

Table 15. Selected Characteristics of Farms by Standard Industrial Classification: 1982—Con.

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

SIC code	Farms	Land in farms (acres)	Harvested cropland (acres)	Value of selected capital assets ¹ , average per farm (dollars)		Market value of sales (\$1,000)		
				Land and buildings	Machinery and equipment	Total	Crops, including nursery and greenhouse products	Livestock, poultry, and their products
Livestock (02)	29 993	5 751 457	3 648 153	336 052	46 397	2 210 272	418 642	1 791 631
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021)	23 798	4 584 650	2 848 880	330 301	43 635	1 724 706	343 780	1 380 927
Beef cattle feedlots (0211)	4 204	958 500	649 663	423 505	49 416	459 522	76 139	383 383
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212)	6 667	647 745	160 415	133 671	18 443	77 565	11 751	65 814
Hogs (0213)	9 872	2 051 726	1 436 156	371 610	52 700	935 903	172 451	763 451
Sheep and goats (0214)	590	20 059	3 863	95 529	10 089	4 273	182	4 091
General livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (0219)	2 465	906 620	598 783	607 761	75 354	247 444	83 256	164 188
Dairy farms (024)	3 028	809 549	605 034	479 679	82 545	321 003	47 118	273 885
Poultry and eggs (025)	456	34 350	20 694	231 570	42 772	74 086	4 446	69 641
Broiler, fryer, and roaster chickens (0251)	7	55	6	47 333	6 373	51	-	51
Chicken eggs (0252)	375	27 915	17 466	214 421	44 841	67 803	3 742	64 060
Turkeys and turkey eggs (0253)	13	2 021	1 509	505 364	30 773	3 479	386	3 093
Poultry hatcheries (0254)	4	4	-	6 000	112 500	533	-	533
Poultry and eggs, n.e.c. (0259)	57	4 355	1 713	292 101	35 864	2 221	317	1 904
Animal specialties (027)	1 822	57 775	9 393	114 850	14 375	24 558	574	23 984
Fur-bearing animals and rabbits (0271)	94	1 095	188	100 656	19 514	8 416	41	8 375
Horses and other equines (0272)	1 596	53 037	8 930	121 487	14 235	15 165	498	14 666
Animal specialties, n.e.c. (0279)	132	3 643	275	55 512	13 914	977	34	942
General farms, primarily livestock (029)	889	265 133	164 152	561 155	71 394	65 919	22 724	43 195

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.

Table 16. Agricultural Chemicals Used, Including Fertilizer and Lime: 1982 and 1978

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Chemicals used	1982	1978	Chemicals used	1982	1978
Any chemicals, fertilizer, or lime used	83 299	93 342	Any chemicals, fertilizer, or lime used—Con.		
Commercial fertilizer	75 634	85 934	Other agricultural chemicals ¹	74 619	87 434
acres on which used	15 850 943	14 366 641	\$1,000	344 575	225 556
\$1,000	712 705	530 912	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—		
Lime	18 405	21 460	Insects on hay and other crops	33 416	32 587
acres on which used	1 069 654	1 253 847	acres on which used	5 899 183	6 044 833
tons	2 685 911	3 269 368	Nematodes in crops	2 439	3 361
acres on which used			acres on which used	373 233	457 577
Farms by tons used:			Diseases in crops and orchards	2 141	2 854
1 to 49 tons	5 250	5 257	acres on which used	256 913	302 271
50 to 99 tons	4 520	5 392	Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture	83 978	58 649
100 to 199 tons	4 432	5 699	acres on which used	16 823 932	13 729 838
200 to 499 tons	3 467	4 194	Chemicals used for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	2 266	1 399
500 to 999 tons	577	730	acres on which used	262 585	132 339
1,000 tons or more	159	188			

¹Data for 1978 include the cost of lime which was not collected in 1982.