

# **CONSUMER PRICE INDEX**

## **PHNOM PENH**

(October-December 2006=100)

### **May 2019**

The Consumer Prices Index in Phnom Penh was increased by 0.2% from April to May 2019. Over the last twelve months prices have increased 2.0%. In April 2019 the rate of inflation was 2.1%. The Consumer Price Index for May 2019 has been calculated at 177.4.

#### **May to April 2019**

From May to April 2019 price for fish and seafood increased by 0.1%. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for fresh fish increased by 0.2%. Price for rice increased by 0.8% 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 fruit vegetables increased by 3.1% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for fruits increased by 1.2% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for fresh fruit increased by 1.4% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for sugar, jam, honey and chocolate increased by 1.1%. Price for housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels increased by 0.1%. Price for transport increased by 0.5% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for gasoline increased by 1.2% and price for diesel increased by 1.4%. Price for communication increased by 0.4%. While, price for meat decreased by 0.4% and contribution by -0.1% units. Main decrease for this group was due to decrease price for pork decreased by 0.8% and contribution by -0.1% units. Price for processed fish decreased by 0.4%. Price for milk, cheese and eggs decreased by 0.1%. Price for food products decreased by 0.1%. Price for alcoholic beverage and tobacco decreased by 0.1%. Price for clothing and footwear increased by 0.6%. Main decrease for this group was due to decrease price for clothing by 0.8%. Price for furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance decreased by 0.7%. Price for health decreased by 0.1%.

#### **May 2019 to May 2018**

Of the total consumer price increased by 2.0% from May 2018 to May 2019, 1.0% units were due to increase by 1.9% for food and non-alcoholic beverages. Price for rice increased by 3.6% and contribution by 0.3% units. Price for meat increased by 1.7% and contribution by 0.2% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for pork increased by 1.6% and price for chicken increased by 3.3% and contribution by 0.1% units each. Price for fish and seafood increased by 1.5% and contribution by 0.2% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for fresh fish increased by 0.7% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for processed fish increased by 4.5% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for milk, cheese and eggs increased by 1.1%. Price for fruit increased by 0.6% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for fresh fruit increased by 1.4% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for vegetables increased by 3.2% and contribution by 0.2% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for leaf and stalk vegetables increased by 3.9% and price for fruit vegetables increased by 5.5% and contribution by 0.1% units each. Price for food products increased by 3.4% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increased for food group was due to increase of rice; meat; fish and seafood; vegetables and food products. Price for alcoholic beverage and tobacco increased by 5.4% and contribution by 0.2% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for tobacco increased by 6.8% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for clothing and footwear increased by 3.0% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for

clothing increased by 3.0% and contribution by 0.1% units and price for footwear increased by 3.0%. Price for housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels increased by 1.8% and contribution by 0.2% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for gas increased by 8.3% and contribution by 0.2% units. Price for furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance increased by 0.7%. Price for health increased by 1.4% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for recreation and culture increased by 0.9%. Price for restaurants increased by 6.1% and contribution by 0.5% units. Price for miscellaneous goods and services increased by 1.0%. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for personal effects increased by 3.7%. While, Price for sugar, jam, honey, chocolate decreased by 0.7%. Price for transport decreased by 1.0% and contribution by -0.1% units. Main decrease for this group was due to decrease price for gasoline decreased by 5.8% and contribution by -0.2% units. Price for communication decreased by 0.2%.

The increased for all index group 2.0% rate of inflation in May 2019 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; furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance; health; recreation and culture; restaurants and miscellaneous goods and services.

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

