

Outline of Results

2007 Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (1st Session)

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Japan Student Services Organization (JASSO)

Guidelines for the 2007 Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (EJU)

1. Purpose

This examination is used to evaluate the Japanese language proficiency and the basic academic abilities of international students who wish to study at the undergraduate level at universities or other such higher educational institutions in Japan.

2. Examination Administrator

The Japan Student Services Organization (JASSO) administers the examination with the cooperation of the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Japanese universities, and affiliated institutions in Japan and overseas.

3. General Description of the Examination

(1) Eligibility:

International students who wish to study at the undergraduate level at universities or other such higher educational institutions in Japan

(2) Date of exam:

1st Session June 17, 2007 (Sunday)

2nd Session November 11, 2007 (Sunday)

(3) Venues:

Japan: Hokkaido, Miyagi, Gunma, Saitama, Chiba, Tokyo, Kanagawa, Ishikawa or Toyama, Aichi, Kyoto, Osaka, Hyogo, Okayama or Hiroshima, Fukuoka and Okinawa

Outside Japan: India (New Delhi), Indonesia (Jakarta and Surabaya), Malaysia (Kuala Lumpur), Mongolia (Ulaanbaatar), Myanmar (Yangon), Philippines (Manila), Republic of Korea (Seoul and Busan), Russia (Vladivostok), Singapore, Sri Lanka (Colombo), Taiwan (Taipei), Thailand (Bangkok) and Vietnam (Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh City)

(4) Subjects:

Depending on the university they wish to enter and the course of study they wish to pursue, the examinees select the subject tests that they will take from the following.

Subject	Purpose	Length	Score Range
Japanese as a Foreign Language	Measurement of the Japanese language skills (academic Japanese) required for studying at Japanese universities.	120 minutes	0-400
Science	Measurement of the basic academic skills in science (Physics, Chemistry, and Biology) necessary for studying in a science department of a Japanese university.	80 minutes	0-200
Japan and the World	Measurement of the basic academic skills in liberal arts, particularly thinking and logical abilities, necessary for studying at Japanese universities.	80 minutes	0-200
Mathematics	Measurement of the basic academic skills in mathematics necessary for studying at Japanese universities.	80 minutes	0-200

[Remarks]

- ① The test in Japanese as a Foreign Language consists of writing, reading comprehension, listening comprehension, and listening and reading comprehension. The score range listed above does not include the writing section, which is scored, based on the standards for grammatical and logical abilities, and each of these abilities are indicated in the range of 0 to 3 points in examinees' writing section scores.
 - ② In the science test, examinees select two subjects from physics, chemistry and biology depending on the requirements of the university they wish to enter and the course of study they wish to pursue.
 - ③ In the mathematics test, examinees select either of Course 1 if they plan to enter liberal arts programs or science programs requiring comparatively less knowledge of mathematics, or Course 2 if they plan to enter programs requiring advanced knowledge of mathematics depending on the requirements of the university they wish to enter and the course of study they wish to pursue.
 - ④ Examinees may not choose to take both the Science test and the Japan and the World test.
 - ⑤ The score ranges listed are not raw scores; instead, they are based on a common scale.
 - ⑥ Refer to the syllabuses for each subject.
- (5) Examination languages option:
The EJU is available in Japanese or English, except for the Japanese as a Foreign Language test, which is given in Japanese only, applicants need to indicate their preference in the application depending on the requirements of the university they wish to enter and the course of study they wish to pursue.
- (6) Answering format:
All questions use a multiple-choice format, except for the writing section of the Japanese as a Foreign Language test.

4. Application Procedures, etc.

(1) Application Procedure

① Application form: As prescribed

② Examination fee: Japan

One subject: JPY 5,460 (including tax)

Two or three subjects: JPY 10,920 (including tax)

Outside Japan

India INR 500

Indonesia IDR 40,000

Malaysia MYR 60

Mongolia MNT 10,000

Myanmar FEC 15

Philippines PHP 250

Republic of Korea

One subject: KRW 30,000

Two or three subjects: KRW 50,000

Russia RUB 300

Singapore SGD 36

Sri Lanka LKR 700

Taiwan

One subject: TWD 1,200

Two or three subjects: TWD 1,600

Thailand THB 300

Vietnam VTD 70,000

③ Application period: Japan 1st Session From February 19 (Monday) to March 16, 2007(Friday)

(The application must be postmarked by March 16.)

