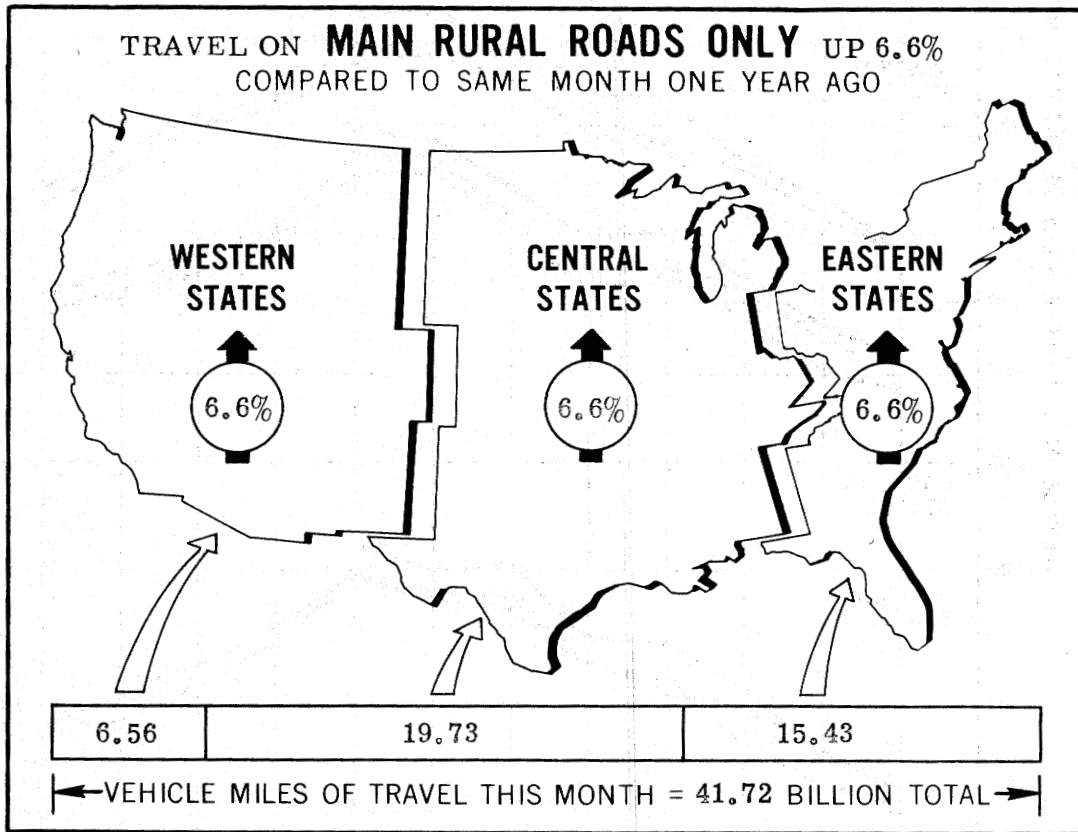


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TRAVEL ON **ALL ROADS AND STREETS** UP 5.7%
COMPARED TO SAME MONTH ONE YEAR AGO



