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(2021 YEAR)

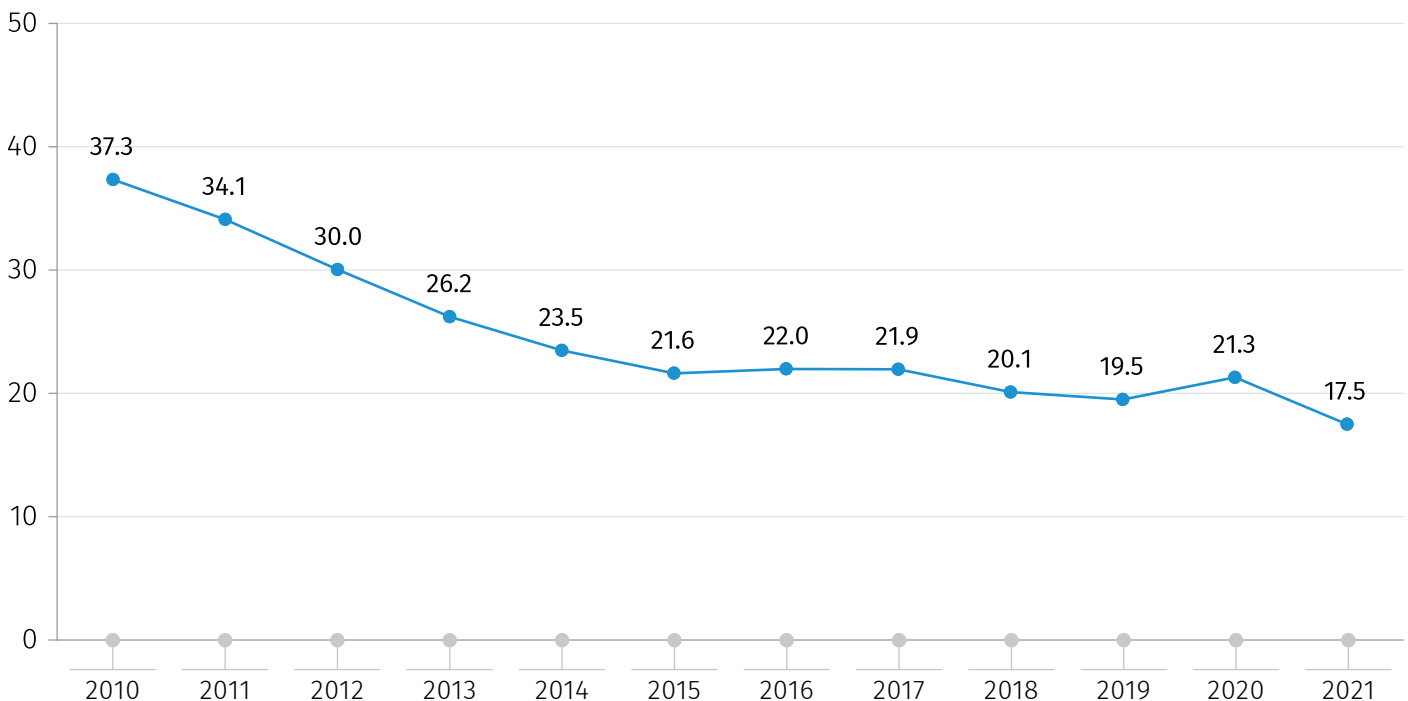
ABSOLUTE POVERTY

In 2021, the share of the population under the absolute poverty line (absolute poverty rate) in Georgia decreased by 3.8 percentage points compared to the same period of the previous year and amounted to 17.5 percent.

The chart below presents the absolute poverty rate for the years 2010-2021.

