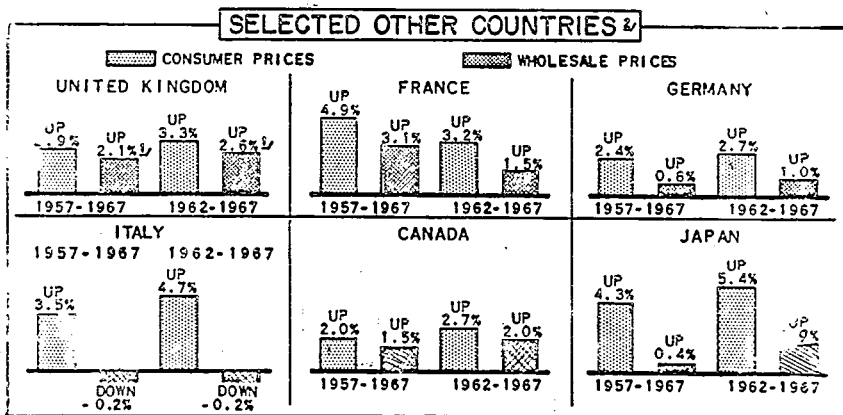
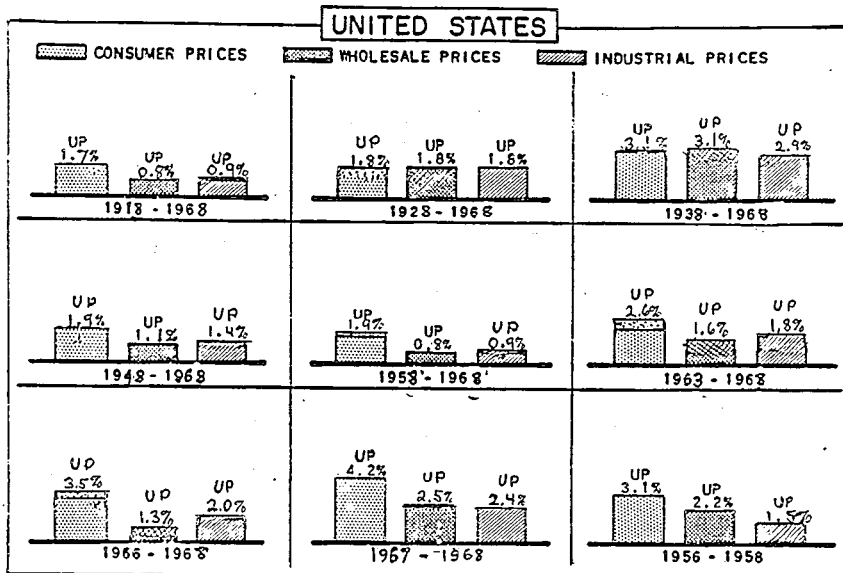


# SELECTED PRICE TRENDS, 1918-1968 U.S. AND SELECTED OTHER COUNTRIES

AVERAGE ANNUAL RATES OF CHANGE



1/ WHOLESALE PRICES OF FINISHED GOODS (WHOLESALE PRICES OF BASIC MATERIALS INCREASED 0.1% A YEAR DURING 1957-'67 AND 1.6% A YEAR DURING 1962-'67).

2/ 1967 DATA ARE PRELIMINARY ESTIMATES BASED UPON FIRST NINE TO ELEVEN MONTHS.

SOURCE: BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS; OFFICE OF BUSINESS ECONOMICS; AND THE UNITED NATIONS; DEPT. OF LABOR; AND ORGANIZATION FOR ECONOMIC COOPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT.