(Annual series) 50% 45% Share of top decile in national income **─**U.S. Europe 40% 35% 30% 25% 1900 1910 1920 1930 1940 1950 1960 1970 1980 2000 1990 2010 The top decile share in national income was bigger in Europe in 1900-1910; it was far bigger in the USA in 2000-2010. Sources and series: see piketty.pse.ens.fr/capital21c.

Figure S9.6. Income inequality: Europe vs. USA, 1900-2010