2nd Session From July 2 (Monday) to July 27, 2007 (Friday)

(The application must be postmarked by July 27.)

Outside Japan Same as in Japan

④ Applications: Japan The applications should be submitted to Testing Division, Student Exchange Department, Japan Student Services Organization.

Outside Japan The applications should be submitted to the Overseas Representatives in each country or region.

(2) EJU Bulletin

The details of the application procedure and other information will be released in the "Bulletin of the 2007 Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (EJU)".

Bulletin Vendors: Japan The bulletin is scheduled to go on sale at major bookstores throughout Japan on February 19, 2007 (Monday).

The price is ¥510 (including tax) per copy.

Outside Japan To be decided through consultation with the Overseas Representative in each country or region.

(3) Sending of Examination Voucher

Japan Examination vouchers will be sent on the following dates (tentative) in response to applications received.

1st Session May 18, 2007 (Friday)

2nd Session October 19 2007 (Friday)

Outside Japan To be decided through consultation with the Overseas Representative in each country or region.

5. Score Report and Notification

(1) Score Reports to Examinees

Score reports will be sent to examinees on the following dates (tentative).

1st Session July 20, 2007 (Friday)

2nd Session December 18, 2007 (Tuesday)

(2) Notification to Universities

JASSO will begin responding to score inquiries from universities in late July 2007 for 1st Session, late December 2007 for 2nd Session.

Inquires:	Japan Student Services Organization (JASSO) Student Exchange Department, Testing Division 4-5-29 Komaba, Meguro-ku, Tokyo 153-8503 Japan Telephone: 03-6407-7457 Fax: 03-6407-7462 E-mail: eju@jasso.go.jp
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Examination Details

1. Number of applicants and examinees by site

Examination Site		Applicants	Examinees	
In Japan	Hokkaido		114	108
	Tohoku		108	98
	Kanto	Gunma	114	99
		Saitama	414	381
		Chiba	681	629
		Tokyo	6,777	6,142
		Kanagawa	622	580
	Chubu	Ishikawa	113	108
		Aichi	806	769
	Kinki	Kyoto	642	621
		Osaka	1,620	1,522
		Hyogo	965	927
	Chugoku	Hiroshima	297	287
	Kyushu	Fukuoka	1,660	1,595
	Okinawa		111	104
Total in Japan		15,044	13,970	
Outside Japan	India	New Delhi	19	11
	Indonesia	Jakarta	138	100
		Surabaya	120	77
	Malaysia	Kuala Lumpur	199	196
	Mongolia	Ulaanbaatar	92	78
	Myanmar	Yangon	45	40
	Philippines	Manila	9	5
	Republic of Korea	Seoul	1,410	1,139
		Busan	368	322
	Russia	Vladivostok	11	4
	Singapore		16	14
	Sri Lanka	Colombo	56	45
	Taiwan	Taipei	1,394	1,151
	Thailand	Bangkok	138	81
	Vietnam	Hanoi	129	86
		Ho Chi Minh City	176	147
Total outside Japan		4,320	3,496	
Grand total		19,364	17,466	

Note: The number of applicants and examinees who selected the English version of EJU are as follows.

