

Economic Impacts

Agricultural and related industries generate

3,476 jobs (29.8% of total) in Levy County.

\$0.15 billion in revenues.

24.4% 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 **\$498,747**

Federal funds for Extension **\$153,623**

County funds for Extension **\$444,762**

Volunteers

Number of volunteers **378**

Hours worked **7,269**

Dollar value of hours worked **\$155,266**

Giving

Recent donors residing in county **1,496**

FY 2011 donors residing in county **936**

Gifts to UF from county residents **\$440,545**

Gifts to IFAS from county residents **\$231,189**

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 **5,419**

Participants at group learning events **140,271**

Phone and email consultations **4,624**

Educational materials created **328**

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 **64**

CALS students from county **18**

UF alumni residing in county **752**

IFAS alumni residing in county **146**

EXTENSION: 4-H youth life skills, Family and community wellness, Commercial crop production, Clam aquaculture production, Food, health, safety, Consumer science

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