CHART №1

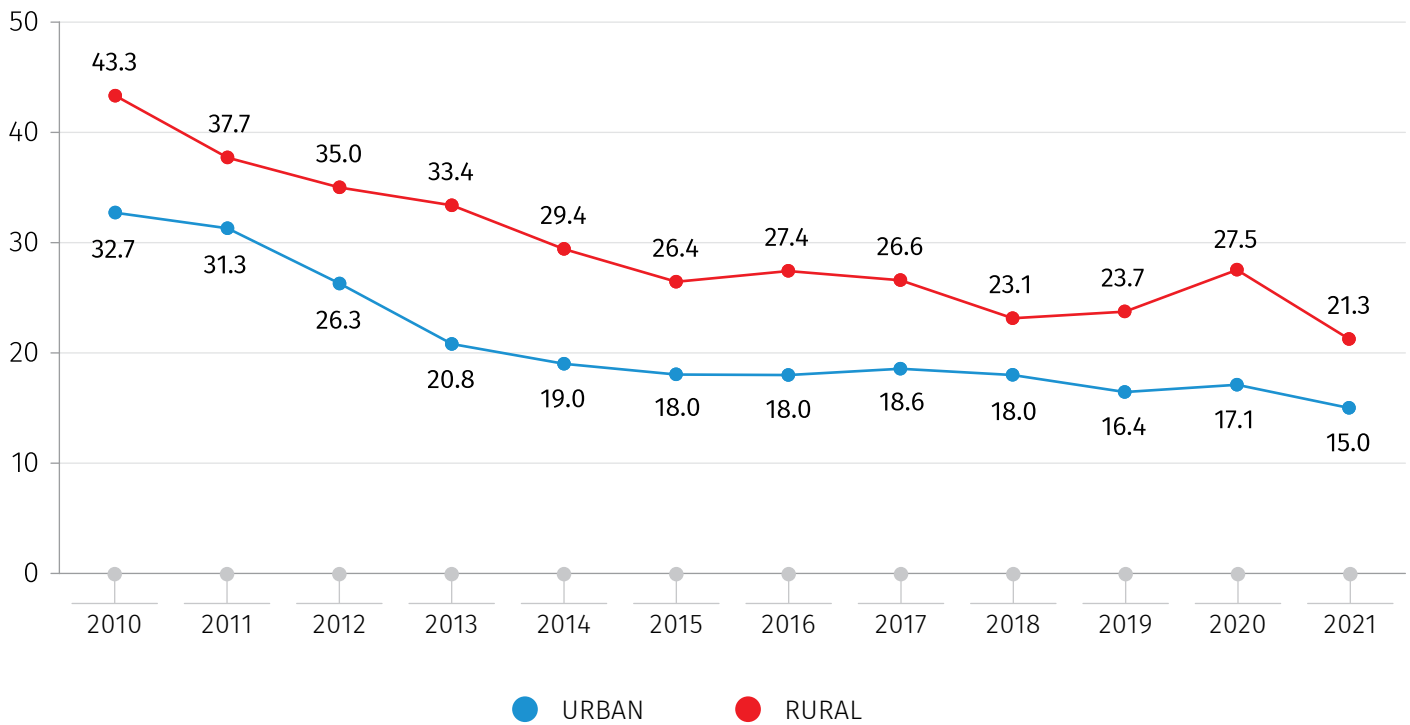
SHARE OF POPULATION UNDER ABSOLUTE POVERTY LINE
(%)



In 2021, the absolute poverty rate in urban type settlements decreased by 2.1 percentage points and amounted to 15.0 percent, while in rural type settlements it decreased by 6.3 percentage points and amounted to 21.3 percent.

The chart below presents the absolute poverty rate by urban and rural areas for the years 2011-2021.

SHARE OF POPULATION UNDER ABSOLUTE POVERTY LINE BY URBAN AND RURAL AREAS
(%)



In 2021, the absolute poverty rate decreased compared to the previous year in all age groups of the population. Particularly, the indicator was 22.7 percent in the age group under 18 years (-3.7 percentage points), in the 18-64 age group – 17.3 percent (-3.9 percentage points), and in the age group 65 and older – 11.9 percent (-3.5 percentage points).