	Applicants	Examinees
In Japan	256	232
Outside Japan	618	427
Total	874	659

2. Examination venues

Japan	Hokkaido	Hokkaido University	
	Miyagi	Miyagi University of Education	
	Gunma	Toyo University Itakura Campus	
	Saitama	Bunri University of Hospitality	
	Chiba	Meikai University Urayasu Campus	
	Tokyo	University of the Sacred Heart	
		Taisho University Sugamo Campus	
		Kokushikan University Setagaya Campus	
		Tokyo Metropolitan University Minami-osawa Campus	
		Keisen University	
		Meisei University Hino Campus	
		Kanagawa University Yokohama Campus	
		Ishikawa	Kanazawa Seiryō University
		Aichi	Meijo University Tempaku Campus
		Kyoto	Doshisha University Imadegawa Campus
	Osaka	Osaka University of Economics and Law	
	Hyogo	Kobe Gakuin University Port Island Campus	
	Hiroshima	Kure University Saka Campus	
	Fukuoka	Kyusyu Sangyo University	
Okinawa	University of the Ryukyus Senbaru Campus		
Outside Japan	India (New Delhi)	Jawaharlal Nehru University	
	Indonesia (Jakarta)	University of Indonesia	
		(Surabaya)	IMA Center
	Malaysia (Kuala Lumpur)	KDU College	
	Mongolia (Ulaanbaatar)	Mongolia-Japan Center	
	Myanmar (Yangon)	Hotel Nikko Royal Lake Yangon	
	Philippines (Manila)	De La Salle University-College of Saint Benilde	
	Republic of Korea (Seoul)	Jayang High School	
		(Busan)	Busan Design High School
	Russia (Vladivostok)	Oriental Studies Institute, Far Eastern National University	
	Singapore	The Japanese Cultural Society, Singapore	
	Sri Lanka (Colombo)	The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Sri Lanka	
	Taiwan (Taipei)	The Language, Training & Testing Center	
		National Taiwan University	
		The Affiliated Senior High School of National Taiwan Normal University	
		Old Japan Students' Association, Thailand	
	Thailand (Bangkok)	Old Japan Students' Association, Thailand	
	Vietnam (Hanoi)	Foreign Trade University (Vietnam-Japan Human Resources Cooperation Center)	
		(Ho Chi Minh City)	Vietnam-Japan Human Resources Cooperation Center

3. Number of examinees by nation/region of origin (Japan)

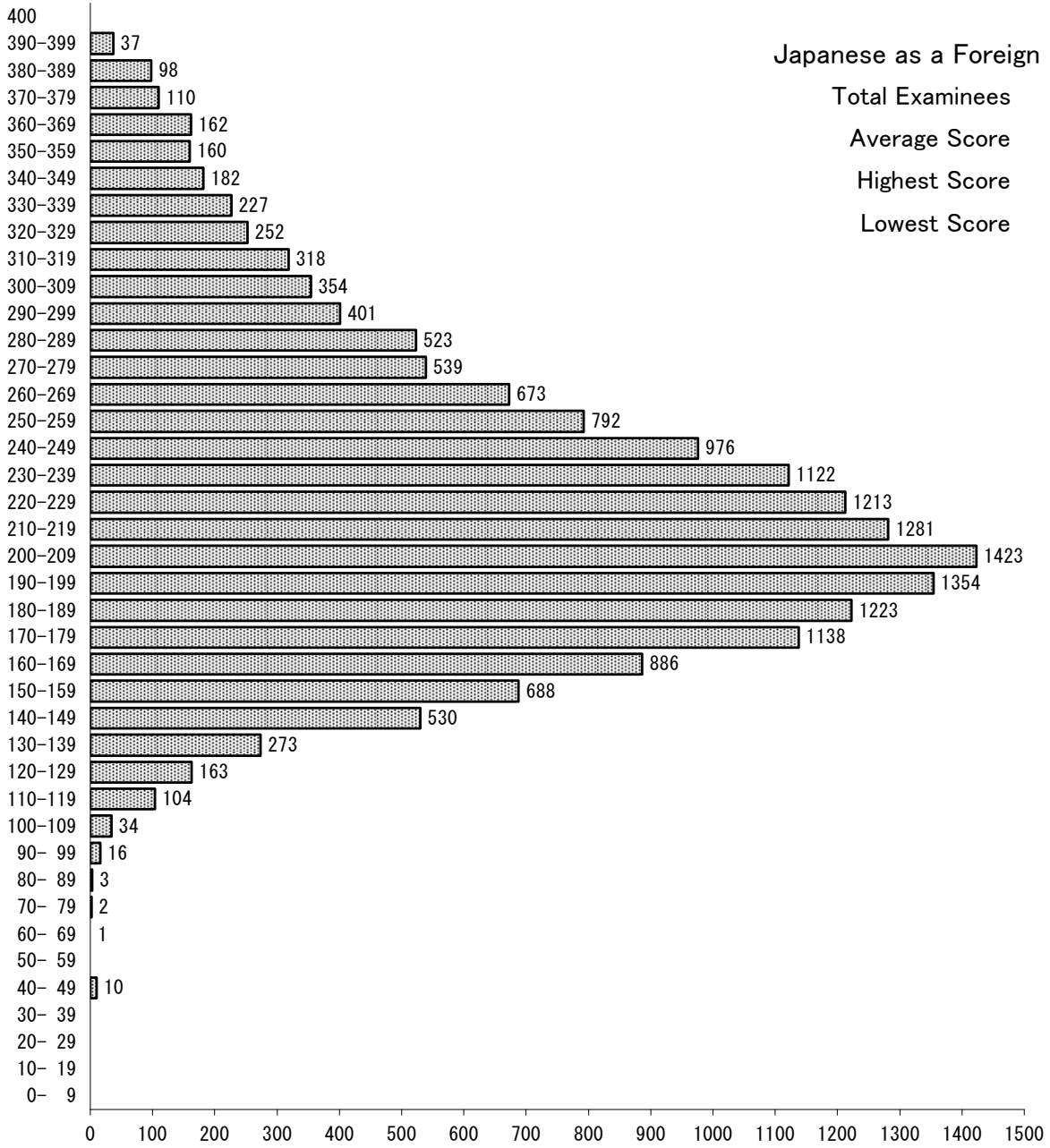
Country/Region	Examinees	Country/Region	Examinees
China	10,343	Saudi Arabia	3
Republic of Korea	1,682	Nigeria	2
Taiwan	383	Portugal	2
Vietnam	333	Laos	1
Nepal	275	Spain	1
Thailand	245	Ukraine	1
Sri Lanka	149	Ethiopia	1
Indonesia	87	Ghana	1
Myanmar	86	Bolivia	1
Bangladesh	84	Dominican Republic	1
Mongolia	63	El Salvador	1
Malaysia	29	Honduras	1
India	28	Afghanistan	1
United Kingdom	25	Singapore	1
U.S.A.	21	The Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste	1
Philippines	15	Belgium	1
Russia	13	Estonia	1
Uzbekistan	11	Netherlands	1
Cambodia	9	Norway	1
Peru	8	Israel	1
France	8	Jordan	1
Canada	6	Others	7
Australia	6		
Pakistan	5		
Sweden	5		
Brazil	5		
Germany	4		
Italy	4		
Mexico	3	Total	
Switzerland	3	51 countries / Regions	13,970

