32 Ratio of average incomes of the top 10% and the bottom 50% **Europe** China Russia U.S. India **Brasil** Middle South Qatar **East Africa**

Figure 13.5. Inequality between the top 10% and the bottom 50% (2018)

Interpretation. In 2018, the ratio of the average incomes of the top 10% and the bottom 50% was 8 in Europe, 14 in China and Russia, 19 in the U.S., 20 in Brasil, 34 in the Middle East, 35 in South Africa and 36 in Qatar. **Sources and series**: see piketty.pse.ens.fr/ideology.