280
18	Majitho (<i>red</i>)	Madder	<i>Rubia manjith</i>	▲	150	▼	176	144	200	224
19	Nirmansi (<i>Jadwar</i>)	Larkspur	<i>Delphinium denudatum</i>	-	5000	▲	8800	7680	***	***
20	Padamchal (<i>rhizome</i>)	Himalayan rhubarb	<i>Rheum australe</i>	▲	95	▲	138	128	144	160
21	Pakhanbed	Rock foil	<i>Bergenia ciliata</i>	-	50	▲	80	70	80	96
22	Pipla (<i>long</i>)	Long piper	<i>Piper longum</i>	▲	550	▲	720	624	720	800
23	Pipla (<i>round</i>)	Round piper	<i>Piper pedicellatum</i>	-	***	-	448	384	480	400
24	Ritha	Soap nut	<i>Sapindus mukorossi</i>	▲	42	-	64	53	64	80
25	Satawari (<i>Kurilo</i>)	Wild asparagus	<i>Asparagus racemosus</i>	▲	800	-	1056	960	1120	1280
26	Satuwa (<i>big</i>)	Love apple	<i>Paris polyphylla</i>	-	3500	▲	5200	5520	5440	***
27	Sikakai	Soap pod	<i>Acacia rugata</i>	▲	75	-	144	128	152	160
28	Silajit*	Rock exudate		-	***	-	800	***	880	960
29	Sugandhakokila*		<i>Cinnamomum glaucescens</i>	▲	140	-	320	***	360	400
30	Sugandhawaal*	Indian valerian	<i>Valeriana jatamansi</i>	▲	390	-	608	560	640	720
31	Sutho	Dried ginger	<i>Zingiber officinale</i>	▼	120	▲	200	160	200	240
32	Tejpat	Cinnamon	<i>Cinnamomum tamala</i>	▲	52	▲	106	96	104	115
33	Timur	Prickly ash	<i>Zanthoxylum armatum</i>	▲	775	-	800	736	784	864

AT=Average Trend compared with prices of previous month; NPG=Nepalgunj; DEL=Delhi; TNK=Tanakpur; LCK=Lucknow; KOL=Kolkata

*Ban for export outside Nepal without processing (except Kutki) and prior permission from DoF required

**Ban in Nepal for collection, trading & export

***Price not available

▲ Increase in average price; ▼ Decrease in average price; "-" No change in average price; ◆ Increase of average price in one market and decrease in another market

(Compared to previous month's average price)

Note:

1. All prices are in Nepalese Rupees per kilogram.
2. Prices indicated above are for good quality dried parts offered by the buyers of particular market.
3. Prices for Delhi are from commission agent, a 6.5% to 8% commission is deducted from supplier in the quoted price.
4. Above prices are indicative only and need to be confirmed with the traders before making actual business transaction.

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