¹/ALL DATA FOR THIS MONTH ARE PRELIMINARY, REVISED VALUES FOR PREVIOUS MONTH ARE SHOWN IN TABLES 1 AND 2

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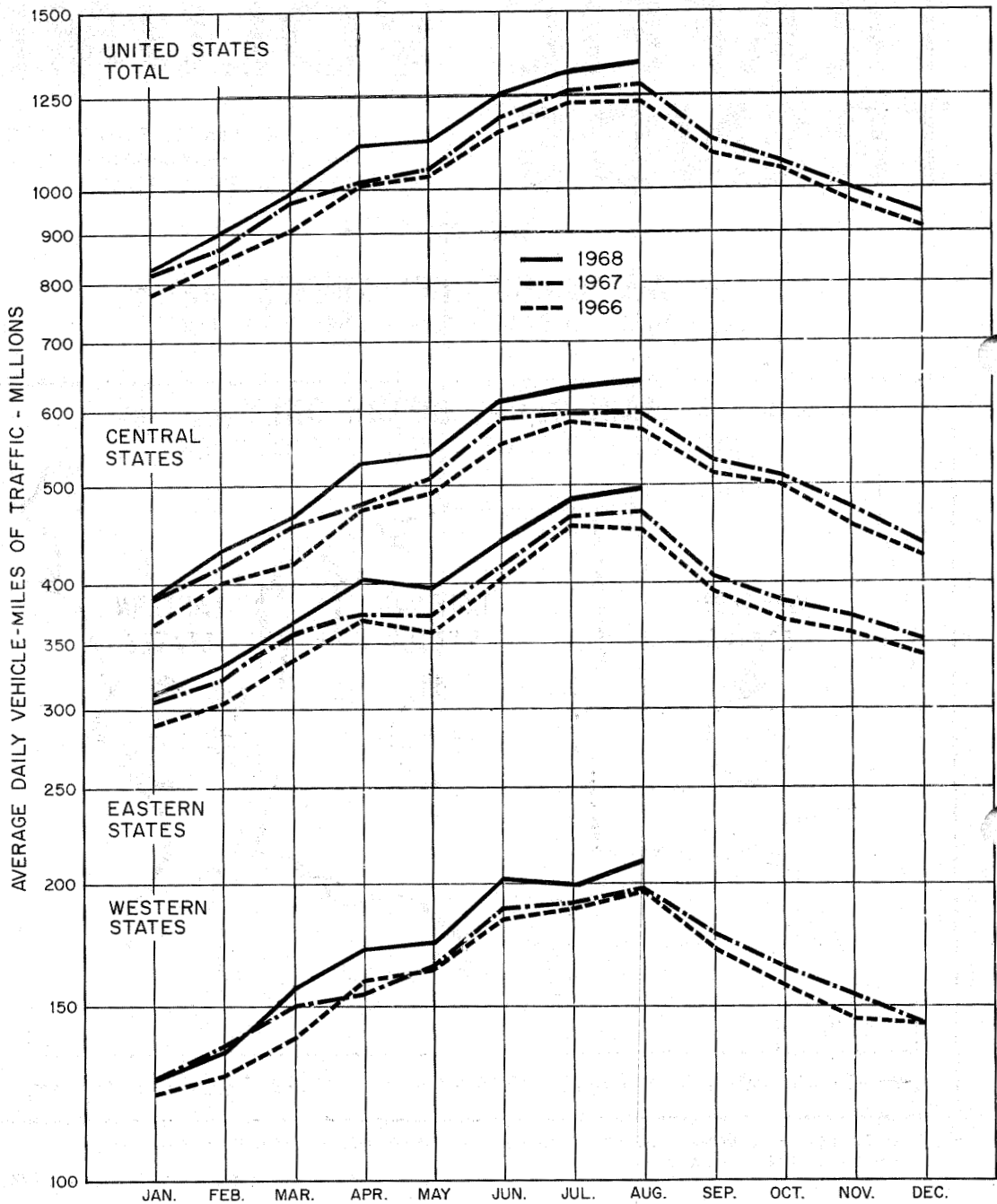


