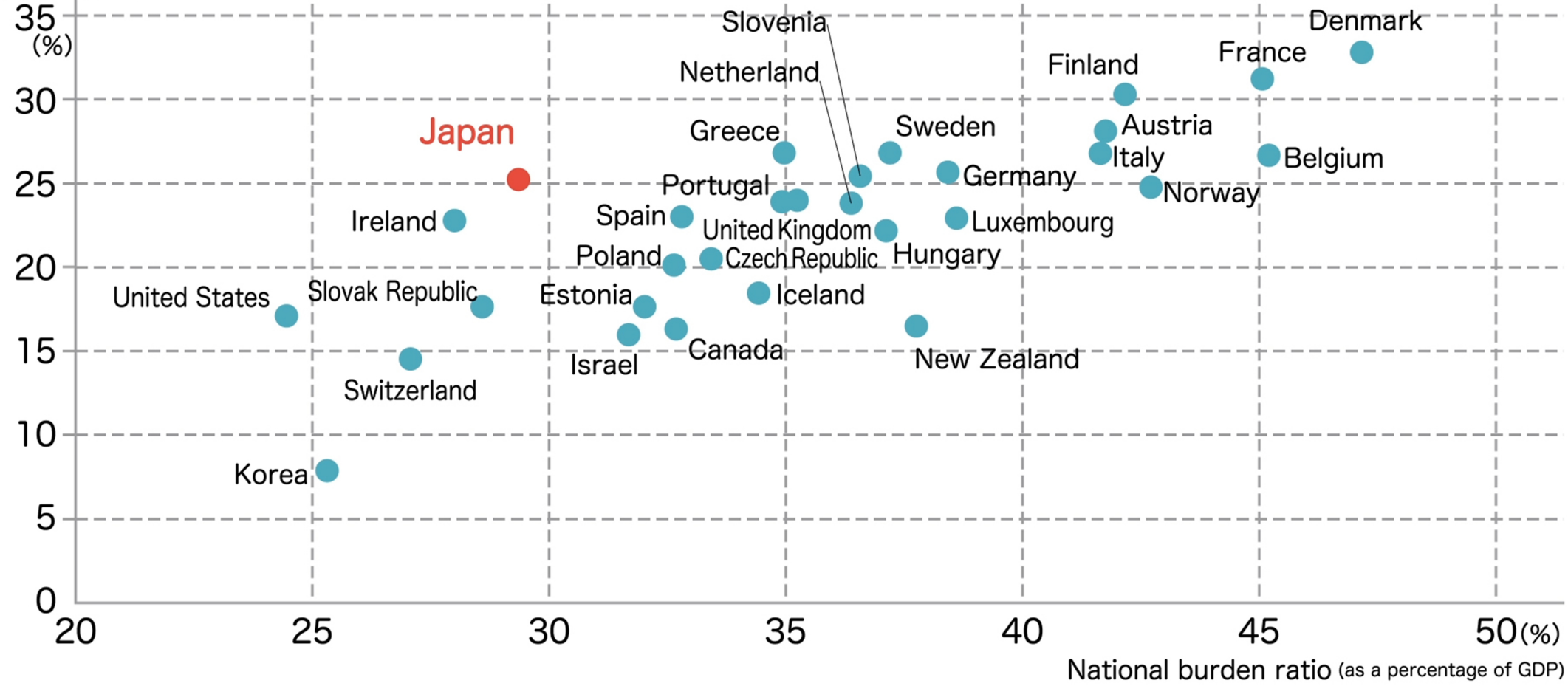


How is the relationship between Japan's social security expenditures and national burden ratio compared to other countries?

