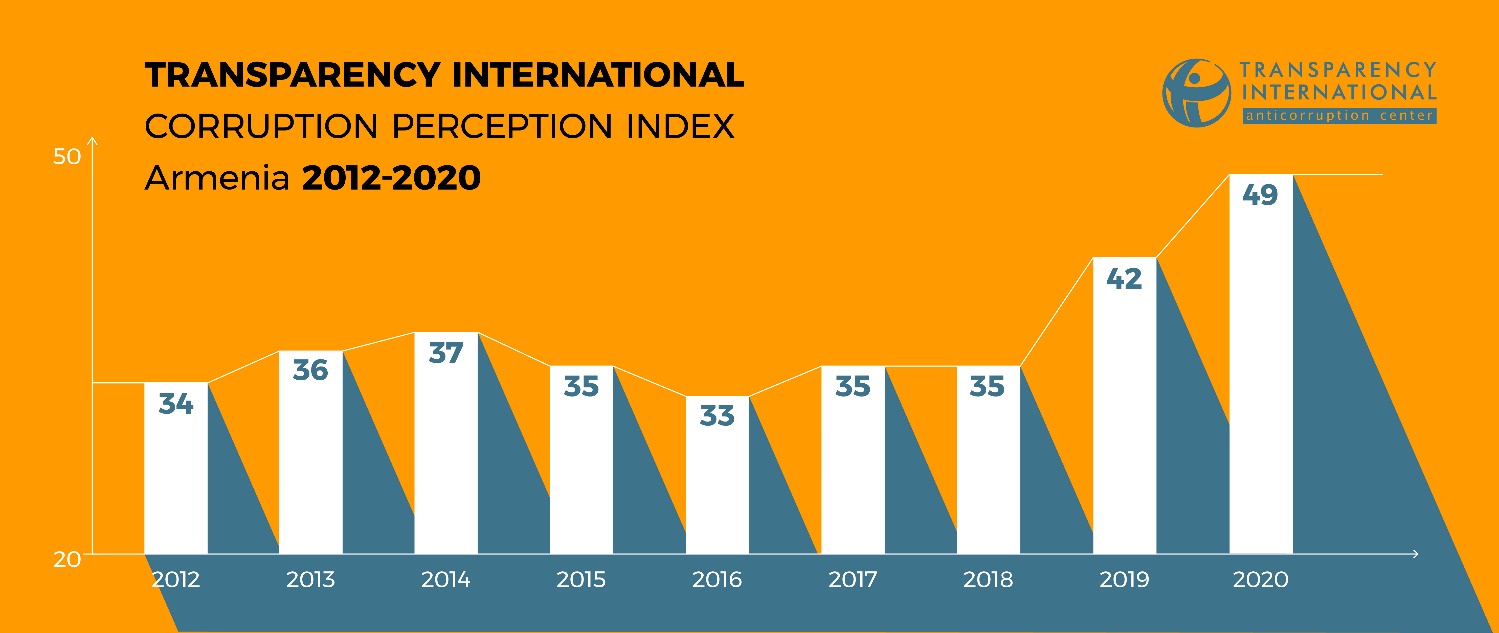
**CPI 2020 Scores for Armenia and Other Countries of the Region**

***Armenia’s*** 2020 CPI score is **49** and its standard error – 3.50. Compared to last year it increased by **7** points and it is the second largest increase in the world after **Maldives**, whose CPI score inceased by 14 points compared to 2019 (from 29 to 43). For data used for the calculation of Armenia’s 2020 CPI see material “**Corruption Perception Index 2020: Full Source Description**”. Figure 1 presents Armenia’s CPI scores from 2012 to 2020.

**Figure 1.**



In the 2020 CPI ranking table Armenia together with **Jordan** and **Slovakia** shares **60-62 places** among **180** countries (in 2019 with CPI score equal to 42 it was sharing **77-79** places among **180** countires).

According to Transparency International’s regional division, Armenia, as before, is included in the ***Eastern Europe – Central Asia*** region. Table 1 shows the 2020 CPI ranking table for that region.