FIGURE 1 - TRAVEL ON MAIN RURAL ROADS, BY MONTHS

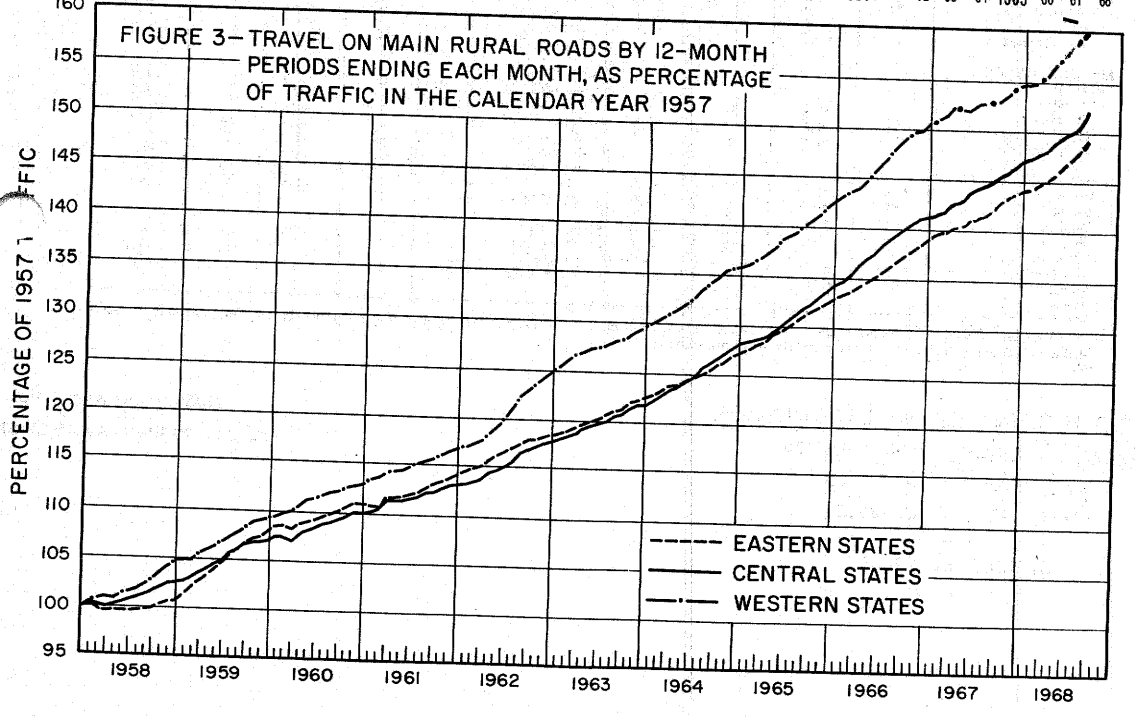
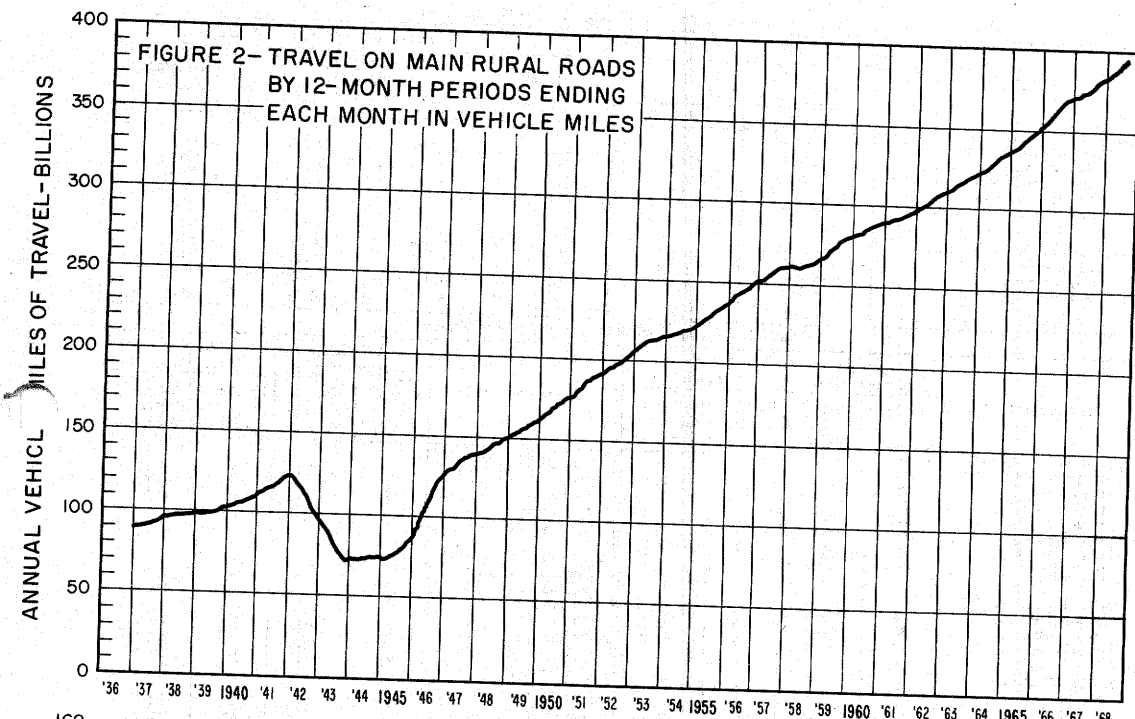


