

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) ----- | 11 520 | 2 024 456 | 391 185 | 163 877 | 19 727 | 365 600 | 26 228 | 339 372 |
| Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021) ----- | 9 931 | 1 590 422 | 247 442 | 143 710 | 15 514 | 109 091 | 15 082 | 94 010 |
| Beef cattle feedlots (0211) ----- | 494 | 81 292 | 13 249 | 156 802 | 26 523 | 4 785 | 461 | 4 324 |
| Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212) ----- | 7 385 | 1 175 235 | 121 944 | 136 620 | 12 855 | 39 592 | 2 372 | 37 220 |
| Hogs (0213) ----- | 1 803 | 250 781 | 95 507 | 146 668 | 21 882 | 60 183 | 10 757 | 49 426 |
| Sheep and goats (0214) ----- | 36 | 3 784 | 94 | 133 483 | 5 590 | 71 | 1 | 70 |
| General livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (0219) ----- | 213 | 79 330 | 16 648 | 323 088 | 30 210 | 4 460 | 1 490 | 2 970 |
| Dairy farms (024) ----- | 368 | 217 640 | 107 123 | 594 470 | 105 736 | 85 856 | 6 621 | 79 235 |
| Poultry and eggs (025) ----- | 516 | 80 515 | 24 095 | 208 932 | 50 640 | 163 657 | 3 212 | 160 445 |
| Broiler, fryer, and roaster chickens (0251) ----- | 173 | 25 148 | 10 087 | 197 619 | 52 823 | 41 596 | 1 368 | 40 228 |
| Chicken eggs (0252) ----- | 269 | 38 357 | 9 171 | 205 361 | 44 678 | 80 662 | 1 071 | 79 590 |
| Turkeys and turkey eggs (0253) ----- | 42 | 12 610 | 2 632 | 327 674 | 66 702 | 24 691 | 317 | 24 374 |
| Poultry hatcheries (0254) ----- | 6 | 741 | 5 | 497 400 | 295 020 | 11 984 | - | 11 984 |
| Poultry and eggs, n.e.c. (0259) ----- | 26 | 3 659 | 2 200 | 92 417 | 28 207 | 4 724 | 456 | 4 268 |
| Animal specialties (027) ----- | 448 | 54 831 | 3 435 | 155 388 | 13 240 | 3 552 | 173 | 3 379 |
| Fur-bearing animals and rabbits (0271) ----- | 17 | 386 | 14 | 52 765 | 7 576 | 67 | - | 67 |
| Horses and other equines (0272) ----- | 389 | 51 294 | 3 106 | 170 737 | 13 345 | 2 958 | 170 | 2 788 |
| Animal specialties, n.e.c. (0279) ----- | 42 | 3 151 | 315 | 90 667 | 14 294 | 527 | 4 | 523 |
| General farms, primarily livestock (029) ----- | 257 | 81 048 | 9 090 | 236 320 | 12 874 | 3 443 | 1 139 | 2 304 |

¹Data 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.. | 19 588 | 23 601 | Any chemicals, fertilizer, or lime used—Con. | | |
| Commercial fertilizer ----- farms.. | 18 370 | 22 362 | Other agricultural chemicals ¹ ----- farms.. | 11 839 | 18 303 |
| acres on which used ----- | 2 133 542 | 2 531 316 | \$1,000----- | 59 103 | 48 546 |
| \$1,000----- | 97 736 | 94 953 | Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control— | | |
| Lime----- farms.. | 5 603 | 8 822 | Insects on hay and other crops ----- farms.. | 7 475 | 9 301 |
| acres on which used ----- | 346 245 | 730 949 | acres on which used.. | 1 035 621 | 1 045 611 |
| tons----- | 342 267 | 688 881 | Nematodes in crops----- farms.. | 3 684 | 4 515 |
| Farms by tons used: | | | acres on which used.. | 485 142 | 445 768 |
| 1 to 49 tons ----- | 3 921 | 5 723 | Diseases in crops and orchards ----- farms.. | 1 955 | 1 866 |
| 50 to 99 tons ----- | 690 | 1 273 | acres on which used.. | 154 099 | 175 882 |
| 100 to 199 tons ----- | 576 | 940 | Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ----- farms.. | 8 170 | 11 404 |
| 200 to 499 tons ----- | 326 | 661 | acres on which used.. | 1 463 675 | 1 591 722 |
| 500 to 999 tons ----- | 67 | 150 | Chemicals used for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit----- farms.. | 927 | 1 213 |
| 1,000 tons or more ----- | 23 | 75 | acres on which used.. | 122 278 | 111 403 |

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