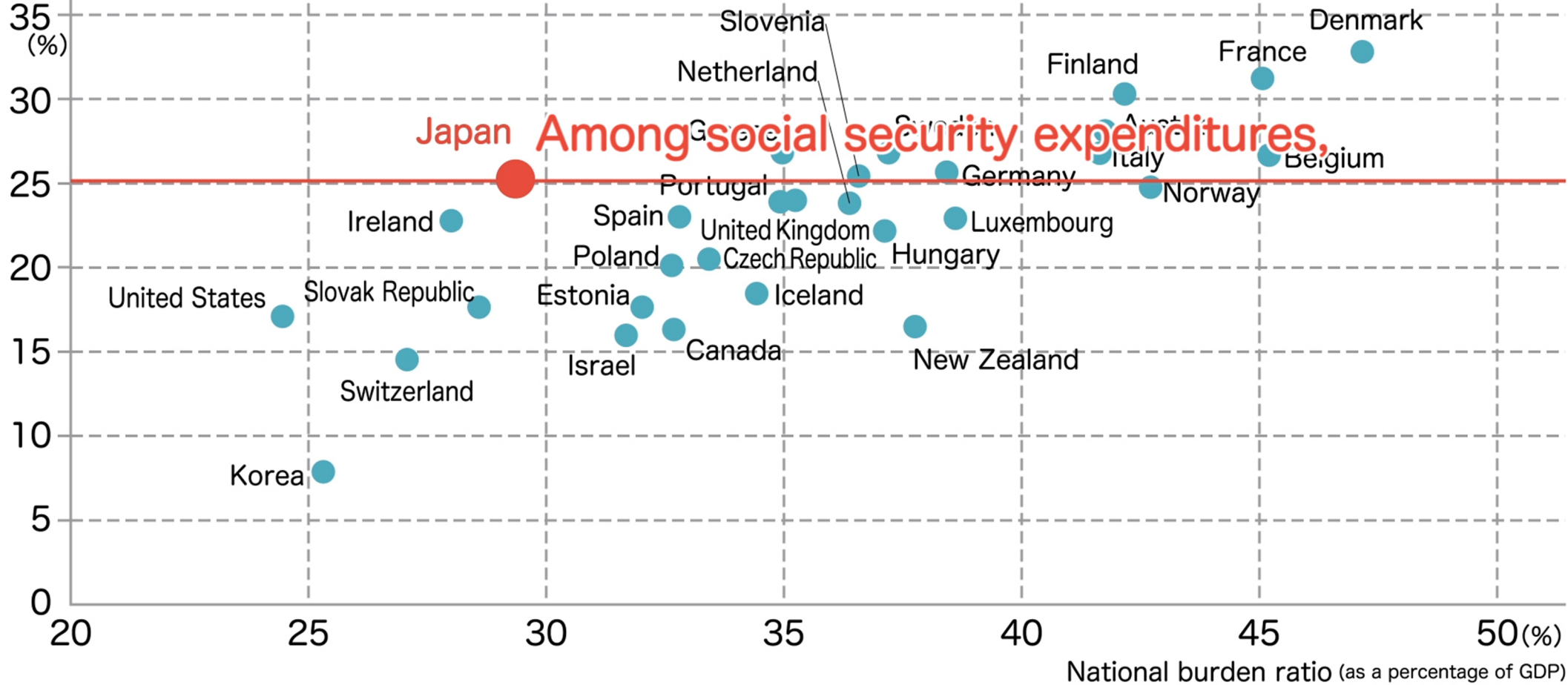
General Government Social Security Expenditures (as a percentage of GDP)

Social security expenditure and national burden ratio in the OECD countries



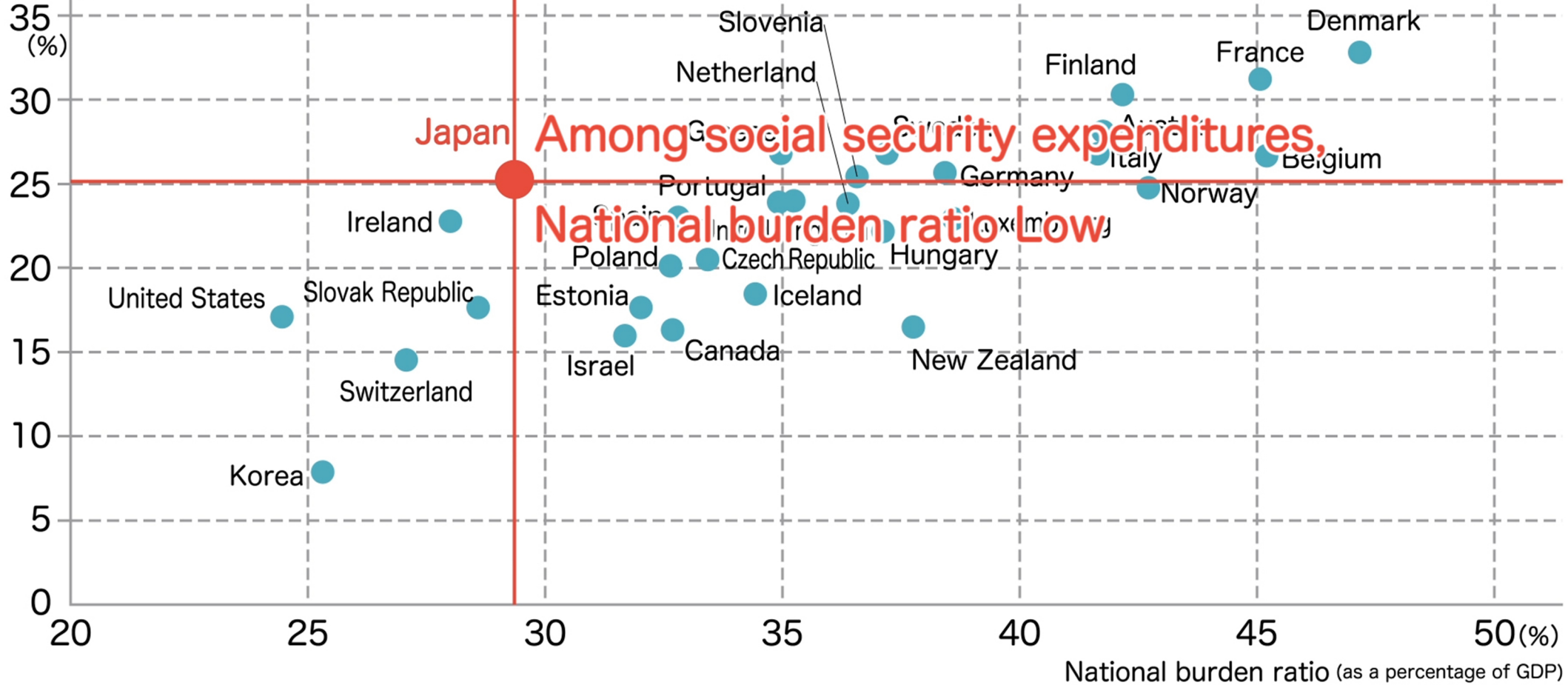
