# Tajikistan Weekly Market Situation Update, #15

#### Highlights

- Markets are fully operational and staple food commodities available in all monitored food markets during the reporting week. Some observations from market monitoring are as follows:
  - 1. Most people in the market do not wear masks and social distance is not observed.
  - 2. More unskilled labour workers were observed in the markets as demand for their services is rising due to opening of markets.
- Compared to June 2019, prices remain high, though this week's prices were stable or slightly lower against monthly averages of June 2020.

Wheat flour (first grade)	Rice		Potatoes		Onion	Veg
Prices for wheat flour first grade decreased ranging from 1-4 percent in Khujand, Murghab and Bokhtar while in the remaining monitored markets prices stayed stable compared to previous week. Comparing the current reporting week to the monthly average of June 2020, prices for wheat flour decreased in most monitored markets, ranging from 2-4 percent. Meanwhile, prices remained stable in Gharm.	Rice prices decreased in most monitored markets ranging from 4.3-14.3 percent, while increasing in Dushanbe and Bokhtar market by 3-7 percent. Compared to June 2020 monthly average, prices for rice increased in Bokhtar and Dushanbe markets, ranging from 5.1-7 percent, but decreased in the remaining monitored markets, ranging from 1.1-13 percent.	Bol for prid the prid Col Jur Bol in p per 5.3	rkets in Khorog, Khujand and khtar reported increases in prices potatoes ranging from 9.1-25 rcent, while in Murghab its market ces decreased by 19.2 percent. In e remaining monitored markets ces remained stable. mpared against monthly average of ne 2020, Khorog, Khujand and khtar markets reported an increase prices of potatoes ranging from 4-28 rcent while decreasing by a range of 8-17.1 percent in Dushanbe and irgab.	Khord decre Khuja rangi perce monit rema Comp avera prices in all	ng from <b>5.3-31.3</b> <b>nt.</b> In the other cored markets prices ined stable. bared to the monthly ige of June 2020, s for onions <b>decreased</b> <b>monitored markets</b> in range of <b>2-23.1</b>	Compared to prev remained stable in fluctuations were decreased by the Khujand, while pr and Khujand by 4 Compared with vegetable oil price in the range of 1- and Khujand by 3 and Bokhtar mark range of 1.2-7 Khujand.
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Prices for milk remained stable in most monitored markets, while increase was reported in Khujand and Murghab in the range of 7-10 percent. Decreases in prices for eggs were reported in most monitored markets in the range of 1.1-9 percent, while remaining stable in other markets. Compared to the June 2020 monthly average, prices for eggs decreased in most monitored markets in the range of 1-16.2 percent. Milk increased in price in the range of 2.3-10 percent in Khujand and Murghab markets while decreasing in Khorog and Dushanbe by a range of 1-10 percent.	Compared to the previous week, pri for both mutton and beef were stable most monitored markets. Pri increased for mutton in Khujand by percent and for beef prices increa by a range of 1.1-3 percent in Kho and Murgab. Compared against June 2020 mont averages, prices increased for mut in Khujand market by 1 percent a decreased in Gharm by the sa amount. Beef prices decreased Gharm markets by 1.1 percent w increasing in Khujand, Khorog a Murgab markets in the range of percent.	e in ices 4.3 sed orog thly tton and ame in hile and	Prices for petrol, compared to preveek, increased in Dushanbe by percent, while decreasing in Kh Bokhtar and Khujand ranging from percent. Diesel prices decreased percent in Khujand and Murgab marking while increasing in Bokhtar by 1 per In the remaining markets commodity's price remained stable. Compared to June 2020 more averages, prices for both common decreased in most monitored markets a range of 2.3-6 percent while Dushanbe, Khujand and Bokhtar markets percent and for diesel by a range of percent in Khujand, Dushanbe Murgab markets.	y 5.3 by 6 arkets rcent. this onthly dities ets by le in arkets of 2-6 of 1-9	168 165 162 159 Nonthin average friends Nonthin average friends Nonthin average friends Nonthin average friends average prices of May 202 potatoes, onion, milk, eggs	aring the reporting wee 0. The food commoditie



## Week of 29 June - 01 July 2020

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ange of prices for ten commodities in the five week against the previous weeks and monthly ities included here are wheat flour (first grade), oil, beef, mutton and rice.

