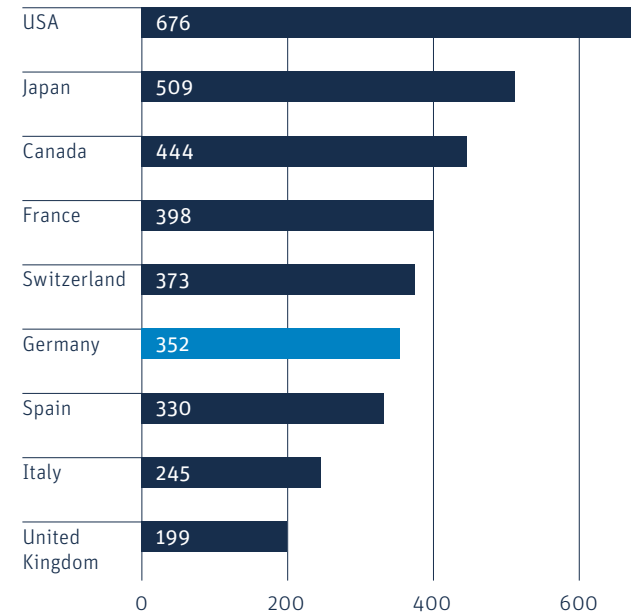

Per-capita Sales of Pharmaceuticals

2008 in USD (adjusted for purchasing power)



Sales in the pharmacy market at manufacturer prices; Switzerland 2007
Source: IMS Health, OECD, vfa

With regard to per-capita sales (sales in the pharmacy market at manufacturer prices), Germany ranks in the middle of an international comparison. When comparing European countries, Germany lies behind France and Switzerland. Also in non-European industrial nations such as the USA, Japan and Canada, per-capita sales are higher than in Germany.