

## Economic Impacts (2019)

Agricultural and related industries generate

**1,388** jobs (24.4% of total) in Gulf County.  
**\$106** million in Gross Regional Product.  
**25.4%** 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 2022)

State funds for Extension **\$318,348 (69%)**  
 Federal funds for Extension **\$32,200 (7%)**  
 County funds for Extension **\$113,185 (24%)**

## Volunteers (2022)

Number of volunteers **105**  
 Hours worked **1,187**  
 Dollar value of hours worked **\$37,748**

## Giving (FY 2022)

Recent (5yrs) donors residing in county **54**  
 Current (1yr) donors residing in county **23**  
 Gifts to UF from county residents **\$14,548**  
 Gifts to IFAS from county residents **\$150**

**EXTENSION:** Life skills development, Family and consumer sciences, Alternative opportunities for small and part-time farmers, Wildlife programs

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## Client Satisfaction (2019)

Quality

**97%** Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness

**89%** Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

**91%** Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

**97%** Clients who shared the information with someone else.

## Clientele Contacts (2022)

Field and office consultations **454**  
 Participants at group learning events **2,875**  
 Phone and email consultations **1,097**  
 Social media engagement **69,377**  
 Educational materials created **141**

## Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2022)

Gallons of water saved by residents and landscapers **340,124,479**  
 No. of producers who adopted recommended practices **18,690**  
 No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters **55,285**

## Students and Alumni (Fall 2022)

UF students from county **13**  
 CALS students from county **2**  
 UF alumni residing in county **89**  
 UF/IFAS alumni residing in county **16**