

# **CONSUMER PRICE INDEX**

## **PHNOM PENH**

(October-December 2006=100)

### **July 2018**

The Consumer Prices Index in Phnom Penh was decreased by 0.3% from June to July 2018. Over the last twelve months prices have increased 2.3%. In June 2018 the rate of inflation was 2.9%. The Consumer Price Index for July 2018 has been calculated at 173.7.

#### **July to June 2018**

From July to June 2018 Price for fish and seafood decreased by 0.8% and contribution by -0.1% units. Main increase for this group was due to decrease price for fresh fish decreased by 1.1% and contribution by -0.1% units. Price for meat decreased by 0.2%. Main decrease for this group was due to decrease price for pork decreased by 0.2% and price for beef decreased by 0.3%. Price for rice remained stable in July. Price for fruits decreased by 0.9% and contribution by -0.1% units. Main decrease for this group was due to decrease price for fresh fruit decreased by 1.2% and contribution by -0.1% units. Price for vegetables decreased by 0.5%. Main decrease this group was due to decrease price for fruit vegetables decreased by 1.8% and price for root vegetables decreased by 1.4%. Price for sugar, jam, honey, chocolate decreased by 1.8%. Price for food products decreased by 0.2%. Price for alcoholic beverage and tobacco decreased by 0.7%. Price for clothing and footwear decreased by 0.3%. Price for housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels decreased by 0.2%. Price for furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance decreased by 0.3%. Price for transport decreased by 1.1% and contribution by -0.1% units. Main increase for this group was due to decrease price for gasoline decreased by 2.3% and contribution by -0.1% units. Price for communication decreased by 0.1%. Price for recreation and culture decreased by 0.1%. While, price for education increased by 0.4%. Price for restaurants increased by 1.2% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for miscellaneous goods and services increased by 0.3%.

#### **July 2018 to July 2017**

Of the total consumer price increased by 2.3% from July 2017 to July 2018, 1.3% units were due to increase by 2.3% for food and non-alcoholic beverages. Price for rice increased by 2.1% and contribution by 0.2% units. Price for meat increased by 2.0% and contribution by 0.3% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for pork increased by 1.3% and price for beef increased by 3.4% and contribution by 0.1% units each. Price for fish and seafood increased by 3.8% and contribution by 0.4% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for fresh fish increased by 3.6% and contribution by 0.3% units. Price for processed fish increased by 4.8% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for milk, cheese and eggs increased by 0.8%. Price for fruit increased by 1.8% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for fresh fruit increased by 1.3% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for vegetables increased by 2.8% and contribution by 0.2% units. Main increase this group was due to increase price for price for leaf and stalk vegetables increased by 5.3% and contribution by 0.1% units and price for fruit vegetables increased by 2.2%. Price for food products increased by 0.7%. Main increased for food group was due to increase of rice;

meat; fish and seafood; fruits; vegetables and food products. Price for alcoholic beverage and tobacco increased by 1.0%. Price for clothing and footwear increased by 1.6%. Main increase this group was due to increase price for clothing increased by 1.8% and price for footwear increased by 1.1%. Price for housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels increased by 0.9% and contribution by 0.1% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for gas increased by 7.7% and price for solid fuels increased by 3.8% and contribution by 0.1% units each. Price for furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance increased by 0.2%. Price for health increased by 1.2% and contribution by 0.1% units. Price for transport increased by 3.7% and contribution by 0.3% units. Main increase for this group was due to increase price for gasoline increased by 9.4% and contribution by 0.2% units. Price for restaurants increased by 5.6% and contribution by 0.5% units. Price for miscellaneous goods and services increased by 3.7% and contribution by 0.1% units. While, price for communication decreased by 0.4%. Price for recreation and culture decreased by 0.9%.

The increased for all index group 2.3% rate of inflation in July 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; furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance; health; Transport; restaurants and miscellaneous goods and services.

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

