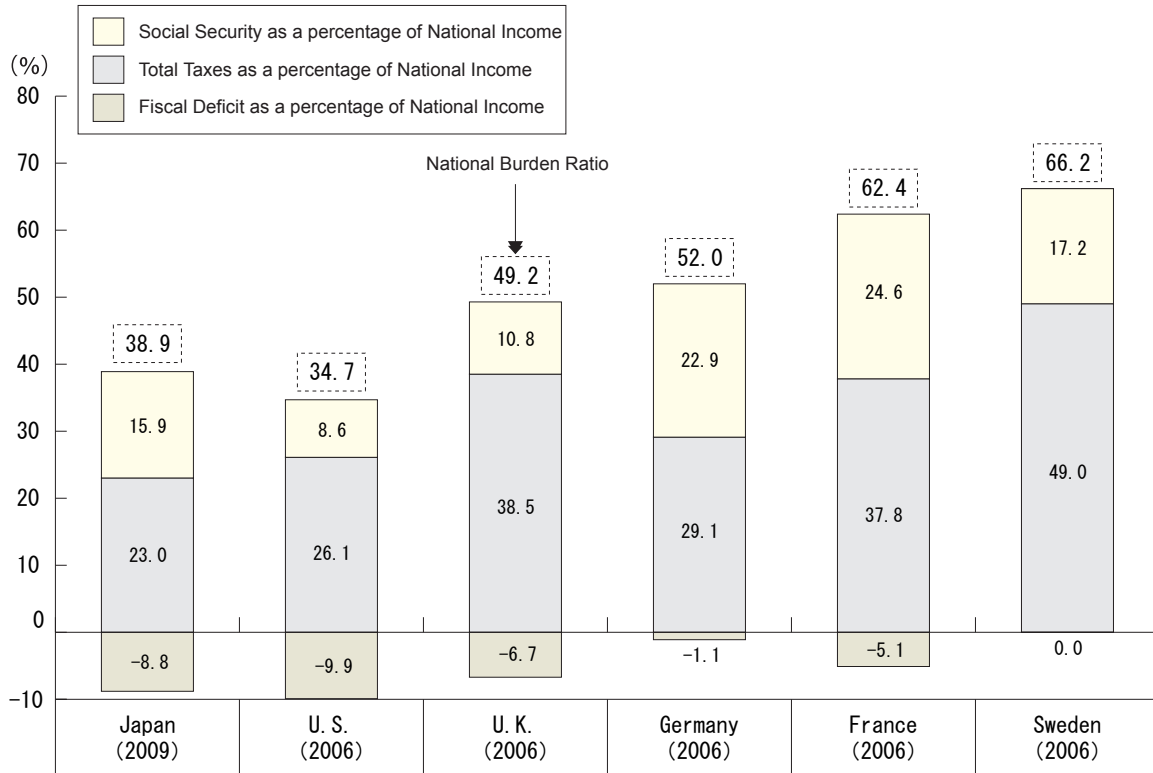


International Comparison of National Burden Ratio

[National Burden Ratio = Total Taxes as a percentage of National Income + Social Security as a percentage of National Income]



Sources: Documents made by Ministry of Finance

<Sources of the Relevant Countries> "National Accounts" (OECD), "Revenue Statistics" (OECD) etc.

Note: 1. Japan in FY2009 is outlook figure. The relevant countries are actual figures in 2006.

Fiscal Deficit as a percentage of National Income of the relevant countries are projected figures 2009 calculated as fiscal deficit as a percentage of GDP in 2009 in "Economic Outlook 84" (OECD) multiplied by the latest actual figures of national income as a percentage of GDP.

2. Fiscal Deficit as a percentage of National Income of Japan and the USA are based on general governments with social security fund excluded, and that of other countries are based on general governments.