

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)	52 348	20 667 985	2 873 046	251 205	22 675	1 720 298	159 994	1 560 305
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021)	46 678	19 296 341	2 615 453	250 850	22 007	1 399 171	147 519	1 251 651
Beef cattle feedlots (0211)	2 068	1 180 437	190 749	351 431	30 182	446 311	12 221	434 091
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212)	42 160	17 661 581	2 285 486	249 441	21 561	893 668	125 110	768 558
Hogs (0213)	1 466	153 186	34 326	124 275	18 442	30 054	2 145	27 909
Sheep and goats (0214)	420	32 380	6 041	85 186	13 241	2 824	271	2 552
General livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (0219)	564	268 757	98 851	362 113	38 718	26 313	7 772	18 541
Dairy farms (024)	1 404	604 757	186 151	383 890	60 491	156 740	8 460	148 281
Poultry and eggs (025)	786	127 728	19 059	216 070	28 765	129 981	654	129 326
Broiler, fryer, and roaster chickens (0251)	361	70 529	11 469	255 278	31 359	54 226	437	53 789
Chicken eggs (0252)	341	45 364	5 897	177 057	23 555	49 625	178	49 447
Turkeys and turkey eggs (0253)	38	7 370	1 010	273 452	58 318	14 407	10	14 398
Poultry hatcheries (0254)	8	46	5	372 800	167 716	11 248	-	11 248
Poultry and eggs, n.e.c. (0259)	38	4 419	678	189 558	11 707	474	30	444
Animal specialties (027)	2 406	261 030	12 343	154 596	14 946	24 575	292	24 283
Fur-bearing animals and rabbits (0271)	52	893	24	43 460	7 927	161	(2)	161
Horses and other equines (0272)	2 258	247 700	11 413	159 747	14 161	23 312	256	23 056
Animal specialties, n.e.c. (0279)	96	12 437	906	105 659	40 076	1 101	36	1 065
General farms, primarily livestock (029)	1 074	378 129	40 040	329 009	15 406	9 832	3 068	6 764

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	36 922	45 907	Any chemicals, fertilizer, or lime used—Con.		
Commercial fertilizer	33 641	39 806	Other agricultural chemicals ¹	16 732	27 392
acres on which used	6 966 352	7 225 497	\$1,000	31 075	33 421
\$1,000	116 377	113 512	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—		
Lime	1 377	2 758	Insects on hay and other crops	8 807	11 701
acres on which used	79 400	146 618	acres on which used	1 519 409	1 703 640
tons	134 200	250 815	Nematodes in crops	274	900
Farms by tons used:			acres on which used	27 929	78 614
1 to 49 tons	650	1 455	Diseases in crops and orchards	1 109	1 951
50 to 99 tons	329	597	acres on which used	93 581	135 314
100 to 199 tons	269	435	Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture	10 770	16 875
200 to 499 tons	92	213	acres on which used	2 084 674	2 625 929
500 to 999 tons	30	35	Chemicals used for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit	469	1 174
1,000 tons or more	7	23	acres on which used	59 645	98 030

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