

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) -----	35 562	5 720 847	2 949 005	230 432	41 890	2 184 307	125 929	2 058 379
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021) -----	17 345	1 972 758	762 854	153 416	23 615	383 891	38 506	345 385
Beef cattle feedlots (0211) -----	5 294	609 816	270 639	166 353	25 569	116 759	13 932	102 827
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212) -----	7 243	854 124	239 591	132 161	19 543	76 191	5 959	70 232
Hogs (0213) -----	2 559	253 919	143 017	166 107	27 734	143 487	10 676	132 811
Sheep and goats (0214) -----	880	70 537	13 274	112 516	12 419	2 436	92	2 344
General livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (0219) -----	1 369	184 362	96 333	208 973	34 715	45 018	7 847	37 171
Dairy farms (024) -----	13 798	3 331 034	1 997 179	328 718	67 855	1 211 785	63 618	1 148 167
Poultry and eggs (025) -----	1 701	162 933	98 194	299 585	50 233	486 038	13 870	472 168
Broiler, fryer, and roaster chickens (0251) -----	421	32 782	20 320	283 389	47 190	120 719	3 097	117 622
Chicken eggs (0252) -----	1 020	97 111	58 761	291 882	48 925	272 622	8 296	264 326
Turkeys and turkey eggs (0253) -----	113	20 823	13 968	593 588	89 342	48 924	1 947	46 977
Poultry hatcheries (0254) -----	21	880	23	133 161	75 106	32 062	2	32 060
Poultry and eggs, n.e.c. (0259) -----	126	11 337	5 122	203 604	29 783	11 711	528	11 183
Animal specialties (027) -----	1 832	104 509	16 108	151 638	16 995	62 134	485	61 649
Fur-bearing animals and rabbits (0271) -----	165	4 654	411	69 577	17 818	5 898	29	5 869
Horses and other equines (0272) -----	1 480	90 274	14 570	166 411	16 197	36 019	354	35 665
Animal specialties, n.e.c. (0279) -----	187	9 581	1 127	97 724	22 383	20 217	102	20 115
General farms, primarily livestock (029) -----	886	149 613	74 670	240 461	31 591	40 460	9 451	31 009

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..	43 001	46 715	Any chemicals, fertilizer, or lime used—Con.		
Commercial fertilizer ----- farms..	39 870	43 940	Other agricultural chemicals ¹ ----- farms..	33 396	40 871
acres on which used -----	3 049 803	2 925 425	\$1,000-----	47 445	36 916
\$1,000-----	127 808	102 986	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—		
Lime----- farms..	20 343	19 535	Insects on hay and other crops ----- farms..	15 695	16 355
acres on which used -----	732 921	614 277	acres on which used..	962 753	822 560
tons-----	1 201 645	1 016 796	Nematodes in crops----- farms..	1 831	1 999
Farms by tons used:			acres on which used..	123 311	111 557
1 to 49 tons-----	13 205	13 449	Diseases in crops and orchards ----- farms..	4 258	4 395
50 to 99 tons-----	3 702	3 334	acres on which used..	135 556	166 251
100 to 199 tons -----	2 316	1 884	Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ___ farms..	26 966	27 963
200 to 499 tons -----	944	759	acres on which used..	1 741 114	1 465 716
500 to 999 tons -----	144	86	Chemicals used for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit----- farms..	1 739	1 353
1,000 tons or more -----	32	23	acres on which used..	75 703	52 743

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