Tajikistan Weekly Market Situation Update, #17

Highlights

- Markets are fully operational and staple food commodities are available in all monitored food markets. Some observations from the reporting week 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	Ve			
Prices for wheat flour first grade in most monitored markets prices stayed stable compared to previous week, while prices decreased in Khujand and Gharm by 2 percent. Comparing the current reporting week to the monthly average of June 2020, prices for wheat flour decreased in most monitored markets, ranging from 1-4 percent. Meanwhile, prices increased in Khorog by 1.3 percent.	Rice prices in most monitored markets stayed stable, while increasing in Bokhtar market by 7 percent and decreasing by 3 percent in Dushanbe. Compared to June 2020 monthly average, prices for rice increased in Khujand, Bokhtar and Dushanbe markets, ranging from 2-15 percent, but decreased in the remaining monitored markets, ranging from 1-23 percent.	in wh Mu rar rer rer Cou Jur Mu of wh	arkets in Khorog reported increases prices for potatoes by 2 percent, iile in Bokhtar, Khujand and arghab, market prices decreased nging from 1-8 percent. In the maining monitored markets prices mained stable. mpared against monthly average of the 2020, Khujand, Dushanbe and arghab reported decreases in prices potatoes ranging from 5-8 percent iile increasing by 0.4-24 percent in orog and Bokhtar.	stable previou decreas Khujan market 25 perc Compa average prices f in all m	red markets stayed compared to is week, while ses were reported in d and Gharm s ranging from 20-	Compared to p remained stable increased by th Khujand yet de percent. Cotton Increases were p ranging from 0.4 in Dushanbe and Compared with vegetable oil pr Murghab in the Khorog by 3 per Khujand. Prices percent in Dush Khorog, Gharm			
Milk & Eggs	Meat Beef & Mutton		Petrol & Diesel			PLE FOOD COMM			
Prices for milk remained stable in most monitored markets, while an increase was reported in Murghab by 20 percent. Increases in prices for eggs were reported in Khujand, Bokhtar and Murghab markets in the range of 3-11 percent, while remaining stable in the rest of the monitored markets. Compared to the June 2020 monthly averages, prices for milk decreased in Khorog and Dushanbe in the range of 1-10 percent yet increased from 9-11 percent in Khujand and Murghab. Prices for eggs decreased in most monitored markets from 1- 10 percent, but increased in Khujand and Murghab, ranging 3-4 percent.	Compared to the previous week, pr for both mutton and beef were stab most monitored markets. In Murgh prices increased for beef by 2 per but decreased for mutton by 1 perc Compared to June 2020 mon averages, prices increased for mu in Khujand and Murghab markets to percent and decreased in Dushanbe the same amount. Beef pr decreased in Dushanbe market b percent while increasing in Khuja Khorog and Murghab markets in range of 0.5-6 percent. Remain monitored markets prices for to commodities remained stable.	le in hab, cent ent. thly tton by 1 e by rices yy 1 and, the ning	Prices for petrol, compared to week, increased in Dushanbe, Murg Bokhtar by the range of 5-12 percent decreasing Khujand by 2 percent prices increased in Khujand, Bokh Murghab ranging from 1-6 percent remaining markets diesel prices re- stable. Compared to June 2020 monthly as prices for petrol decreased in Kho Gharm by a range of 2-5 percent Dushanbe, Murgab, Khujand and markets petrol prices increased by of 1-7 percent. Diesel prices increase range of 0.2-10 percent in k Bokhtar, Dushanbe and Murghab r Decreases for diesel were report	hab and nt, while :. Diesel ntar and t. In the emained verages, orog and while in Bokhtar a range sed by a Khujand, markets. orted in	168 ig 165 y 162 159 Month ^W in ²⁰ on 2 Month ^W in ²⁰ on 2 Month ^W in ²⁰ on 2 Month ^W in ²⁰ on 2 This graph analyses the monitored markets, com average prices of June 20 potatoes, onion, milk, eg	paring the reporting v D20. The food commodi			

