



## NEWS BRIEFING

### Myanmar to adopt genomic rice breeding practices with JICA support

Myanmar Time : 06/February/2018

**Myanmar** - Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) and Myanmar's agricultural research department are set to implement a genomic rice breeding initiative.

In the five-year span, research institutions in both countries will carry out joint activities to create promising rice lines suitable to rain-fed lowlands and uplands, as well as to enhance Myanmar's existing breeding method. On the Japanese side, the agriculture faculty at Kyushu University and the bioscience and biotechnology centre at Nagoya University are involved.

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### Rice storage facilities ready next month

Khmer Times : 01/February/2018

**Cambodia** - The government has disbursed more than \$30 million in loans to build silos, depots and warehouses in four rice-growing provinces - Battambang, Kampong Thom, Prey Veng and Takeo.

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### Ministry of Commerce expects higher prices for rice, fruit this year

Thai Visa News : 06/February/2018

**Thailand** - Thailand's Ministry of Commerce has prepared a strategy for fruits, planning to propose this week or next that the Cabinet supports adding value to Thai fruits and stabilize their price.

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### China urges Cambodia to use yuan in bilateral trade

Reuters : 06/February/2018

**Cambodia** - Cambodia is considering a proposal by China to use the yuan currency instead of the U.S. dollar for bilateral trade, a spokesman for Cambodia's commerce ministry said on Tuesday, the latest sign of strengthening ties between the two countries. [Read more](#)



### Vietnam's rice paddies offer Japan's farmers chance to grow

NIKKEI ASIA : 06/February/2018

**Vietnam** - Takenori Ito, CEO of Ajichi Farm, visited Vietnam almost every month to ensure that strict soil management and other cultivation technologies were being implemented. The company also had Vietnamese managers visit paddy fields in Fukui. [Read more](#)



### Rice export surges 74.2 percent in January

VietnamPlus : 02/February/2018

**Vietnam** - An estimated 524,000 tonnes of rice was exported in January, bringing home 249 million USD, reported the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development. The figures represented rises of 56.5 percent in volume and 74.2 percent in value as compared with the same month in 2017. [Read more](#)



### Bangladesh to scrap planned rice imports from Thailand

Reuters : 01/February/2018

**Bangladesh** - Bangladesh will scrap a plan to import 150,000 tonnes of rice from Thailand, agreed at \$465 a tonne in October, head of the state grains buyer said on Thursday. [Read more](#)

### USDA Raises Thailand Rice Production By 6 percent For MY 2017/18

IIFL : 01/February/2018

**Thailand** - According to the Thai Customs Department, Thai rice exports in 2017 reached a record 11.6 million metric tons. This is an 18 percent increase from 2016 due to the recovery in parboiled rice exports and the sale of government-owned food-quality white and fragrant rice stocks. [Read more](#)



### Vietnam's rice export to enjoy prosperous year in 2018

Vietnam.net : 04/February/2018

**Vietnam** - Vietnam shipped nearly 6 million tones of rice in 2017, up one million tones compared to the year before. Continuing the success, since the beginning of 2018, many enterprises have earned high price orders, helping to increase the domestic rice prices by 30 percent. [Read more](#)

### PH to import 250K tons of rice

Malayasa Business insight : 07/February/2018

**Philippine** - Malacañang has approved the importation of 250,000 metric tons (MT) of rice in a bid to address the shortage in the inventory of the National Food Authority (NFA). Presidential spokesman Harry Roque quoted Cabinet Secretary Leoncio Evasco Jr., head of the NFA Council, on the approval. [Read more](#)



### Indonesia's Bulog signs contracts for 281,000 T of rice imports

KITCO : 07/February/2018

**Indonesia** - The Indonesian government issued a permit in January for 500,000 tonnes of rice imports to improve local supplies and cool prices. \* Bulog was in talks with eight companies for the supply of 346,000 tonnes of grain, for arrival in Indonesia by Feb. 28, after an international tender in January \* However, several suppliers from Pakistan dropped out during price negotiations, Bulog corporate secretary Siti Kuwati said in the statement on Wednesday, citing "time constraints". [Read more](#)

