

Table 1: Wealth inequality 1910-2010: the (limited) rise of the middle class

	France 1910	France 2010	U.S. 2010
Top 10% "Upper Class"	87% 1 740 000 €	62% 1 240 000 €	72% 1 440 000 €
<i>incl. Top 1%</i> <i>"Very Rich"</i>	<i>53%</i> <i>10 600 000 €</i>	<i>24%</i> <i>4 800 000 €</i>	<i>33%</i> <i>6 600 000 €</i>
<i>incl. Other 9%</i> <i>"Middle Rich"</i>	<i>34%</i> <i>755 556 €</i>	<i>38%</i> <i>844 444 €</i>	<i>39%</i> <i>866 667 €</i>
Middle 40% "Middle Class"	12% 60 000 €	34% 170 000 €	26% 130 000 €
Bottom 50% "Poor"	1% 4 000 €	4% 16 000 €	2% 8 000 €
Share in total wealth <i>Average per adult wealth</i>	100% 200 000 €	100% 200 000 €	100% 200 000 €