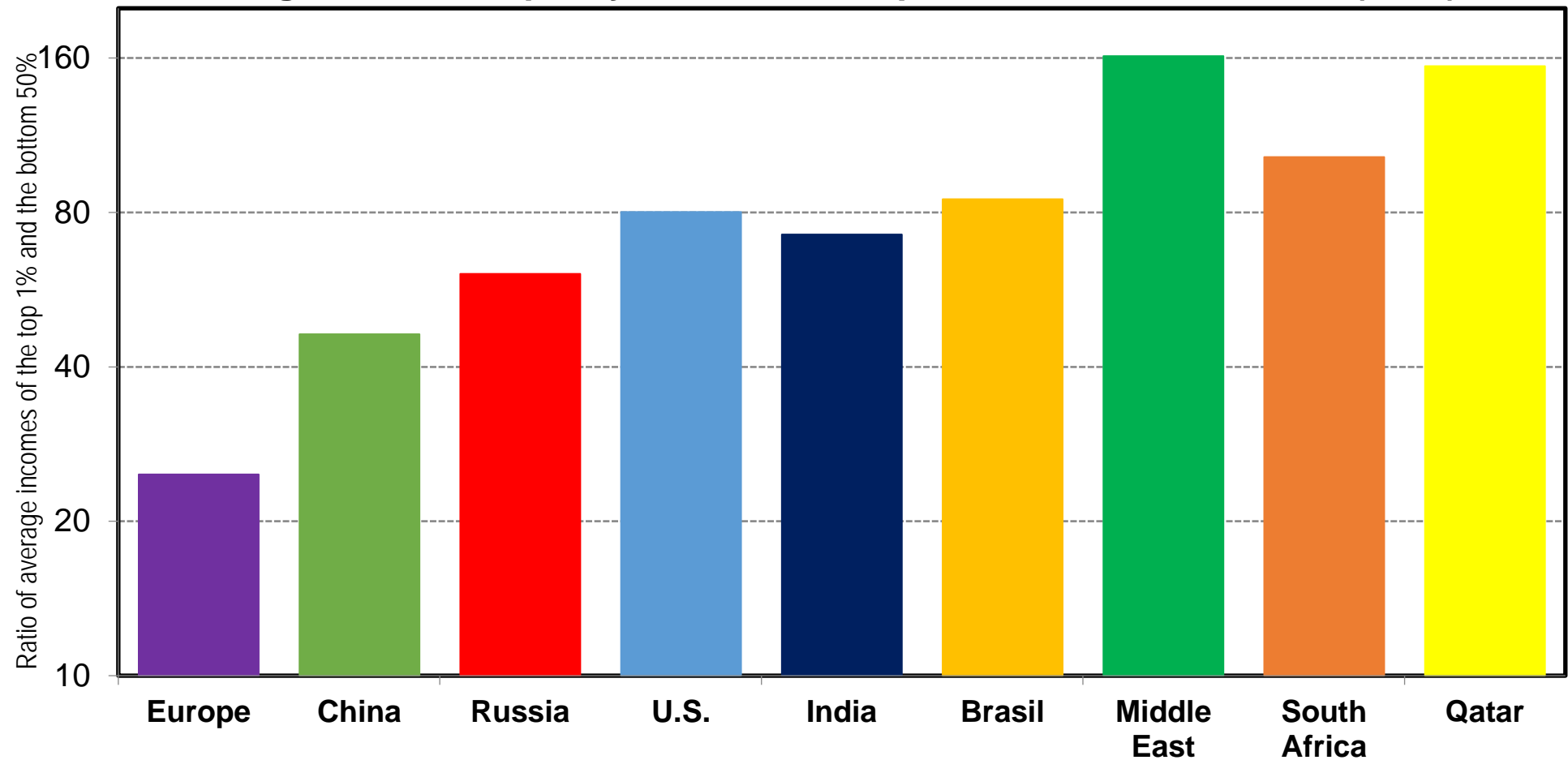


**Figure 13.6. Inequality between the top 1% and the bottom 50% (2018)**



**Interpretation.** In 2018, the ratio of the average incomes of the top 1% and the bottom 50% was 25 in Europe, 46 in China, 61 in Russia, 80 in the U.S., 72 in India, 85 in Brasil, 161 in the Middle East, 103 in South Africa and 154 in Qatar.  
Sources and series: see [piketty.pse.ens.fr/ideology](http://piketty.pse.ens.fr/ideology).