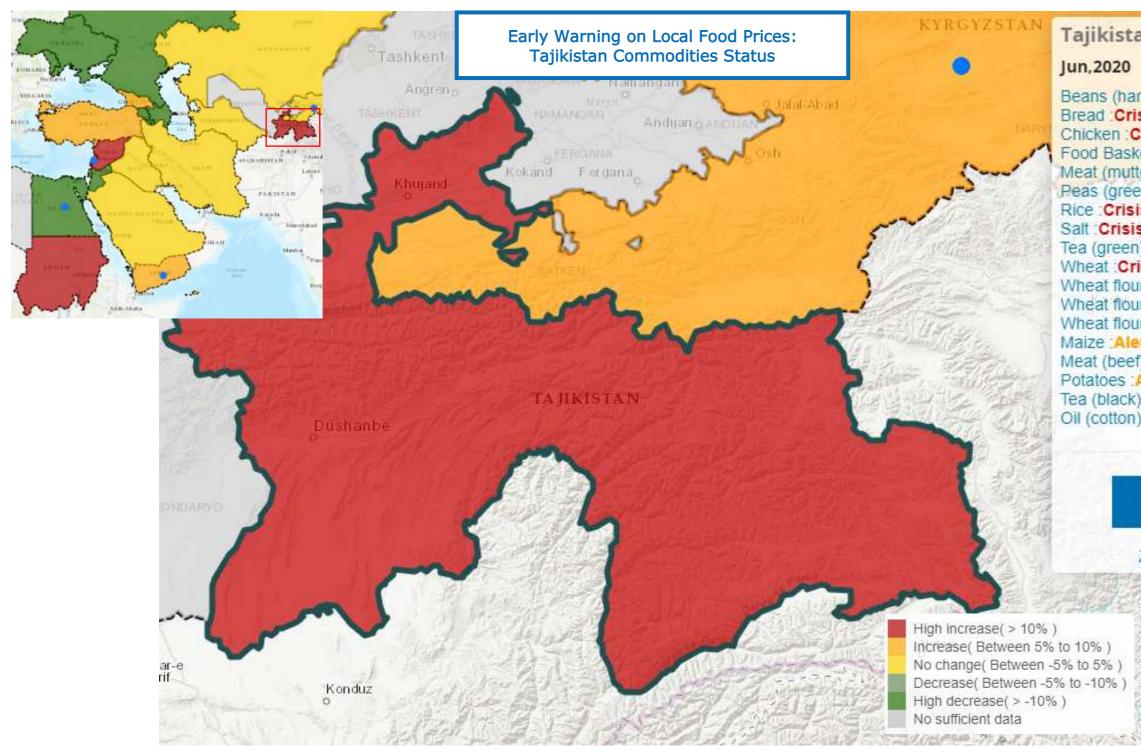
# WEEKLY FOOD MARKET PRICE UPDATE – PERCENT CHANGE BY REGIONAL MARKETS

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Meat (mutton)	45.0	0.0	0.0	18.4	60.0	4.3	0.9	18.6	53.0	0.0	0.0	17.8	49	0.0	0.0	15.5	54.0	0.0	-1.0	17.1	42.0	0.0	1.1	
Meat (beef)	44.5	1.1	0.6	18.9	48.0	0.0	0.5	12.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	9.3	49	0.0	0.0	17.1	49.0	0.0	-1.1	7.8	41.0	2.5	1.9	
Chicken	24.0	0.0	0.0	9.1	23.0	21.1	15.3	-3.2	23.0	0.0	-4.6	2.6	35	0.0	0.0	28.0	22.0	0.0	5.3	18.0	30.0	9.1	3.9	
Vegetable oil	13.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.5	3.8	3.0	-8.5	15.0	0.0	0.0	7.1	12.5	4.2	3.2	-13.0	12.0	0.0	-0.5	-14.3	14.0	-6.7	-4.9	
Cotton oil	14.0	0.0	0.0	7.7	12.8	-1.5	-1.2	2.9	14.0	0.0	0.0	21.7	12	0.0	0.0	-7.0	11.5	0.0	-1.4	-1.8	13.5	-3.6	-6.9	
Potatoes	6.0	9.1	3.8	14.2	5.0	25.0	9.8	71.1	4.7	9.4	28.0	79.3	6	0.0	0.0	121.4	4.0	0.0	-5.3	32.2	7.1	-19.2	-17.1	
Cabbage	3.0	25.0	16.4	-65.3	2.3	12.5	36.8	-6.3	1.6	3.3	-23.8	-45.7	3	0.0	0.0	15.4	1.0	0.0	0.0	-71.0	3.8	0.0	-15.6	
Carrots	2.8	24.4	18.3	-54.0	2.3	-10.0	-3.6	-41.0	2.0	33.3	5.9	-46.9	2.0	0.0	-2.7	-34.5	2.5	19.0	34.7	-52.1	4.0	-5.9	-8.9	
Onion	2.1	23.5	-4.5	-45.0	0.9	-12.5	-19.2	-61.1	1.0	0.0	-23.1	-63.7	2.0	0.0	-1.6	-39.7	0.9	-5.3	-12.0	-61.3	2.8	-31.3	-21.4	
Milk	6.0	0.0	-0.9	22.8	4.0	6.7	9.1	4.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	-25.0	4.0	0.0	-10.0	-14.2	5.5	10.0	2.3	
Eggs	10.0	0.0	-0.6	0.0	7.3	-8.8	-9.4	-5.1	6.8	-2.9	-16.2	-7.5	8.9	-1.1	0.4	-8.9	7.0	0.0	-1.6	-27.1	12.0	-7.7	-9.2	
Sugar	7.5	-3.2	-1.5	-1.8	6.8	1.5	3.3	-5.9	6.4	0.0	-4.2	-5.9	6.5	0.0	0.0	7.1	6.5	0.0	0.0	-5.5	8.8	2.9	-0.9	
Tea black	28.0	0.0	0.0	27.3	35.0	0.0	0.0	-30.0	35.0	-7.9	-7.1	56.5	32.0	0.0	0.0	34.0	40.0	0.0	0.0	16.0	35.0	4.5	1.0	
Tea green	28.0	0.0	0.0	12.0	35.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	36.5	4.3	-2.8	47.6	35.0	0.0	0.0	31.8	40.0	0.0	0.0	30.4	34.0	1.5	0.7	
Rice	10.0	0.0	-1.1	-33.3	11.0	-4.3	-3.9	14.3	10.8	2.9	6.8	4.0	15.5	-13.9	-1.8	47.5	16.0	6.7	5.1	25.8	18.0	-14.3	-12.9	
Wheat flour first grade	5.0	0.0	-0.2	22.0	5.0	-1.0	-0.4	52.7	4.8	-1.0	-1.8	21.5	5.0	0.0	0.0	37.4	4.7	0.0	-1.4	34.1	5.5	-3.5	-2.9	