List of Average Scores by Subject

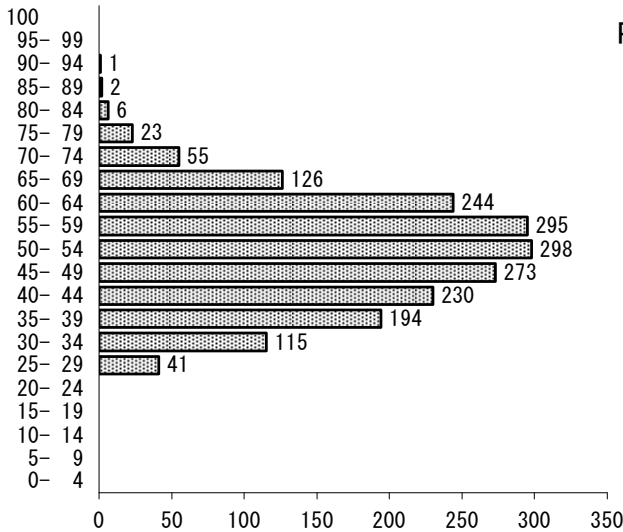
Subject (Score Range)		Examinees	Average Score	Highest Score	Lowest Score	Standard Dev.
Japanese as a Foreign Language	Listening (0-120)	17,268	63.9 (53.3%)	115 (95.8%)	11 (9.2%)	18.7 (15.6%)
	Listening and Reading (0-120)		63.1 (52.6%)	118 (98.3%)	11 (9.2%)	18.8 (15.7%)
	Reading (0-160)		96.7 (60.4%)	160 (100.0%)	24 (15.0%)	25.6 (16.0%)
	Total (0-400)		223.7 (55.9%)	393 (98.3%)	46 (11.5%)	56.4 (14.4%)
	Writing (0-6)		3.6 (60.0%)	6 (100.0%)	0 (0.0%)	1.5 (25.0%)
Science	Physics (0-100)	1,903	50.9 (50.9%)	94 (94.0%)	26 (26.0%)	11.4 (11.4%)
	Chemistry (0-100)	2,091	46.1 (46.1%)	86 (86.0%)	16 (16.0%)	11.5 (11.5%)
	Biology (0-100)	658	52.0 (52.0%)	90 (90.0%)	19 (19.0%)	11.9 (11.9%)
Japan and the World (0-200)		8,149	110.8 (55.4%)	198 (99.0%)	9 (4.5%)	33.1 (16.6%)
Mathematics	Course 1 (0-200)	6,614	99.0 (49.5%)	183 (91.5%)	24 (12.0%)	26.2 (13.1%)
	Course 2 (0-200)	1,920	115.3 (57.7%)	198 (99.0%)	36 (18.0%)	20.2 (10.1%)

