

**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) .....	21 487	11 814 108	872 800	299 820	22 541	700 963	34 672	666 291
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021) .....	17 573	11 148 195	779 826	314 718	21 127	434 009	27 601	406 408
Beef cattle feedlots (0211) .....	2 137	415 746	49 326	202 670	16 625	121 970	3 907	118 063
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212) .....	12 144	10 103 011	670 631	364 875	23 395	250 135	19 266	230 869
Hogs (0213) .....	718	66 852	13 209	120 396	15 513	17 364	1 694	15 671
Sheep and goats (0214) .....	1 948	408 656	22 920	210 228	13 667	37 566	851	36 715
General livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (0219) .....	626	153 930	23 740	228 102	19 576	6 974	1 884	5 090
Dairy farms (024) .....	1 036	196 249	68 959	405 995	67 064	183 454	4 021	179 434
Poultry and eggs (025) .....	370	21 123	7 210	224 050	28 930	60 918	1 690	59 228
Broiler, fryer, and roaster chickens (0251) .....	74	4 492	1 408	290 175	52 092	19 320	403	18 917
Chicken eggs (0252) .....	231	7 840	818	188 551	22 087	28 498	125	28 372
Turkeys and turkey eggs (0253) .....	32	8 072	4 754	657 727	80 933	9 816	1 098	8 718
Poultry hatcheries (0254) .....	7	267	200	471 333	46 667	3 101	60	3 041
Poultry and eggs, n.e.c. (0259) .....	26	452	30	88 250	5 976	183	3	180
Animal specialties (027) .....	2 101	118 215	7 766	151 586	12 945	19 196	195	19 002
Fur-bearing animals and rabbits (0271) .....	286	6 388	596	93 760	13 037	5 932	26	5 906
Horses and other equines (0272) .....	1 618	105 438	6 742	169 221	12 953	11 398	149	11 249
Animal specialties, n.e.c. (0279) .....	197	6 389	428	93 387	12 744	1 866	20	1 846
General farms, primarily livestock (029) .....	407	330 326	9 039	270 264	19 724	3 385	1 165	2 220

<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 .....	21 498	20 813	Any chemicals, fertilizer, or lime used—Con.		
Commercial fertilizer .....	17 784	17 379	Other agricultural chemicals <sup>1</sup> .....	14 862	15 858
acres on which used .....	2 611 937	2 540 524	\$1,000 .....	56 739	32 763
\$1,000 .....	104 674	73 096	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—		
Lime .....	1 634	2 310	Insects on hay and other crops .....	5 844	5 262
acres on which used .....	49 853	77 390	acres on which used .....	550 716	517 043
tons .....	87 066	151 592	Nematodes in crops .....	853	674
Farms by tons used:			acres on which used .....	55 550	43 951
1 to 49 tons .....	1 172	1 526	Diseases in crops and orchards .....	3 818	4 090
50 to 99 tons .....	252	420	acres on which used .....	309 182	278 825
100 to 199 tons .....	110	196	Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture .....	11 894	10 811
200 to 499 tons .....	89	141	acres on which used .....	1 893 676	1 670 397
500 to 999 tons .....	6	20	Chemicals used for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit .....	1 349	1 378
1,000 tons or more .....	5	7	acres on which used .....	77 275	82 430

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