

**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 <sup>1</sup> , 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) .....	29 941	4 352 603	2 549 225	232 291	35 317	1 796 923	271 380	1 525 544
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021) .....	23 444	3 195 720	1 794 049	216 955	30 633	1 105 375	197 215	908 160
Beef cattle feedlots (0211) .....	3 874	470 789	249 708	212 139	29 368	147 613	26 015	121 598
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212) .....	8 547	739 715	160 760	114 898	15 092	105 760	8 101	97 659
Hogs (0213) .....	8 609	1 512 607	1 084 958	301 945	45 772	733 299	127 604	605 695
Sheep and goats (0214) .....	526	18 745	3 673	95 655	9 937	1 303	169	1 134
General livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (0219) .....	1 888	453 864	294 950	346 936	41 867	117 401	35 326	82 075
Dairy farms (024) .....	3 293	770 184	531 651	354 123	64 052	286 620	41 218	245 403
Poultry and eggs (025) .....	1 002	112 484	66 311	262 272	73 472	327 308	12 027	315 280
Broiler, fryer, and roaster chickens (0251) .....	101	6 466	3 029	177 977	99 656	15 748	422	15 326
Chicken eggs (0252) .....	644	73 521	44 327	287 095	79 416	232 977	8 783	224 193
Turkeys and turkey eggs (0253) .....	171	24 851	13 582	233 882	55 289	50 262	1 958	48 304
Poultry hatcheries (0254) .....	10	435	318	629 286	190 728	10 986	105	10 881
Poultry and eggs, n.e.c. (0259) .....	76	7 211	5 055	197 447	31 865	17 335	759	16 577
Animal specialties (027) .....	1 275	43 495	6 280	88 454	11 058	12 946	300	12 647
Fur-bearing animals and rabbits (0271) .....	91	845	130	29 303	7 881	787	4	782
Horses and other equines (0272) .....	1 088	39 103	6 031	97 181	11 266	7 284	281	7 004
Animal specialties, n.e.c. (0279) .....	96	3 547	119	82 825	13 127	4 875	14	4 861
General farms, primarily livestock (029) .....	927	230 720	150 934	381 737	52 109	64 674	20 620	44 054

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

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

[Data are based on a sample of farms; see text. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Chemicals used	1982	1978	Chemicals used	1982	1978
Any chemicals, fertilizer, or lime used .....	63 469	72 460	Any chemicals, fertilizer, or lime used—Con.		
Commercial fertilizer .....	58 386	67 630	Other agricultural chemicals <sup>1</sup> .....	52 473	63 936
acres on which used .....	9 538 238	9 997 971	\$1,000 .....	173 999	115 557
\$1,000 .....	453 678	352 541	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—		
Lime .....	11 758	14 333	Insects on hay and other crops .....	20 236	22 579
acres on which used .....	504 893	663 152	acres on which used .....	2 807 547	2 926 938
tons .....	1 095 193	1 547 225	Nematodes in crops .....	2 138	3 737
tons .....			acres on which used .....	247 550	452 158
Farms by tons used:			Diseases in crops and orchards .....	2 042	2 249
1 to 49 tons .....	5 870	6 083	acres on which used .....	151 307	176 423
50 to 99 tons .....	2 590	3 282	Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture .....	44 440	49 012
100 to 199 tons .....	1 950	2 890	acres on which used .....	8 781 984	8 138 624
200 to 499 tons .....	1 085	1 690	Chemicals used for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit .....	1 901	1 797
500 to 999 tons .....	193	304	acres on which used .....	133 043	111 878
1,000 tons or more .....	70	84			

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