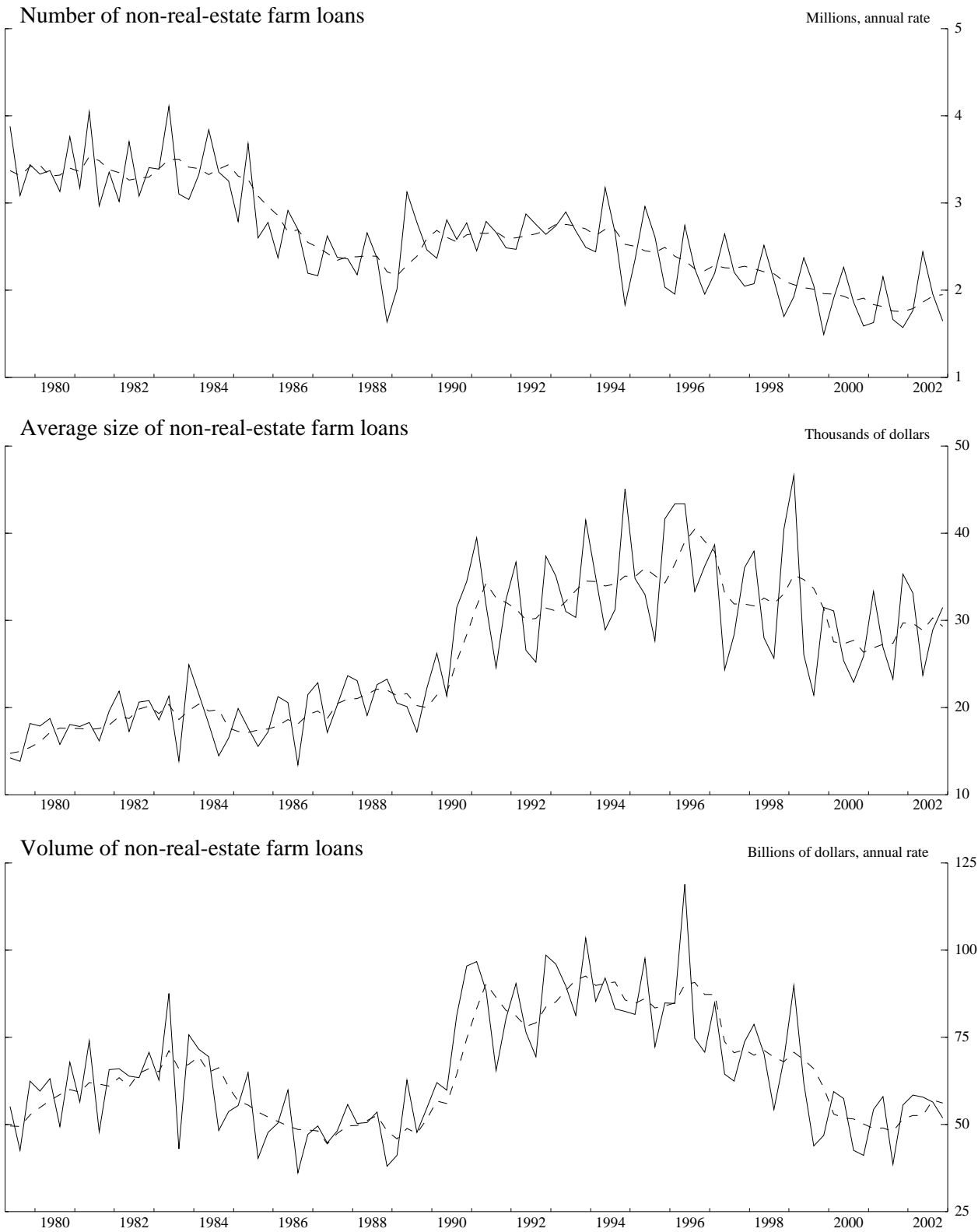


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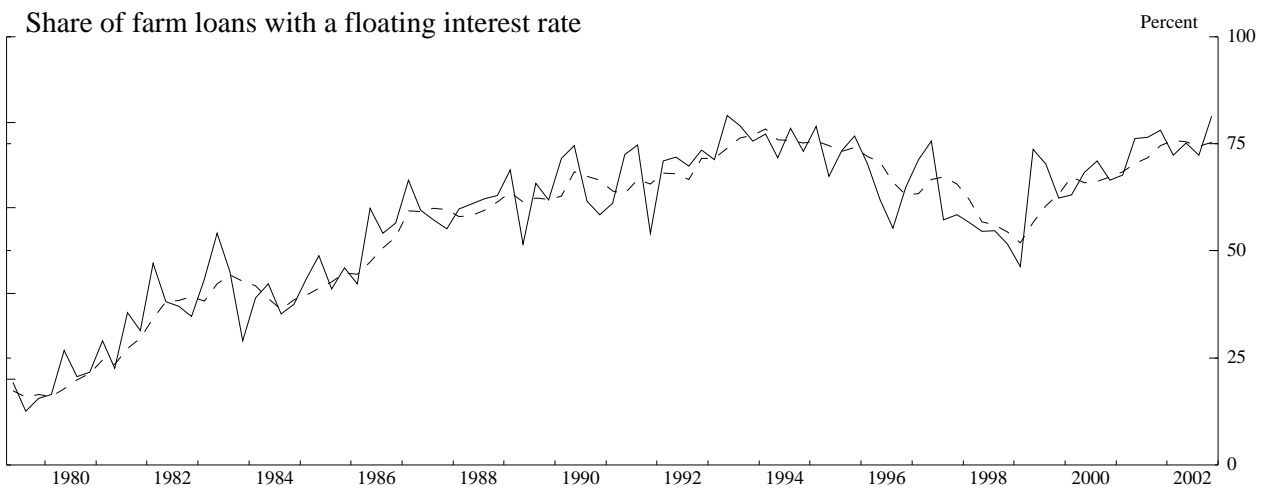
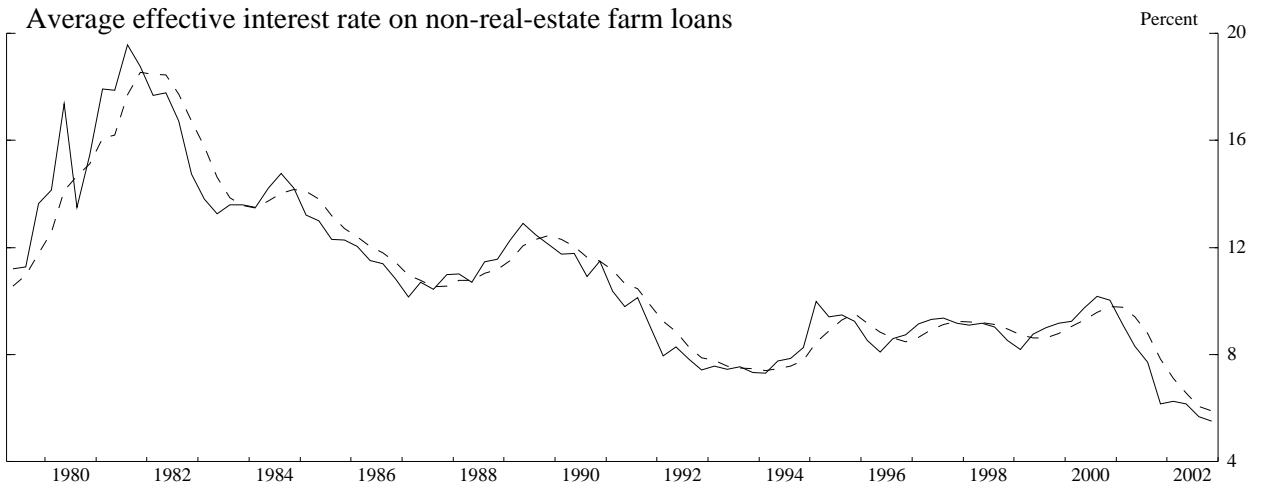
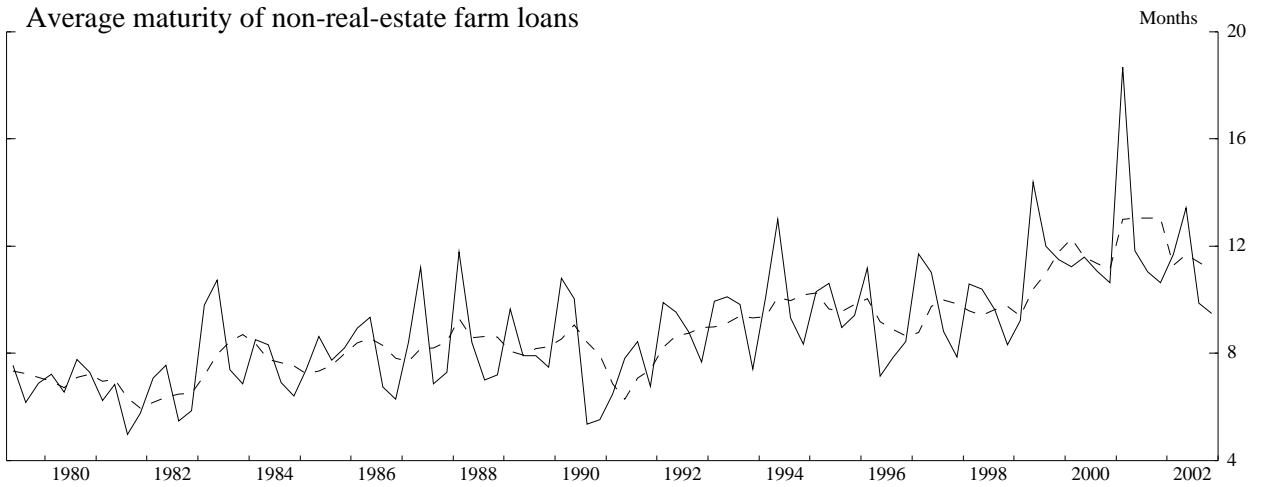
Number, Size, and Volume of Non-real-estate Farm Loans, 1979-2002



-- Four-quarter moving average.
Source. Survey of Terms of Bank Lending to Farmers.

Chart 2

Maturity and Interest Rate of Non-real-estate Farm Loans, 1979-2002



Note. Effective (compounded) annual interest rates are calculated from the stated rate and other terms of the loans and weighted by loan size.
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