50% **--**U.S. **→**U.K. **-**□-Germany 45% — Sweden Share of top decile in total income 40% 35% 30% 25% 20% 1900 1910 1920 1930 1940 1950 1960 1970 1980 1990 2000 2010 In the 1950s-1970s, the top decile income share was about 30-35% of total income in Europe as in the U.S. Sources and series: see piketty.pse.ens.fr/capital21c.

Figure 9.7. The top decile income share: Europe and the U.S., 1900-2010