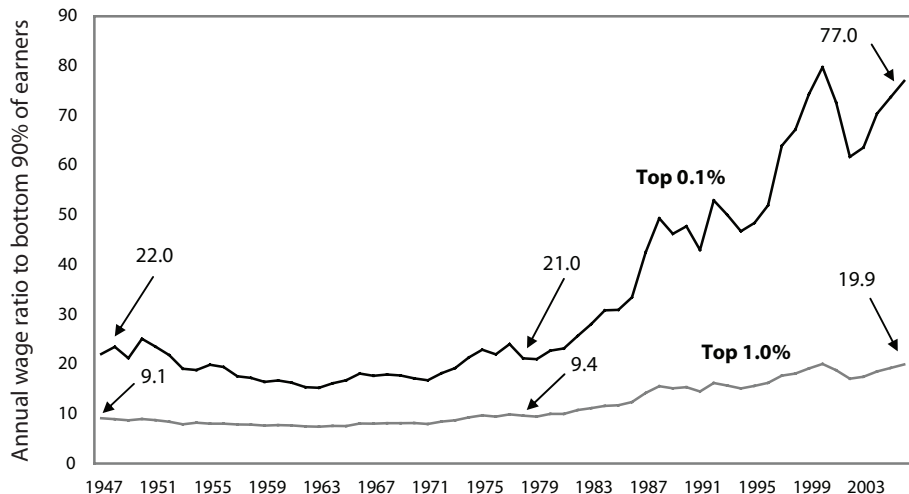


Ratio of wages of highest earners to those of bottom 90%, 1947-2006



Source: Authors' analysis of Social Security wage data and Kopczuk, Saez, and Song (2007).

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