

United States V.S USSR:

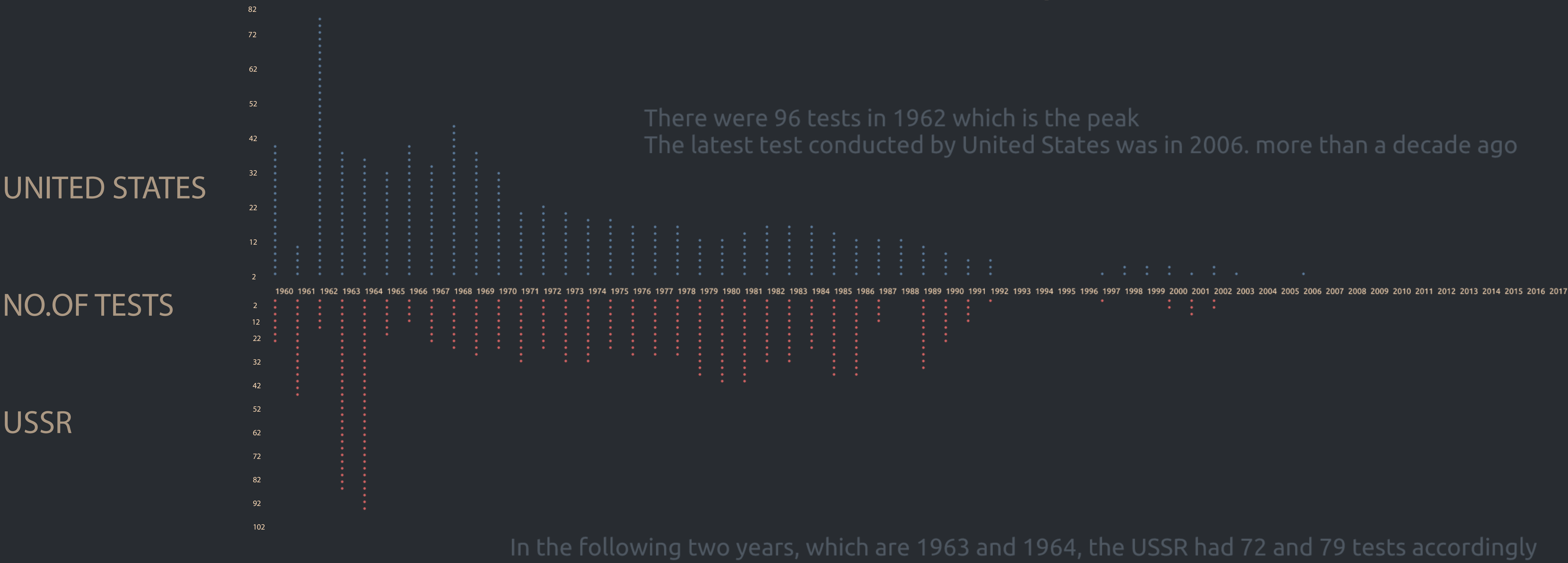
Is it a development of technology or just political decision

Number of tests, Population and Education gross rate from 1960 to 2010

UNITED STATES

NO.OF TESTS

USSR

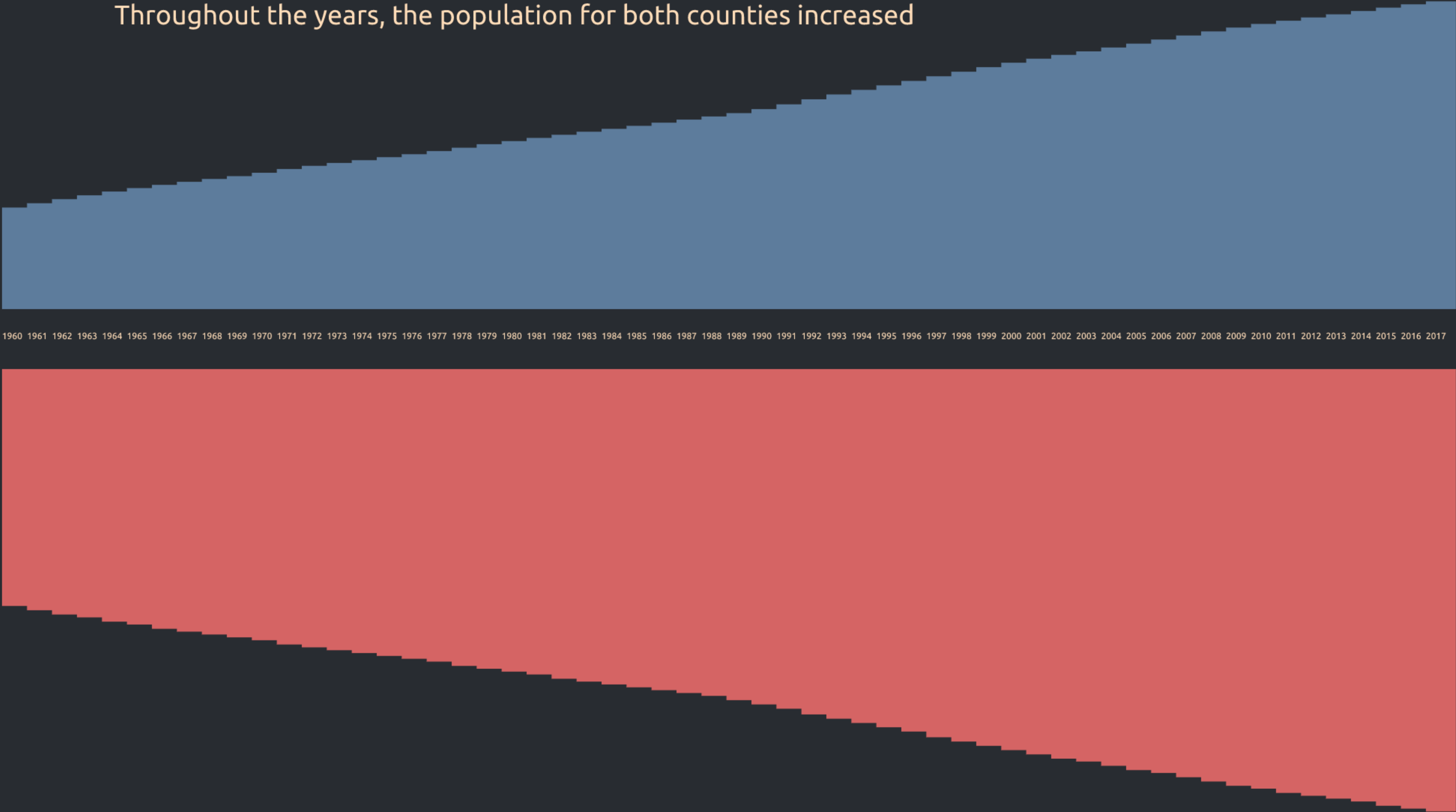


Throughout the years, the population for both counties increased

UNITED STATES

POPULATION
GROWTH

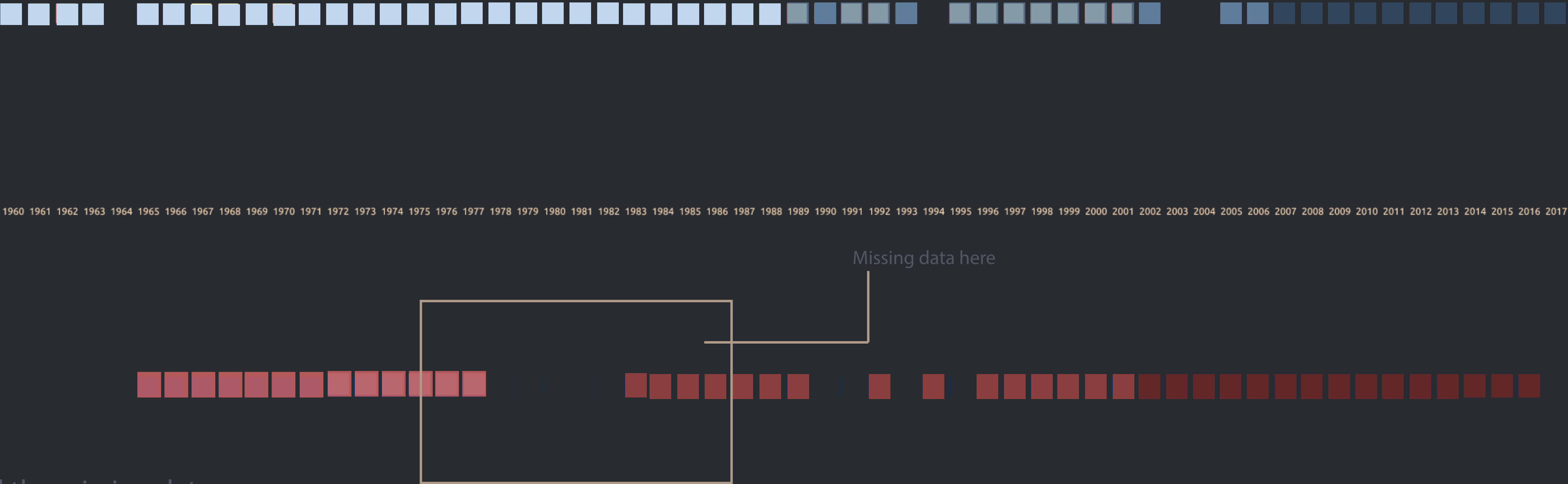
USSR



UNITED STATES

EDUCATION
ATTAINMENT
RATE

USSR



Those blank showed the missing data.
Where I used gross education rate to represent the educational conditions of the two countries, Which means the data can exceed 100% because the gross rate for educational attainment rate were counted repeatedly. However it still showed a growing trend. For USSR during the cold war years, its educational attainment rate (including professional training) was higher than the United States.

The developmment of nuclear industry in 1960s is a political driven result