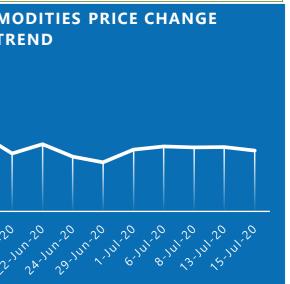


Week of 13 - 17 July 2020

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

WEEKLY FOOD MARKET PRICE UPDATE – PERCENT CHANGE BY REGIONAL MARKETS

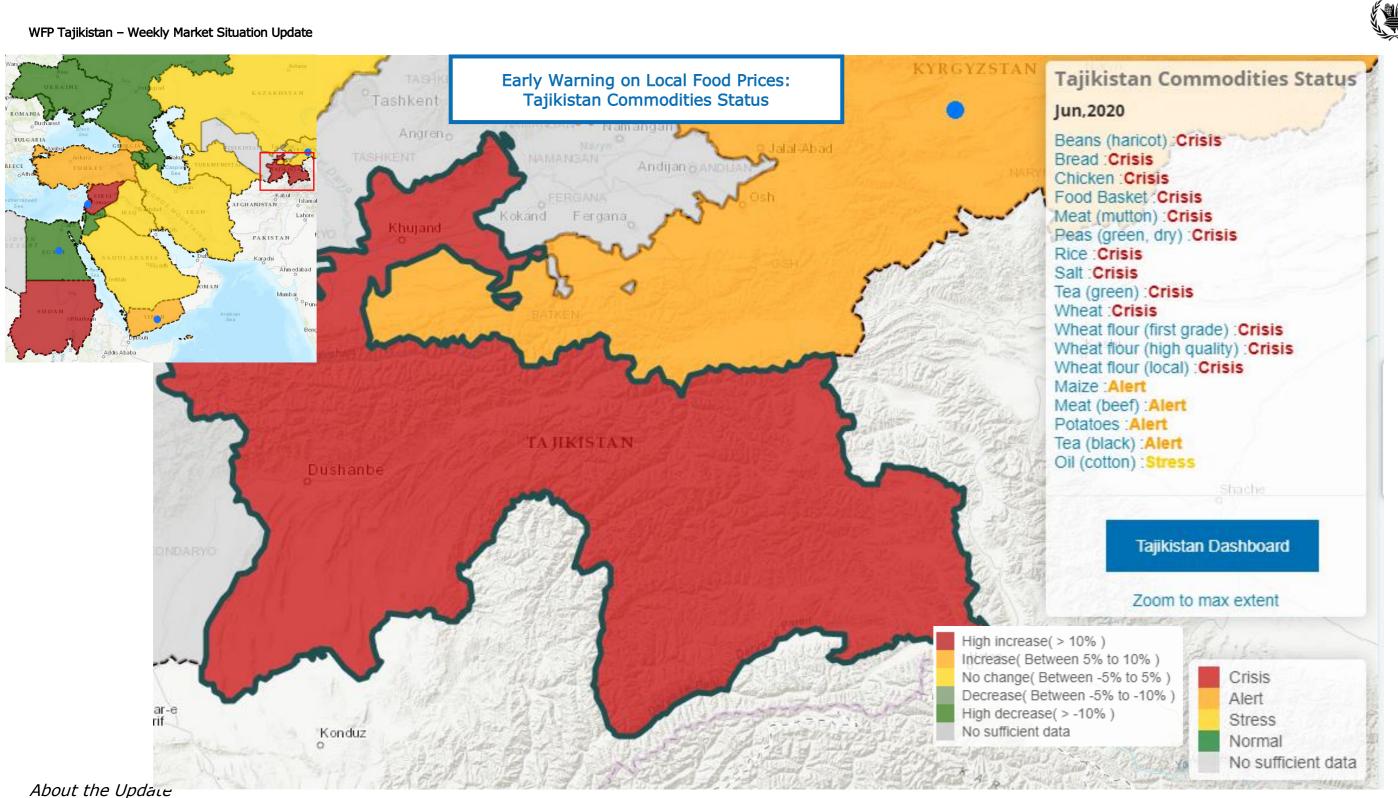
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Meat (mutton)	45.0	0.0	0.0	18.4	60.0	0.0	0.9	18.6	53.0	0.0	0.0	17.8	49	0.0	0.0	15.5	54.0	0.0	-1.0	17.1	42.0	-1.2	1.1	
Meat (beef)	45.0	0.0	1.8	18.9	48.0	0.0	0.5	12.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	9.3	49	0.0	0.0	17.1	49.0	0.0	-1.1	7.8	43.0	2.4	6.6	
Chicken	24.0	0.0	0.0	9.1	18.5	-19.6	-4.3	-3.2	23.3	1.3	-3.4	2.6	35	0.0	0.0	28.0	23.0	0.0	9.5	18.0	29.0	1.8	0.9	
Vegetable oil	13.5	0.0	3.0	0.0	13.0	2.0	0.0	-8.5	15.0	0.0	0.0	7.1	12.0	0.0	-0.9	-13.0	12.0	-2.0	-0.5	-14.3	14.0	7.7	-5.6	
Cotton oil	14.3	0.0	1.7	7.7	12.8	0.4	-1.2	2.9	14.0	-2.1	0.0	21.7	13	8.3	6.4	-7.0	11.5	-2.1	-1.4	-1.8	15.0	7.1	2.7	
Potatoes	5.8	1.8	0.4	14.2	4.2	-1.2	-7.1	71.1	4.5	-3.2	23.9	79.3	6	0.0	0.0	121.4	4.0	0.0	-5.3	32.2	7.1	-8.3	-13.2	
Cabbage	3.1	3.3	19.2	-65.3	2.5	-9.1	52.0	-6.3	2.6	67.7	27.9	-45.7	3	0.0	0.0	15.4	1.5	0.0	50.0	-71.0	5.0	17.6	9.8	
Carrots	2.8	0.0	16.1	-54.0	2.5	6.4	7.1	-41.0	2.3	15.0	21.8	-46.9	2.5	0.0	15.4	-34.5	2.5	0.0	34.7	-52.1	4.0	0.0	-8.9	
Onion	2.2	0.0	0.0	-45.0	0.8	-25.0	-30.8	-61.1	1.0	0.0	-23.1	-63.7	2.0	-20.0	-1.6	-39.7	0.8	0.0	-20.9	-61.3	3.0	0.0	-15.6	
Milk	6.0	0.0	-0.9	22.8	4.0	0.0	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	6.0	20.0	11.6	
Eggs	10.0	0.0	-0.6	0.0	8.5	3.0	3.4	-5.1	7.6	11.8	-6.3	-7.5	8.0	0.0	-9.8	-8.9	7.0	0.0	-1.6	-27.1	14.0	3.7	4.1	
Sugar	7.5	0.0	-1.5	-1.8	6.5	0.0	-0.5	-5.9	6.5	1.6	-2.7	-5.9	6.5	0.0	0.0	7.1	6.5	1.3	0.0	-5.5	8.0	0.0	-9.4	
Tea black	30.5	0.0	6.8	27.3	35.0	0.0	0.0	-30.0	46.0	31.4	22.1	56.5	32.0	0.0	0.0	34.0	40.0	1.3	0.0	16.0	34.0	0.0	-1.6	
