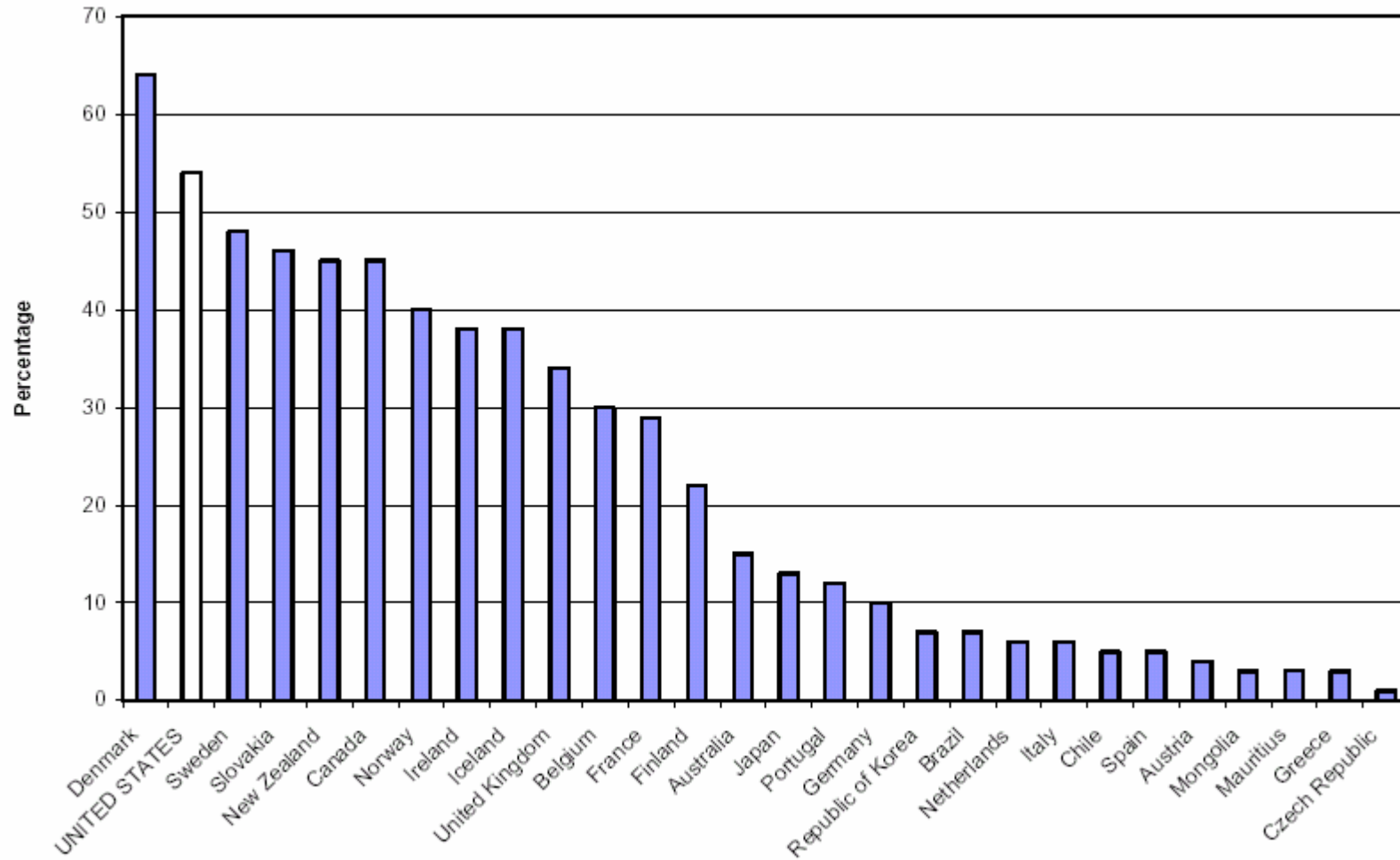


**Figure 1.26a: Percentage of population under three years of age in formal childcare centers**



Source: OECD (2001). *Balancing Work and Family Life: Helping Parents into Paid Employment*. The Project on Global Working Families (2004). *The Work, Family, and Equity Index: Where Does the United States Stand Globally?* Boston, MA: Harvard School of Public Health.