Table 1.—Summary by Road Class and by Geographic Area

	Preliminary data for AUGUST			Revised data for JULY		
	Vehicle-miles (millions)		Percentage change	Vehicle-miles (millions)		Percentage change
	1968	1967		1968	1967	
Class of road, All States:						
Main rural roads	41,865	39,281	+6.6	40,706	38,990	+4.4
Local rural roads			+2.9			+5.2
All rural roads			+5.7			+4.6
City streets			+5.8			+5.2
All roads and streets			+5.7			+4.9
48 States (main rural only):						
Eastern region	15,433	14,477	+6.6	14,953	14,420	+3.7
Central region	19,729	18,514	+6.6	19,438	18,534	+4.9
Western region	6,563	6,160	+6.6	6,177	5,907	+4.6
Total	41,725	39,151	+6.6	40,568	38,861	+4.4

Table 2.—Changes on Main Rural Roads by States

Division and state	AUGUST (preliminary)		JULY (revised)		Division and state	AUGUST (preliminary)		JULY (revised)	
	Number of stations ¹	Percentage change	Number of stations ¹	Percentage change		Number of stations ¹	Percentage change	Number of stations ¹	Percentage change
NEW ENGLAND:					EAST SOUTH CENTRAL:				
Connecticut	16	+10.4	17	+6.3	Alabama	50	+8.1	52	+5.3
Maine	20	+8.9	21	+2.5	Kentucky	30	+6.8	28	+3.6
Massachusetts	10	+5.7	-	-	Mississippi	45	+4.5	45	+5.1
New Hampshire	59	+6.1	58	-0.9	Tennessee	27	+9.1	22	+3.0
Rhode Island	5	+6.9	5	+10.2	WEST NORTH CENTRAL:				
Vermont	-	-	-	-	Iowa	-	-	-	-
MIDDLE ATLANTIC:					Kansas	69	+3.7	67	+4.7
New Jersey	13	+5.3	14	+2.2	Minnesota	22	+6.7	23	+4.3
New York	31	+4.8	28	+3.5	Missouri	-	-	83	+4.5
Pennsylvania	-	-	45	+4.0	Nebraska	20	+9.0	20	+8.0
SOUTH ATLANTIC					North Dakota	37	+8.9	37	+5.3
(North):					South Dakota	33	+6.5	33	+5.7
Delaware	11	+8.7	10	+4.6	WEST SOUTH CENTRAL:				
Maryland	32	+7.3	34	+1.4	Arkansas	33	+4.3	32	+3.4
Virginia	-	+5.9	-	+4.4	Louisiana	38	-1.0	39	+0.2
West Virginia	22	+4.2	22	+5.7	Oklahoma	-	-	-	-
SOUTH ATLANTIC					Texas	88	+11.6	90	+8.1
(South):					MOUNTAIN:				
Florida	-	-	63	+4.5	Arizona	12	+3.0	12	-2.3
Georgia	33	+8.9	34	+3.1	Colorado	39	+8.5	40	+3.9
North Carolina	41	+9.2	42	+5.5	Idaho	32	+6.2	32	+2.2
South Carolina	5	+9.0	9	+3.3	Montana	26	+5.0	26	+1.3
EAST NORTH CENTRAL:					Nevada	35	-3.7	35	+3.0
Illinois	16	+0.8	19	+3.4	New Mexico	-	-3.7	-	+3.6
Indiana	22	+6.4	22	+4.9	Utah	34	+7.1	34	+6.5
Michigan	36	+8.8	37	+4.2	Wyoming	31	+4.7	31	+4.5
Ohio	19	+7.3	19	+6.9	PACIFIC:				
Wisconsin	-	-	48	+3.6	California	-	+9.6	-	+6.5
Alaska	17	+11.7	18	+8.5	Oregon	-	-	87	+3.7
Hawaii	-	-	-	-	Washington	-	-	14	+6.4

¹Rural mileage of each major toll route is considered as one station. Where the number of stations is not shown, the States prepared traffic estimates, generally based on extensive traffic sampling surveys.

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