

Table 18--Timber stand improvement program needs--fiscal years 1997-99 1/

	Current and Projected <i>1,000 acres</i>	Prior Year Projected 2/ <i>1,000 acres</i>
Fiscal year 1997		
10/1/96 balance	1,680	1,680
Actual needs	402	350
Actual accomplishments	-261	-274
10/1/97 balance	1,821	1,756
Fiscal year 1998		
10/1/97 balance	1,821	
New needs	400	
Projected accomplishments	-260	
10/1/98 balance	1,961	
Fiscal year 1999:		
10/1/98 balance	1,961	
New needs	350	
Projected accomplishments	-300	
Projected 10/1/99 balance 3/	2,011	

1/ Data source is Reforestation & TSI Needs Report (2400-K). This information is required by the National Forest Management Act of 1976, Section 4d(1).

2/ Projections in FY 1996 Report of the Forest Service

3/ This represents over 6 years of future projected accomplishments.