

A.9. Characteristics of Bank Loans to Farmers -- Large Farm Lenders, by Size of Loan, February 4-8, 2008
Percent except as noted

Loan characteristic	All sizes	\$1,000 to \$9,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$250,000 and over
Volume of loans (thousands of dollars)	1,340,185	27,559	66,415	86,655	123,802	303,614	732,139
Number of loans	16,773	4,913	4,409	2,570	1,859	2,004	1,018
Weighted average maturity (months) ¹	21.68	8.74	11.37	17.24	18.56	22.85	23.63
Weighted average repricing interval (months) ²	7.42	2.41	4.03	8.24	5.57	9.48	7.32
Weighted average risk rating ³	3.11	3.06	3.02	3.03	3.03	2.99	3.18
Weighted average interest rate ⁴	6.18	7.07	6.99	6.68	6.52	6.32	5.90
Standard error ⁵	.08	.10	.13	.07	.11	.11	.13
<i>Interquartile range⁶</i>							
75th percentile	6.72	7.93	7.74	7.50	7.23	7.20	6.66
25th percentile	5.38	6.17	6.17	5.90	5.75	5.61	5.34
<i>Purpose of loan</i>							
Feeder livestock	6.54	6.77	7.18	6.48	6.60	6.57	6.42
Other livestock	5.91	6.72	6.79	6.33	6.09	5.98	5.65
Other current operating expenses ⁷	6.37	7.15	7.05	6.69	6.70	6.53	5.99
Farm machinery and equipment	6.46	8.09	7.19	7.40	6.37	6.10	6.04
Farm real estate	6.32	7.11	7.00	6.86	6.49	6.52	6.16
Other ⁸	5.80	6.71	6.59	6.51	6.04	5.78	5.72
<i>Share of total loan volume</i>							
<i>Features of loan</i>							
Floating rates	75.61	76.15	70.48	71.78	78.69	71.72	77.60
Under commitment	77.23	87.39	85.44	78.88	78.27	74.49	76.87
Callable	19.98	26.33	28.23	23.22	23.70	26.50	15.28
<i>Purpose of loan</i>							
Feeder livestock	5.89	6.80	6.85	8.23	9.17	6.15	4.83
Other livestock	5.70	5.54	8.45	5.19	6.57	5.37	5.50
Other current operating expenses ⁷	48.57	73.58	66.82	58.56	58.17	54.52	40.70
Farm machinery and equipment	2.91	2.34	5.31	6.79	5.33	4.60	1.15
Farm real estate	6.76	.59	.96	3.25	5.91	8.22	7.48
Other ⁸	30.17	11.15	11.60	17.98	14.86	21.13	40.34
<i>Type of collateral</i>							
Farm real estate	11.54	4.83	6.43	9.36	11.15	13.11	11.93
Other	83.51	89.11	85.20	83.12	84.10	76.70	85.91

Note. Most large farm lenders that reported loans to farmers had more than \$25 million in farm loans.
For explanation of footnotes, see table A.8.