

Economic Impacts (2015)

Agricultural and related industries generate

1,394 jobs (22.8% of total) in Franklin County.

\$54.3 million in Gross Regional Product.

18.2% contribution to Gross Regional Product.
Based on an annual UF study

It is estimated that for every **\$1** invested in agricultural research and Extension, there is a return of **\$20** to the community.
Alston, Andersen et al. (2010)

Funding (FY 2017)

State funds for Extension **\$149,817 (64%)**

Federal funds for Extension **\$14,302 (6%)**

County funds for Extension **\$71,611 (30%)**

Volunteers (2016)

Number of volunteers **32**

Hours worked **237**

Dollar value of hours worked **\$5,721**

Giving (FY 2016)

Recent donors residing in county **87**

FY 2016 donors residing in county **38**

Gifts to UF from county residents **\$1,645**

Gifts to IFAS from county residents **\$1,035**

EXTENSION: Seafood Safety; Aquaculture; Ecosystems; Home Horticulture; Forest Resources; Food Safety, Health, Nutrition; Sustainable Living; Money Matters; 4-H Youth/Volunteers

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Client Satisfaction (2015)

Quality

100% Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness

80% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

67% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

60% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2016)

Field and office consultations **90**

Participants at group learning events **4,079**

Phone and email consultations **906**

Social media engagement **9,141**

Educational materials created **46**

Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2016)

Clients reporting an increase in knowledge or skill **88%**

Clients reporting a change in behavior or attitude **71%**

Clients adopting best practices resulting in societal, economic, or environmental benefits to community **64%**

Students and Alumni (Fall 2016)

UF students from county **11**

CALS students from county **2**

UF alumni residing in county **60**

UF/IFAS alumni residing in county **5**