

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)-----	9 252	8 384 827	596 491	415 553	33 720	434 851	18 434	416 417
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021)-----	6 565	7 456 115	414 264	437 901	28 111	202 907	13 148	189 758
Beef cattle feedlots (0211)-----	689	489 385	59 172	408 880	33 272	65 537	3 000	62 477
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212)-----	4 444	4 979 126	290 964	422 297	29 154	104 023	7 295	96 728
Hogs (0213)-----	233	23 196	5 050	127 855	19 454	4 523	350	4 173
Sheep and goats (0214)-----	934	1 812 571	35 191	617 459	21 236	23 159	1 082	22 077
General livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (0219)-----	265	151 837	23 887	409 173	27 944	5 664	1 361	4 303
Dairy farms (024)-----	1 086	338 021	157 601	574 482	88 762	156 699	3 805	152 894
Poultry and eggs (025)-----	174	46 513	5 074	277 640	46 860	47 064	398	46 665
Broiler, fryer, and roaster chickens (0251)-----	1	(D)	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	(D)
Chicken eggs (0252)-----	59	13 365	1 248	412 163	89 169	19 316	149	19 167
Turkeys and turkey eggs (0253)-----	87	23 216	3 517	222 874	39 722	24 930	240	24 690
Poultry hatcheries (0254)-----	4	(D)	(D)	350 000	16 000	1 859	7	1 852
Poultry and eggs, n.e.c. (0259)-----	23	9 853	242	243 048	9 557	(D)	2	(D)
Animal specialties (027)-----	1 167	99 326	7 183	180 521	15 723	23 887	234	23 653
Fur-bearing animals and rabbits (0271)-----	300	13 030	1 690	185 815	22 163	16 909	107	16 802
Horses and other equines (0272)-----	792	80 279	4 072	180 275	12 676	3 001	70	2 931
Animal specialties, n.e.c. (0273)-----	75	6 017	1 421	164 522	19 277	3 976	56	3 919
General farms, primarily livestock (029)-----	260	444 852	12 369	362 579	23 765	4 296	848	3 447

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--	7 568	8 316	Any chemicals, fertilizer, or lime used—Con.		
Commercial fertilizer----- farms--	5 763	6 357	Other agricultural chemicals ¹ ----- farms--	5 414	6 287
acres on which used-----	470 332	507 043	\$1,000-----	5 302	4 624
\$1,000-----	10 327	11 893	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—		
Lime----- farms--	-	1	Insects on hay and other crops----- farms--	2 913	3 741
acres on which used-----	-	(D)	acres on which used-----	187 018	270 094
tons-----	-	(D)	Nematodes in crops----- farms--	113	248
Farms by tons used:			acres on which used-----	4 741	8 067
1 to 49 tons-----	-	1	Diseases in crops and orchards----- farms--	448	699
50 to 99 tons-----	-	-	acres on which used-----	9 172	20 371
100 to 199 tons-----	-	-	Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture --- farms--	3 583	3 371
200 to 499 tons-----	-	-	acres on which used-----	292 418	279 381
500 to 999 tons-----	-	-	Chemicals used for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit----- farms--	260	223
1,000 tons or more-----	-	-	acres on which used-----	11 300	13 497

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