Let's look at the relationship between social security expenditures and national burden ratio,

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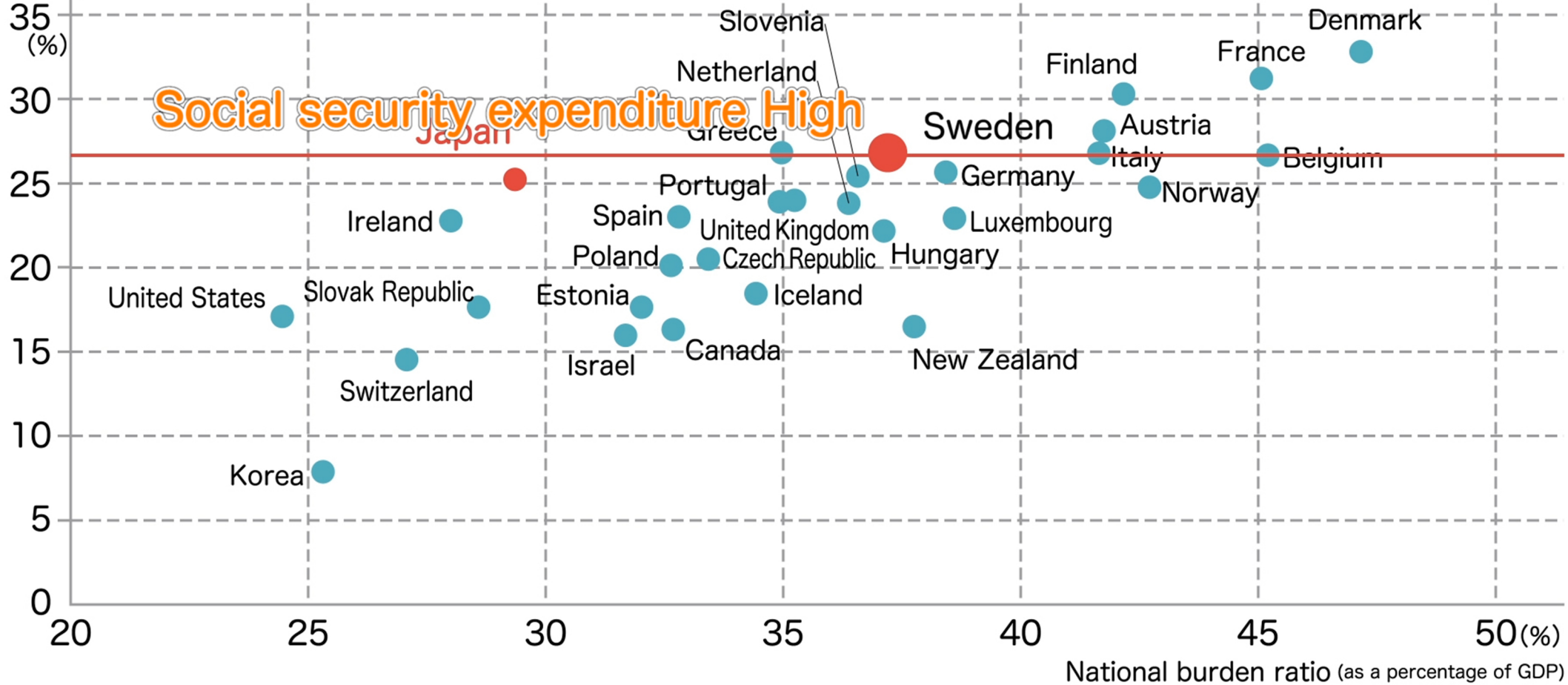