### Retailers to government: Let NFA import rice

Business Mirror : 07/February/2018

**Philippine** - The Philippines must import rice soon to avert spikes in the price of the staple and prevent unscrupulous traders from taking advantage of the diminishing stockpile of the National Food Authority (NFA), local rice retailers said on Wednesday. [Read more](#)



### Who will feed China? 87-year-old rice expert answers the call

NIKKEI : 08/February/2018

**China** - The team developed a new hybrid strain that, last year, yielded 17.2 tons of unhulled rice per hectare. That is nearly triple the average yield for rice in Japan. It even beats the 10-ton average in Australia -- the world leader in rice productivity, thanks to its abundant sunshine and sophisticated irrigation technology. [Read more](#)



### No rice shortage - Piñol

Manila Bulletin : 08/February/2018

**Philippine** - Agriculture Secretary Manny Piñol yesterday belied reports that the country is suffering from a rice shortage and blamed cartels for allegedly "maneuvering" prices in the market. Contrary to reports, there is no shortfall in the rice supply in the country, Secretary Piñol said. "In fact, our stocks are enough for our consumption for the next 96 days." [Read more](#)



### IRAQ SUBMITS TENDER TO BUY 30,000 TONS OF RICE

Cement Iraq : 08/February/2018

**Iraq** - Iraq has launched a global tender to buy at least 30,000 tonnes of rice, European traders said on Thursday. Tender closing date is December 20 Bids must be valid until December 25th, traders said. A new tender was expected after Iraq stopped buying in a previous tender for 30,000 tons of rice that was closed in early December. [Read more](#)



### Rice in Small Amounts Selling Well in Japan

Nippon : 07/February/2018

**Japan** - The marketing strategy of selling rice in small volumes has recently been successful in Japan on the back of a rise in the number of one-person households and small families. [Read more](#)



### Philippines Sees No Urgency to Import Rice Despite Thin Stocks

JakartaGlobe : 08/February/2018

**Philippine** - The Philippines is facing no urgency to import rice despite a fall in stocks at the state grains agency to the lowest level in over two decades, an official at a government panel that decides on imports said on Wednesday (07/02).

The state grains procurement agency, the National Food Authority (NFA), said last month it hoped to import 250,000 tons of rice as soon as possible to replenish thinning stockpiles at one of the world's top rice buyers. [Read more](#)



**Cambodia Rice Certification Mark "MALYS ANGKOR"**

is Cambodia's flagship fragrant rice brand, which will highlight the types of fragrant fragrances that Cambodia produces, crush it for export or distribute in the local market. All use of the brand "MALYS ANGKOR" is a legal guarantee that the rice is a real Cambodian product.



## CRF Activities

### ការនាំចេញអង្ករកើនឡើងជាង ២៨% ក្នុងខែមករា

សហព័ន្ធស្រូវអង្ករកម្ពុជា សូមអបអរសាទរអ្នកនាំចេញអង្ករទាំងអស់ ក៏ដូចជាកសិករកម្ពុជា ចំពោះការកើនឡើងនូវបរិមាណនាំចេញអង្ករទៅកាន់ទីផ្សារ អន្តរជាតិក្នុងខែមករាឆ្នាំ២០១៨។

ទិន្នន័យនាំចេញអង្ករពី លេខាធិការដ្ឋានច្រកចេញចូលតែមួយ សម្រាប់បំពេញបែប បទនាំចេញអង្ករបានបង្ហាញថាការនាំចេញអង្ករទៅកាន់ទីផ្សារអន្តរជាតិមានកំណើន គួរឲ្យកត់សំគាល់ រហូតដល់ ២៨,៣០% ក្នុងខែ មករាឆ្នាំ២០១៨ធៀបនឹងរយៈពេល ដូចគ្នា កាលពីឆ្នាំ២០១៧។

ទិន្នន័យនាំចេញនោះ បានបង្ហាញឲ្យឃើញថា ការនាំចេញនៅក្នុងខែមករាឆ្នាំ ២០១៨ នេះ មានបរិមាណ ៦២,៦២៣ តោន ខណៈការនាំចេញអង្ករកាលពីខែ មករាឆ្នាំ២០១៧ មានបរិមាណ៤៨,៨២០ តោន។