Note: Percentages indicate the ratio to a perfect score.

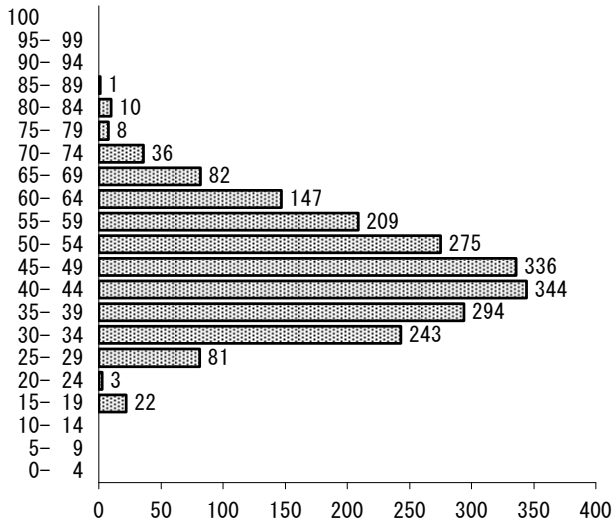
Score Distribution



Japanese as a Foreign Language
 Total Examinees **17,268**
 Average Score **223.7**
 Highest Score **393.0**
 Lowest Score **46.0**



Physics
 Total Examinees **1,903**
 Average Score **50.9**
 Highest Score **94.0**
 Lowest Score **26.0**