Tea green	29.0	0.0	2.8	12.0	35.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	39.0	6.8	3.8	47.6	35.0	0.0	0.0	31.8	40.0	1.3	0.0	30.4	35.0	4.5	2.9	
Rice	10.0	0.0	-1.1	-33.3	12.0	0.0	3.8	14.3	11.6	7.4	14.7	4.0	13.0	0.0	-17.6	47.5	15.5	-3.1	2.2	25.8	16.0	0.0	-22.6	
Wheat flour first grade	5.1	0.0	1.3	22.0	4.8	-2.0	-4.6	52.7	4.8	0.0	-1.8	21.5	4.8	-2.0	-3.1	37.4	4.7	0.0	-1.4	34.1	5.6	0.0	-1.4	
Salt	1.5	0.0	0.0	-25.0	1.0	0.0	-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	0.0	12.5	16.7	3.0	9.1	8.0	-9.7	2.1	35.5	18.1	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)	15.5	0.0	-3.1	32.2	14.0	0.0	-3.1	31.2	16.4	0.6	7.4	25.2	13.0	0.0	-4.1	11.7	16.0	-3.0	0.0	29.8	17.5	-2.8	0.8	
Haricot bean (lobiyo)	18.0	0.0	0.6	9.8	30.0	-7.7	-2.2	157.2	16.0	-8.6	-3.8	19.2	15.0	0.0	9.8	16.5	16.0	0.0	-0.7	114.3	13.5	3.8	1.7	
Chickpeas (nakhud)	19.4	0.0	0.5	-3.6	12.0	-7.7	-6.9	-11.4	13.3	0.4	22.1	-27.1	18.0	16.1	0.3	0.4	15.0	-3.2	0.0	6.4	14.0	0.0	0.8	
Petrol	6.4	0.0	-5.0	-9.5	5.2	-1.9	1.1	-25.6	5.4	11.8	7.0	-27.7	5.5	0.0	-1.6	-24.7	5.0	0.0	6.6	-33.0	7.5	7.1	4.7	
Diesel	8.0	0.0	-0.5	-17.1	6.4	2.1	2.1	-22.5	6.5	0.8	0.2	-20.2	6.5	0.0	-1.7	-20.8	6.2	0.0	1.8	-26.1	9.5	5.6	9.5	
Anti-bacterial wipes	3.0	0.0	0.0		1.5	0.0	0.0		1.5	0.0	-18.7		1.5	0.0	0.0		4.0	0.0	0.0		4.0	0.0	-6.5	
Face masks	2.8	0.0	-7.0		3.0	-7.7	0.0		2.5	0.0	-13.6		3.0	0.0	0.0		3.0	0.0	0.0		4.0	0.0	-18.2	
Hand sanitizer	0.0	0.0	0.0		25.0	-9.1	-21.1		0.0	-100.0	-100.0		20.0	0.0	0.0		19.0	0.0	-3.9		28.0	0.0	2.9	
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		4.0	14.3	12.5		6.0	20.0	3.8	

Decrease Increase

PRICE CHANGE (%)



WFP Tajikistan - Weekly Market Situation Update



About the Updace

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>