

Economic Impacts (2015)

Agricultural and related industries generate

23,411 jobs (25.6% of total) in St. Johns County.

\$1.12 billion in Gross Regional Product.

17.0% 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 **\$1,107,791 (57%)**
Federal funds for Extension **\$105,755 (5%)**
County funds for Extension **\$729,454 (38%)**

Volunteers (2016)

Number of volunteers **1,020**
Hours worked **15,579**
Dollar value of hours worked **\$376,077**

Giving (FY 2016)

Recent donors residing in county **9,141**
FY 2016 donors residing in county **5,113**
Gifts to UF from county residents **\$5,838,966**
Gifts to IFAS from county residents **\$9,291**

EXTENSION: Pesticide safety, commercial/homeowner turf grass production, 4-H teen leadership opportunities, Housing, Commercial vegetable production, Ag production & sustainability

Client Satisfaction (2013)

Quality

99% Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness

71% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

82% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

70% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2016)

Field and office consultations **3,360**
Participants at group learning events **25,984**
Phone and email consultations **10,871**
Social media engagement **232,432**
Educational materials created **159**

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 **878**
CALs students from county **68**
UF alumni residing in county **5,958**
UF/IFAS alumni residing in county **460**

RESEARCH: Alternatives to traditional practices in development, agriculture, land use, and water quality, which include low impact development, Florida Friendly landscaping, niche crops

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