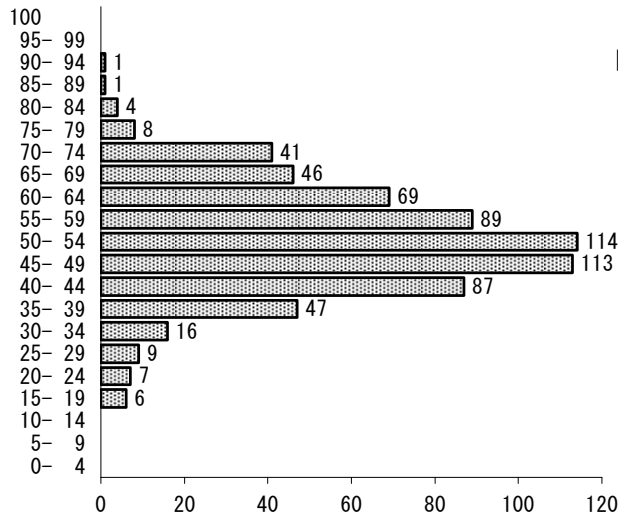
Chemistry

Total Examinees 2,091

Average Score 46.1

Highest Score 86.0

Lowest Score 16.0



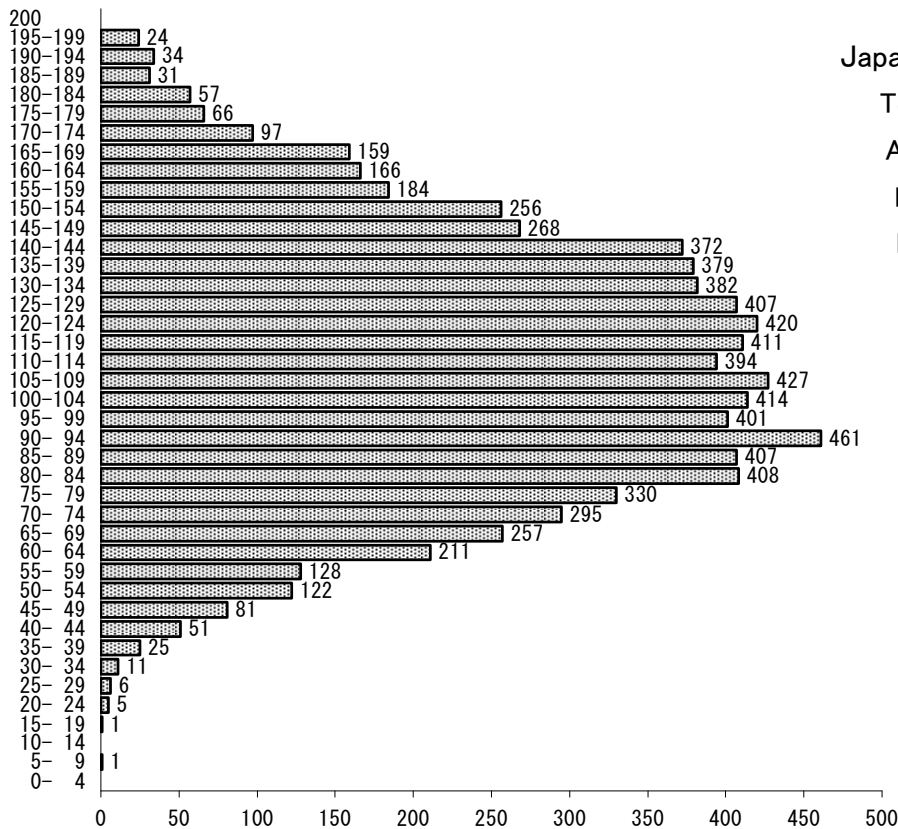
Biology

Total Examinees 658

Average Score 52.0

Highest Score 90.0

Lowest Score 19.0



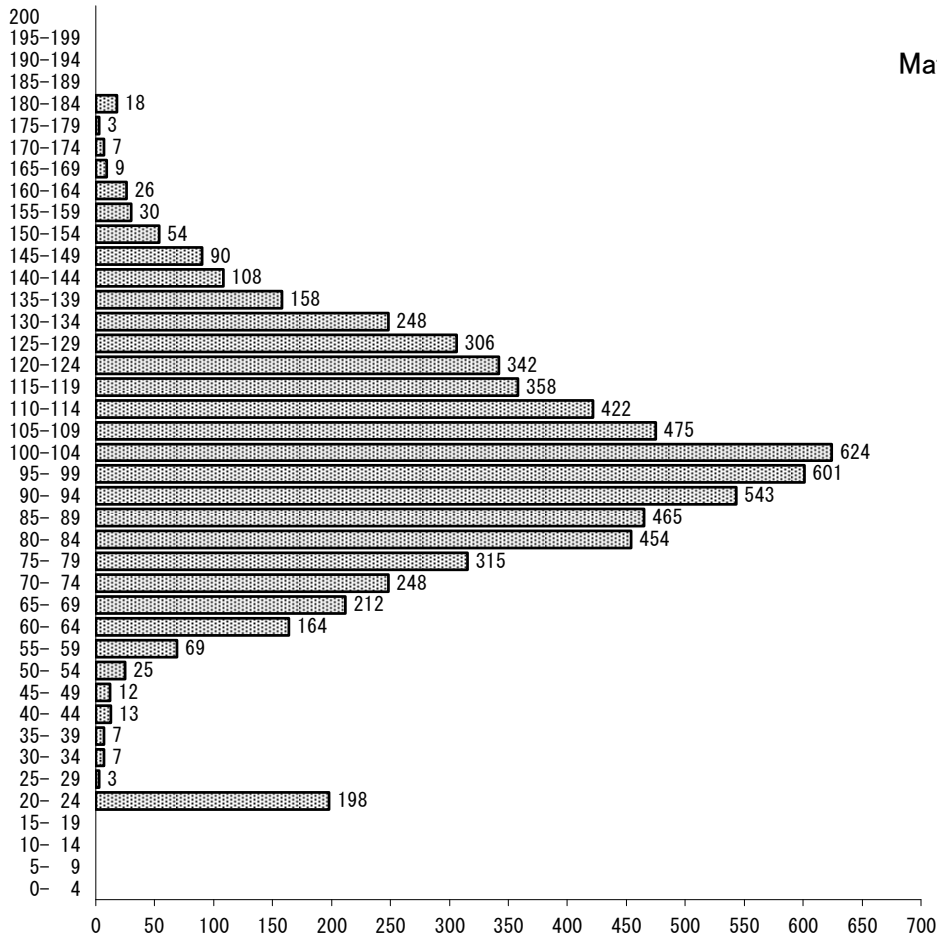
Japan and the World

Total Examinees 8,149

Average Score 110.8

