

Country Profile: Cambodia

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Country Resources

Topographic

Series	Publisher	Scale	Years	Sheets
Cambodia 1:50,000 Scale Topographic Maps (DMA L7016)	DMA	1:50,000	1963 - 1994	234
Cambodia 1:100,000 Scale Topographic Maps	JICA	1:100,000	1997 - 2002	83

Geoscientific

Series	Publisher	Scale	Years	Sheets
Cambodia Province Mineral and Geological Maps	CDC	Varies	2009	23

Thematic

Series	Publisher	Scale	Years	Sheets
Cambodia Administrative Province Maps	CDC	Varies	2010 - 2011	24
The World 1:30,000,000 Scale Topographic Map Series 1145 (NGA)	DMA	1:30,000,000		2

Global Census Archive: GIS Census Data

Year	Questions / Answers	ADM Level	Points at ADM	Data Points
1998	14 / 130	4	12,702	1,651,260
2008	19 / 134	4	14,073	1,885,782

Global Resources

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Series	Publisher	Scale	Years	Sheets
Soviet Military City Plans	VTU GSh	Varies	1944 - 2003	3,020
Soviet Military 1:100,000 Scale Topographic Maps	VTU GSh	1:100,000	1947 - 1999	24,897
Soviet Military 1:200,000 Scale Topographic Maps	VTU GSh	1:200,000	1949 - 2009	17,799
Soviet Military 1:500,000 Scale Topographic Maps	VTU GSh	1:500,000	1953 - 1998	3,093

Nautical

Series	Publisher	Scale	Years	Sheets
NGA Nautical Charts POD Certified (All Scales)	NGA	Varies	1943 - 2013	4,517

Aeronautical

Series	Publisher	Scale	Years	Sheets
Joint Operations Graphic (JOG 1501A) 1:250,000 - Aeronautical	DMA	1:250,000	1958 - 2007	4,204
Tactical Pilotage Chart (TPC) 1:500,000 Scale - Aeronautical	DMA	1:500,000	1967 - 2006	598
Operational Navigation Chart (ONC) 1:1,000,000 Scale - Aeronautical	DMA	1:1,000,000	1969 - 2001	243
Jet Navigation Chart (JNC) 1:2,000,000 Scale - Aeronautical	DMA	1:2,000,000	1971 - 1999	117

Geoscientific

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Modern mapping of Cambodia was first carried out by French colonial authorities as part of their Indo-Chinese surveys, with triangulation completed by 1939 and 1:100,000 basic scale mapping published and revised prior to French disengagement in 1955. American aid after independence assisted the development of the national mapping agency, the **Service Géographique Khmer (SGK)** in Phnom Penh. Complete new photogrammetric 1:50,000 scale mapping was prepared, sheets covered 15' quadrangles, and conformed to U.S. **AMS** mapping standards. French 1:100,000 scale coverage was revised and a 1:250,000 scale series was derived from the new 1:50,000 mapping to cover Cambodia in 19 sheets. These series all used the Transverse Mercator projection, Everest ellipsoid, and were published from the **National Geographic Directorate**, Dalat (now **Tong Cuc Dia Chin (TCDC)**, Hanoi).

Soviet military topographic mapping of Cambodia exists at the following scales: 1:1,000,000 (2 sheets, complete coverage, published 1965-1985); 1:500,000 (7 sheets, complete coverage, published 1984-1992); 1:200,000 (39 sheets, complete coverage, published 1979-1983); 1:100,000 (128 sheets, complete coverage, published 1978-1991) and a city (1:10,000) topographic map of Phnom Penh published in 1978. These products are available in print, digital raster and digital vector GIS formats from **East View Geospatial**.

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Geological/Scientific

The best available earth science coverage of the country are the 1:1,500,000 scale geological and minerals sheets published in the **Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP)** *Atlas of mineral resources*. The responsible agency for earth sciences mapping is the **Department of Geology and Mines** in the Ministry of Industry, Mines and Energy.

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Vegetation/Forestry

A vegetation map of the country was published by **Institut Français de Pondichéry (IFP)** in 1971 and depicted land cover prior to the significant deforestation of the war years. In 1996 new mapping depicting the huge changes in the wake of the war was published by French @ct'image in the *Ecocarte* series, and followed by a descriptive memoir a year later. The **Mekong Secretariat** (now **Mekong River Commission Secretariat**) in Bangkok issued a land use map in 1991.

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Tourist/Reference
With the return of stability, following withdrawal of Vietnamese forces in 1991 and democratic elections in 1993, a tourist industry has started to develop and tourist mapping of the country has been published by International Travel Maps (ITM) , the French Institut Géographique National (IGN) and Periplus , the latter also printed with a town map of Phnom Penh.
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