

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

PHNOM PENH

(October-December 2006=100)

May 2017

The Consumer Prices Index in Phnom Penh was decreased by 0.2% from April to May 2017. Over the last twelve months prices have increased 2.5%. In April 2017 the rate of inflation was 3.2%. The Consumer Price Index for May 2017 has been calculated at 169.1.

May to April 2017

From May to April 2017 Price for meat decreased by 1.0% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main decrease for this group was due to decrease price for pork decreased by 1.2% and contribution by -0.1% units. Price for fish and seafood decreased by 0.4%. Main decrease for this group was due to decrease price for fresh fish decreased by 0.3%. Price for fruits decreased by 1.0% and contribution by -0.1% units. Main decrease for this group was due to decrease price for fresh fruit decreased by 1.5% and contribution by -0.1% units. Price for vegetables decreased by 1.3% and contribution by -0.1% units. Main decrease this group was due to decrease price for leaf and stalk vegetables decreased by 1.5%; price for fruit vegetables decreased by 2.1% and price for root vegetables decreased by 2.2%. Price for food products decreased by 0.8%. Price for alcoholic beverage and tobacco decreased by 1.2%. Main decrease this group was due to decrease price for tobacco decreased by 1.9%. Price for clothing decreased by 0.2%. Price for housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels decreased by 0.2%. Price for furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance decreased by 0.7%. Price for transport decreased by 0.2%. Price for communication decreased by 0.9%. Price for miscellaneous goods and services decreased by 0.2%. While, Price for restaurants increased by 2.8% and contribution by 0.2% units. Price for health increased by 0.2%.

May 2017 to May 2016

Of the total consumer price increased by 2.5% from May 2016 to May 2017, 1.6% units were due to increase by 2.9% for food and non-alcoholic beverages. Price for rice increased by 1.9% and contribution by 0.2% units. Price for meat increased by 2.1% and contribution by 0.3% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for pork increased by 2.2% and contribution by 0.2% units. Price for beef increased by 3.3% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for fish and seafood increased by 5.4% and contribution by 0.6% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for fresh fish increased by 5.6% and contribution by 0.5% units. Price for processed fish increased by 4.7% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for fruits increased by 0.9% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for fresh fruits increased by 0.7%. Price for vegetables increased by 3.4% and contribution by 0.2% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for leaf and stalk vegetables increased by 2.7% and price for fruit vegetables increased by 2.9% and contribution by 0.1% units each. Price for sugar, jam, honey, chocolate increased by 8.2% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for food product increased by 2.1%. Main increased for food group was due to increase of rice; meat; fish and seafood; fruits and vegetables and food products. Price for alcoholic beverage and tobacco increased by 1.7%. Main increase this group was due to increase price for tobacco increased by 2.2%. Price for clothing and footwear increased by 2.9% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for clothing increased by 3.1% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance increased by 1.7%. Price for health increased by 1.2%. Price for transport increased by 4.0% and contribution by

0.3% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for gasoline increased by 9.5% and contribution by 0.2% units. Price for recreation and culture increased by 1.6%. Price for restaurants increased by 6.6% and contribution by 0.6% units. While, Price for housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels decreased by 1.0% and contribution by -0.1% units. Main decrease for this group was due to decrease price for gas decreased by 11.0% and contribution by -0.2% units. Price for communication decreased by 1.4%. Price for miscellaneous goods and services decreased by 0.2%.

The increased for all index group 2.5% rate of inflation in May 2017 was due to the sub-groups such as: food and non-alcoholic beverages; alcoholic beverages and tobacco; clothing and footwear; furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance; health; Transport; recreation and culture and restaurants.

Figure1. Consumer Price Index, Phnom Penh

