

Economic Impacts (2018)

Agricultural and related industries generate

25,086 jobs (23.6% of total) in Bay County.

\$1.54 billion in Gross Regional Product.

18.2% 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 2020)

State funds for Extension **\$535,806 (57%)**
Federal funds for Extension **\$55,343 (6%)**
County funds for Extension **\$347,253 (37%)**

Volunteers (2019)

Number of volunteers **214**
Hours worked **5,955**
Dollar value of hours worked **\$161,976**

Giving (FY 2019)

Recent donors residing in county **746**
FY 2019 donors residing in county **302**
Gifts to UF from county residents **\$220,134**
Gifts to IFAS from county residents **\$2,762**

Client Satisfaction (2016)

Quality

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

Effectiveness

81% Clients who had an opportunity to use the information received, and...

80% Said it solved their problem or answered their question.

Leverage

69% Clients who shared the information with someone else.

Clientele Contacts (2019)

Field and office consultations **1,819**
Participants at group learning events **14,908**
Phone and email consultations **3,404**
Social media engagement **30,371**
Educational materials created **168**

Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2019)

Gallons of water saved by residential participants **467,145,870**
No. of producers who adopted recommended practices **15,244**
No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters **51,697**

Students and Alumni (Fall 2019)

UF students from county **277**
CALs students from county **37**
UF alumni residing in county **1,533**
UF/IFAS alumni residing in county **124**

EXTENSION: Commercial/residential horticulture; Food safety; Nutrition; Financial mgmt; Fisheries, artificial reefs; Marine/coastal resources; 4-H life skills; Volunteer development

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