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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 (Meth tablets and ICE) and Heroin.
- Some drugs like ATS are used by local drug users and the rest are smuggled to overseas.
- Drug traffickers continue to use border provinces of Cambodia with the Lao PDR for illicit drugs trafficking into Cambodia and transporting to neighboring countries.
• Drug trafficker attempted to use Cambodia as a production place for crystal meth and re-tabletting site.

• Cambodia is not chemical producing country, but recently criminals try to divert or smuggle of chemical precursors from abroad come into Cambodia for producing ATS.

• In 2009, Clandestine labs were discovered in sequence even the city and provinces.

• Crystal Meth become more popular use among youth and more available on the street.
General situation of ATS using

- Methamphetamine: 70%
- Heroin: 15%
- Other drugs: 15%
Smuggling routes
TOC group involvement in ATS trafficking

- West African trade Cocaine and heroin
- Chinese group (Taiwan island)
Drug trafficker attempted to use Cambodia as production of crystal meth and re-tableting site.

Case KP147 in Kompong Speu province, seized on 01/April/2007

Precursor seized:

- Pseudo ephedrine
- Thyionyl chloride
- Acetone
- Charcoal (Activated carbon)
- Toluen
- Ethyethe
- Potassium Hydroxide
- Aparatus
Case KP147 in Kompong Speu province, seized on 01/April/2007
Case KPT2139 in Kompong Cham, seized on 21/March/2009

Precursor seized:
- Ephedra dry plant
- Choridric Acid
- Sulfuric Acid
- Phosphorus Acid
- Toluen
- Apparatus
- Red phosphorus
- Sulfuric Acid
- Chloridric Acid
- Phosphorus Acid
- Pseudo-ephedrine mixed
Ephedra plant were imported from the North of China
Case PK469 in Phnom Penh, seized on 04/June/2009

Precursor seized:
- Iodin 200 kg
- Sulfuric Acid
- Chloridric Acid
- Toluen
- Phosphorus Acid
- Apparatus
Tools and chemicals were seized at the site
5. Purity level of ATS drugs

-ATS were imported from the North and North East of the country with the purity between 75% to 83% for exporting to the third countries.

- For domestic use:
  1- Meth tablets with the purity between 15% to 28%
  2- Re-tableting Meth tablets with the purity lower than 8%
  3- ICE with the purity between 75% to 83%
  4- ICE mixed with other ingredients such as Aluminum Sulphate, crystal sugar etc,
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Methamphetamine pill and Ecstasy seized in Cambodia 2007-2009
ICE and Heroin seized in Cambodia 2007-2009 (in gram)
Cocaine seized in Cambodia 2008-2009 (in gram)

- 2008: 150 gram
- 2009: 995 gram
Activities which focus on reducing ATS threats:

- National Master plan on drug control 2010-2013
- Competitive plan against drugs
- Data collection of drug users in Cambodia
- Building the national rehabilitation centers
- Amendment on drug control law
- Cooperation with UNODC to launch the project on community based treatment
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