Salt	1.5	0.0	0.0	-25.0	1.0	-50.0	-35.7	57.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5	0.0	0.0	1.3	0.7	0.0	0.0	-19.0	4.0	0.0	-5.3	
Bread middle size (150 gr.)	4.0	6.7	12.5	16.7	3.0	20.0	8.0	-9.7	1.6	3.3	-12.8	28.6	3.0	0.0	0.0	130.8	2.0	0.0	0.0	42.7	5.0	0.0	0.0	
Dried green peas (mosh)	15.2	1.0	-5.0	32.2	14.0	0.0	-3.1	31.2	16.3	4.8	6.8	25.2	15.0	7.1	7.1	11.7	16.0	0.0	0.0	29.8	18.0	0.0	3.3	
Haricot bean (lobiyo)	17.3	1.8	-2.8	9.8	35.0	0.0	10.1	157.2	17.5	20.7	5.3	19.2	10.0	-33.3	-26.8	16.5	16.0	0.0	-0.7	114.3	13.0	0.0	-1.7	
Chick peas (nakhud)	19.3	1.6	-0.3	-3.6	13.0	-7.1	-0.8	-11.4	13.3	26.2	21.7	-27.1	18.0	0.0	0.3	0.4	15.0	0.0	0.0	6.4	14.0	0.0	0.8	
Petrol	6.5	-2.3	-4.2	-9.5	5.3	-2.8	2.1	-25.6	5.3	-2.9	5.1	-27.7	5.5	0.0	-1.6	-24.7	5.0	5.3	5.6	-33.0	7.0	0.0	-1.6	
Diesel	8.0	0.0	-0.5	-17.1	6.3	0.9	0.9	-22.5	6.5	0.8	-0.6	-20.2	6.5	0.0	-1.7	-20.8	6.2	0.0	1.8	-26.1	8.5	-5.6	8.5	
Anti-bacterial wipes	3.0	0.0	0.0		1.5	0.0	0.0		1.5	-16.7	-18.7		1.5	0.0	0.0		4.0	0.0	0.0		4.0	0.0	-6.5	
Face masks	3.0	-7.7	-1.8		3.0	0.0	0.0		2.5	0.0	-13.6		3.0	0.0	0.0		3.0	0.0	0.0		4.5	-10.0	-8.0	
Hand sanitizer	0.0	0.0	0.0		25.0	-10.0	-5.8		23.0	9.5	0.5		20.0	0.0	0.0		19.0	-5.0	-3.9		25.5	-8.9	-4.4	
Soap	6.0	0.0	0.0		4.0	0.0	0.0		3.3	0.0	0.0		5.0	0.0	0.0		3.5	0.0	0.0		5.5	4.8	-3.9	

Decrease Increase PRICE CHANGE (%)



WFP Tajikistan – Weekly Market Situation Update



Source: WFP Safety Nets Alert Platform; <u>https://snap.vam.wfp.org/index1.php?country=Tajikistan&short=TJ</u>

### About the Update

For the purpose of assessing potential impacts of COVID-19 on the population's food security situation, WFP Tajikistan intensified its weekly price monitoring across the country. The monitoring is conducted twice a week in six major markets including Murghab, Khorog, Khujand, Bokhtar, Gharm, and Dushanbe, and focuses on the main commodities that are consumed by the average population of the country.

For information regarding COVID-19 situation, please access the update through online map at: <u>http://unwfp.maps.arcgis.com/apps/opsdashboard/index.html#/2a8a0d7799684f0bb78f6118a7477f1f</u>

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