Economic Impacts (2013)

Agricultural and related industries generate

- **5,558** jobs (28.6% of total) in Jackson County.
- **$309.6 million** in revenues.
- **24.4%** contribution to gross regional product.

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 (2011)

| Quality | Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided. | 99% |
| Effectiveness | Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and... | 65% |
| | Said it solved their problem or answered their question. | 96% |
| Leverage | Clients who shared the information with someone else. | 62% |

Funding (FY 2014)

- State funds for Extension: **$554,132 (62%)**
- Federal funds for Extension: **$67,931 (8%)**
- County funds for Extension: **$266,922 (30%)**

Volunteers (2014)

- Number of volunteers: **211**
- Hours worked: **3,548**
- Dollar value of hours worked: **$81,852**

Statewide Clientelee Outcomes (2014)

- Clients reporting an increase in knowledge or skill: **88%**
- Clients reporting a change in behavior or attitude: **74%**
- Clients adopting best practices resulting in societal, economic, or environmental benefits to community: **60%**

Giving (FY 2014)

- Recent donors residing in county: **453**
- FY 2014 donors residing in county: **180**
- Gifts to UF from county residents: **$287,535**
- Gifts to IFAS from county residents: **$234,133**

Students and Alumni (Fall 2014)

- UF students from county: **35**
- CALS students from county: **11**
- UF alumni residing in county: **359**
- IFAS alumni residing in county: **105**

EXTENSION: Peanuts, cotton, beef cattle, fruits and vegetables; home gardening; 4-H clubs, projects, and competitive events; family financial management, and nutrition.

COMMODITIES: Peanuts, Cotton, Beef cattle, Forages

RESEARCH: Cattle feed efficiency, beef/calf production, animal nutrition, peanut breeding, forage breeding, forage management