

**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) -----	50 395	11 739 964	7 117 504	261 104	54 651	3 473 734	468 576	3 005 158
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021) -----	26 233	5 554 614	3 271 021	243 938	43 646	1 491 624	262 263	1 229 361
Beef cattle feedlots (0211) -----	4 260	1 151 794	798 759	343 176	60 696	433 151	62 678	370 473
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212) -----	9 474	1 750 148	586 964	131 109	24 048	147 565	19 322	128 243
Hogs (0213) -----	8 780	1 717 976	1 261 103	288 472	53 224	688 595	121 027	567 569
Sheep and goats (0214) -----	1 163	92 461	24 638	79 273	13 786	7 277	765	6 512
General livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (0219) -----	2 556	842 235	599 557	396 233	64 910	215 035	58 471	156 565
Dairy farms (024) -----	18 618	4 998 731	3 114 087	272 411	68 812	1 341 837	125 759	1 216 078
Poultry and eggs (025) -----	1 199	192 322	96 839	292 745	73 804	401 272	13 138	388 134
Broiler, fryer, and roaster chickens (0251) -----	115	14 030	7 124	208 204	51 690	24 113	618	23 495
Chicken eggs (0252) -----	658	66 566	37 628	215 750	59 866	119 859	5 129	114 730
Turkeys and turkey eggs (0253) -----	276	95 727	45 849	506 680	124 589	226 027	6 445	219 582
Poultry hatcheries (0254) -----	21	1 716	1 153	472 833	81 946	27 962	371	27 592
Poultry and eggs, n.e.c. (0259) -----	129	14 283	5 085	209 649	28 420	3 312	575	2 736
Animal specialties (027) -----	1 822	95 983	15 876	102 155	16 211	32 661	590	32 071
Fur-bearing animals and rabbits (0271) -----	213	11 590	2 649	60 735	20 909	14 015	173	13 842
Horses and other equines (0272) -----	1 325	71 788	11 414	107 159	13 665	6 878	256	6 622
Animal specialties, n.e.c. (0279) -----	284	12 605	1 813	111 731	22 448	11 769	161	11 607
General farms, primarily livestock (029) -----	2 523	898 314	619 681	450 547	80 941	206 340	66 826	139 513

<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...	72 898	82 347	Any chemicals, fertilizer, or lime used—Con.		
Commercial fertilizer ----- farms...	66 171	75 892	Other agricultural chemicals <sup>1</sup> ----- farms...	62 791	73 618
acres on which used... \$1,000...	12 800 063	13 314 628	\$1,000...	224 044	123 394
374 854	317 597		Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—		
Lime ----- farms...	4 168	5 252	Insects on hay and other crops ----- farms...	18 131	22 803
acres on which used... tons...	162 255	234 202	acres on which used...	2 496 835	3 502 124
388 055	612 066		Nematodes in crops ----- farms...	1 684	3 104
Farms by tons used:			acres on which used...	232 199	383 001
1 to 49 tons -----	2 003	2 110	Diseases in crops and orchards ----- farms...	2 256	2 354
50 to 99 tons -----	1 085	1 387	acres on which used...	468 165	382 674
100 to 199 tons -----	658	1 004	Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture --- farms...	55 125	58 118
200 to 499 tons -----	344	572	acres on which used...	12 948 024	11 509 076
500 to 999 tons -----	49	121	Chemicals used for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit ----- farms...	1 323	1 686
1,000 tons or more -----	29	58	acres on which used...	215 064	216 095

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