Absolute poverty rates for both women and men fell by 3.8 percentage points and amounted to 17.1 and 17.9 percent, respectively.

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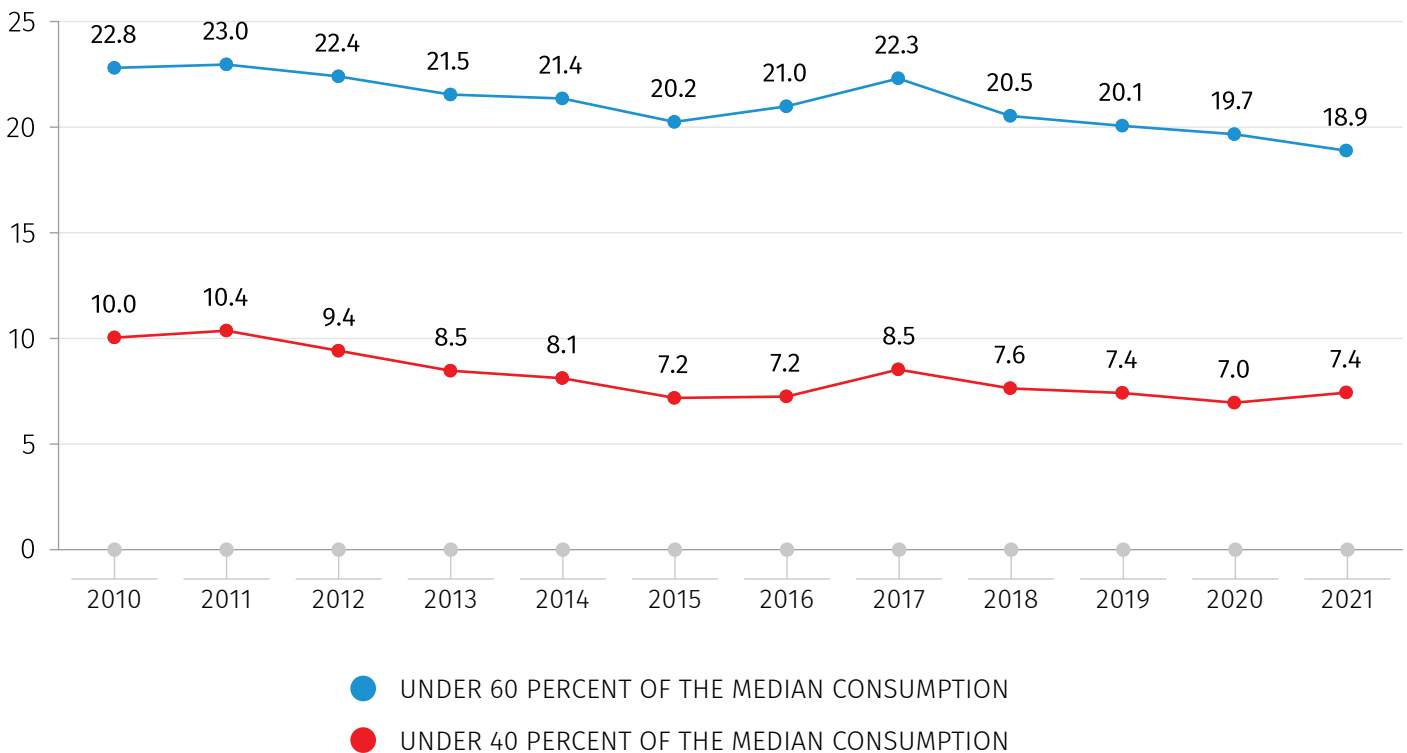
RELATIVE POVERTY

In 2021, the share of the population under 60 percent of the median consumption decreased by 0.8 percentage points and amounted to 18.9 percent, while the share of the population under 40 percent of median consumption increased by 0.4 percentage points and amounted to 7.4 percent.

