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Table 1. Output/ha (000 kg).

Year	Product			
	A	B	C	D
1955	10	8	6	4
1960	20	16	12	8
Total	30	46	18	12

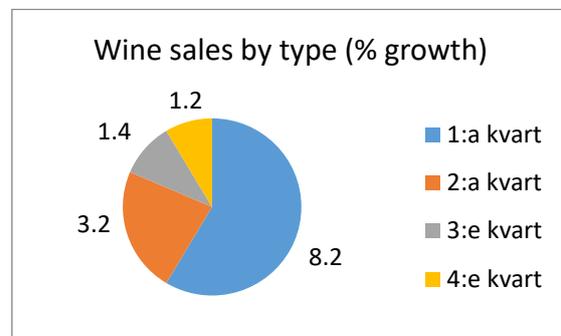


Figure 1. Wine sales by type.

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References

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