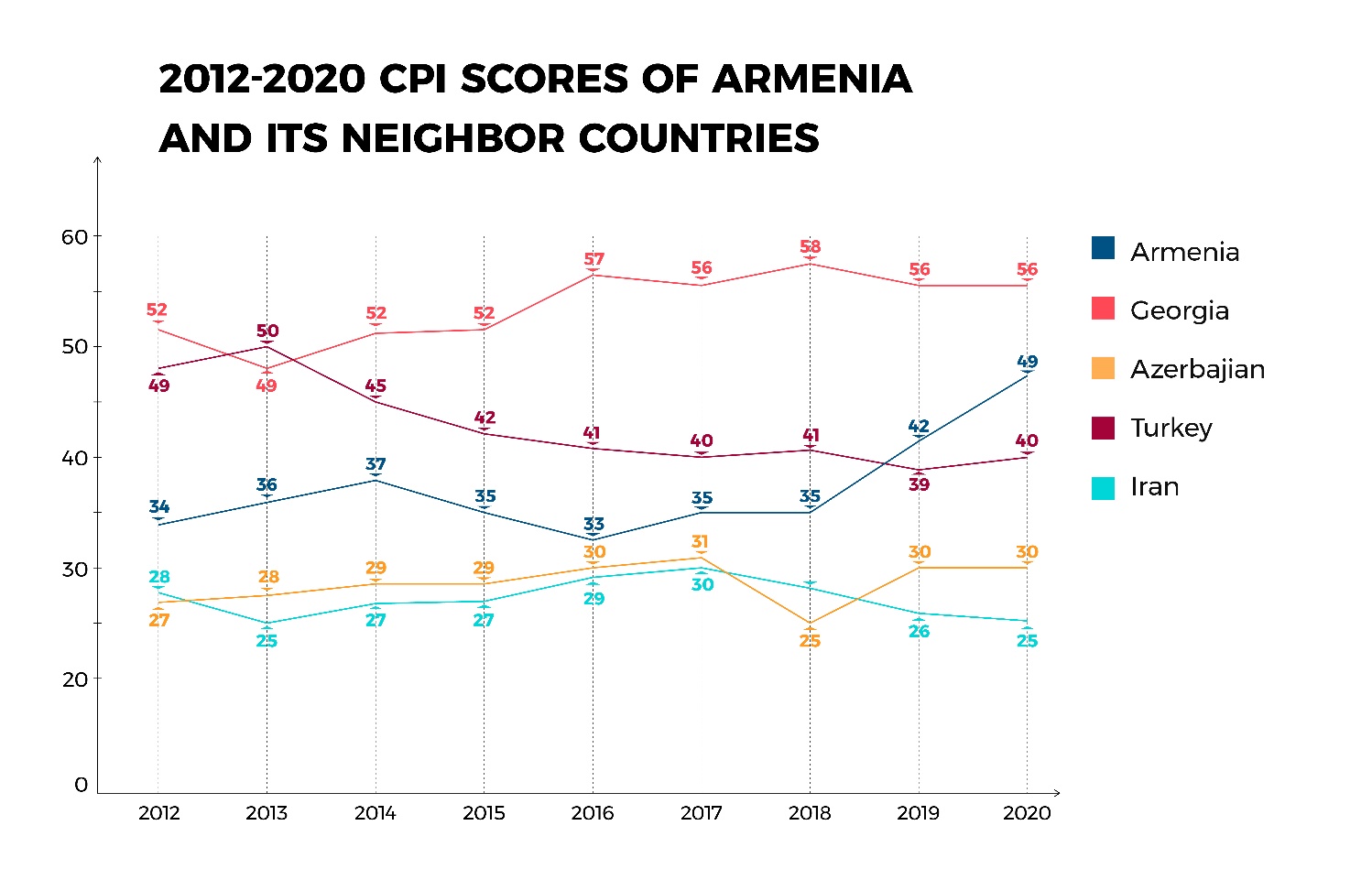
**Table 1.**

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| **Rank** | **Country** | **CPI score 2019** | **CPI score 2019** | **AFDB** | **BF (SGI)** | **BF (TI)** | **EIU** | **FH** | **GI** | **IMD** | **PERC** | **PRS** | **VDEM** | **WB** | **WEF** | **WJP** |
| 44 | Georgia | **56** | 5 |  |  | 53 |  | 50 | 47 |  |  |  | 68 |  |  | 61 |
| 66 | Belarus | **45** | 7 |  |  | 37 | 55 | 33 | 47 |  |  | 32 | 49 |  |  | 60 |
| 66 | Montenegro | **45** | 5 |  |  | 53 |  | 47 | 47 |  |  |  | 26 |  | 51 |  |
| 77 | Armenia | **42** | 6 |  |  | 45 |  | 39 | 47 |  |  | 32 | 32 |  | 60 |  |
| 91 | Serbia | **39** | 8 |  |  | 45 | 37 | 53 | 35 |  |  | 32 | 35 |  | 40 | 35 |
| 91 | Turkey | **39** | 9 |  | 26 | 37 | 37 |  | 47 | 45 |  | 41 | 25 |  | 57 | 38 |
| 101 | Bosnia and Herzegovina | **36** | 7 |  |  | 37 | 37 | 44 | 35 |  |  |  | 32 |  | 29 | 40 |
| 101 | Kosovo | **36** | 5 |  |  | 37 |  | 36 | 35 |  |  |  | 39 | 35 |  |  |
| 106 | Albania | **35** | 8 |  |  | 37 | 37 | 42 | 35 |  |  | 41 | 20 |  | 37 | 28 |
| 106 | North Macedonia | **35** | 7 |  |  | 41 | 20 | 47 | 35 |  |  |  | 28 |  | 32 | 42 |
| 113 | Kazakhstan | **34** | 9 |  |  | 33 | 20 | 24 | 35 | 55 |  | 43 | 17 |  | 47 | 36 |
| 120 | Moldova | **32** | 9 |  |  | 29 | 37 | 33 | 47 |  |  | 32 | 21 | 27 | 30 | 30 |
| 126 | Azerbaijan | **30** | 7 |  |  | 29 | 20 | 21 | 35 |  |  | 24 | 10 |  | 69 |  |
| 126 | Kyrgyzstan | **30** | 7 |  |  | 37 |  | 30 | 35 |  |  |  | 17 | 35 | 26 | 28 |
