NEWS BRIEFING

Concerns over rice stockpile release by Thailand

KHMER TIMES : 02/June/2017

Cambodia - Cambodian rice millers and exporters are strongly concerned that Thailand's plan to release 4.32 million tonnes of state rice stocks by September, driven by a sharp surge in global rice demand, could depress prices of the vital grain on commodity markets.

Mr Lak said that Cambodia, unlike Thailand, lacked large warehouses to store rice paddy and

Bangladesh gets lowest offer of \$427.85.T in rice import tender

Domestic News : 24/May/2017

Bangladesh - May 22 Bangladesh received the lowest offer of \$427.85 a tonne from Dubai-based Sukhbir Agro Energy Ltd in a tender to import 50,000 tonnes of parboiled rice, officials at the state grains buyer said on Monday.

The state agency, Directorate General of Food, came up with its first tender for rice since 2011 as local rice prices hit a record high, and state reserves are at a six-year low. (Reporting by Ruma Paul; Editing by Sherry Jacob-Phillips). <u>Read more</u>

VIETNAM EXPANDS RICE EX-PORT TO EUROPE

REAP NEWS : 22/May/2017

Vietnam - HANOI, May 22 (Bernama) -- Up to 100,000 tonnes of Vietnamese rice will be shipped to the European Union each year tax-free in 2018 following the Vietnam-EU Free Trade Agreement, helping local rice exporters penetrate the market, Vietnam News Agency (VNA) reported. However, it remains to be seen if Vietnamese businesses can take advantage of this opportunity as the EU has strict technical barriers, according to Lam Tuan Anh, Director of Thinh Phat Ltd Co.

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Philippines extends rice import quota for 3 years

ABS CBN NEWS : 22/May/2017

Philippines - MANILA – The Philippines has decided to extend for three more years its quantitative restriction (QR) for rice, a measure that can benefit local farmers, according to a government document released Monday.

President Rodrigo Duterte signed Executive Order 23, which adopts the recommendation of the National Economic Development Authority (NEDA) to extend the reduction of duties on certain agricultural products. <u>Read more</u>



release the grain when market prices were high. "The longest time we can keep our stocks is three to four months and after that it gets spoilt," he adde <u>Read more</u>

Cambodia's milled rice exports were close to 170,000 tonnes in the first three months of this year. KT/Chor Sokunthea

Thailand to clear government stock rice for sales

XINHUA : 29/May/2017

Thailand - Thai government will clear all of the rice stockpile, some 5 million tons to increase rice prices for the long term, Thai Prime Minister Prayut Chan-o-cha said on Monday.

Delivering a speech during Thailand Rice Convention 2017, Prayut said some 13 million of a total 18 million tons of rice in government stock has been released to the markets, securing some 112 billion baht (3.29 billion U.S. dollars) in sales over the last two to three years. <u>Read more</u>

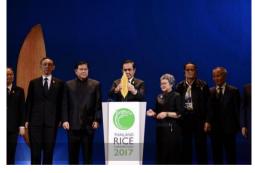


Demand Surge to increase rice price

Bangkok Posts: 30/May/2017

Thailand - World rice prices are expected to rise by US\$20 (682 baht) a tonne over the next three months, driven by a sharp surge in global rice demand, according to experts. Global rice supply is now quite tight, while Thailand's previously hefty state rice stocks have eased, releasing pressure on global rice prices, Jeremy Zwinger, chief executive of the Rice Trader, said at the "World Rice Trade Outlook" seminar of Thailand Rice Convention 2017, held in Bangkok yesterday. Purchase interest is also expected to increase on a continuous basis from China, Africa and the Philippines, he said.

"We have now gone from a buyer's market to a seller's market," Mr Zwinger said. "The power is shifting back to the origin." The Thai government now controls 4.32 million tonnes of state rice stocks and aims to dispose of it all by September this year, given rising rice demand. Read more



Inquiry on rice buffer stock sought

Vietnam's 5 pct broken rice average hits \$390/tonne, highest since Dec 2014

Domestic News : 1/June/2017

Vietnam - AVietnam's 5 percent broken rice average price hit \$390 a tonne, its highest level since December 2014, on Thursday on expected stronger demand from foreign importers, traders said.

The rise came after Bangladesh said it would buy 250,000-300,000 tonnes of Vietnamese rice immediately and increase rice imports from Vietnam to 500,000 tonnes by end-2017.

The Philippines also said it would issue a tender to import rice from key suppliers Thailand and Vietnam and possibly India. <u>Read more</u>

NFA gets OK to import 250,000 MT of rice via government-to-private sector scheme

Businese Mirror : 31/May/2017

The interagency National Food Authority Council (NFAC) has approved the recommendation of the National Food Security Committee (NFSC) to allow the NFA to import 250,000 metric tons (MT) of rice, according to an official of the food agency.

NFA Spokesman Marietta Ablaza told the Business-Mirror that the NFAC approved the NFSC's recommendation to import the volume via the government-to-private sector (G2P) scheme. <u>Read more</u>



Bottlenecks in rice production chain affecting market share

Vietnam.net : 02/June/2017

Vietnam - According to IPSARD, the first bottleneck is related to supply. Two-thirds of the rice surplus is in the hands of 20 percent of the biggest farmers – producers with an average cultivated area of 2.74 hectares.

