Bang for your buck

Where can you buy the cheapest rice and toilet paper? The Straits Times compares the prices of five essential items across various supermarkets, minimarts and online grocery providers.









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	Cutie Compact Toilet Rolls 10's	Royal Umbrella Thai Hom Mali Rice 5kg	Indomie Mi Goreng Instant Noodles 5 packs	Chew's Fresh Eggs 10	Oki Premium Sunflower Oil 2L
FairPrice	FairPrice DeluxSoft 3-ply Toilet Rolls 10's \$4.30	\$16.20	\$2	\$2.75	\$7.75
Giant	\$5.70	\$16.20	\$2.10	\$2.65	\$7.75
U Stars Supermarket (mid-sized supermarket)	\$5.20	Original price \$16.80, promotion \$15.90	\$2.10	Seng Choon Eggs \$2.60	\$6.50
Alfa H Mart (minimart)	Onwards Toilet Rolls 10's \$5.40	\$15.90	\$2	\$2.30	SPM Gold Sunflower Oil 2L \$5.95
Zheng Rong Trading And Distribution (provision shop)	Not available	\$16	Maggi 2-min Noodles \$1.70	Kampung eggs \$3.20	Sunbeam Sunflower Oil 2L \$8
Changi Recommends' Get It (online)	Scott Extra Toilet Rolls 10's \$7.65	\$18.80	\$3	\$4.85	\$8.95
Hao Essential Goods Store (online)	Hao Mart Toilet Rolls 10's \$4.70	Golden Pineapple Thai Fragrant Rice 5kg \$13.50	Maggi 2-min Noodles \$2.20	Not available	\$7.75
EAMart (online)	Onwards Toilet Rolls 10's \$4.90	Golden Pineapple Thai Fragrant Rice 5kg \$11.95	\$1.80	N&N Corn Eggs \$2.60	Golden Circle Canola Oil 2L \$6.25