

Economic Impacts (2019)

Agricultural and related industries generate

8,433 jobs (34.9% of total) in Putnam County.

\$770 million in Gross Regional Product.

37.7% 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 **\$640,886 (64%)**

Federal funds for Extension **\$64,825 (6%)**

County funds for Extension **\$299,039 (30%)**

Volunteers (2022)

Number of volunteers **119**

Hours worked **34,196**

Dollar value of hours worked **\$1,087,418**

Giving (FY 2022)

Recent (5yrs) donors residing in county **972**

Current (1yr) donors residing in county **456**

Gifts to UF from county residents **\$1,693,941**

Gifts to IFAS from county residents **\$630**

EXTENSION: Ag Production & Sustainability; Urban & Residential Environmental Landscape Management; Master Gardener Volunteer Pgm; 4-H Youth Development; Promoting Healthy Lifestyles; Chronic Disease Prevention

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Client Satisfaction (2021)

Quality

97% 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...

72% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

63% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2022)

Field and office consultations **766**

Participants at group learning events **3,204**

Phone and email consultations **8,009**

Social media engagement **93,893**

Educational materials created **148**

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 **94**

CALS students from county **15**

UF alumni residing in county **1,168**

UF/IFAS alumni residing in county **144**