

Economic Impacts (2019)

Agricultural and related industries generate

2,533 jobs (25.3% of total) in Wakulla County.

\$111 million in Gross Regional Product.

17.1% 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 2023)

State funds for Extension **\$460,733 (53%)**

Federal funds for Extension **\$46,441 (5%)**

County funds for Extension **\$368,544 (42%)**

Volunteers (2023)

Number of volunteers **106**

Hours worked **5,425**

Dollar value of hours worked **\$181,683**

Giving (FY 2023)

Recent (5yrs) donors residing in county **161**

Current (1yr) donors residing in county **73**

Gifts to UF from county residents **\$38,254**

Gifts to IFAS from county residents **\$5,414**

EXTENSION: 4-H life skills; Wellness programs; Natural resource and ecosystems education; Agriculture for small farms; Nutrition and food safety; Money management; Horticulture

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Client Satisfaction (2023)

Quality

100% Residents who used Extension services and were satisfied with the service provided.

Effectiveness

100% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

100% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

86% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2023)

Field and office consultations **553**

Participants at group learning events **3,235**

Phone and email consultations **1,591**

Social media engagement **195,538**

Educational materials created **169**

Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2023)

Gallons of water saved by residents and landscapers **375,503,045**

No. of producers who adopted recommended practices **20,994**

No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters **39,157**

Students and Alumni (Fall 2023)

UF students from county **34**

CALS students from county **8**

UF alumni residing in county **238**

UF/IFAS alumni residing in county **38**