In comparison with the OECD member countries, Japan's social security expenditures are moderate

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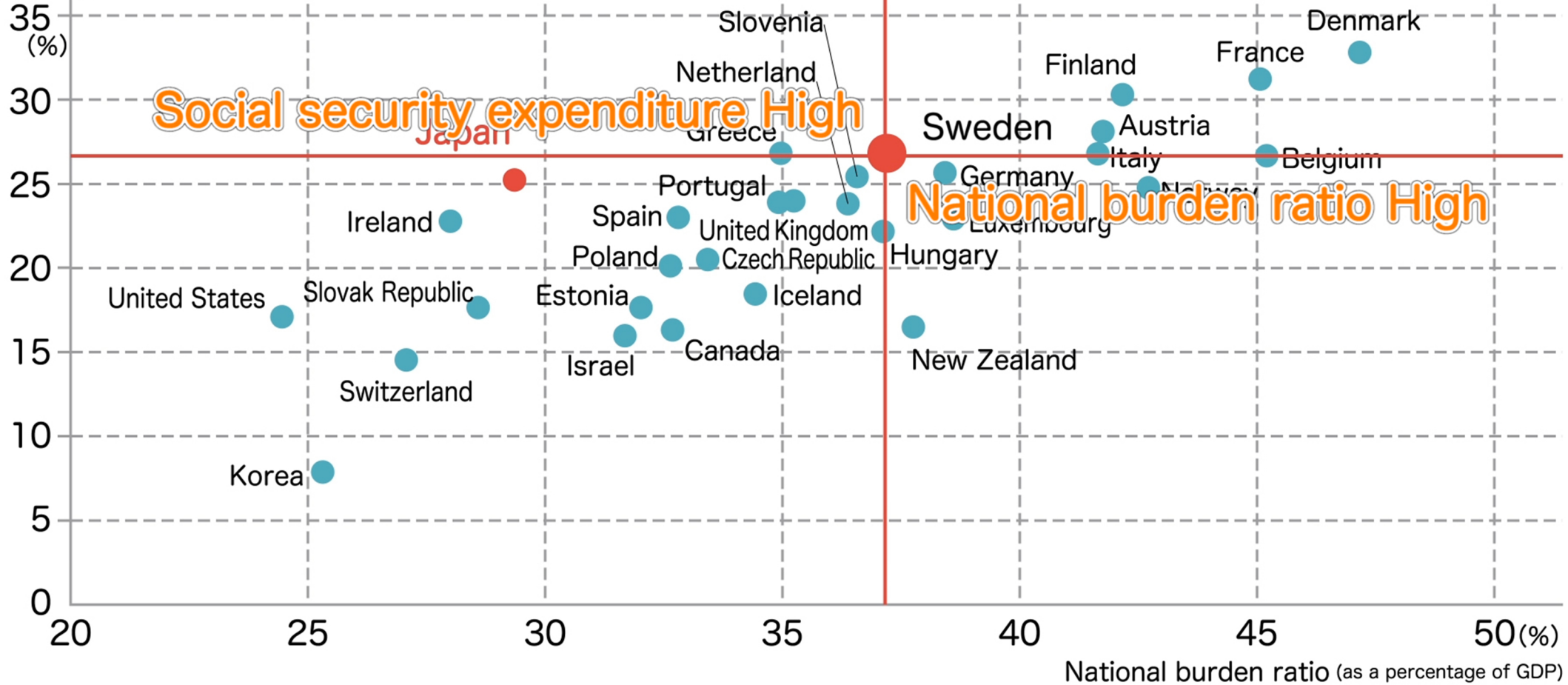
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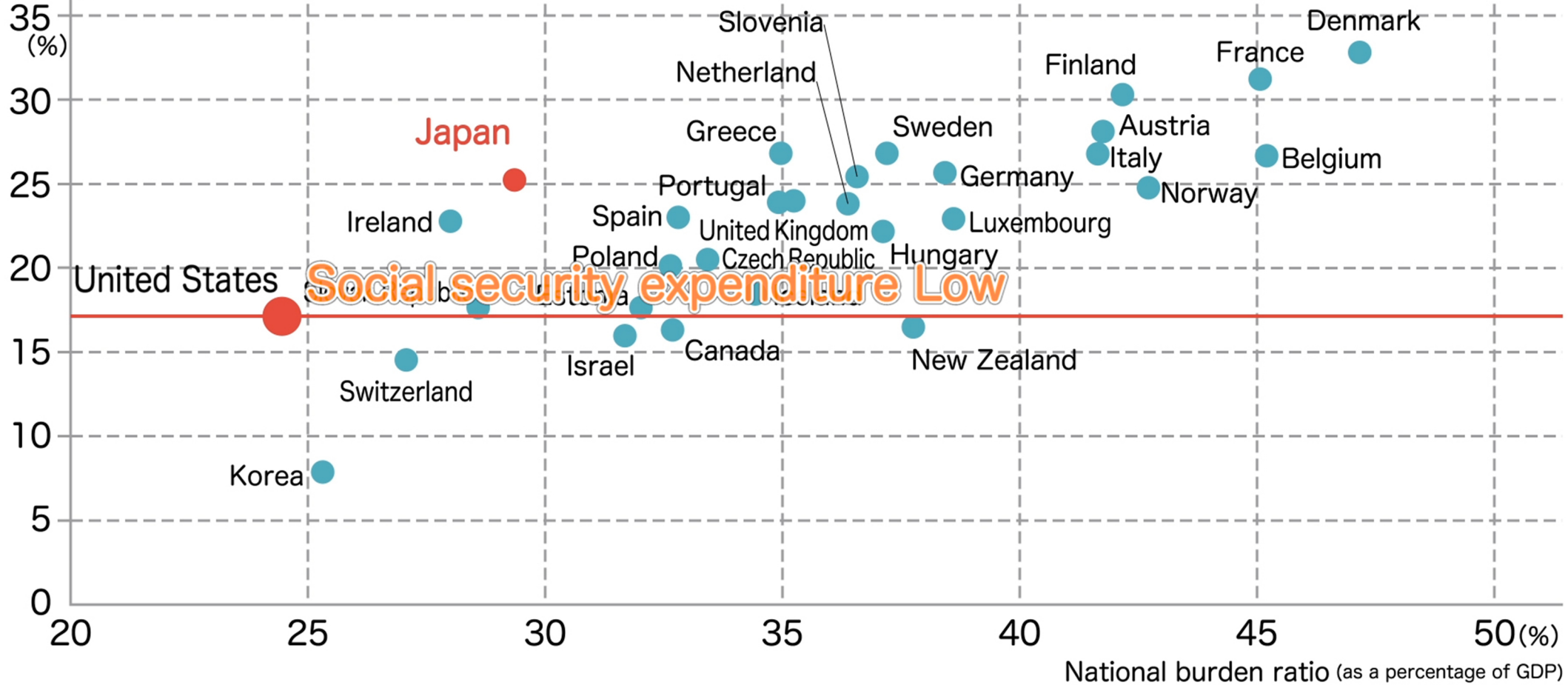