### ការចុះពិនិត្យច្រកល្បែងស្ថិតតាមព្រំដែននៃខេត្តព្រៃវែង

នៅព្រឹកថ្ងៃទី៥ ខែកុម្ភៈ ឆ្នាំ២០១៨ លោកឧកញ៉ា វង្ស ប៊ុនហេង អនុប្រធាន សហព័ន្ធស្រូវអង្ករកម្ពុជា និងជាតំណាងឯកឧត្តមប្រធានសហព័ន្ធស្រូវអង្ករកម្ពុជា និងលោក ឈិត ប៊ុនចន់ សមាជិកក្រុមប្រឹក្សាភិបាល ព្រមទាំងបុគ្គលិកប្រចាំតំបន់ របស់សហព័ន្ធ បានចូលរួមការចុះត្រួតពិនិត្យ ដែលដឹកនាំដោយឯកឧត្តម បាន សុរស័ក្តិ រដ្ឋមន្ត្រីក្រសួងពាណិជ្ជកម្ម តាមច្រកផ្លូវការ និងច្រកល្បែងស្ថិតតាមព្រំដែន នៃខេត្តព្រៃវែង។

គោលបំណងនៃការចុះត្រួតពិនិត្យនេះ គឺដើម្បីស្វែងយល់ពីសកម្មភាពការនាំ ចេញនាំចូលទំនិញនានា និងភាពអសកម្មនានាដែលកើតមានឡើងនៅតាមបណ្តា ច្រកព្រំដែន។



### ការអភិវឌ្ឍន៍ផែនការមេភស្តុភារកម្មនៅកម្ពុជា

លោក យន សុវណ្ណ អនុប្រធានគណៈកម្មាធិការកាត់បន្ថយថ្លៃដើមនៃសហព័ន្ធ ស្រូវអង្ករកម្ពុជា និងមន្ត្រីសម្របសម្រួលសហព័ន្ធ បានអញ្ជើញចូលរួមកិច្ចប្រជុំពិ គ្រោះយោបល់លើកទី២ ស្តីពី ការអភិវឌ្ឍន៍ផែនការមេភស្តុភារកម្មនៅកម្ពុជា (Logistics Master Plan Development in Cambodia) ដែលបានប្រព្រឹត្តទៅនៅ ថ្ងៃទី៥ ខែកុម្ភៈ ឆ្នាំ២០១៨ នៅសណ្ឋាគារ Raffle Hotel LeRoyal ក្រោមអធិបតីភាពឯកឧត្តម ស៊ុន ចាន់ថុល ទេសរដ្ឋមន្ត្រី រដ្ឋមន្ត្រីក្រសួងសាធារណៈ ការនិងដឹកជញ្ជូន។

**គោលបំណងនៃសិក្ខាសាលាគឺ៖**

- ១) បង្ហាញជូននូវព័ត៌មានរបាយការណ៍ចុងក្រោយ ស្តីពី ការរៀបចំផែនការមេភស្តុភារកម្ម
- ២) ពិនិត្យពីសុក្រិតភាពរបស់ធាតុចូលនានាដែលបានមកពីភាគីពាក់ព័ន្ធ



### កិច្ចប្រជុំលើកទី៥ក្នុងអាណត្តិទី២

ថ្ងៃទី០៦ខែកុម្ភៈឆ្នាំ២០១៨នៅការិយាល័យលេខាធិការដ្ឋានសហព័ន្ធស្រូវអង្ករ កម្ពុជា ក្រុមប្រឹក្សាភិបាលចំនួន១៤រូប ក្នុងចំណោម១៧រូប បានចូលរួមកិច្ចប្រជុំក្រុមប្រឹក្សា ភិបាលលើកទី៥ ក្នុងអាណត្តិទី២ នៃសហព័ន្ធស្រូវអង្ករកម្ពុជា ដើម្បីពិនិត្យនិងសម្រេចទៅ លើរបៀបវារៈសំខាន់ៗ ក្រោយការសម្តែងម៉ាកវិញ្ញាតកម្ម កាលពីថ្ងៃទី២២ខែមករាឆ្នាំ ២០១៨នេះ។