| 126 | Ukraine | **30** | 9 |  |  | 41 | 20 | 36 | 22 | 31 |  | 36 | 23 |  | 30 | 34 |
| 137 | Russia | **28** | 9 |  |  | 29 | 20 | 24 | 22 | 37 |  | 24 | 21 |  | 38 | 36 |
| 153 | Tajikistan | **25** | 6 |  |  | 17 |  | 21 | 22 |  |  |  | 13 | 18 | 57 |  |
| 153 | Uzbekistan | **25** | 7 |  |  | 29 | 20 | 21 | 22 |  |  |  | 22 | 27 |  | 35 |
| 165 | Turkmenistan | **19** | 5 |  |  | 17 | 20 | 21 | 22 |  |  |  | 15 |  |  |  |

As it can be seen from the Table, Armenia is on the **2nd** place among **19** countries of the region (in 2019 it was on the **4th** place). In the region Armenia lags only behind ***Georgia***, whose 2020 CPI score is **56** (**45-47th** places in the world ranking).

As of Armenia’s neighbors, Armenia continues to be behind only from ***Georgia***. Similar to 2019 is ahead of its three other neighbors - ***Turkey*** (**86-91st** places in the world ranking), **Azerbaijan** (**129 -133th** places) and **Iran** (**149-156th** places). Their 2020 CPI scores are **40, 30** and **25,** respectively. Figure 2 presents the dynamics of Armenia’s and its neighbors’ CPI scores from 2012 to 2020.

**Figure 2.**



All member countries of the Eurasian Economic Union (EEU) score worse, than Armenia. In particular, ***Belarus’*** 2020 CPI score is **47** (**63-66th** places), ***Russia’s – 30*** (**129-133th** places), ***Kyrgyzstan’s*** – **31** (**124-128th** places) and ***Kazakhstan’s*** – **38** (**94-101st** places). Figure 3 shows the dynamics of Armenia’s and other EEU member states CPI scores from 2012 to 2020.

**Figure 3.**

