

# **CONSUMER PRICE INDEX**

## **PHNOM PENH**

(October-December 2006=100)

### **April 2018**

The Consumer Prices Index in Phnom Penh was increased by 0.5% in April 2018. Over the last twelve months prices have increased 2.4%. In March 2018 the rate of inflation was 2.3%. The Consumer Price Index for April 2018 has been calculated at 173.4.

#### **April to March 2018**

From April to March 2018 Price for meat increased by 0.6% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for pork increased by 0.5%; price for beef increased by 0.7% and price for chicken increased by 1.0%. Price for fish and seafood increased by 0.6% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for fresh fish increased by 0.6% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for vegetables increased by 1.3% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for leaf and stalk vegetables increased by 1.4% and price for fruit vegetables increased by 1.8%. Price for fruit increased by 1.7% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for fresh fruit increased by 2.0% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for sugar, jam, honey, chocolate increased by 0.7%. Price for alcoholic beverage and tobacco decreased by 1.6%. Price for clothing and footwear increased by 0.4%. Price for furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance increased by 0.3%. Price for health increased by 0.3%. Price for transport increased by 0.5%. Main decrease for this group was due to increase price for gasoline increased by 1.4%. Price for restaurants increased by 0.2%. Price for recreation and culture increased by 0.2%. Price for education increased by 0.4%. Price for miscellaneous goods and services increased by 0.5%.

#### **April 2018 to April 2017**

Of the total consumer price increased by 2.4% from April 2017 to April 2018, 1.2% units were due to increase by 2.3% for food and non-alcoholic beverages. Price for rice increased by 2.3% and contribution by 0.2% units. Price for meat increased by 1.2% and contribution by 0.2% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for beef increased by 3.5% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for fish and seafood increased by 4.0% and contribution by 0.5% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for fresh fish increased by 4.3% and contribution by 0.4% units. Price for processed fish increased by 2.9% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for fresh eggs increased by 6.1% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for fruit increased by 3.5% and contribution by 0.2% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for fresh fruit increased by 2.7% and price for dried nuts and edible seeds increased by 8.2% and contribution by 0.1% units each. Price for vegetables increased by 0.9% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for leaf and stalk vegetables increased by 1.8%. Price for food products increased by 1.1%. Main increased for food group was due to increase of rice; meat; fish and seafood; fruits; vegetables and food products. Price for clothing and footwear increased by 1.3%. Main increase this group was due to increase price for clothing increased by 1.4% and price for footwear increased by 0.8%. Price for housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels increased by 1.3% and contribution by 0.2% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for gas increased by 6.4% and solid fuels increased by 3.9% and contribution by 0.1% units each. Price for health increased by 1.8% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for transport increased by 3.0% and contribution by 0.2% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for gasoline increased by 6.7% and contribution by 0.2% units. Price for restaurants increased by 6.7% and contribution by 0.6% units. Price for miscellaneous goods and services increased by 3.6% and

contribution by 0.1% units. While, price for furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance decreased by 0.2%. Price for communication decreased by 1.0%. Price for recreation and culture decreased by 0.8%. Price for education decreased by 0.4%.

The increased for all index group 2.4% rate of inflation in April 2018 was due to the sub-groups such as: food and non-alcoholic beverages; alcoholic beverages and tobacco; clothing and footwear; housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels; Transport; restaurants and miscellaneous goods and services.

**Figure1. Consumer Price Index, Phnom Penh**