Of 9 million households that grow rice, rice productivity from the biggest 300,000 households accounts for the large proportion of rice exports.

The 'bulge' in the rice value chain is processing. While rice cultivation depends on a number of large households, the processing is carried out at over 300,000 factories, most of which are small scale. <u>Read more</u>



Vietnam rice export back on track

The Saigon Time : 02/June/2017

Vietnam - Vietnam exported 2.3 million tons of rice worth US\$1 billion in the first five months of the year, up 1.6% in volume and 1.2% in value year-on-year.

China remained Vietnam's largest rice importer, accounting for 47.5% of the nation's total rice exports. More than 815,000 tons of rice costing over US\$376 million went to the northern neighbor in January-April, up 16.1% and 16.2% against the same period last year respectively.

Vietnam shipped 4.89 million tons of rice valued at US\$2.1 billion in all of 2016, a respective decrease of 25.54% and 20.57% against 2015. <u>Read more</u>



Price of Thai rice reaches 425 USD per tonne on global market

Talk Vietname : 31/May/2017

Thailand - The Thai Rice Exporters Association has revealed that the price of Thai rice has reached 425 USD per tonne, due to the decreasing supply of rice on the global market.

Honorary President of Thai Rice Export Association, Chukiat Opaswong said on May 30 that prices of rice worldwide have been increasing as global rice supplies are declining.

Thailand has been able to raise the price from 365 dollars to 425 dollars per ton over the past two months. Read more



Heavy rains affect rice fields in northeast

Battaya Mail : 01/June/2017

Thailand - Authorities in many northeastern provinces have had t provide assistance to residents and farmers as flash floods have inundated homes and crop plantations.

In Si Sa Ket province, at least 20,000 rai of rice paddies have been flooded after continuous rainfall. People have been told to ready themselves for an evacuation as soon as the embankments begin to overflow. A rescue unit is now on standby in the event of an emergency. <u>Read more</u>

Experts suggest increase in rice production by sustainable practices

THE NATION : 24/May/2017

Philippines - The global rice production is likely to fall in coming years due to climate change and its impacts, so it is a high time for Pakistan to avail benefit from the upcoming demand by increasing its rice production through sustainable practices.

These views were expressed by the participants of the first Sustainable Rice Platform National Stakeholder Dialogue held here on Tuesday. <u>Read more</u> The Philippine Stars : 28/May/2017

Philippines - An administration lawmaker wants the House of Representatives to conduct an inquiry on the "true state" of rice buffer stock or inventory in warehouses following the government's plan to import the staple.

Under House Resolution 993, Camarines Sur Rep. L-Ray Villafuerte said the inquiry in aid of legislation is important to ensure adequate and affordable rice supply during the traditional lean months. <u>Read more</u>



Asia Rice-Importer demand pushes prices, Vietnam hits near 2.5-yr high

Kitco News : 01/June/2017

Vietnam - Strong demand from top importing countries has led to a spurt in Asian rice prices, with the grain being quoted at its highest in nearly two and a half years in Vietnam and touching almost a year-high in Thailand, traders said on Thursday.

Vietnam's 5-percent broken rice was quoted at a level unseen since December 2014, at \$390 a tonne, FOB Saigon, up from \$360-\$380 last week, as suppliers looked forward to export deals, traders said.

"People expect prices to rise to \$400 and even more, so they don't want to sell now. Traders want to wait and see," said a trader based in Ho Chi Minh City. <u>Read more</u>



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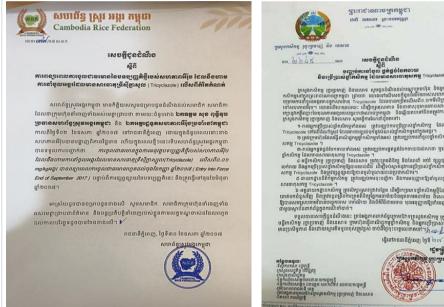


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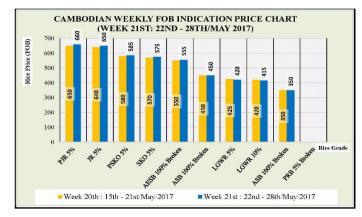
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FOB PRICE (Update: Week 21st : 22nd - 28th/May/2017)

No	Rice Variety	Abbreviation	FOB (USD Per Ton)	
I.	Cambodian Long Grain Fragrant			
1	Premium Jasmine Rice 5% (Purity 90%)	PJR 5%	\$	660
2	Jasmine Rice 5% (Purity 85%)	JR 5%	\$	650
3	Premium Sen Kra-Ob 5% (Purity 90%)	PSKO 5%	\$	585
4	Sen Kra-Ob 5% (Purity 85%)	SKO 5%	\$	575
5	A1 Extra Super 100% Broken (Fragrant)	AESB 100% Broken	\$	555
6	A1 Super 100% Broken (Fragrant)	ASB 100% Broken	\$	450
II.	Cambodian Long Grain White Rice			
7	Long Grain White Rice 5%	LGWR 5%	S	420
8	Long Grain White Rice 10%	LGWR 10%	S	415
9	A1 Super 100% Broken (LGWR)	ASB 100% Broken	S	350
Ш.	Cambodian Parboiled Rice			
10	Parboiled Rice 5% Broken	PRB 5% Broken	S	2







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