

# CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

## PHNOM PENH

(October-December 2006=100)

### May 2021

The Consumer Prices Index in Phnom Penh was increased by 0.9% from May to April 2021. Over the last twelve months' prices have increased 3.0%. In April 2021 the rate of inflation was 2.7%. The Consumer Price Index for May has been calculated at 187.0.

**Table1. Consumer Price Index, All items**

Index	1 month % change		12 months % change	
	May 21	April 21	May 20	April 20
May 2021	April 21	March 21	May 21	April 21
187.0	0.9	0.1	3.0	2.7

### May to April 2021

From May to April 2021 price for meat increased by 1.6% and contribution by 0.2% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for pork increased by 1.9% and contribution by 0.1% units and price for beef increased by 0.9% and price for chicken increased by 1.8%. Price for fish and seafood increased by 1.8% and contribution by 0.2% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for fresh fish increased by 1.9% and contribution by 0.2% units. Price for processed fish increased by 1.3%. Price for rice increased by 1.2% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for vegetables increased by 1.9% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for leaf and stalk vegetables increased by 2.1% and contribution by 0.2% units and price for fruit vegetables increased by 2.0%. Price for sugar, jam, honey and chocolate increased by 0.3%. Price for food products increased by 0.2%. Price for clothing and footwear increased by 0.7%. Main increase this group was due to increase price for clothing increased by 0.8% and price for footwear increased by 0.5%. Price for health increased by 0.5%. Price for transport increased by 1.0% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for gasoline increased by 2.9% and price for diesel increased by 3.1%. Price for communication increased by 0.3%. Price for

restaurants increased by 1.3% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for miscellaneous goods and services increased by 0.3%. While, price for fruits decreased by 0.3%. Price for milk, cheese and eggs decreased by 0.3%. Price for furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance decreased by 0.3%. Price for recreation and culture decreased by 0.1%. Price for education decreased by 0.3%.

### **May 2021 to May 2020**

Of the total consumer price increased by 3.0% from May 2021 to May 2020, 1.6% units were due to increase by 2.8% for food and non-alcoholic beverages. Price for rice increased by 1.8% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for meat increased by 4.9% and contribution by 0.6% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for pork increased by 6.8% and contribution by 0.5% units and price for beef increased by 2.0% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for fish and seafood increased by 4.4% and contribution by 0.6% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for fresh fish increased by 4.8% and contribution by 0.5% units. Price for processed fish increased by 3.2% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for vegetables increased by 4.0% and contribution by 0.3% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for leaf and stalk vegetables increased by 3.6% and price for fruit vegetables increased by 5.9% and contribution by 0.1% unit each. Price for food products increased by 0.6%. 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 1.6%. Price for clothing and footwear increased by 3.5% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for clothing increased by 3.7% and contribution by 0.1% units and price for footwear increased by 2.8%. Price for housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels increased by 2.1% and contribution by 0.2% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for gas increased by 8.8% and contribution by 0.2% units. Price for health increased by 0.8%. Price for transport increased by 12.8% and contribution by 0.9% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for gasoline increased by 45.6% and contribution by 0.8% units and price for diesel increased by 42.8%. Price for recreation and culture increased by 0.4%. Price for restaurant increased by 0.5%. Price for miscellaneous goods and services increased by 5.1% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for personal effects increased by 9.6% and contribution by 0.1% units. While, price for furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance decreased by 0.1%. Price for communication decreased by 0.1%. Price for education decreased by 0.1%.

The increased for all index group 3.0% rate of inflation in May 2021 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; recreation and culture; miscellaneous goods and services.

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

