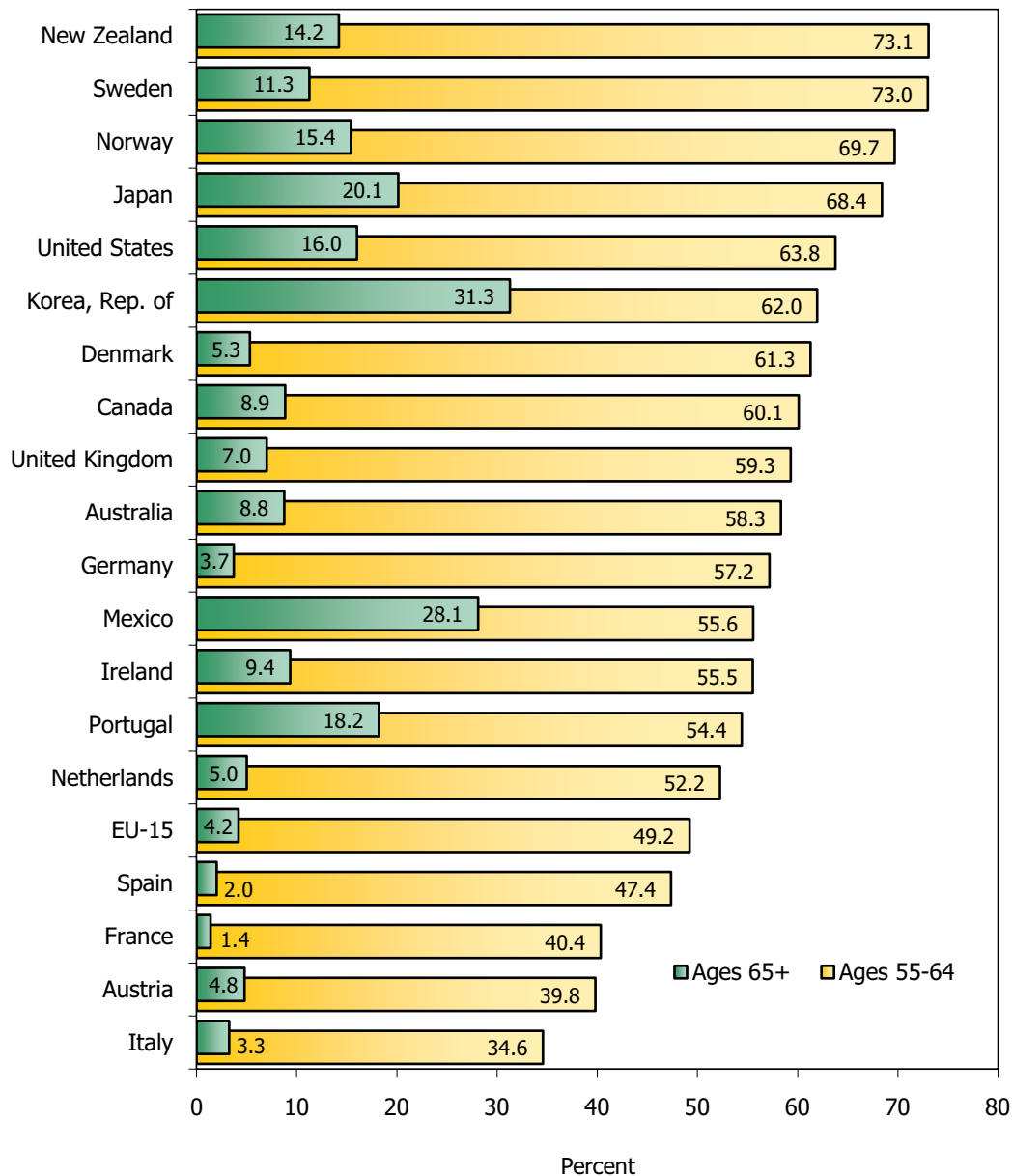


## 2.5 Labor force participation rates for older workers, 2007

- Persons ages 55 to 64 participated in the labor market far less in Italy, Austria, and France than in the remaining countries.
- Participation rates for persons ages 65 and over varied widely from 1.4 percent (France) to 31.3 percent (the Republic of Korea); the U.S. rate was nearly four times higher than the EU-15 average.



**SOURCE:** Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development.