

Economic Impacts

Agricultural and related industries generate

32,820 jobs (12.2% of total) in Brevard County.

\$1.37 billion in revenues.

6.9% contribution to gross regional product.

Based on a 2009 UF study

It is estimated that for every **\$1** invested in agricultural research and extension, there is a return of **\$10** to the community.

Based on a 2007 USDA study

Funding

State funds for Extension **\$698,245**
Federal funds for Extension **\$215,072**
County funds for Extension **\$846,002**

Volunteers

Number of volunteers **387**
Hours worked **17,855**
Dollar value of hours worked **\$381,383**

Giving

Recent donors residing in county **8,900**
FY 2011 donors residing in county **3,980**
Gifts to UF from county residents **\$1,559,321**
Gifts to IFAS from county residents **\$22,290**

Statewide Client Satisfaction

Quality

96% Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness

80% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

90% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

75% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts

Field and office consultations **3,929**
Participants at group learning events **251,182**
Phone and email consultations **12,062**
Educational materials created **469**

Statewide Clientele Outcomes

Clients reporting an increase in knowledge or skill **86%**
Clients reporting a change in behavior or attitude **78%**
Clients adopting best practices resulting in societal, economic, or environmental benefits to community **68%**

Students and Alumni

UF students from county **1,395**
CALs students from county **152**
UF alumni residing in county **6,817**
IFAS alumni residing in county **430**

EXTENSION: Horticulture, 4-H life skills development, Personal and family wellbeing, Livestock production, Marine sciences

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