

UNESCO World Heritage Sites Depicted on Bank Notes – Armenia

Armenia is a landlocked country in the Armenian Highlands of West Asia, with ties to Europe. It is a part of the Caucasus region and is bordered by Turkey to the west, Georgia to the north and Azerbaijan to the east, and Iran and the Azerbaijani exclave of Nakhchivan to the south. There are at presently three UNESCO sites inscribed for Armenia, but only one appearing on their banknotes.

Echmiatsin and Zvartnots UNESCO cultural site was added in 2000. The Cathedral and Churches of Echmiatsin and the Archaeological Site of Zvartnots are two prime examples of Armenian Church design. Echmiatsin is the center of the Armenian Church. It locates the Echmiatsin Cathedral, which was built in 480 (making it the most ancient church in Armenia). Six banknotes to date portray this site.

- P36/B204a 100 Dram of 1993
- P37/B205a 200 Dram of 1993
- P48/B309 50,000 Dram of 2001
- P60/BNP301 500 Dram of 2001
- P-NL/B322 10,000 Dram of 2018
- P-NL/B324 50,000 Dram of 2018



P37 200 Drams front with Church of Saint Hripsime in Echmiadzin



P37 200 Drams reverse with ornamental designs