The chart below presents the share of the population under 60 percent of median consumption and under 40 percent of median consumption for the years 2010-2021.

CHART №3

RELATIVE POVERTY INDICATORS
(%)



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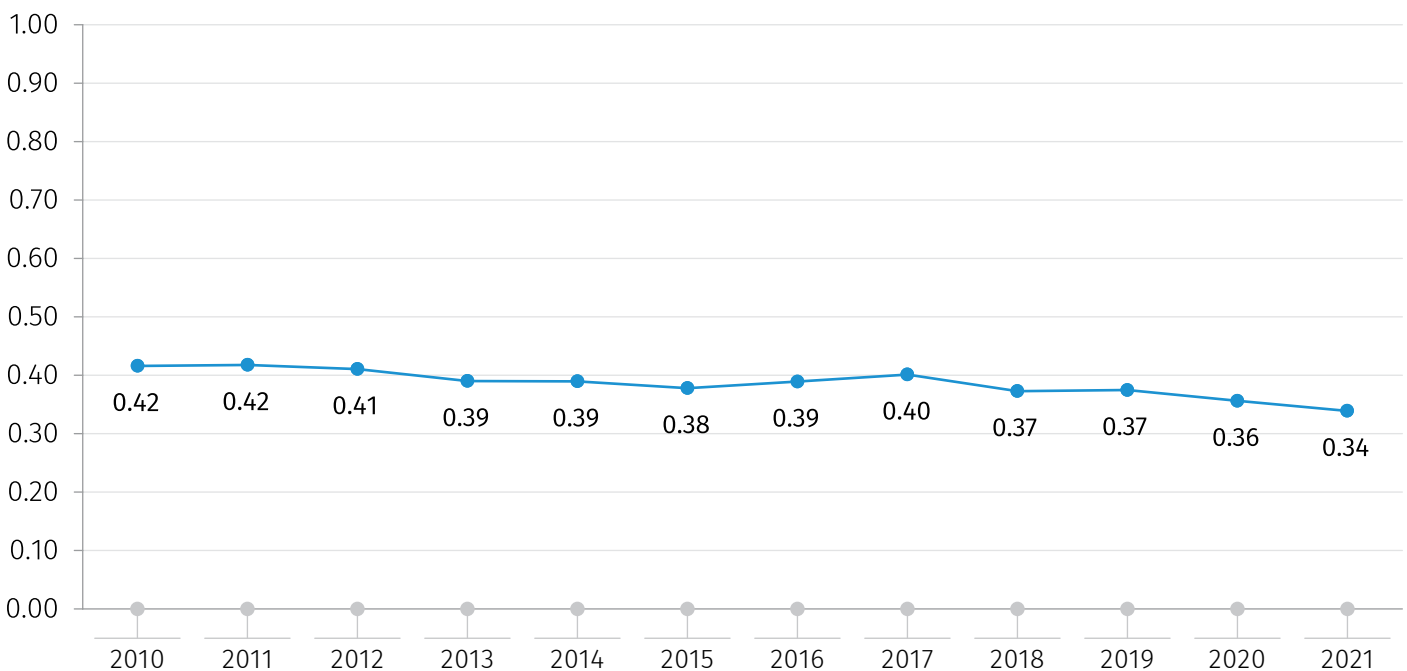
GINI COEFFICIENTS

In 2021, the value of the Gini coefficient in terms of total incomes has not changed compared to the previous year and is at the level of 0.37. Also, the value of the Gini coefficient in terms of total cash inflows has not changed and is at the level of 0.39. The Gini coefficient is reduced from 0.36 to 0.34 in terms of total consumption expenditures, while it remains unchanged in terms of total cash expenditures and stands at 0.42.

The chart below presents the Gini coefficient by total consumption expenditures for the years 2010-2021.

CHART №4

GINI COEFFICIENTS BY TOTAL CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURES



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