In Sweden, for example, social expenditures are high,

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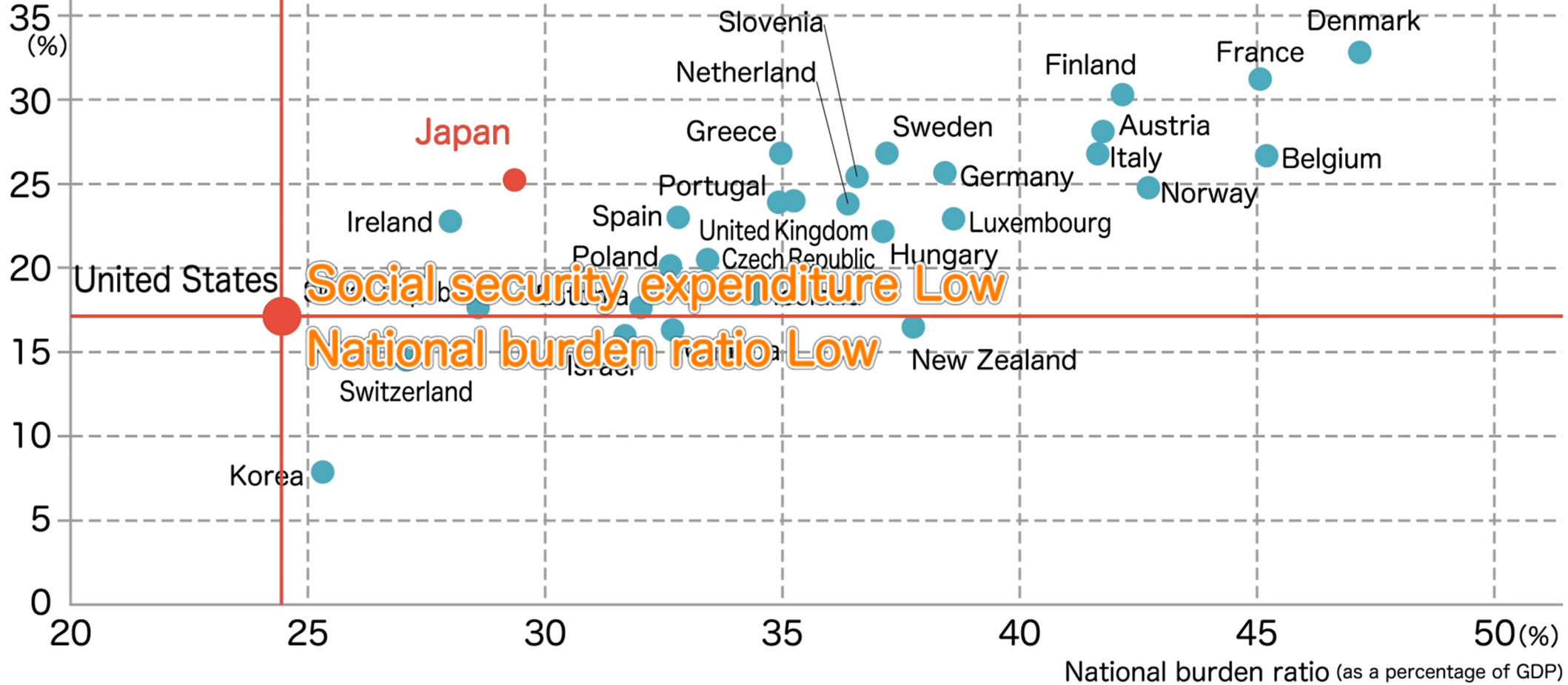
while the national burden ratio is also high.

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In contrast, in the United States, for example,
social expenditures are low,

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and the national burden ratio is also low.