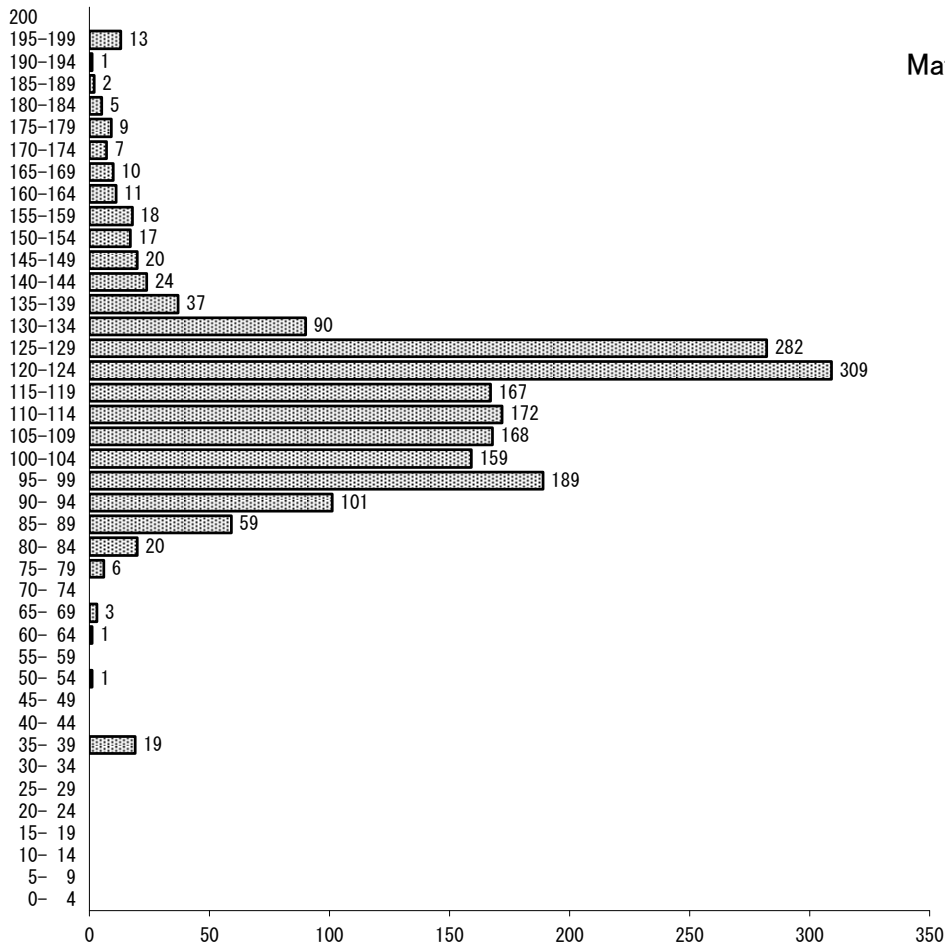
Highest Score 198.0

Lowest Score 9.0



Mathematics (Course 1)

Total Examinees **6,614**
 Average Score **99.0**
 Highest Score **183.0**
 Lowest Score **24.0**



Mathematics (Course 2)

Total Examinees **1,920**
 Average Score **115.3**
 Highest Score **198.0**
 Lowest Score **36.0**

Cumulative Distribution of Scaled Score

