

Economic Impacts (2015)

Agricultural and related industries generate

43,778 jobs (17.5% of total) in Seminole County.

\$2.48 billion in Gross Regional Product.

12.8% 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 **\$909,014 (63%)**
Federal funds for Extension **\$86,779 (6%)**
County funds for Extension **\$450,302 (31%)**

Volunteers (2016)

Number of volunteers **301**
Hours worked **10,413**
Dollar value of hours worked **\$251,370**

Giving (FY 2016)

Recent donors residing in county **9,386**
FY 2016 donors residing in county **4,060**
Gifts to UF from county residents **\$937,872**
Gifts to IFAS from county residents **\$17,680**

EXTENSION: Water quality/quantity; Food systems and the environment; Resource sustainability & conservation; Financial security; STEM opportunities for 4-H youth; Healthy lifestyles

Client Satisfaction (2017)

Quality

95% Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness

66% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

77% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

72% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2016)

Field and office consultations **4,692**
Participants at group learning events **17,621**
Phone and email consultations **31,345**
Social media engagement **66,719**
Educational materials created **176**

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 **1,173**
CALS students from county **82**
UF alumni residing in county **7,275**
UF/IFAS alumni residing in county **496**

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