

**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) .....	61 796	13 521 561	7 792 943	233 235	58 601	4 097 765	265 756	3 832 009
Livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (021) .....	17 979	2 526 611	1 076 631	146 928	28 334	556 761	53 319	503 442
Beef cattle feedlots (0211) .....	3 444	501 264	241 364	159 806	29 486	107 624	11 475	96 150
Beef cattle, except feedlots (0212) .....	8 585	1 135 276	343 350	115 729	21 159	178 711	13 533	165 178
Hogs (0213) .....	3 932	531 822	301 170	172 481	38 327	196 701	16 255	180 446
Sheep and goats (0214) .....	655	43 458	12 016	89 503	12 618	2 968	294	2 674
General livestock, except dairy, poultry, and animal specialties (0219) .....	1 363	314 791	178 731	254 300	47 288	70 757	11 763	58 994
Dairy farms (024) .....	40 168	10 393 692	6 414 138	272 710	73 704	3 207 211	175 819	3 031 393
Poultry and eggs (025) .....	564	70 505	26 281	164 695	43 695	141 708	3 158	138 550
Broiler, fryer, and roaster chickens (0251) .....	48	8 494	3 374	214 231	62 840	10 496	261	10 236
Chicken eggs (0252) .....	352	29 701	12 764	129 872	35 288	45 070	1 448	43 622
Turkeys and turkey eggs (0253) .....	61	21 054	6 118	368 000	105 266	62 466	656	61 809
Poultry hatcheries (0254) .....	10	352	30	475 250	151 250	4 919	-	4 919
Poultry and eggs, n.e.c. (0259) .....	93	10 904	3 995	171 621	35 616	18 757	793	17 964
Animal specialties (027) .....	1 722	107 342	16 601	88 390	15 881	86 319	798	85 522
Fur-bearing animals and rabbits (0271) .....	327	19 025	3 430	94 813	29 877	34 844	406	34 438
Horses and other equines (0272) .....	1 030	63 683	10 814	91 124	12 551	6 274	135	6 139
Animal specialties, n.e.c. (0279) .....	365	24 634	2 357	78 169	14 121	45 201	257	44 944
General farms, primarily livestock (029) .....	1 363	423 411	259 292	401 437	65 130	105 766	32 663	73 103

<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 .....	65 475	74 779	Any chemicals, fertilizer, or lime used—Con.		
Commercial fertilizer .....	60 964	70 503	Other agricultural chemicals <sup>1</sup> .....	52 981	64 819
acres on which used .....	6 744 454	6 430 988	\$1,000 .....	90 030	59 702
\$1,000 .....	262 517	181 264	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—		
Lime .....	12 803	16 053	Insects on hay and other crops .....	23 334	26 688
acres on which used .....	411 681	499 888	acres on which used .....	2 314 069	2 057 558
tons .....	909 769	1 134 798	Nematodes in crops .....	3 414	3 283
acres on which used .....			acres on which used .....	305 430	227 721
Farms by tons used:			Diseases in crops and orchards .....	3 245	2 947
1 to 49 tons .....	7 105	9 157	acres on which used .....	210 416	211 530
50 to 99 tons .....	3 162	3 638	Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture .....	42 937	46 920
100 to 199 tons .....	1 706	2 174	acres on which used .....	3 864 512	3 367 027
200 to 499 tons .....	690	913	Chemicals used for defoliation or for growth control of crops or thinning of fruit .....		
500 to 999 tons .....	111	138	farms .....	1 468	1 509
1,000 tons or more .....	29	33	acres on which used .....	113 456	82 942

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