# CURRENCY GUIDE









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Cambodian Riel (KHR)

Everything that you need to check if the currency you are getting is real.

### Cambodian Riel (KHR)

Notes in circulation: 50 %, 100 %, 200 %, 500 %, 1,000 %, 2,000 %, 5,000 %, 100,000 %

Coins in circulation: 50 \{100 \{7, 200 \{7, 500 \{8}, 500 \}8, 500 \}

# Beware of different sizes of Cambodian notes – it does not indicate counterfeit money!

The Cambodian Riel bills are not really all of the same length. The smallest denomination exchanged in everyday transactions is the 100 Riel bill. It has the shortest length among the bills that are commonly used. The 500 Riel bill is slightly longer than the 100 Riel bill but still shorter compared to the rest of the bills of higher denominations. Recently (Year 2013), a new 1,000 Riel was issued by the Cambodian government. It shows the image of the King Father Norodom Sihanouk. The old 1,000 Riel bill, showing the spires of Angkor Wat, is shorter than the new 1,000 Riel bill.

1. Use these links to compare the currency you have with the images of the authentic KHR notes and the placement of all the security features.

Cambodian banknotes in circulation:

http://www.nbc.org.kh/english/about\_the\_bank/banknotes\_in\_circulation.php

New 100 and 500 notes issued by the National Bank of Cambodia

http://www.stevenbron.nl/2015/01/17/cambodia-issues-new-notes-of-100-and-500-riels

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2. Here are some general references where you can find information about all currencies, their security features and images of their design, in case you would like to find information which is not covered by this guide:

<u>Banknote News</u>: breaking news about international paper & polymer money - http://www.banknotenews.com/

<u>Currency Guide</u>: counterfeit money detection know-how - http://currencyguide.eu

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- 3. What to do if you come across counterfeit currency?\*
- 1. **Do not accept the currency**. Make sure you explore our guide before the exchange and remember the telltale signs of authentic currency.
- 2. If you suspect that the money is counterfeit, after the exchange, **do not use it to make purchases or pass it onto another person**. You would be perpetrating a serious crime.
- 3. **Note down the details** and all the information that you can recall about the person who gave you the money, the date and time of the event and the amount of currency.
- 4. **Report** to the local police, monetary authority or a bank (see contact details below).
- 5. Forward these details with the username of the person, date, place of exchange and the amount exchanged to our community manager at sandra@plainexchange.xyz so that we can identify the perpetrator.

#### National Bank of Cambodia

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• Email: info@nbc.org.kh

\* Please be aware that it is your responsibility to make sure that the money you are offering and accepting is authentic. It is recommended that you read this guide and look at the pictures of authentic notes before the exchange happens. Plain Exchange is unable to exclude the possibility of counterfeit, however we will take every measure to support you and assist you in identification of the user, who offered fake currency, and in the reporting process.