**Economic Impacts (2015)**
Agricultural and related industries generate

- **5,141** jobs (26.5% of total) in Jackson County.
- **$258.9 million** in Gross Regional Product.
- **22.2%** 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: **$706,906 (66%)**
- Federal funds for Extension: **$67,485 (6%)**
- County funds for Extension: **$297,558 (28%)**

**Volunteers (2016)**
- Number of volunteers: **267**
- Hours worked: **10,830**
- Dollar value of hours worked: **$261,436**

**Giving (FY 2016)**
- Recent donors residing in county: **469**
- FY 2016 donors residing in county: **199**
- Gifts to UF from county residents: **$387,009**
- Gifts to IFAS from county residents: **$320,704**

**Client Satisfaction (2016)**
**Quality**
- Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided: **93%**

**Effectiveness**
- Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...  
  **78%**  
- Said it solved their problem or answered their question: **71%**

**Leverage**
- Clients who shared the information with someone else: **61%**

**Clientele Contacts (2016)**
- Field and office consultations: **2,006**
- Participants at group learning events: **16,658**
- Phone and email consultations: **155,458**
- Social media engagement: **528,834**
- Educational materials created: **456**

**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: **33**
- CALS students from county: **15**
- UF alumni residing in county: **362**
- UF/IFAS alumni residing in county: **111**

**EXTENSION:** Peanuts, cotton, beef cattle, fruits and vegetables; Home gardening; 4-H clubs, projects, competitive events; Family financial management; Health, nutrition and wellness; Consumer education  
**COMMODITIES:** Peanuts, cotton, beef cattle, forages

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