

National Authority for Combating Drugs



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Situation of drug trafficking

- Cambodia is still facing the effect of drugs transiting from the Golden Triangle to the country via- land and water from the border between Cambodia and Lao PDR such as, ATS, Heroin, and ICE.
- Some drug like ATS are used by local drug users and the rest are smuggled overseas.
- Drug traffickers continue to use border provinces with Lao PDR to traffic illicit drugs into Cambodia and transit to neighboring countries.

- Drug trafficker attempted to use Cambodia as production of crystal meth and retableting site.
- Cambodia is not chemical producing country, but recently criminals try to use Cambodia to produce ATS
- In 2009, Clan labs were discovered in the city and provinces.
- Crystal Meth. more popular among youth and more available on the street level.

On March 21, 2009 discovered precursor production site in Kompong Cham province



House that stored Ephedra grass



Ephedra grass was refined on the field

Dry Ephedra that can be produced Pseudo-ephedrine by refinery



Ephedra plant were imported from the North of China



Precursor in liquid form for
mixing in the oil refinery
(2 barrels x 24 liters = 48 liters)



Pan for boiling water



**Hot water used to mix with
Ephedra grass**

Ephedra grass was cut into small pieces before mixing with hot water





Ephedra grass were keep in the farm by offenders
after being refined
(15 sacks x 33 kg=495kg)

Chemicals seized:

- 3 jars (one of those is soaking Ephedra grass).
- Ephedra grass which imported from China
(23 sacks x 75kg =1725kg)
- Liquid barrels (2 barrels x 24 liters = 48 liters)
- Chopped Ephedra (4 sacks x 33 kg = 132 kg)
- Soaked Ephedra (15 sacks x 33 kg = 495 kg)
- Male Palm Flower (one sacks = 8.50kg)
- Sodium Hydroxide-NAOH (3.50kg)

On March 22,2009 Ephedra plants were dismantled in the Phnom Penh



Ephedra plants
that can be
produce Pseudo-
ephedrine



Tools and chemicals used for mixing Ephedra plants



On March 22, 2009 Precursors were dismantled in the Phnom Penh







White powder 4kg



Black coal 1 barrel

Chemical with various trademarks



Tools and equipments for producing precursors



Laboratory discovery in Sihanuk ville on 10 June 2009



14 types of precursors (270kg) and others producing tools





Precursor seized:

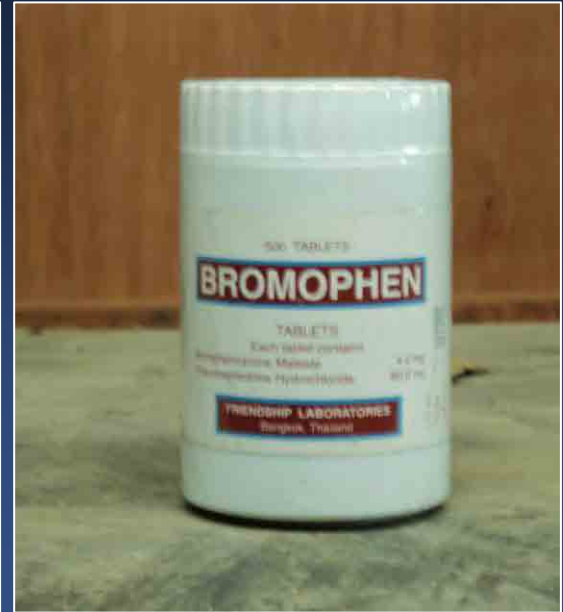
- Acetone 4bottles=57.2 kg
- liquid mixture 2bottles = 15kg
- Ephedrine 0.5kg
- liquid mixture (pink) 1bottles = 16.5 kg
- Powder mixture (black and brown) 1barrel = 17kg
- Acide sulfurique 9 bottles
- Acide hydrochloride 24 bottles
- Sodium Chlorea 6.5 kg
- Sodium Hydroxide 34.7kg
- Iyodine
- Toluene 0.5 mg

Laboratory discovery in Phnom Penh on 04 June 2009



Tools and chemicals were seized at the site







Precursor seized:

- Pseudo-ephedrine(in tablet form) with trademark as below:
 - Hiscifed
 - Decon 42
 - Pharfed
 - Policold
 - Rhinorest
 - Sodophrine
 - Colidin
 - Bromophen
- liquid chemicals (3 types)
 - Sulfuric acid
 - Phosphoric
 - Hydrochloric
- other chemicals (Activated Carbon, Alumium Foil, Sodium Sulphate, Sodium Hydroxide, Sodium Chloride)

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