

SANDERSON FARMS INC  
Form SC 13G/A  
February 13, 2008

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934  
(Amendment No.1)\*

**Sanderson Farms, Inc.**

(Name of Issuer)

**Common Stock**

(Title of Class of Securities)

**800013104**

(CUSIP Number)

**December 31, 2007**

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- Rule 13d-1(b)
- Rule 13d-1(c)
- Rule 13d-1(d)

\*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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CUSIP No. 800013104

1. Names of Reporting Persons  
Sheffield Asset Management, L.L.C.

2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)  
(a)   
(b)

3. SEC Use Only

4. Citizenship or Place of Organization  
Delaware

5. Sole Voting Power  
0

Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With  
6. Shared Voting Power  
0

7. Sole Dispositive Power  
0

8. Shared Dispositive Power  
0

9. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person  
0

10. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions)

11. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)  
0.0%

12. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)  
IA

**Item 1.**

- (a) Name of Issuer  
Sanderson Farms, Inc.
- (b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices  
127 Flynt Road  
Laurel, Mississippi 39443

**Item 2.**

- (a) Name of Person Filing  
This statement is being filed by Sheffield Asset Management, L.L.C. ( SAM ), which serves as General Partner of Sheffield Partners, L.P. and Sheffield Institutional Partners, L.P. and Investment Advisor to Sheffield International Partners, Ltd. (collectively, the Funds ) with respect to the shares of the Issuer's common stock directly owned by the Funds. The members of SAM are Brian J. Feltzin and Craig C. Albert.
- (b) Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence  
900 North Michigan Avenue, Suite 1100  
Chicago, Illinois 60611
- (c) Citizenship  
Delaware
- (d) Title of Class of Securities  
Common Stock
- (e) CUSIP Number  
800013104

**Item 3.**

- If this statement is filed pursuant to §§240.13d-1(b) or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:**
- (a)  Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78o).
- (b)  Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).
- (c)  Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).
- (d)  Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8).
- (e)  An investment adviser in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);

- (f) o An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);
- (g) o A parent holding company or control person in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);
- (h) o A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);
- (i) o A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);
- (j) o Group, in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).

**Item 4. Ownership**

The information in items 1 and 5 through 11 on the cover pages (p. 2) of this Schedule 13G is hereby incorporated by reference.

**Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class**

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following .

**Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person**

Not Applicable.

**Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company or Control Person**

Not Applicable.

**Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group**

Not Applicable.

**Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group**

Not Applicable.

**Item 10. Certification**

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

**SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

February 13, 2008  
Date

Sheffield Asset Management, L.L.C.

/s/ Brian J. Feltzin  
Signature

Brian J. Feltzin, Managing Member  
Name/Title