Economic Impacts (2015)
Agricultural and related industries generate

- **5,009** jobs (26.2% of total) in Gadsden County.
- **$241.7 million** in Gross Regional Product.
- **23.5%** 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)

Client Satisfaction (2015)

Quality
- **86%** Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness
- **50%** Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...
- **86%** Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage
- **57%** Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Funding (FY 2017)

- State funds for Extension: **$469,234** (59%)
- Federal funds for Extension: **$44,795** (6%)
- County funds for Extension: **$279,121** (35%)

Volunteers (2016)

- Number of volunteers: **237**
- Hours worked: **3,757**
- Dollar value of hours worked: **$90,694**

Giving (FY 2016)

- Recent donors residing in county: **374**
- FY 2016 donors residing in county: **211**
- Gifts to UF from county residents: **$332,794**
- Gifts to IFAS from county residents: **$1,125**

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: **21**
- CALS students from county: **3**
- UF alumni residing in county: **231**
- UF/IFAS alumni residing in county: **63**

Ornamentals, Tree fruits, Forestry, Wildlife, Beef cattle

RESEARCH: Plant Breeding; Row Crop Systms; Specialty Crop Systms; Integrated Pest Mgmt; Wildlife; Invasive Plant Control; Forest Mgmt; Soil Nutrient Mgmt; Bioenergy; Nanotechnology

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