

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) -----	26 465	6 672 691	3 056 295	180 486	52 207	1 808 518	61 455	1 747 063
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021) -----	9 387	1 274 112	374 167	101 784	19 940	105 950	9 224	96 726
Beef cattle feedlots (0211) -----	1 474	177 614	57 146	95 550	17 844	13 626	1 027	12 598
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212) -----	6 032	883 539	248 444	105 458	20 666	71 423	5 154	66 269
Hogs (0213) -----	831	79 438	26 883	80 082	16 992	12 186	1 332	10 854
Sheep and goats (0214) -----	600	62 923	14 220	82 562	15 538	2 272	223	2 049
General livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (0219) -----	450	70 598	27 474	139 314	27 976	6 443	1 487	4 956
Dairy farms (024) -----	14 294	5 093 968	2 597 432	236 474	77 734	1 518 430	42 595	1 475 835
Poultry and eggs (025) -----	570	61 252	22 511	173 006	56 338	119 327	4 148	115 179
Broiler, fryer, and roaster chickens (0251) -----	9	456	27	116 000	94 938	589	5	584
Chicken eggs (0252) -----	432	50 140	20 067	197 582	71 455	98 296	3 626	94 671
Turkeys and turkey eggs (0253) -----	25	2 534	1 199	119 909	32 304	4 153	234	3 919
Poultry hatcheries (0254) -----	8	842	29	905 000	91 338	1 041	-	1 041
Poultry and eggs, n.e.c. (0259) -----	96	7 280	1 189	119 836	20 049	15 248	284	14 964
Animal specialties (027) -----	1 697	127 327	19 981	136 761	18 582	46 767	349	46 418
Fur-bearing animals and rabbits (0271) -----	83	3 292	410	65 264	20 565	2 786	14	2 772
Horses and other equines (0272) -----	1 351	111 258	18 669	149 530	16 946	23 510	315	23 195
Animal specialties, n.e.c. (0279) -----	263	12 777	902	103 088	25 499	20 472	20	20 452
General farms, primarily livestock (029) -----	517	116 032	42 204	209 017	31 589	18 044	5 139	12 906

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 ----- farms..	29 257	33 254	Any chemicals, fertilizer, or lime used—Con. ----- farms..	22 846	28 559
Commercial fertilizer ----- farms..	27 007	30 761	Other agricultural chemicals ¹ ----- farms..	56 139	40 490
acres on which used... \$1,000..	2 682 776	2 479 579	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—		
Lime ----- farms..	109 479	87 595	Insects on hay and other crops ----- farms..	9 262	8 807
acres on which used... tons..	10 152	9 631	acres on which used... farms..	749 816	611 275
acres on which used... tons..	333 624	280 432	Nematodes in crops ----- farms..	1 089	1 032
tons..	630 530	561 167	acres on which used... farms..	86 315	60 502
Farms by tons used:			Diseases in crops and orchards ----- farms..	4 358	4 532
1 to 49 tons -----	6 343	6 120	acres on which used... farms..	254 563	268 200
50 to 99 tons -----	2 016	1 944	Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture --- farms..	18 483	19 347
100 to 199 tons -----	1 230	1 076	acres on which used... farms..	1 667 203	1 481 419
200 to 499 tons -----	459	428	Chemicals used for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit ----- farms..	1 569	1 477
500 to 999 tons -----	81	47	acres on which used... farms..	93 955	76 095
1,000 tons or more -----	23	16			

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