**Economic Impacts (2014)**
Agricultural and related industries generate

- **2,222** jobs (39.2% of total) in Gilchrist County.
- **$147.7 million** in revenues.
- **46.6%** 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 2016)**
- State funds for Extension: **$232,617 (53%)**
- Federal funds for Extension: **$27,391 (6%)**
- County funds for Extension: **$181,333 (41%)**

**Volunteers (2015)**
- Number of volunteers: **142**
- Hours worked: **970**
- Dollar value of hours worked: **$22,853**

**Giving (FY 2016)**
- Recent donors residing in county: **684**
- FY 2016 donors residing in county: **379**
- Gifts to UF from county residents: **$30,298**
- Gifts to IFAS from county residents: **$150**

**Client Satisfaction (2014)**
- **Quality**: **95%**
  - Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.
- **Effectiveness**: **90%**
  - Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...
  - **93%** said it solved their problem or answered their question.
- **Leverage**: **79%**
  - Clients who shared the information with someone else.

**Clientele Contacts (2015)**
- Field and office consultations: **565**
- Participants at group learning events: **1,092**
- Phone and email consultations: **1,470**
- Social media engagement: **1,263**
- Educational materials created: **31**

**Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2015)**
- Clients reporting an increase in knowledge or skill: **85%**
- Clients reporting a change in behavior or attitude: **70%**
- Clients adopting best practices resulting in societal, economic, or environmental benefits to community: **65%**

**Students and Alumni (Fall 2016)**
- UF students from county: **57**
- CALS students from county: **16**
- UF alumni residing in county: **414**
- UF/IFAS alumni residing in county: **105**

**EXTENSION**: 4-H youth life skills development, Crop production, Dairy management, Nutrition

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