

Table 1318. Household Tax Burden by Country: 2007

[Percent of gross wage earnings of the average production worker. The tax burden reflects income tax plus employee social security contributions less cash benefits. Minus sign (-) indicates tax credit]

Country	Single person without children	One earner family with two children	Country	Single person without children	One earner family with two children
Australia	23.4	10.0	Korea, South	11.9	9.5
Austria	33.5	19.8	Luxembourg	29.1	2.8
Belgium	42.0	22.4	Mexico	5.2	5.2
Canada	23.3	10.6	Netherlands	35.4	26.9
Czech Republic	22.9	-6.3	New Zealand	21.5	2.8
Denmark	41.0	29.3	Norway	29.5	21.5
Finland	30.1	22.9	Poland	31.1	24.7
France	27.8	17.5	Portugal	22.5	10.3
Germany	42.8	23.9	Slovakia	22.4	4.4
Greece	26.1	26.5	Spain	20.4	12.4
Hungary	38.7	24.4	Sweden	27.6	19.8
Iceland	24.4	6.7	Switzerland	21.8	9.3
Ireland	13.9	-12.0	Turkey	30.3	30.3
Italy	28.5	12.5	United Kingdom	27.0	20.6
Japan	20.1	13.9	United States	24.5	11.8

Source: Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, Paris, France, *Taxing Wages, 2006–2007*, (copyright).