

**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) -----	3 648	722 334	216 123	153 442	30 992	258 970	3 916	255 054
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021) -----	1 878	272 703	50 639	100 470	17 737	9 735	571	9 183
Beef cattle feedlots (0211) -----	280	44 934	8 696	102 946	18 540	1 056	94	982
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212) -----	1 038	163 523	30 735	98 772	17 297	6 545	292	6 233
Hogs (0213) -----	142	15 243	2 308 <sup>1</sup>	124 542	16 185	838	51	787
Sheep and goats (0214) -----	285	29 367	4 483	86 199	12 382	712	32	680
General livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (0219) -----	133	19 636	4 417	122 370	34 662	584	103	482
Dairy farms (024) -----	1 077	369 922	152 520	228 968	57 389	102 542	1 792	100 749
Poultry and eggs (025) -----	331	38 373	7 580	195 718	36 602	137 573	1 379	136 194
Broiler, fryer, and roaster chickens (0251) -----	88	7 849	1 495	140 000	38 064	24 830	313	24 517
Chicken eggs (0252) -----	226	26 254	5 992	213 914	34 687	108 665	1 066	107 600
Turkeys and turkey eggs (0253) -----	5	479	31	132 400	12 250	10	(Z)	10
Poultry hatcheries (0254) -----	7	3 540	48	452 750	251 621	4 065	-	4 065
Poultry and eggs, n.e.c. (0259) -----	5	251	14	-	-	3	-	3
Animal specialties (027) -----	255	21 431	2 696	197 563	19 229	8 529	38	8 491
Fur-bearing animals and rabbits (0271) -----	20	730	79	128 333	21 667	38	1	37
Horses and other equines (0272) -----	195	17 300	2 175	131 663	12 745	1 045	19	1 026
Animal specialties, n.e.c. (0279) -----	40	3 401	442	717 923	68 296	7 446	18	7 428
General farms, primarily livestock (029) -----	107	19 905	2 688	103 053	11 559	592	135	457

<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 ----- farms..	3 912	4 732	Any chemicals, fertilizer, or lime used—Con.		
Commercial fertilizer ----- farms..	3 344	4 110	Other agricultural chemicals <sup>1</sup> ----- farms..	2 704	4 030
acres on which used..	252 282	275 065	\$1,000..	9 865	8 693
\$1,000..	18 719	17 456	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—		
Lime ----- farms..	1 510	2 119	insects on hay and other crops ----- farms..	1 948	1 878
acres on which used..	72 502	87 395	acres on which used..	139 550	135 617
tons..	76 650	98 267	Nematodes in crops ----- farms..	150	195
Farms by tons used:			acres on which used..	8 800	9 697
1 to 49 tons -----	1 058	1 540	Diseases in crops and orchards ----- farms..	1 094	1 279
50 to 99 tons -----	229	311	acres on which used..	80 291	95 176
100 to 199 tons -----	152	193	Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ----- farms..	1 690	2 252
200 to 499 tons -----	58	60	acres on which used..	145 312	164 530
500 to 999 tons -----	10	13	Chemicals used for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit ----- farms..	565	694
1,000 tons or more -----	3	2	acres on which used..	53 611	57 698

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