របៀបវារៈសំខាន់ៗផ្តោតលើការពិភាក្សាផ្តល់យោបល់និងសម្រេច លើផែនការបន្ទាប់និង គម្រោងថវិកាសម្រាប់ម៉ាកវិញ្ញាតកម្ម «ម្លិះអង្ករ»។



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# STATISTICS

## RICE QUOTES

Week 05th (29/Jan - 04/ Feb / 2018)

UNIT : USD per METRIC TON

I CAMBODIAN RICE WEEKLY FOB INDICATION PRICE			
Cambodian Long Grain Fragrant		Price	(%) Change *
1	Premium Jasmine Rice 5% (Purity 90%)	\$ 870	2.4%
2	Jasmine Rice 5% (Purity 85%)	\$ 850	0.6%
3	Premium Sen Kra-Ob 5% (Purity 90%)	\$ 780	4.0%
4	Sen Kra-Ob 5% (Purity 85%)	\$ 770	4.1%
5	A1 Extra Super 100% Broken (Fragrant)	\$ 540	-4.4%
6	A1 Super 100% Broken (Fragrant)	\$ 455	-1.1%
Cambodian Long Grain White Rice		Price	(%) Change *
7	Long Grain White Rice 5%	\$ 485	7.8%
8	Long Grain White Rice 10%	\$ 480	7.9%
9	A1 Super 100% Broken (LGWR)	\$ 395	-8.1%
Cambodian Parboiled Rice		Price	(%) Change *
10	Parboiled Rice 5% Broken	\$ 530	1.9%

II THAI RICE WEEKLY FOB INDICATION PRICE			
THAI JASMINE RICE		Price	(%) Change *
1	Thai Hom Mali Rice 100% Grade B	\$ 960	-
2	Thai Pathumthani Rice 100% Grade B	\$ 660	-
THAI WHITE RICE		Price	(%) Change *
3	Long Grain White Rice 100% Grade B	\$ 420	-
4	Long Grain White Rice 5% Broken	\$ 405	-
5	A1 Super 100% Broken	\$ 335	-
THAI PARBOILED RICE		Price	(%) Change *
6	Long Grain Parboiled Rice 5% Broken	\$ 430	-

III VIETNAMES RICE WEEKLY FOB INDICATION PRICE			
Vietnamese Long Grain Fragrant		Price	(%) Change *
1	Long Grain White Rice 5% Broken (IR-36)	\$ 415	-
2	Long Grain White Rice 100% Broken	\$ 350	-

IV INDIAN RICE FOB INDICATION PRICE			
Indian Long Grain White Rice		Price	(%) Change *
1	Long Grain White Rice 5% Broken (IR-36)	\$ 395	-
2	Long Grain White Rice 100% Broken	\$ 330	-
Indian Parboiled Rice		Price	(%) Change *
1	Parboiled Rice 5% Broken (IR-36)	\$ 423	-

V PAKISTANI RICE FOB INDICATION PRICE			
Pakistani Long Grain White Rice		Price	(%) Change *
1	Long Grain White Rice 5% Broken (IRRI-6)	\$ 390	-
2	Long Grain White Rice 100% Broken	\$ 327	-
Pakistani Parboiled Rice		Price	(%) Change *
1	Parboiled Rice 5% Broken (IRRI-6)	\$ 437	-

VI USA RICE FOB INDICATION PRICE			
USA Long Grain White Rice		Price	(%) Change *
1	Long Grain White Rice 4%	\$ 585	-

**Note:** (1) FOB (Free On Board) is the price of goods including delivery fee to the nearest port.  
 (2) The Price should base on normal bag (50 KG) and minimum order of 1 container.  
 (3) For Further Information, Please visit our website : [www.crf.org.kh](http://www.crf.org.kh)  
 (4) Data Sources: CRF's Members, [www.ricenewstoday.com](http://www.ricenewstoday.com)  
 (\*) % CHANGE is the comparison of price this week to the price last week