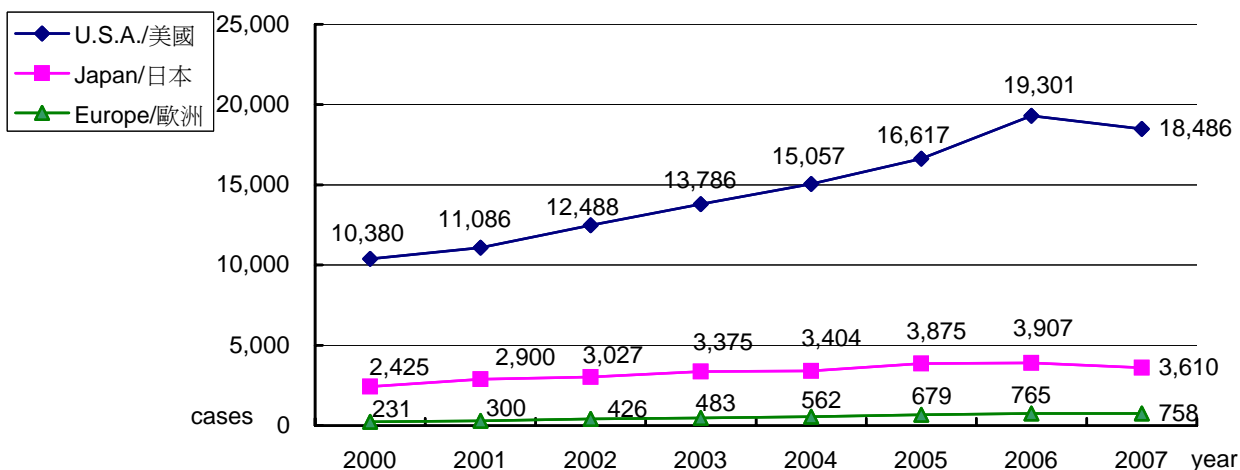


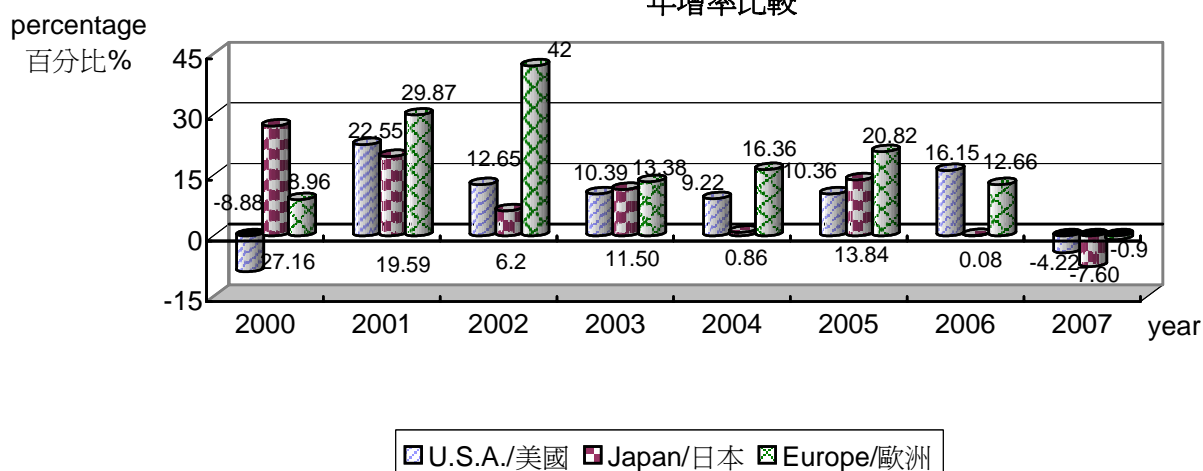
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Comparison of cases
件數比較



Comparison of annual rate of growth
年增率比較



unit(單位) : case(件)

year	2000			2001			2002			2003			2004			2005			2006			2007		
	cases	* (%)	rank	cases	* (%)	rank	cases	* (%)	rank	cases	* (%)	rank	cases	* (%)	rank	cases	* (%)	rank	cases	* (%)	rank	cases	* (%)	rank
U.S.A.	10,380	18.9		11,086	22.6		12,488	12.7	3	13,786	10.4	3	15,057	9.22	3	16,617	10.4	4	19,301	16.2	4	18,486	-4.2	4
Japan	2,425	27.2		2,900	19.6		3,027	6.2	5	3,375	11.5	5	3,404	0.86	5	3,875	13.8	4	3,907	0.08	5	3,610	-7.6	6
Europe	231	8.96		300	29.9		426	42	-	483	13.4	-	562	16.4	-	679	12.7	7	765	12.7	7	758	-0.9	8

* =annual rate of growth(%) /年增率%